

ARTICLE I MEMBERSHIP - CURRENT

1. Any individual or family subscribing to the objectives of the Association is eligible to become a member of the Association.
2. The annual membership dues are \$15 for an individual and \$25 for a family. The 5 year membership dues are \$60 for an individual and \$100 for a family. These may be revised from time to time by the Trustees. For the purposes of voting, a family membership entitles a maximum of two votes; one for the husband and one for the wife.
3. The dues are for a calendar year. Membership dues are amounts specifically so designated by the member at the time of the payment. Payments made to the Association for general purposes (such as for the use of the facilities, performance of puja, or general charity) shall not apply towards membership.
4. To be eligible to vote, a member has to be:
 - a. Age eighteen or older.
 - b. A current member of good standing as defined in Article VIII A of the Constitution.
 - c. A member at least for the calendar year immediately preceding the calendar year for which he is voting.
5. A family includes husband, wife, and unmarried dependent children; but only the husband and wife are eligible to vote (maximum of two votes per family membership.)
6. Any individual or a family that contributes in total a sum of one thousand dollars or more on or before December 31, 1986 to the Association shall be considered Founding Members. The trustees may extend this date specifically to a date subsequent to the installation of the Murties ordered in 1986. A name plate of Founding Members shall be displayed at the premises of the Hindu Temple. A Founding Member is automatically a member for life.
7. Initially, all Founding Members are Life Members. After 1986, Life Members shall further include any member who donates to the Association in total a sum of one thousand dollars or more in three or fewer consecutive calendar years. (This includes 1986 and prior years also.) Life Members are general members for life.

ARTICLE I MEMBERSHIP - AMENDED

Here is a amended article of the by-laws:

Whereas ArticleVIII (B) of the ITA constitution empowers the Board of Trustees to amend the By-laws.

Whereas the trustees have designated membership committee to review and update this article to simplify membership structure.

Article I of the By-laws is hereby amended to read in its entirety as follows:

“Article I Membership

1. Any individual or family subscribing to the objectives of the Association is eligible to become a member of the Association.
2. The annual membership dues are \$51 for an individual or family. The 5 year membership dues are \$151 for an individual or family. These may be revised from time to time by the Trustees. For the purposes of voting, an individual or family membership entitles a maximum of two votes; one for the husband and one for the wife.
3. The dues are for a twelve months. Membership dues are amounts specifically so designated by the member at the time of the payment. Payments made to the Association for general purposes (such as for the use of the facilities, performance of puja, or general charity) shall not apply towards membership.
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