



Independent Power Producers Forum

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Associate Membership Benefits **in the Independent Power Producers Forum (IPPF)**

The IPPF is a global organization with a mandated focus on the Asia / Pacific region. Membership is corporate. Listed individual executive members and alternates can be based anywhere in the world.

The Associate membership category was created after the inception of the IPPF in 2000 to allow individuals and firms that are involved in or connected with the energy/ power generation industry to be officially part of the IPPF.

While Full membership is restricted only to power generation companies actively engaged in the developing and running of power plants, we felt it important to bring under the IPPF umbrella the wide range of disciplines and industries that also play an important role in connection with the power generation industry anywhere in the Asia / Pacific region.

In addition to capital formation firms, investment houses, law firms and fuel suppliers, our growing list of Associate Members companies also include environmental consultancies, security firms, property/ industrial real estate entities, appraisers/ surveyors, insurance companies and energy/ power consultants.

Associate Members enjoy all the benefits and privileges of the Full Member with certain exceptions:

Benefits

➤ **CEO/ Decision –Maker Facilitation**

Associate Members enjoy an access to a pool of key power generation industry executives and related decision makers that is unparalleled in the industry. We have deliberately kept our Full Member criteria at the highest possible level in terms of who is allowed to join from power generation companies. Because Full Membership is restricted only to power generation companies and those executives who actually run these Power Generation Firms, Associate Members are assured that they are in close company with industry leadership.

➤ **Committees / Focus Groups / Taskforces**

Associate members may Chair, Co-Chair and serve on committees and focus groups when appointed by and at the discretion of the Executive Committee and / or the Secretariat. Associate Committee Chairs may appoint persons to their groups but all of these committee members must belong to IPPF, either as a Full or Associate Member.

➤ **Conference Attendance**

For IPPF “controlled or sponsored” events, 100 % waiver of registration fee. For IPPF “endorsed “events, attendance discounts can run from 20% to 100% depending on IPPF’s role with the outside organizers.

➤ **Events/ Conferences/ Parties**

Associate Members may attend all IPPF parties, conferences, seminars, retreats without (IPPF) registration fees, same as Full Members. Exceptions may occur if other organizations are involved with their own separate charge/ fees

➤ **Functional Offices / Appointments**

Associate members may hold specific offices such: Treasurer, IPPF Legal Counsel, Honourary Secretary, etc. They may form committees to assist them on approval by the Executive Committee.

➤ **Speakers Priorities**

When opportunities arise to address governmental bodies, chambers, trade missions, conferences, seminars or panels, as conference/ workshop chairs, or as sole podium presenters, Associate Members are given second refusal priorities immediately after Full Member first refusal options has been passed through the membership for review.

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