



## Commercial Membership Scheme

### **Introduction**

All applications for associateship have to be approved by the Membership & Licensing Committee and Council. All applicants must agree to abide by the obligations of BIAZA. Please note that all associates, regardless of which category they belong to, have no voting rights. Rates for associateship are subject to inflation as per full membership. VAT is added to all rates. Commercial Associate Membership of BIAZA is open to Companies that may (or may not) trade with BIAZA members, and Companies operating on a local, national or global basis. No company that deals in animals may apply to become a Commercial Associate Member of BIAZA.

This category of Membership is not open to those who own or hold animals as a function of their business.

### Benefits of Commercial Associate Membership

- Newsletter with 10% discount on advertising and the opportunity to sponsor editions of the news letter
- Membership list
- Certificate of Association
- Mailings from the BIAZA Office
- Invitation to Annual meeting and AGM with the right to exhibit at a reduced rate (25% off)
- closer association with BIAZA Members;
- You may cite commercial membership of BIAZA in your publications (though use of BIAZA's logo without prior written permission of BIAZA is not permitted).

Commercial Members will also have the opportunity to:

- dine at the AGM dinner
- to sponsor and attend other BIAZA events and opportunity to make presentations

### **Details**

Membership rates per annum, commencing the date membership is ratified, is based on the number of employees in the organisation as follows:

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| 1-5     | £104 + VAT   | per annum |
| 5-50    | £363 + VAT   | per annum |
| 51-100  | £622 + VAT   | per annum |
| 101-150 | £1,036 + VAT | per annum |
| >150    | £1,554 + VAT | per annum |