

BOTPMA Associate Membership

1. Definition of Associate Member

An Associate Member may be any individual, organization or company that has an interest in Ontario's Break Open Ticket industry and who is not a registered Gaming Services Supplier or/and a registered Gaming Equipment Supplier and are not eligible for a lottery licence.

Potential associate members may include:

- Municipalities
- Suppliers of other non-gaming products and services to the BOT industry such as plastic containers, BOT dispensers
- BOT sellers and retailers

Charitable organizations are not eligible to become Associate Members.

Associate Members are welcome to attend BOTPMA General and Annual Meetings, however, would not be entitled to a vote at any BOTPMA meeting.

All Associate Members would be required to adhere to the BOTPMA Code of Ethics as follows:

- a. We, as members of BOTPMA, will be guided in all our activities by truth, fairness and the highest integrity;
- b. We will, at all times, provide quality products and quality professional services that assure maximum effectiveness for our clients' investment of time and money;
- c. We will keep fully informed of the latest techniques, developments and knowledge that pertain to the industry's effectiveness;
- d. We will, in all of our business activities, conduct ourselves in a manner that will enhance the public image and growth of the industry as a professional service;
- e. We will not use our membership in the Alliance or official position within the Alliance in any manner that would suggest the seeking of unwarranted financial gain or unwarranted benefits, advantages or privileges for ourselves;
- f. We accept this "CODE OF ETHICS" as a condition of membership in the Alliance. As professionals, we share the responsibility for the impact of our activities with all sectors served by the industry;
- g. We signify our agreement by membership in this Alliance that standards must be maintained which are acceptable to ALL segments of the industry from supplier through to the users of the product and services provided; and
- h. We will pledge to maintain these standards in all our business activities and to work diligently to follow the "Terms of Conditions".

2. Benefits

Associate Members of BOTPMA would receive the following benefits:

- A quarterly update/bulletin that would be sent via e-mail to all Associate Members with a synopsis of the latest developments in the industry
- Secure access to a new section of the BOTPMA web site exclusively for Associate Members
- Associate members would receive periodic notification of key issues such as the release of new Information Bulletins, revised Terms and Conditions, etc. from the AGCO
- Associate members would receive a complimentary directory of all BOTPMA members and contacts
- Associate members would be invited to special presentations and other events hosted by BOTPMA throughout the year
- Associate members would be eligible, at BOTPMA's discretion, to be non-voting members of Committees established by BOTPMA
- Associate members would have the ability to network with other similar individuals and organizations in this field
- Associate members would have access to expert BOTPMA members for advice and consultations
- Opportunity to post issues on a secure bulletin board for discussion amongst Associate Members.

3. Cost

The Annual Cost for Associate Members would be \$100 per year plus applicable taxes. The membership year would run the same as BOTPMA Memberships (May to April). Memberships purchased prior to the year-end will be pro-rated.

4. BOTPMA Rights

BOTPMA reserves the right to refuse associate membership to any individual, organization or corporation.