

## **Declaration of accession**

Status: 07.05.2019

Company/Organisation
Contact person
Phone
Mobile
E-mail
Website
Address
Postal code, city
VAT number
E-mail (for invoicing)

### We join to the Association "Donau Soja", as<sup>1</sup>

Full member, with a membership fee  $\in$  \_\_\_\_\_2.

Associate member, with a membership fee of  $\in$  \_\_\_\_\_1.

Ordinary member (private individual and farmers), €\_\_\_\_\_ private individuals: € 50<sup>3</sup> membership fee: € 50 (if below 50 hectares or € 50,000 turnover)

membership fee: € 100 (if below 100 hectares and € 100,000 turnover)

I have read the Statutes of the Donau Soja Association and hereby commit to complying with them.

I have read the Advertisement Guidelines for the use of the Donau Soja Label and I commit to complying with these guidelines.

I agree that the company/organisation logo will be used to be visualised as a Donau Soja member.

I want to receive the Donau Soja newsletter

Place, date, signature

 $<sup>^{1}</sup>$ The membership is valid from signing the declaration & acceptance of the board until a written cancellation.  $^{2}$ Based on the Contribution Rules (See next page)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Individuals may become member but shall not be related to any company in the agriculture/seed/food/feed sector.

# **Contribution rules**

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### Yearly membership fees for full members

Based on business turnover in million Euros<sup>4</sup>

250€	< 500,000
500€	500,000 bis 1 Mio.
1,000€	1 bis 10 Mio.
2,000€	10 bis 25 Mio.
3,000€	25 bis 50 Mio.
4,500€	50 bis 150 Mio.
6,000€	150 bis 300 Mio.
7,500€	300 bis 500 Mio.
9,000€	> 500 Mio.

Producer unions, -associations or umbrella associations of producers are generally charged 4,500 EUR (if their members' business turnover is higher than 300 M EUR) or 2,500 EUR (if their members' business turnover is lower than 300 M EUR). If more than 5 members of an association become members of the Donau Soja Association, the fee will be reduced to 2,250/1,250 EUR respectively. Membership fees of the Austrian Soya Association and of ARGE Gentechnik-frei Association will be deducted from membership fees.

In case the turnover increases/decreases, the membership fee must be adapted to the above table. Donau Soja is empowered to change the above table at any time. These changes have to be announced written only to the Member.

### Membership fees of associate members

Membership fees of associate members amount to 3,500 EUR. Exceptions based on a reasonable request (in case, the membership is important for the association) can be made by the board. Membership fees of the Austrian Soya Association and of ARGE Gentechnik-frei will be deducted from membership fees.

Non-profit organisations, associations and umbrella associations of non-profit organisations are free of membership fees.

The membership fee must be paid annually (once per calendar year).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>If the full member is part of a concern or group of companies, membership fees are based on the turnover of the concern or group of companies as stated in the last consolidated balance sheet, or in the absence of a consolidated balance sheet of the combined turnover of all concern companies. In case the full member is not part of concern, membership fees are based on the business turnover of the last published annual balance sheet.