

## AB99-04

**Purpose:** New definitions for STARFLEET Memberships

As of 1 January 2000, STARFLEET: The International *Star Trek* Fan Association, Inc. has the following membership classes and criteria:

### **I. Individual Memberships**

- A. Individual Memberships are for people seeking membership as an individual. Such a membership entitles one to access STARFLEET Resources, such as the STARFLEET Academy, and the ability to cast one vote in national STARFLEET Elections and Ballots.
  
- B. The currently established classes of individual memberships are as follows:
  - US-1: Individual Membership, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less than \$15 (US).
  - AM-1: Individual Membership for residents of Canada or Mexico, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less than \$16 (US).
  - IN-1: Individual Membership for residents of all countries outside of Canada, Mexico, and the United States, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less than \$20 (US).

### **II. Family Memberships**

- A. General Criteria for Family Memberships

Family Memberships are designed for individuals who share a residence or have some form of close geographic proximity. Family Memberships entitle individuals to all the rights and privileges of Individual Membership, however because of the presumption of close proximity, only one *Communiqué* is issued to such members. It is assumed that people who are covered under Family Memberships are in fact blood relations or sharing in a similar bond. While in some instances it has been known that extended families of 7 or more members live together in a shared dwelling space, these cases still remain the exception to the rule. Family Memberships in STARFLEET will be limited to no more than 6 members per membership. If a family truly does have more than 6 people living in the same home, we encourage them to buy two or more Family Memberships in STARFLEET and thus share the resources provided more liberally.
  
- B. The currently established classes of Family Memberships are as follows:
  - US-2: Membership for a Family of Two, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less than \$22 (US).
  - US-3: Membership for a Family of Three, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less than \$25 (US).
  - US-4: Membership for a Family of Four, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less than \$28 (US).
  - US-5: Membership for a Family of Five, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less than \$31 (US).

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- US-6: Membership for a Family of Six, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less that \$34 (US).
- AM-2: Membership for a Family of Two residing in Canada or Mexico, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less that \$23 (US).
- AM-3: Membership for a Family of Three residing in Canada or Mexico, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less than \$26 (US).
- AM-4: Membership for a Family of Four residing in Canada or Mexico, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less that \$29 (US).
- AM-5: Membership for a Family of Five residing in Canada or Mexico, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less that \$32 (US).
- AM-6: Membership for a Family of Six residing in Canada or Mexico, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less that \$35 (US).
- IN-2: Membership for a Family of Two residing in all countries outside of Canada, Mexico, and the United States, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less than \$27 (US).
- IN-3: Membership for a Family of Three residing in all countries outside of Canada, Mexico, and the United States, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less than \$30 (US).
- IN-4: Membership for a Family of Four residing in all countries outside of Canada, Mexico, and the United States, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less than \$33 (US).
- IN-5: Membership for a Family of Five residing in all countries outside of Canada, Mexico, and the United States, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less than \$36 (US).
- IN-6: Membership for a Family of Six residing in all countries outside of Canada, Mexico, and the United States, contingent of proper receipt by STARFLEET of a membership fee of no less than \$39 (US).

### **III. Honorary and Lifetime Memberships**

The STARFLEET Admiralty Board may award Honorary and/or Lifetime Memberships after consultation with, and approval by, the Executive Committee, in accordance with Article 8, Sections 1 and 2 of the 1999 STARFLEET Constitution. Guidelines for awarding such memberships are contained within AB99-01.

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