

Termination of membership

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SUMMARY

Member Associations to be considered for termination following suspension for non-payment of annual subscriptions.

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1. In accordance with the IFATCA Administrative Manual (IAM), p.61, para. 5.2.1-b, MAs may have their affiliation terminated for failure to pay their annual subscriptions
- 1.2. All amounts mentioned below are in USD.

2. DISCUSSION

- 2.1. Whilst most of the acute effects of the pandemic have passed, there continues to be major impacts of various economies around the world. The effects of conflicts, geopolitical issues and stubborn inflation in some locations continues to create monetary issues for some MAs.
- 2.2. It must be noted that invoices are sent out in good time by the IFATCA Office to enable timely payment and/or for seeking assistance. However, as seen last year, it is only until just prior to the start of the Annual Conference that action takes place for some MAs.
- 2.3. Therefore, the following MAs owe subscriptions for the FY23/24, FY24/25, and FY25/26:

Member Association	Total Outstanding
India	\$12,915.00
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- 2.4 To avoid termination and return to a member in good standing the total amount outstanding needs to be paid.

2.5 To be removed from the termination list and be moved to the suspension list the amount for FY24/25 requires payment for those included in the list from last year. New additions to the list require payment for the FY23/24 figure too.

2.6 As ever, the Executive Board has made several attempts, including through the Office and Regional EVPs, to contact those MAs listed above to resolve the issue of outstanding payments.

2.7 It must be noted however, that several of these members have tried to pay but there have been circumstances making that difficult and some have made their intentions know to pay at conference.

2.8 Should MAs wish to generously assist in paying the debt of another MA, they are advised to seek the position of the MA concerned and the payment history from the IFATCA Office. This will allow for an informed decision to be made as to whether the MA continues to be a viable member of the Federation.

2.9 Lastly, EVPF, Regional EVPs, or the IFATCA Office continue to try and support different means of payment to assure all MA's that may struggle with logistics of paying subscriptions aren't disadvantaged.

3. CONCLUSION

3.1 Due to the failure to pay their annual subscriptions for FY23/24 and FY24/25, or FY24/25 and FY25/26, Directors may terminate the affiliation of the following MAs:

- **India**

3.2 Furthermore, in accordance with the IAM the debt of terminated MAs will be reported for the next 5 years.

4. RECOMMENDATIONS

4.1 It is recommended that the MAs listed above have their membership of the Federation terminated at the end of all Regional Meetings 2026 unless their debt is paid.

5. REFERENCES

5.1. IFATCA Administrative Manual.

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