



Business Armadale Chamber of Commerce

Draft Changes to the Rules of Association for consideration at the 2022 AGM
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Summation of change to Rules of Association for consideration

The Association's financial year will be the period of 12 months commencing on 1 July and ending on 30 June of each year.

4. Eligibility for membership

- (1) Any person who supports the objects or purposes of the Association is eligible to apply to become a member.
- (2) An individual who has not reached the age of 18 years is not eligible to apply for a class of membership that confers full voting rights.

5. Applying for membership

- (1) A person who wants to become a member must apply in writing to the Association.
- ~~(2) The application must include a member's nomination of the applicant for membership.~~
- (3) The application must be signed by the applicant ~~and the member nominating the applicant.~~
- (4) The applicant must specify in the application the class of membership, if there is more than one, to which the application relates.

8. Classes of membership

- (1) The Association consists of ordinary members and any associate members provided for under subrule (2).
- (2) The Association may have any class of associate membership approved by resolution at a general meeting, including junior membership, senior membership, honorary membership and life membership.
- (3) An individual who has not reached the age of 18 years is only eligible to be an associate member.
- (4) A person can only be an ordinary member or belong to one class of associate membership.
- (5) A member has full voting rights and any other rights conferred on members by these rules or approved by resolution at a general meeting or determined by the Board.
- (6) An associate member has the rights referred to in subrule (5) ~~other than full voting rights.~~
- (7) The number of members of any class is not limited unless otherwise approved by resolution at general member



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5. When membership ceases

- (1) A ~~person~~ **member** ceases to be a member when any of the following takes place —
- (a) for a member who is an individual, the individual dies;
 - (b) for a member who is a body corporate, the body corporate is wound up;
 - (c) the person resigns from the Association under rule 10;
 - (d) the person is expelled from the Association under rule 15;
 - (e) the person ceases to be a member under rule 12(4).

27. Board members

- (1) A person may be a Board member if the person is —
- (a) an individual who has reached 18 years of age; and
 - (b) **a member as per section Division 1 section 8**