Conditions of membership

The World Lottery Association (WLA) represents some 140 lotteries from 5 continents, with combined annual revenues in excess of US$ 120 billion. In addition to these regular members, numerous lottery suppliers are associate members of the WLA.

**Lotteries**

Eligibility for membership:
- The member organization must be licensed or otherwise authorized to conduct lotteries and/or sports betting operations by a jurisdiction domiciled in a state recognized by the United Nations.
- Sales of games of chance and/or skill must account for the majority of the organization's total annual gross revenues.
- The majority of the organization's net revenues must be dedicated to the public good.
- The organization’s business practices must conform to the aims and objectives of the Association.
- The organization must subscribe to the WLA Code of Conduct as approved by the membership or to an equivalent code of conduct adopted by a regional lottery association. A copy of the WLA Code of Conduct can be requested from the WLA Business office in Basel. info@world-lotteries.org

Approval of applications:
- Membership will be granted by the WLA General Assembly, which is held every two years. After approval by the WLA Executive Committee, applicants become provisional members until the final decision of the General Assembly.

Membership fees:
- Fees depend on the lottery organization's annual revenues. The current fee structure is as follows:

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<td>up to US$ 100 million</td>
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<td>over US$ 4 billion</td>
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Application for membership:
Please complete and return this form along with your company’s bylaws and your most recent annual report to:

World Lottery Association
Lange Gasse 20
P.O. Box
CH-4002
Basel, Switzerland
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION REGULAR MEMBERS  
(Lottery Operators)

Organization: _____________________________________________________________

Head Office Address: ______________________________________________________

City: _________________________________ State or Province: ____________________

Country: ___________ Postal Code: ________________________

General phone: _________________________ General fax: ________________________

General E-mail: _________________________ Web Site: __________________________

Person in Charge: _________________________ Title: ____________________________

Direct phone: ___________________________ Direct fax: __________________________

E-mail: ___________________________________________________________________

1. Your organization qualifies as:

   a lottery organization established by virtue of your country State's gaming law to operate its lottery (Answer questions 2-3-5-6-7-8-9-10-11)
   
   a ministry or government department in charge of operating the State Lottery (Answer questions 3-6-7-8-9-10-11)
   
   an organization operating a lottery under license from a jurisdiction who, in accordance with national prevailing law, may issue such a license (Answer questions 3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11)

2. Your organization was created by a law or a decree. Give the title and the registration number of this law (please send a copy of the appropriate legal authorization)

3. Which department or ministry holds responsibility for your organization?
4. a) Are you a publicly traded or privately owned registered legal entity?  
(Please send copies of your incorporation documentation)  
☐ publicly traded ☐ privately owned  

b) Name of shareholders % held Name of shareholders % held  
_________________ % __________________ %  
_________________ % __________________ %  
_________________ % __________________ %  
_________________ % __________________ %  

c) Board Members Occupation Board Members Occupation  
_________________ __________________ __________________ __________________  
_________________ __________________ __________________ __________________  
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5. a) In what territory are you authorized to operate?  
b) Do you have a monopoly for lotteries in your territory? Yes ☐ No ☐  

6. a) When was your license to operate lottery games issued?  
First license: / / Year  
Most recent (if different): / / Year  

b) Who issues your license?  

7. a) When was your organization established? / / Year  
b) When did your organization begin selling your games to the public? / / Year  

8. a) What games are run by your organization?  

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b) How are your lottery products marketed?
- retail points of sale _________ % of sales
- mail subscription _________ % of sales
- Internet _________ % of sales
- Other _________ % of sales

c) If you operate games other than lottery games, what % of your gross annual sales comes from lottery games? _________ %

9. a) Your profit is allocated to (Beneficiaries):
- National treasury
- Agriculture
- Arts
- Culture
- Education
- Environment
- Social development
- Recreation
- Charitable organizations
- Elders’ program
- Youth program
- Other; Please specify: ______________________
- Health
- Science
- Sports
- Transportation
- Public works

b) What percentage % of your net profits goes to these beneficiaries? _________ %

10. a) Total gross yearly lottery sales in US$: ____________________________
    b) Total yearly net lottery sales in US$: ____________________________
    c) Are your Financial Statements audited? YES ☐ NO ☐

Please include your latest financial report

11. If you do not have a lottery monopoly in your territory:
    a) Who are the organizations operating a lottery in your territory? ____________________________

    b) What are the games run by these organizations?

    Lottery Games
    - conventional ☐ instant ☐ numbers games
    - toto ☐ lotto
    - pull tabs ☐ sports betting
    - Other lottery, specify:

    c) Are there other forms of gaming in your territory? If so, what are they?

    Other types of games
    - video lotteries
    - horse racing
    - casino
    - Other, specify:

Date: ____________________________  Name: ____________________________

Title: ____________________________  Signature: ____________________________