

### ANNUAL PERSONAL MEMBERSHIP

# APPLICATION FORM 2016 – 2017FY

Name:			
Home Address (Postal):			Postcode:
Telephone:	Mobile:	Email address:	
Company:	Woı	rk address:	
Work email address: ······		Emails to be sent to:	
I agree to be bound by the Rules	s of the Association (See below)	).	
Signed	Membership	Date: Member	<b>No</b> : (Office Use)

#### **ANNUAL PERSONAL MEMBERSHIP FEE LEVELS**

The RTAA Annual General Meeting on 23 November 2011 passed a resolution to restructure membership fees as follows:

PERSONAL MEMBERSHIP \$75 PA INCL.GST RETIRED MEMBERSHIP \$25PA INCL. GST LIFE MEMBERSHIP FREE

#### **BENEFITS OF PERSONAL MEMBERSHIP:**

- Membership of and participation in the rail track community of Australia
- Regular RTAA e-newsletters and rail industry updates
- Free entry to RTAA Network Meetings throughout Australia
- All Personal Members will receive a membership certificate and RTAA badge
- The opportunity to attend and participate in the RTAA's Annual General Meeting.
- The opportunity to nominate a representative to participate in the Management Committee or other RTAA committees
- Participation in the development and improvement of rail standards in Australia through an inclusive consultative process run by the RTAA
- The opportunity to present a technical paper as part of the RTAA Technical Stream at the annual AusRAIL Conference

Benefit	Corporate	Personal
Access to RTAA publications / Website	Yes	Yes
Free attendance at Technical and Networking Events	Yes, for all employees and their guests	Yes, for the individual nominated personal member plus one guest
Upload of company logo onto RTAA website	Yes	No
Use of RTAA logo or name in company literature / website / emails	Yes	No
Advertise company through RTAA diary, wall planner, 'EnGauge', event's App or other publications	Yes	No
Issue of Invoices	To company ABN	To the individual
Take part in the Field Day Event as an exhibitor	Required to maintain Corporate membership for a two year period (in the Field Day year as well as the Field Day off-year)	No
Benefit from discounts for any RTAA event	Yes	Yes, for individual personal member only



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Purchase tickets for any RTAA event at reduced rate	Yes, for employees and guests	Yes, for individual use only (may purchase one couple's ticket, for themselves & partner)
Nominations for Frank Franklyn Award	Yes, for any number of employees	Personal member may nominate themselves
Sponsorship of event with benefits of sponsorship	Yes, for the Company	Yes, as individual, not as a Company

#### **OBJECTIVES OF THE ASSOCIATION**

- To bring together specialists concerned with the design, construction, fabrication, operation and maintenance of railway track and associated infrastructure.
- To foster collaboration between railways, suppliers of rail infrastructure, components and equipment and those providing services in the R fields of design, consultancy or contracting.
- CTo seek the participation of government and semi-government departments and bodies, universities and other institutions and research facilities with a view to encouraging the optimisation of railway operations, especially in relation to railway infrastructure performance and
- To initiate, sponsor and/or co-operate with others in research, development and evaluation of railway infrastructure, railway track and
- To sponsor the development of realistic standards in respect of the railway infrastructure and the practices employed in construction, operation and maintenance.
- To conduct meetings for the purpose of bringing together entities interested in railway infrastructure and its associated disciplines to provide a forum for the exchange of ideas, knowledge and information thereon.
- To disseminate information relating to railway infrastructure through technical and networking events, publications and other forms of media concerning the progress of research, new developments and assistance in the evaluation of performance and economics of railway infrastructure.
- To encourage all other such activities as will promote the development and improvement of railways, particularly in respect of railway infrastructure.
- To provide for the effective management, operation and development of the Association.
- By completing and submitting this Membership Application, I am in agreement that the above details be made available to RTAA Members and such related bodies as shall be determined by the Management Committee, in accordance with current Privacy Legislation.