

RESOLUTIONS: BY-LAW REVISION 2023

RESOLUTION 1:

EXISTING:

MEMBERSHIP

3. (i) The Classes of Membership shall be as follows:

Corporate Member - Fellow

- Member

Non-Corporate Member - Honorary Member

- Associate (Engineering Technicians)

(ii) Every candidate for transfer to the Class of Fellow shall satisfy the Council that:

a. he has been in the Class of Member for a continuous period of five (5) years prior to the date of application to this class of membership.

And

b. he has contributed significantly to the development of the Engineers' Guild.

And

c. he has been holding an Executive Position in a recognized organization for over a period of ten (10) years.

(iii) Every Candidate for admission to the Class of Member shall satisfy the Council that;

a. he is a graduate in Engineering of a recognized University.

OR

b. he is a Fellow, Member or Associate Member of the Institution of Engineers, Sri Lanka or other Engineering Institution recognized by the Engineers' Guild.

OR

c. he is a person coming within the definition of an Engineer in Public Administration Letter No. 27 of 16th May 1978. (See Annex: 1)

OR

d. he is a person who is not less than 35 years of age and holds an appointment as an Engineer in a recognized Engineering Organisation,

OR

e. he shall have possessed a service of not less than 21 years as a Technical Officer in Sri Lanka Technological Service and at least 5 years from the above shall be after promotion to Grade II and further shall have fully passed the 2nd examination (Service Minute 1979) conducted for Government Technical Officers (G.T.O.) by the Commissioner General of Examinations and holds an appointment as an Engineer in Engineering Service under Public Service Commission.

OR

f. he is a person who is having National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 7 Certificate in Engineering Technology and holds an appointment as an Engineer with three (03) years post qualifying experience in a recognized Engineering Organisation. The Council may require any candidate to attend a Professional Review Interview (PRI) conducted on

his behalf in order that he may better satisfy the Council that he possesses the requisite qualifications.

- (iv) Candidate for admission as Non-Corporate Member shall satisfy the Council that
- a. he has a National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 4 Certificate in Engineering Technology or above.

OR

- b. he shall be a distinguished and eminent person who has rendered valuable service to the profession and accept the invitation of the Council to this class of Honorary Member.

DESIGNATORY ABBREVIATIONS

- (v) Members of The Engineers' Guild of Sri Lanka shall be entitled to use the following designatory abbreviations appropriately to their classes at the end of their names;
- Class of Fellow - FEGSL
 - Class of Member - MEGSL
 - Class of Associate - AEGSL
- Corporate Members shall be entitled to use the prefix "Eng." In front of their names which stands for Engineer.
- (vi) Persons whose membership has ceased, shall not use designatory abbreviations stated in 3(v) above.

PROPOSED:

MEMBERSHIP

3. (i) The Classes of Membership shall be as follows:

- Corporate Member
 - Fellow
 - Member
- Non-Corporate Member
 - Honorary Member
 - **Associate Member**
 - Associate
 - **Student**

FELLOW

- (ii) Every candidate for transfer to the Class of Fellow shall satisfy the Council that:
- a. he has been in the Class of Member for a continuous period of five (5) years before the date of application to this class of membership.

AND
 - b. he has contributed significantly to the development of the Engineers' Guild.

AND
 - c. he has been holding an Executive Position in a recognized organization for over ten (10) years.

MEMBER

- (iii) Every Candidate for admission to the Class of Member shall satisfy the Council that;

a. he is a graduate in Engineering of from a recognized University.

OR

b. he is a Fellow, Member, or Associate Member of the Institution of Engineers, Sri Lanka, or another Engineering Institution recognized by the Engineers' Guild.

OR

c. he is a person coming within the definition of an Engineer in Public Administration Letter No. 27 of 16th May 1978. (See Annex: 1)

OR

d. he is a person who is not less than 35 years of age and holds an appointment as an Engineer in a recognized Engineering Organisation,

OR

e. he shall have possessed a service of not less than 21 years as a Technical Officer in Sri Lanka Technological Service and at least 5 years from the above shall be after promotion to Grade II and further shall have fully passed the 2nd examination (Service Minute 1979) conducted for Government Technical Officers (G.T.O.) by the Commissioner General of Examinations and holds an appointment as an Engineer in Engineering Service under Public Service Commission.

OR

f. he is a person who is having National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 7 Certificate in Engineering Technology and holds an appointment as an Engineer with three (03) years post qualifying experience in a recognized Engineering Organisation. The Council may require any candidate to attend a Professional Review Interview (PRI) conducted on his behalf so that he may better satisfy the Council that he possesses the requisite qualifications.

OR

g. *he shall have possessed a service of not less than 15 years as a Technical Officer in Sri Lanka Technological Service and at least 5 years from the above shall be after promotion to Grade 1 and further shall have fully passed the 3rd examination (Service Minute 1979) conducted for Government Technical Officers (G.T.O.) by the Commissioner General of Examinations and holds an appointment as an Engineer in Engineering Service under Public Service Commission.*

(iv) Candidate for admission as Non-Corporate Member shall satisfy the Council that

HONORARY MEMBER

a. he shall be a distinguished and eminent person who has rendered valuable service to the profession and accept the invitation of the Council to this class of Honorary Member.

ASSOCIATE MEMBER

a. *he has a National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 6 Certificate in Engineering Technology or equivalent.*

OR

- b. he has a National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 5 Certificate in Engineering Technology or equivalent with one year of experience.*

ASSOCIATE

- a. he has a National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 4 Certificate in Engineering Technology or *equivalent*.

OR

- b. he has a National Vocational Qualification (NVQ) Level 3 Certificate in Engineering Technology or equivalent.*

STUDENT

- a. He is a person who is following a technical course in a technical college or similar institution.*

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- (v) Members of The Engineers' Guild of Sri Lanka shall be entitled to use the following designatory abbreviations appropriately to their classes at the end of their names;
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| Class of Member | - MEGSL |
| <i>Class of Associate Member</i> | <i>- AMEGSL</i> |
| Class of Associate | - AEGSL |
- Corporate Members shall be entitled to use the prefix "Eng." In front of their names which stands for Engineer.
- (vi) Persons whose membership has ceased, shall not use designatory abbreviations stated in 3(v) above.

REASON

- 1. To give upward mobility to membership of Engineering Technicians*

RESOLUTION 2:

EXISTING:

DISCIPLINARY ACTION

7. Any member against whom an allegation of improper conduct has been made and who, in the opinion of the Council; based on the findings of a Disciplinary Committee set up under By-law 6 (iii), is guilty of such conduct, shall be liable to such penalties as the Council may determine in accordance with By-law 8.

PROPOSED:

7. Any member against whom an allegation of improper conduct has been made and who, in the opinion of the Council; based on the findings of a Disciplinary Committee set up under By-Law 6 (iii), is guilty of such conduct, shall be liable to such penalties as the Council may determine

by following per under By-Law 8. *If the Council decides any member against whom an allegation of improper conduct has been made, then the Council can suspend his membership temporarily within the period of disciplinary inquiry conduct.*

REASON

1. *To avoid unnecessary interference to the inquiry*

RESOLUTION 3:

EXISTING:

MEMBERSHIP FEES

11. The fee to be levied for Registration, Annual/Life Membership fee for all Classes of Membership and Transfer fee shall be determined only by a resolution passed at the General Meeting. A copy of the fees so determined shall be attached to the current Bye- Laws as an addendum. (See Annex: 2)

ANNEX (2)

ADDENDUM TO BYE LAW NO. 11

This house resolves that the following rates of fees shall be in force with effect from 01st of January 2020

LIFE MEMBERSHIP FEES

Class of Member	Rs. 5000.00
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ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEES

Class of Associate	Rs. 1500.00
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TRANSFER FEES

Class of Member to Class of Fellow	Rs. 3000.00
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MEMBERSHIP FEES

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ADDENDUM TO BYE LAW NO. 11

This House resolves that the following rates of fees shall be in force with effect from the **1st of March 2023**

LIFE MEMBERSHIP FEES

Class of Fellow	Rs. 10000.00
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Class of Member	Rs. 15000.00
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ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEES

Class of Member	Rs. 2500.00
Class of Associate Member	Rs. 2000.00
Class of Associate	Rs. 1500.00
Class of Student	Rs. 750.00

TRANSFER FEES

Class of Member to Class of Fellow	Rs. 3000.00
Class of Associate Member to Class of Member	Rs. 2000.00
Class of Associate to Class of Associate Member	Rs. 1000.00

REASON

1. Add membership fees for new classes and transfer fees.