



MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Please return this form to the Boating Industry Association of Victoria:
By mail: Level 1 - 24 York Street - South Melbourne, VIC 3205
By fax: (03) 9686-5334 or By email: mary@biavic.com.au

Membership Application Procedure

1. Applicants are required to fully complete this application form and return it to the BIAV office with appropriate payment and a colour photograph of the business premises.
2. Application will be reviewed by the BIAV Board of Management and put forward with the appropriate recommendation for approval at its monthly Board meeting. The Board will also recommend allocation to a suitable Membership division based on the type of business undertaken by the applicant.
3. In accordance with the Articles of Association, details of the Membership Application will be published in the BIAV newsletter or fast fax. The Membership is ratified upon no written complaints being received by the BIAV within fourteen days of publication.

Business Details

Trading Name: _____

Registered Company Name: _____

Registered ABN/ACN Number: _____

Core Business Activity (i.e. Retail, Manufacturing, Wholesale, Marina, Contractor, Tourism etc.): _____

Business Address: _____

Suburb: _____

State: _____ Postcode: _____

Mailing Address (if different from Business Address): _____

Suburb: _____

State: _____ Postcode: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Mobile: _____

Email: _____

Website: _____

Years in business? _____

Years owned business (Not applicable to clubs/associations): _____

Years of involvement in the marine industry? _____

Have you ever been in receivership/under administration, or made any compromise with creditors?

Yes No

Please provide details: _____

Authorised Representative

Please nominate a representative to attend meetings and hold the voting right on the organisation's behalf.

Name: _____

Position: _____

Membership Type

Full Membership \$695
Full membership status is granted to any person, company, firm or division of such that is primarily or principally engaged in the marine industry.

Country Membership \$495
Country Membership holds the equivalent status to Full Membership and is granted to any person, company, firm or division of such that is primarily or principally engaged in the marine industry but whose premises is located outside a radius of 80 kilometres from the Melbourne GPO.

Associate Membership* \$495
If the business does not qualify for Full Membership (i.e. the business is not engaged full time or continuously in the marine industry) Associate Membership may be applicable. To gain Associate Membership approval, the business must be allied to, involved in or associated with the boating industry.

Probationary Membership*
Probationary Membership is available in each of the above categories to applicants who have not been engaged in the marine industry for more than 12 continuous months but who meet all other Membership criteria. Probationary period is for one year from the applicant's approval

**Associate and Probationary members do not hold voting rights at Association meetings.*

Member Nomination

This application must be proposed and seconded by current full financial members of the BIAV.

Proposer

Name: _____

Company Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Secunder

Name: _____

Company Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Proposers and Secunders should be aware that recommending an applicant to the BIAV Board of Management for possible BIAV Membership by signing this form is confirmation that the proposed applicant conforms to the current BIAV Code of Ethics.

Trade References

Please provide three different Trade Referees.

Company Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Company Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Company Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Insurance Details

Attached is copy of the company's public liability to the value of \$ _____.

The expiry date of this policy is:

Contractors' Section

Trade Experience/Qualifications: _____

Years in the industry: _____

Trade School qualifications: _____

TAFE Certification: _____

Field Experience: _____

Type of Business (i.e. rigger, engineer, shipwright, boat builder etc.): _____

Business History: _____

Declaration

If accepted as a Member of the Boating Industry Association of Victoria, I/We hereby agree to be bound by the Articles of Association Code of Ethics/Practice of the BIAV and by any amendments made thereto, and to pay any annual subscription fees or levies as the Association shall determine. I/We also agree to support the aims and objectives of the Association.

I/We understand that the submission of my/our payment does not mean acceptance or any other entitlements of Membership of the BIAV, and until a decision is relayed to me/us in writing. I/We are not entitled to use the Association logo or in any way indicate that I/We are a member of the Association.

In submitting this application for Membership I give the Boating Industry Association of Victoria my express permission to make all due and proper enquiries about me/us and any key personnel.

I/We declare that all information contained within this application is true and correct.

Application for membership is subject to the approval and acceptance by the BIAV Board of Management. The Board reserves the right to request further information from all necessary sources in consideration of this application.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date: _____

Company: _____