

1 MEMBERSHIP

There shall be the following categories of Membership:

- i. Founder Members
- ii. Corporate Members
- iii. Associate Members

1(i) FOUNDER MEMBERS

That the Signatories to the Memorandum and the Rules and Regulations of the Society and those whose names are mentioned in the Appendix-A of the Rules and Regulations of the Society shall be the Founder Members of the Society. The category of founder member shall also include those interested organizations that apply for & pay the subscription of this category up to a maximum of 10 founder members.

The organizations represented by the Founder Members shall pay a one time subscription of Rs. 2.50 lacs as per the by laws of the Society. Founder members shall be the life members of society. And each vote of the founder member shall have 5 votes in the Electoral College.

1(ii) CORPORATE MEMBERS

A Corporate body / firm / Industrial / business organization / Professional Institution / Government department / Public Undertaking / Municipality / Development Authority / Board, which fosters or which subscribes to the Objects of the Society and agrees to pay joining fee of Rs. 30,000 (Rupees Thirty Thousand only) and an annual subscription of Rs. 25,000 (Rupees Twenty Thousand only) per annum as per the bye-laws of the Society, may be admitted as Corporate Member with one vote each.

1(iii) ASSOCIATES

An Educational or Research Institute and / or consultancy firm / professional / training institution / Corporate body / firm / Industrial / business organization / Professional Institution / Government department / Public Undertaking / Municipality / Development Authority / Board, which fosters or which subscribes to the Objects of the Society and agrees to pay joining fee of Rs. 15,000 (Rupees Fifteen Thousand only) and an annual subscription of Rs. 13,000 (Rupees Thirteen Thousand only) per annum as per the bye-laws of the Society, may be admitted as Associate Corporate Member. The Associate Corporate Members shall not enjoy the voting rights.

- 2(i)** Application for any category of membership shall be made in the form prescribed for the purpose by the Society and shall be accompanied by prescribed subscription.
- 2 (ii)** The Board from time to time, may alter the rate of subscription of categories of members stated above, after giving due notice to the members.
- 2 (iii)** A subscription for the year (per annum) shall, for the purpose of the rules, be from the day of receipt of completed membership form and fees at the CCPS office, until a year from this date

3.0 All applications for admission to the various categories of the membership of the Society shall be decided by the Board. The decision shall be communicated to the applicants within one month from the date of the meeting of the Board at which decision is taken. The decision of the Board in this respect shall be final.

4.0 The members admitted in accordance with the provisions of the rules and regulations of the Society are entitled to their rights upto the end of accounting year of the Society and, thereafter, they shall pay their yearly membership subscription within a period of 90 days from the date of close of the financial year.

In the case of failure to pay yearly membership subscription within the stipulated time, in accordance with the provisions of the Rules and Regulations of the society, a notice shall be sent by the Society, giving 30 days time to pay the subscription, failing which the said member shall cease to be the member of the Society and his / its name shall be removed by the Board from the Membership Register for which no further notice is required to be given to the member.

5.0 Any member of the Society may indicate by notice in writing his / its desire to resign from primary membership and the said member shall cease to be a member upon acceptance of his/ its resignation by the Board.

6.0 Any member who for any reason ceases to be a member shall, nevertheless, remain liable to pay the sum and all dues which, at the time of his / its ceasing to be a member, may be due to Society.

Any member whose membership is terminated during any year, shall not be entitled to any rebate or proportionate reduction in subscription already paid or payable for that year, irrespective of the date on which his / its membership is terminated.

7.0 The Society shall maintain at its Registered Office a list of persons who are members within the meaning of Section 15 of the Societies Registration Act, 1860, in the form of Schedule of the Societies Registration New Delhi Rules vide Rules thereof.

The same shall be open for inspection by the Members on such dates and time as may be fixed by the Secretary on application in writing to be made by the members and addressed to the Society.

No members shall be entitled to take copies of / or extracts from the Register.

8.0 All members shall be entitled to attend all General Meetings and Extra-Ordinary General Meetings of the Society and shall be entitled to receive copies of the reports of the Society.