



**AUSTRALIAN MUSHROOM GROWERS' ASSOCIATION**

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**MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Surname: \_\_\_\_\_ Given: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Suburb: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Trading As: \_\_\_\_\_

Staff Nos: \_\_\_\_\_ Length of time in business: \_\_\_\_\_ Annual Tonnage: \_\_\_\_\_

***Please tick the box below as appropriate:***

- Type of Membership:**  Member  Associate Member  
 Employee Member  Retired Producer Member
- Principal Activity:**  Spawn Distributor  Substrate Supplier  Grower
- Position in Company:**  Owner  Principal  Employee
- Farm Type:**  Bag  Shelf  Tray  
 Block  Tunnel  Mixed
- Crops:**  Agaricus  Exotics
- Make Own Substrate:**  Yes  No
- Do You Sell to Other Farms:**  Yes  No

**My Supplier is\*** (*ie bag, block, compost supplier*) \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Seconded: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**An invoice will be issued once the AMGA Board has approved the Membership Application**

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## INFORMATION FOR AMGA MEMBER APPLICANTS

### Definition of Membership Categories

#### Member (annual fee - \$100.00 + GST)

- Is entitled to that number of votes at a general meeting according to spawn usage per week, as confirmed by submission of an annual spawn usage statement to the Company;
- Is entitled to receive notices of general meetings and to attend and be heard at meetings of the Company;
- Is entitled to receive all services available from the Company;
- Is entitled to nominate Employee Members; and
- Shall be liable for membership fees as determined by the Board from time to time.

#### Employee Member (annual fee - \$40.00 + GST)

- Must be nominated by their employer, who is a Member;
- Is not entitled to vote at any general meeting;
- Is entitled to receive notices of general meetings and to attend and be heard at meetings of the Company;
- Is entitled to receive journals and newsletters of the company; and
- Shall be liable for membership fees as determined by the Board from time to time.

#### Associate Member (annual fee - \$100.00 + GST)

- Must be nominated by a Member;
- Is not entitled to vote at any general meeting;
- Is entitled to receive notices of general meetings and to attend and be heard at meetings of the Company; and
- Shall be liable for membership fees as determined by the Board from time to time.

#### Retired Producer Member (annual fee - \$40.00 + GST)

- Is a person who has ceased the business of the commercial production of mushrooms;
- Is approved by the Board and admitted for membership as a Retired Producer Member;
- Is not entitled to vote at any general meeting;
- Is entitled to receive journals and newsletters of the company;
- Is entitled to receive notices of general meetings and to attend and be heard at meetings of the Company; and
- Shall be liable for membership fees as determined by the Board from time to time.

(a) *I am aware that the Association is substantially financed by a cash contribution calculated on the quantity of spawn sold and/or used, the amount of such contribution being from time to time nominated by the Association. I hereby agree to pay such contribution in the manner required by the Association.*

(b) *I give my permission for my supplier to release information about my spawn usage to the AMGA Office.*

(c) *I give my permission for my contact details to be published in the annual Membership Register.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature:

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: all fees exclude GST*