Proposed Bylaws Amendment:  
Separating Legislation and Resolutions Committees


Motion:

Separate the Legislative Committee from the Resolutions Committee and make the Resolutions Committee a standing committee.

Rationale:

In previous bylaws revisions, the Legislative Committee and Resolutions Committee were combined because of similarities in their overall purposes. However, in practice, the combined work was found to be excessive, and the Resolutions function differed from the Legislative function. Also, resolutions play a critical role in National PTA’s work and are some of the more impactful external-facing policy documents.

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Amend Article XI, Committees, by striking out and inserting, and renumbering of section numbers.

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6. Resolutions Committee. The Resolutions Committee shall solicit, review, and recommend proposed resolutions for consideration to the board of directors; and review adopted resolutions and recommend to retain, amend, or rescind those resolutions.