

Section 2 – Membership Categories

19.01 Categories.

(a) There shall be the following categories of Club members.

(i) Members. Members shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Club. Unless provided herein, they shall be shareholders and shall be elected under the procedures set out in Article 20.

(ii) Members (Senior). Members (Senior) shall be those members who have reached the age of 70 or more and who have been active (fees paying) members in good standing for a period of 5 years or more, whether consecutive or not and, if having resigned, did so voluntarily. They shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Club.

(iii) Members (Under 40). Members (Under 40) shall be individuals who's duly completed nomination is received by the Secretary on or before their 40th birthday and who are elected under the procedures set out in Article 20. They shall become Members on their 40th birthday. They shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Club.

(iv) Members (Life). Members, Members (Senior), or Members (Non-Resident) who have been active (fees paying) members for more than 40 years in the aggregate, (or who have reached the age of 80 with more than 30 years of active membership), whether consecutive or not, shall automatically become Members (Life). Members (Life) may also be other distinguished individuals in recognition of their exceptional service to the Club or to Canada as may be elected under the procedures set out in Article 20. Members (Life) shall be exempt from further fees and assessments and, as shareholders, shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Club.

(v) Members (Non-Resident). Members (Non-Resident) shall be transfers from Members, Members (Senior) or Members (under 40) categories in accordance with the provisions of Article 21. To be eligible a person shall previously have been a Member of the Club for one full year and must reside outside a radius of 100 kilometers from the center of the Club's premises. This 100-kilometre radius shall be measured on National Topographical Map of Canada number 31 issued by Natural Resources Canada (or a successor Department) subject to such minor variations (not in any event to exceed one kilometer) as the Board may determine in any particular case. They shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Club.

(vi) Members (Honorary). Members (Honorary) shall be The Governor General of Canada, the Prime Minister of Canada, and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Canada. They shall be exempt from all fees and assessments and shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Club for life.

(vii) Members (Corporate). Members (Corporate) (hereinafter referred to as a "Corporate Member") shall be business, professional and not-for-profit organizations (including corporations, partnerships, associations, and sole proprietorships) which may identify employees to be nominated for election as Corporate Member Associates (as hereinafter defined). Corporate Members shall be elected under the procedures set out in Article 20. They shall not be shareholders.

(b) There shall be the following categories of Associates, who all shall be not be shareholders:

(i) Diplomatic Associates. For their term of office foreign Heads of Diplomatic Missions, and Heads of international agencies, accredited to the Government of Canada or having personal Diplomatic status may be nominated for election as Diplomatic Associates under the procedures set out in Article 20. They shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Club except that, as they are not shareholders, they shall not be entitled to vote or to propose candidates for membership; and

(ii) Corporate Member Associates. While employed by a Corporate Member, corporate member associates ("Corporate Member Associates") shall be individuals employed by a Corporate Member and nominated by that Corporate Member as one of its employees designated to be a Corporate Member Associate in accordance with the terms of its membership. Each Corporate Member will nominate one of its employees as its principal corporate member associate ("Principal Corporate Member Associate") and one or more employees as its Corporate Member Associates for election under the procedures set out in Article 20. Corporate Members shall notify the Secretary as soon as reasonably possible if an individual identified as one of its Associates ceases to be so designated. Such notice shall propose and nominate another individual to be that Corporate Member's Principal Corporate Member Associate or Corporate Member Associate to be elected under the procedures set out in Article 20. Principal Corporate Member Associates and Corporate Member Associates shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Club except that, as they are not shareholders, they shall not be entitled to vote or to propose candidates for membership in their personal capacity.

Section 5 – Spouse Accounts

19.03 Privileges of Members' and Associates' Spouses. The spouse of a Member or Associate of any category shall, at the request of the Member, be entitled to the privileges of the Club (except voting and nominating privileges), provided that the Member has given the Secretary on the form provided a specimen of the signature of the spouse and undertakes to be responsible for the spouse's indebtedness to the Corporation.