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TO: President
Executive Committee, Staff
Members of Branch 462 Eastview

RE: Suspension of Charter – **Eastview (Ont. No. 462) Branch, 294 Cyr Avenue, Vanier, ON K0L 1L0**

This will serve as Official Notice, that after enquiry and for cause stated herein, pursuant to Section 419.a. of The General By-Laws, through the authority delegated by Section 505. of those same General By-Laws, the Provincial President of Ontario Command, Comrade Garry Pond has hereby suspended the charter of Eastview (Ont. No. 462) Branch effective immediately. Further, pursuant to Section 419.a. of the same By-Laws, Comrade Pond has appointed the below listed Trustees to preserve all property and administer the affairs of the Branch for the designated period of time. This action is being taken given that the current Branch President is on a leave of absence out of the country and the recent resignation by all remaining Branch Officers and Executive Members excluding one Executive Committee Member. It is therefore evident that Command must assume the responsibility respecting all operational functions of the Branch on an interim basis and provide time to await the return of the Branch President, prior to the below listed termination date, before being able to accurately assess the future of the Branch.

Please note that all Branch Staff must follow the direction of the Trustees who have the ultimate authority and control. The failure to comply with any lawful direction and request from the Trustees by any employee of the Branch could form the grounds for their dismissal with cause.

The following Trustees, having been duly appointed by the Provincial President, shall serve in this capacity and as signing officers for a period of up to 90 days terminating on the 12th day of April 2021, unless due cause exists, supported by further inquiry, to warrant the extension of the current period beyond this termination date.

George Wood	Chairman
Blaine Kiley	Member
Randy Reid	Member

This letter provides the Trustees with the authority to preserve all property and to administer the affairs of the Branch. Branch cheques will be completed by the Trustees (signing officers) in accordance with the General By-laws of Dominion Command and Ontario Provincial Command.

Regards,

Pamela Sweeny
Executive Director

Cc: G. Pond, Provincial President
J. VanSnick, District 'G' Commander
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