

## Illinois Society of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeons

## Policy Statement Concerning Confidentiality of Executive Council Discussions

To encourage and foster open and candid discussion at its meetings, the Executive Council of the Illinois Society of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons ("the Council") believes that confidentiality must be maintained. Therefore, it is the policy of the Council of ISOMS that each member of the Council shall keep confidential all information relating to discussions at its meetings unless compelled by legal process to disclose such information, or as otherwise agreed by the Council. While Council members are free to discuss action items, disclosing any information concerning the discussion of such items during Executive Council meetings is prohibited.

Executive Council ("Council") members acknowledge that any violation of this policy could cause harm to ISOMS and frustrate Council deliberations. Therefore, any Council member who violates this policy shall be subject to termination of his or her Council position pursuant to the ISOMS Bylaws and policies.

Reviewed and Approved by the Executive Committee, November 13, 2009