KITSAP AIRCARFT RADIO CONTROL SOCIETY

CHARTERED CLUB No. 839 Of the ACADEMY OF MODEL AERONAUTICS

U.S. Representative for model aviation of the Federation Aeronatique International

CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I - NAME

The Name of this club shall be "Kitsap Aircraft Radio Control Society", here after referred to as the "Kitsap ARCS".

ARTICLE II - PURPOSE

- **Section 1.** The objectives of this club shall be to promote all phases of radio controlled model aircraft building and flying and to aid the national programs of the Academy of Model Aeronautics, hereafter known as the "AMA".
- **Section 2.** All special or local enterprises of the Kitsap Arcs shall conform to the policies of the AMA and to the regulations promulgated by that organization.
- **Section 3.** The Kitsap ARCS will maintain the AMA charter and will pay all fees necessary for continuance of said charter.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

Section 1. <u>MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS-All</u> members of the Kitsap ARCS must hold and maintain current, an individual Flyer's license issued by the AMA or currently apply for dame with application for Club Membership. All members of the Kitsap ARCS must hold and maintain current the appropriate Federal Communications Commission (FCC) license for the operations of their radio equipment.

(Membership dues will be as subsequently prescribed in by-laws)

- **Section 2.** <u>ACTIVE MEMBERS-Active</u> membership will be granted to any applicant who meets the qualification set for in Article 1 of the by-laws, after first meeting the requirements for membership set forth in Article III, Section 1 of the Constitution. Active members shall be permitted to vote on club business.
- **Section 3.** <u>HONORARY MEMBERS-Honorary</u> membership may be granted to any individual upon majority vote of the members present at any regular meeting of the club after recommendation by the Board of Directors. Honorary membership shall be reserved for persons deemed worthy of same by way of related activity, nature of business, or participation in events of, by, or for the club and model aviation in general. Honorary members shall be exempt from club dues as well as the AMA and FCC License requirements: they shall be excluded from participation in club-sponsored closed competition and shall have no voting power in club business.

Section 4. <u>LIFE MEMBERSHIP</u> membership may be granted to any club members upon majority vote of the members present at any regular meeting of the club after recommendation by the Board of Directors. Life membership shall be reserved for any members who have distinguished themselves for the benefit of the club and/or model aviation generally. Life members shall be exempt from dues and shall be entitled to all club privileges.

ARTICLE IV-LEADERSHIP AND TRAINING

Adequate leadership and a course of training, enthusiastically supported by all members of the club, shall be available to all members who need it.

ARTICLE V-AUTHORITY

No type of negotiations or contract in the name of the Kitsap ARCS shall be entered into or solicited by any member unless previously authorized to do so by the board of directors.

ARTICLE VI-AMENDMENTS

This constitution may not be changed by amendments.

THIS CONSTITUTIONWAS REPRINTED IN OCTOBER 1990, JULY 1998, AND NOVEMBER 1999 WITH NO CHANGES