

## ***Association Membership***

### *11.0 Types of Members*

*11.1 Membership may comprise different classes of membership as decided by the Association.*

*11.2 Members have the rights and responsibilities set out in these Rules.*

### *12.0 Admission of Members*

*12.1 To become a Member, a person (“the Applicant”) must:*

*a. Full Member: Have been on the posted strength of a Special Air Service unit for a period in excess of 28 days if before 1 January 1990 or in excess of 90 days if after 1 January 1990.*

*b. Associate Member: Be a widow/widower, surviving partner or immediate kin (in the case of a deceased single Member) of a person who, at the time of his/her death, was eligible for full membership.*

*c. Honorary Member: In exceptional cases where an applicant does not meet the requirement of 12.1.a/b an individual may be nominated by the Committee to a panel comprising the Patron, Chair/President and both the Colonel Commandant and Commanding Officer of the New Zealand Special Air Service Regiment who must unanimously decide on the individuals membership.*

*12.2 Applicants are to apply in writing to the Committee who may request additional information from the Applicant and who also may interview the Applicant.*

*12.3 The Committee shall have complete discretion when it decides whether or not to allow the Applicant to become a Member. The Committee shall advise the applicant of its decision, and that decision shall be final.*