AIRBORNE ENGINEERS ASSOCIATION/ REA (AIRBORNE) PROPOSED MERGER

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS – ADDENDUM – OCTOBER 2024

REF	SUBJECT	QUESTION	RESPONSE
19	Voting	Is it an individual or a branch vote	Individual.
20	Voting	What happens if a branch votes not to merge, and the membership are in favour.	This is not a branch vote and majority vote in accordance with the AEA constitution.
21	Voting	If the branch votes not to merge and the majority vote to merge does the branch have to resign from the AEA.	The branch is bound by the AEA constitution, if the vote is to merge then the branch must abide by the vote. Individuals are free to do whatever they wish.
22	Voting	Who will collate and ratify the votes and how can the members be sure of the actual result.	To be determined
23	PI Insurance	I assume the REA has Public Liability Insurance in place and if so, the AEA will be incorporated in this. Is this the case?	The AEA will continue to take out liability insurance covering members and the general public at events to cover any legal cost and pay out to an insured party if they are found legally liable. REA branches are responsible for their own liability insurance the REA does not have an blanket insurance covering all its members at all events.
24	Journal	Will the AEA Journal carry on as it is, or will it be subsumed into the Sapper magazine?	The AEA Journal will continue as it is.