

## EXTRACTS FROM THE NEW RULES ADOPTED

Membership of the Association shall be in five grades which are termed respectively, Founder Member, Member, Associate Member, Student Member, and Companion

### FOUNDER MEMBERS

Founder Members shall comprise every person who on August 31st, 1946 was on the Register as a properly qualified Member of the Association

### MEMBERS

Fully qualified Members shall comprise every person who was on the register as a Member of the Association on the date of adoption of these Rules by the Association, and every person thereafter elected or transferred into the grade of Member

Every candidate for election into the grade of Member shall possess the following qualifications —

- (a) He shall be twenty-five years of age or over
- (b) He shall be actively engaged at the time of his application for election in the design or in the production or operation of such works as are comprised within the science of rotating wing aircraft, or in the application to rotating wing problems of special branches of science, mathematics or engineering
- (c) He shall produce satisfactory evidence of his technical knowledge and standing in the profession of aeronautics

Every such candidate shall moreover possess *one* at least of the following qualifications —

- (a) He shall have had four years' experience in the practical or scientific development or operation of rotating wing aircraft
- (b) He shall possess an honours degree or its equivalent, in engineering, mathematics or physics and shall have had two years' experience in the practical or scientific development of rotating wing aircraft
- (c) He shall hold a professional pilot's licence issued by a recognised authority or be an officially approved Test Pilot or a fully qualified Service pilot, and with these qualifications, have been actively engaged in flying rotating wing aircraft for a period in excess of two years
- (d) He shall have made some other contribution to the advancement of the science of rotating wings which in the opinion of the Council qualifies him as a Member

### ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

Associate Members shall comprise every person who was on the register as an Associate Member of the Association on the date of adoption of these Rules by the Association, and every person thereafter elected or transferred into the grade of Associate Member

Every candidate for election into the grade of Associate Member shall possess the following qualifications —

- (a) He shall be twenty-one years of age or over
- (b) He shall be actively engaged at the time of his application in such works as are comprised in the development of flight operations of rotating wing aircraft
- (c) He shall produce satisfactory evidence of his technical knowledge and standing in the profession of aeronautics

Every such candidate shall moreover possess *one* at least of the following qualifications —

- (a) He shall have had two years' experience in the practical or scientific development or operation of rotating wing aircraft

- (b) He shall possess an honours degree or its equivalent in engineering, mathematics or physics and shall have had one year's experience in the practical or scientific development of rotating wing aircraft
- (c) He shall be a qualified pilot *and* have been actively engaged in flying rotating wing aircraft for a period in excess of one year
- (d) He shall be a qualified aircraft engineer with more than two years' experience in rotating wing aircraft

### STUDENT MEMBERS

Every candidate for election into the grade of Student Member shall possess the following qualifications —

- (a) He shall be at least eighteen years of age but shall not be more than twenty-five years of age (except in such cases as the Council may determine)
- (b) He shall satisfy the Council that he is receiving training in connection with the science or development of rotating wing aircraft, *or* that he is interested in the development of rotating wing aircraft and wishes to use the Association as a means of qualifying technically in the science of rotating wings

### COMPANIONS

Companions shall be those persons, who being ineligible for the technical grades, have contributed or are likely to contribute to the development of rotary wing science or rotary wing engineering, or to the furtherance of the objects of the Association

### CHANGES IN MEMBERS' SUBSCRIPTION RATES

#### ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS

	<i>New Subscription</i>				<i>Original Subscription</i>			
	<i>Rate</i>				<i>Rate</i>			
	<i>£</i>	<i>s</i>	<i>d</i>	-	<i>£</i>	<i>s</i>	<i>d</i>	
Founder Members	3	3	0		2	2	0	
Members	3	3	0		2	2	0	
Associate Members	2	2	0		1	1	0	
Students	1	1	0		1	1	0	
Companions					2	2	0	(as graduate member)
				(new grade)				

#### ENTRANCE FEES

(To be paid in addition to the Subscription for the current year)

	<i>£</i>	<i>s</i>	<i>d</i>
To the class of Member	1	1	0
„ „ „ „ Associate Member	1	1	0
„ „ „ „ Companion	1	1	0
„ „ „ „ Student			Nil

#### TRANSFER FEES

Students on transfer to any other grade shall pay the appropriate fee

*Note 1* —The entrance fee does not apply to present members of the Association, but only to members newly elected after the date of the adoption of these rules

*Note 2* —All subscriptions will now become due on the 31st day of March annually. Members whose subscriptions are due after that date will be sent renewal notices at the new rates on 31st March, but with a deduction as credit, on a monthly pro-rata basis, of the unused portion of their previous year's subscription. Bankers Order forms will be distributed as soon as possible