

MEMBERSHIP *Certificate*



This certifies that

Absto Industrial Supplies

is registered as a

Distributor

Membership number **ABS001**

Valid until **28 February 2021**



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TERMS & CONDITIONS OF MEMBERSHIP

1. Rules and guidelines

- 1.1 Natural persons over eighteen and companies may subscribe to members with the Association.
- 1.2 Conditions and criteria for membership are determined by the Governing Board and National Executive Committee.
Criteria are as follows:-
 - 1.2.1 Standards - Products shall be tested in accordance with the relevant SABS Standards applicable to products of members and/or proposed new members. Products need to comply with the requirements as per the relevant SABS Standard.
 - 1.2.2 Code of Ethics – TIPSASA members shall abide by the TIPSASA Code of Ethics & Professional Conduct.
 - 1.2.3 Financial – Compliance with financial obligation towards the Association
- 1.3 Applications for membership that do not comply with such conditions and criteria may be refused by the Governing Board.
- 1.4 Membership is not transferrable.
- 1.5 Each member will have an equal vote according to categorisation

2. Payment terms

- 2.1 Membership fees will be payable by members annually.
- 2.2 The minimum annual membership fee payable by the various categories of membership shall be determined by the Governing Board from time to time.
- 2.3 Membership fees are payable annually in advance, on or before the first day of every new financial year of the Company or alternatively as per arrangement, monthly.
- 2.4 A member who has resigned or whose registration has been terminated shall remain liable for all sums that may at the date of resignation and/or termination be due from him to the Company and shall not be entitled to any refund of subscription monies already paid nor have any claim against the Company or its officers, its property or its funds.

3. Termination

- 3.1 Membership automatically terminates upon the receipt by the Association of a notification of the death of a natural member or dissolution of an organisational member, and written resignation.
- 3.2 Membership terminates if a member is removed by a resolution of the Governing Board. Provided that the member has been given an opportunity to make written or verbal representations at a meeting of the Governing Board pertaining to the proposed termination, and the Board's decision to terminate membership was confirmed by resolution of 50% plus 1 of the members present at the next National Executive Committee Meeting, otherwise it will lapse.