privilege granted by this chapter, the corporation shall file, with the secretary of state or other designated official of each State, territory, or possession of the United States in which the corporation does business, the name and address of an agent in that State, territory, or possession on whom legal process or demands against the corporation may be served.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1324.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

| *Revised Section* | *Source (U.S. Code)* | *Source (Statutes at Large)* |
|---|---|---|
| 30710(a) ..... | 36:505 (2d, 3d sentences). | July 19, 1954, ch. 536, §§5 (2d, 3d sentences), 17, 68 Stat. 490, 492. |
| 30710(b) ..... | 36:517. | |

In subsection (a), the word ''have'' is substituted for ''maintain at all times'', and the word ''authorized'' is omitted, for consistency in the revised title and to eliminate unnecessary words. The words ''is notice to or service on the corporation'' are substituted for ''shall be deemed sufficient notice or service upon the corporation'' for consistency in the revised title.

In subsection (b), the word ''precedent'' is omitted as unnecessary. The words ''with the secretary of state or other designated official'' are substituted for ''in the office of the Secretary of State, or similar office'' for consistency in the revised title. The words ''post office'' and ''authorized'' are omitted as unnecessary.

### § 30711. Liability for acts of officers and agents

The corporation is liable for the acts of its officers and agents acting within the scope of their authority.

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HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

| *Revised Section* | *Source (U.S. Code)* | *Source (Statutes at Large)* |
|---|---|---|
| 30711 ..... | 36:511. | July 19, 1954, ch. 536, §11, 68 Stat. 491. |

### § 30712. Distribution of assets on dissolution or final liquidation

On dissolution or final liquidation of the corporation, any assets remaining after the discharge of all liabilities shall be used by the board of directors for the purpose stated in section 30702 of this title or be transferred to a recognized educational foundation.

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HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

| *Revised Section* | *Source (U.S. Code)* | *Source (Statutes at Large)* |
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| 30712 ..... | 36:515. | July 19, 1954, ch. 536, §15, 68 Stat. 492. |

The word ''satisfaction'' is omitted as included in ''discharge'', and the word ''obligations'' is omitted as included in ''liabilities''. The word ''outstanding'' is omitted as unnecessary.

## CHAPTER 309—BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

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### § 30901. Organization

(a) FEDERAL CHARTER.—Boy Scouts of America (in this chapter, the ''corporation'') is a body corporate and politic of the District of Columbia.

(b) DOMICILE.—The domicile of the corporation is the District of Columbia.

(c) PERPETUAL EXISTENCE.—Except as otherwise provided, the corporation has perpetual existence.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1325.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

| *Revised Section* | *Source (U.S. Code)* | *Source (Statutes at Large)* |
|---|---|---|
| 30901 ..... | 36:21. | June 15, 1916, ch. 148, §§1, 2 (words before 2d comma), 39 Stat. 227. |
| | 36:22 (words before 2d comma). | |

This section is substituted for the source provisions for consistency in the revised title and to eliminate executed and unnecessary words.

### § 30902. Purposes

The purposes of the corporation are to promote, through organization, and cooperation with other agencies, the ability of boys to do things for themselves and others, to train them in scoutcraft, and to teach them patriotism, courage, self-reliance, and kindred virtues, using the methods that were in common use by boy scouts on June 15, 1916.

(Pub. L. 105–225, Aug. 12, 1998, 112 Stat. 1325.)

HISTORICAL AND REVISION NOTES

| *Revised Section* | *Source (U.S. Code)* | *Source (Statutes at Large)* |
|---|---|---|
| 30902 ..... | 36:23. | June 15, 1916, ch. 148, §3, 39 Stat. 228. |

### § 30903. Governing body

(a) EXECUTIVE BOARD.—An executive board composed of citizens of the United States is the governing body of the corporation. The number, qualifications, and term of office of members of the board are as provided in the bylaws. A vacancy on the board shall be filled by a majority vote of the remaining members of the board.

(b) QUORUM.—The bylaws may prescribe the number of members of the board necessary for a quorum. That number may be less than a majority of the entire board.

(c) COMMITTEES.—(1) The board, by resolution passed by a majority of the entire board, may designate 3 or more members of the board as an executive or governing committee. A majority of the committee is a quorum. The committee, to the extent provided in the resolution or bylaws, may—

(A) exercise the powers of the executive board in managing the activities of the corporation; and