INTERNATIONAL TURON FEDERATION

REGULATIONS ON OFFICIAL MEMBERSHIP

These Regulations define the main rules and principles of membership in the International Turon Federation.

The Federation may take all appropriate measures at the international and national levels for the legal protection of its rights in any matter related to or connected with the field of Turon.

International Turon Federation

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I. GENERAL PROVISIONS

Article 1. Definitions

1. It should be understood that the wording of these Regulations is provided solely for the convenience of presentation. References to individuals in the masculine gender shall be considered equally applicable to the feminine gender unless the gender of the described person is explicitly specified. All terms and definitions provided in these Regulations may be used in both singular and plural form without affecting their meaning.

Article 2. Purpose

1. The main objectives of these Regulations include:

1.1 Establishing the rules of membership in the International Turon Federation.

1.2 Ensuring a unified system of admission to and exclusion from membership in the Federation.

1.3 Preventing the admission of individuals into the Federation who have no intention of developing Turon at the national and/or international levels.

Article 3. Main Rules and Principles

1. These Regulations are mandatory for all members and governing bodies of the Federation.

2. The scope of these Regulations extends to:

2.1 All bodies of the Federation.

2.2 All members of the Federation, their structures, and their members.

2.3 Any person authorized by the Federation, particularly in matters concerning the development of Turon.

3. These Regulations equally apply:

3.1 When the statutory goals and rules of the Federation are not observed and/or violated.

3.2 To cases involving disregard, violation, distortion, abuse, and/or non-compliance with these Regulations.

3.3 To any matter to which the text or meaning of the provisions of these Regulations applies.

3.4 To all entities referred to in the text or covered by the meaning of these provisions.

3.5 To all types of amateur and professional Turon.

4. Any Regulations on official membership in the Federation that are not approved by the International Turon Federation (ITF) shall be considered invalid and under no circumstances may be applied in the field of Turon.

Article 4.

1. The supplements and/or appendices to these Regulations include the resolutions and documents of the Federation:

1.1 The supplements and/or appendices are an integral part of these Regulations and are mandatory for implementation and enforcement.

1.2 The supplements and/or appendices acquire legal force from the moment of their approval by the Federation and cannot be canceled or amended by anyone.

II. MAIN RULES

Article 5.

1. The Federation opposes any form or type of infringement of the rights of its members as established by the Charter, documents, and resolutions of the Federation.

2. The Federation may take all appropriate measures to protect the rights and interests of its members at the national and international levels.

Article 6.

1. Decisions on any matters of membership within the Federation shall be made solely by resolutions of the Federation.

2. Any decision made by the Federation regarding membership may be suspended, amended, and/or annulled only by the Federation itself.

III. MEMBERSHIP IN THE FEDERATION

Section 1. Main Rules and Principles

Article 7.

1. Joining or withdrawing from membership in the Federation is entirely voluntary.

Article 8.

1. Matters not provided for in this Regulation, or those arising from force majeure circumstances, shall be resolved by the Federation in accordance with the established procedure.

Article 9.

1. Only persons who have concluded an individual contract with the Federation are considered official members of the Federation.

2. Membership contracts acquire legal force and are considered valid:

2.1. For individuals — upon registration with the Federation.

2.2. For legal entities — upon registration both with the Federation and within the legal entity itself.

3. The conclusion and registration of a membership contract shall be carried out in the manner established by the Federation.

Article 10.

1. The rights of official members of the Federation are determined in accordance with the Charter, the membership contract, and the Federation's documents, resolutions, and decisions.

Section 2. Membership Status

Article 11.

1. Official membership in the Federation may have the status of permanent or temporary membership:

1.1. Permanent membership — a member of the Federation with voting rights.

1.2. Temporary membership — a member of the Federation without voting rights.

2. Changes in the status of official members of the Federation are made in accordance with the decisions of the Federation.

3. The status of official membership in the Federation is determined based on the conditions and requirements established by the Federation.

Section 3. Admission to Membership

Article 12.

1. Admission to official membership in the Federation shall be carried out as follows:

1.1. For individuals — based on a personal application.

1.2. For legal entities — based on an official application from the organization.

2. When submitting an application for membership in the Federation, the following documents must be attached:

2.1. For individuals — a personal data questionnaire, a valid legal residential address, and active contact details.

2.2. For legal entities — a copy of the organization's Charter, data on the acting management, the legal address of the headquarters, and active contact information.

3. The procedure for submitting applications for membership in the Federation shall be determined by the Federation.

Section 4. Confirmation of Membership

Article 13.

1. Official membership in the Federation is confirmed by an official Certificate issued by the Federation.

2. Any other membership documents, except for the official Certificate of the Federation, are considered invalid.

Article 14

III. MEMBERSHIP IN THE FEDERATION

Section 5. Communication

Article 18.

1. All communication between the International Turon Federation and its official members shall be carried out only through the official legal addresses, e-mail, fax, and telephone means of communication of the parties.

2. The Federation may receive documents and information from its official members through personal delivery, which shall be considered accepted only upon registration by the Federation.

Article 19.

1. The receipt or transmission of documents and information between the Federation and its official members shall be carried out in accordance with the procedure established by the Federation.

Section 6. Information Support

Article 20.

1. Information regarding official members of the Federation shall be managed under the conditions, requirements, and procedures established by the Federation, including:

1.1. Publication of relevant information on the official website of the Federation.

1.2. Publication of articles in the official journal, bulletin, or other printed materials of the Federation.

1.3. Dissemination through various mass media channels.

Section 7. Duties and Responsibilities

Article 21.

1. Official members of the Federation must:

1.1. Comply with and implement the Charter, documents, resolutions, and decisions of the Federation and its governing bodies.

1.2. Provide the Federation with reports and other information on their activities related to the development of Turon.

1.3. Resolve any disputes or incidents arising at the national or international level related to or concerning Turon exclusively within the Federation, and fulfill other obligations provided by the documents, resolutions, and decisions of the Federation and its governing bodies.

Article 22.

1. Official members of the Federation are responsible:

1.1. For any neglect, violation, distortion, abuse, non-compliance, and/or disrespectful attitude toward these Regulations, the Charter, documents, resolutions, and decisions of the Federation and its governing bodies.

1.2. For any appeal to civil or other courts to resolve disputes related to or connected with Turon, unless otherwise stipulated in the Charter, documents, or resolutions of the Federation. Members also bear other responsibilities established by the documents, resolutions, and decisions of the Federation and its governing bodies.

Section 8. Termination of Membership

Article 23.

1. Grounds for termination of membership in the Federation may include:

1.1. The grounds provided by the Charter, these Regulations, and other documents of the Federation.

1.2. The grounds provided in the membership contract concluded with the Federation.

1.3. A voluntary decision to withdraw from membership in the Federation. The withdrawal process is initiated upon submission of a written notice of intent to withdraw to the Federation.

1.4. A decision of the Federation to expel a member or for other reasons beyond the control of the parties.

Article 24.

1. From the moment membership in the Federation is terminated, the Certificate of official membership automatically loses its legal force.

Article 25.

1. The procedure for withdrawal or exclusion from membership in the Federation shall be carried out in accordance with the conditions, requirements, and procedures established by the Federation.

IV. FINANCIAL CONDITIONS

Section 1. Mandatory Conditions

Article 26.

1. The mandatory conditions of membership in the Federation include:

1.1. Mandatory payment of entrance membership fees.

1.2. Mandatory payment of regular membership fees.

1.3. Mandatory payment of duties and other charges.

Section 2. Basic Rules and Requirements

Article 27.

1. The monetary value of entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other payments shall be established directly by the Federation.

Article 28.

1. The amount of entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other charges shall be determined by the Federation separately:

1.1. For individuals, regardless of their membership status in the Federation.

1.2. For legal entities, regardless of their membership status in the Federation.

2. The amount of entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other charges shall be equal, regardless of the status of official membership in the Federation.

Article 29.

1. The Federation may set the payment schedule for regular membership fees, duties, and other charges as follows:

1.1. Monthly payments for the current year.

1.2. Quarterly payments for the current year.

1.3. One-time payment for the entire year.

IV. FINANCIAL CONDITIONS

Section 2. Basic Rules and Requirements (continued)

Article 30.

1. Payment of entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other charges must be made in the monetary equivalent established by the International Turon Federation.

2. Entrance fees, duties, or other payments are one-time payments and must be paid within thirty (30) days from the date of the decision on admission as an official member of the Federation.

3. Payment of the established amounts for regular membership fees, duties, and other charges in their monetary equivalents is mandatory:

3.1. In the case of monthly payments — no later than the fifth (5th) day of the given month.

3.2. In the case of quarterly payments — no later than the fifth (5th) day of the first month of the quarter.

3.3. In the case of a one-time annual payment — no later than the fifteenth (15th) day of January of the given year.

Article 31.

1. The form, system, and deadlines for payment of the established amounts of entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other charges shall be determined in accordance with the requirements and procedures established by the Federation.

2. Payment of entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other charges shall be made only to the bank account specified by the Federation.

Article 32.

1. Payments made to the Federation for entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other charges are non-refundable.

Section 3. Non-Payment

Article 33.

1. Justifications for late payment of entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other charges must be submitted by the official members of the Federation to the Federation only in written form.

Article 34.

1. The Federation registers and takes into consideration letters received within three (3) days after the expiration of the established payment deadlines.

2. The Federation does not register and does not consider letters received after three (3) days following the expiration of the established payment deadlines.

Article 35.

1. Decisions regarding non-payment and/or late payment of entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other charges by official members are the exclusive right of the Federation.

Section 4. Special Provisions

Article 36.

1. The establishment of relevant privileges or exemptions for payment of entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other charges is the exclusive prerogative of the Federation.

Article 37.

1. When necessary, the Federation may grant its official members partial or full authority concerning matters related to entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other charges.

2. Official members of the Federation who have received such authority to resolve issues related to entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other charges may not exercise these rights jointly with another party and/or transfer these rights to any other party.

3. The conditions, requirements, and procedures for the use of these rights by official members of the Federation shall be carried out in accordance with the decisions of the Federation.

IV. FINANCIAL CONDITIONS

Section 5. Accounting and Use

Article 38.

1. Accounting for the paid entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other charges shall be carried out in accordance with the procedures established by the International Turon Federation.

Article 39.

1. The use of the paid entrance and regular membership fees, duties, and other charges shall be conducted by the Federation only in accordance with its Charter, documents, resolutions, and decisions.

V. DISPUTES

Section 1. Main Rules and Requirements

Article 40.

1. Any issues of a disputable nature arising between the Federation and its official member, or between official members of the Federation, shall be resolved exclusively within the Federation.

Article 41.

1. All disputes must be resolved by the parties involved solely through voluntary mutual agreement.

Article 42.

1. The Federation does not consider disputes submitted by a former member after five (5) years have passed since the termination of their membership in the Federation.

Article 43.

1. The responsibility and burden of proof regarding the legitimacy of a dispute rest upon the official member of the Federation (including a former member) who has submitted it.

Article 44.

1. Regardless of the decision made on the dispute, all written statements and submitted materials are not returned.

Section 2. Consideration

Article 45.

1. Any disputes shall be considered by the Federation only if the following are provided:

1.1. The membership contract concluded with the Federation.

1.2. The Certificate of official membership in the Federation.

1.3. The relevant documents directly related to the subject of the dispute.

Article 46.

1. Consideration of disputes by the Federation shall be carried out after the payment of the corresponding fee in the monetary equivalent established by the Federation:

1.1. The amount of the fee shall depend on the nature and degree of the dispute.

1.2. Regardless of the decision made, any paid amounts are non-refundable.

1.3. Payment of the fee shall be made in accordance with the conditions, requirements, and procedures established by the Federation.

Article 47.

1. The processing of dispute cases shall be carried out in accordance with the conditions, requirements, and procedures established by the Federation.

Section 3. Decision

Article 48.

1. If the legitimacy of the dispute is not confirmed, disciplinary measures shall be applied to the official member of the Federation in accordance with the Ethical and/or Disciplinary Code of the Federation.

Article 49.

1. The decision on disputes made by the Federation shall be final and binding on all parties involved in the dispute.

Section 4. Resolution at the International Level

Article 50.

1. If a dispute cannot be resolved within the Federation, it may be brought to the international level.

2. Appeals to the International Court of Arbitration for Sport for the resolution of disputes shall be made in accordance with the conditions, requirements, and procedures established by the Federation.

3. The decision on disputes made by the International Court of Arbitration for Sport shall be final and binding on all parties involved in the dispute.

VI. SANCTIONS

Article 51.

1. For any disregard, violation, distortion, abuse, non-compliance, and/or disrespect by official members of the International Turon Federation towards this Regulation, the Charter, documents, resolutions, and decisions of the Federation and/or its bodies, the Federation may:

1.1. Apply disciplinary measures to official members in accordance with the Ethical and/or Disciplinary Code of the Federation.

1.2. Take all appropriate legal or disciplinary measures against official members at the international and national levels.

Article 52.

1. Any disciplinary sanctions imposed on official members shall remain in force until they are officially lifted by the Federation.

VII. FINAL PROVISIONS

Article 53.

1. Any document related to and/or associated with membership in the International Turon Federation must be kept both within the Federation and by the corresponding official members of the Federation.

2. The period and procedure for storing documents within the Federation shall be determined directly by the Federation.

Article 54.

1. Legal entities that are official members of the Federation may use this Regulation as a fundamental document for ensuring compliance with and implementation of membership rules for their members, and may add their own provisions and clauses in accordance with the requirements of the Federation’s documents, resolutions, and local traditions.

Article 55.

1. Any case concerning membership in the Federation submitted to the Federation shall be considered:

1.1. In accordance with this Regulation.

1.2. After payment of the corresponding fee.

2. The decision made by the Federation on such a case shall be final and binding on all parties involved in the matter.

Article 56.

1. In the event of any discrepancies or inconsistencies in translations of this Regulation into other languages, the text of the Regulation written in the original official language of the Federation shall prevail.

Article 57.

1. The arrangement and headings of the texts in this Regulation are for convenience only and do not affect the legal significance of its individual provisions.

Article 58.

1. Amendments to this Regulation are the exclusive prerogative of the Federation and shall enter into force upon their approval by the Federation.

Article 59.

1. All appendices to this Regulation are its integral parts and have the same legal force as the sections, articles, and clauses of this Regulation.

APPENDIX 1

Letter of Confirmation

From an Individual Expressing the Intention to Become a Member of the International Turon Federation (Sample)

Date:

To: International Turon Federation

To the President

Mr. _____

From: _____

Dear President,

I hereby request that my candidacy for membership in the International Turon Federation be considered.

I, _____, undertake to fully comply with and implement the Charter, documents, resolutions, and decisions of the Federation and its bodies.

I am submitting:

– My personal data form and three (3) photographs.

– My current contact details and legal residential address.

Telephone:

Email:

I affirm my commitment to make every effort to further the development of Turon on the international stage.

Sincerely,

_____

Note:

1. On the reverse side of this confirmation letter, there must be a photocopy of the applicant’s national passport or another document confirming identity in accordance with the laws of the applicant’s country.

2. The applicant’s confirmation letter must be notarized in accordance with the laws of their country.

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Annex 2

Letter of Confirmation from a Legal Entity Expressing the Intention to Become a Member of the International Turon Federation

(Sample)

Date:

No.:

To: International Turon Federation

To the President

Mr. _____

Dear Mr. President,

We hereby inform you that _____ has decided to join the International Turon Federation as a member.

We kindly request you to consider the matter of accepting as a member of the Federation. _____ undertakes to fully comply with and implement the Charter, documents, resolutions, and decisions of the Federation and its bodies, and to ensure their observance and implementation by its own governing bodies and members.

We are submitting:

– A copy of the Charter,

– A copy of the state registration certificate,

– Personal data forms for three (3) executives,

– A copy of the decision on joining the Federation.

Our current contact information:

Legal address of the headquarters:

Telephone:

Fax:

Email:

Website:

We sincerely hope for further cooperation in the development of Turon on the international stage.

Sincerely,

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Note:

The confirmation letter must be signed by the head of the organization and sealed with the official stamp of that organization only.