

Motion: To increase ACIUCN Membership Dues

The ACIUCN Board notes that the current membership dues have remained unchanged for five years.

ACIUCN is a membership-based organisation funded through annual membership dues paid by Australian IUCN Member organisations and ACIUCN Associates. As stipulated by IUCN policy, National Committees are financially self-sufficient and do not receive funding from IUCN headquarters.

Recognising the importance of ensuring the continued financial sustainability of ACIUCN and aiming to keep membership fees as low as possible, the Board proposes a modest increase in annual increments of 2.1% to ACIUCN membership dues for the upcoming three fiscal years (FY25, FY26, and FY27). This adjustment is intended to bring a sense of stability and predictability to the budget during this period

Membership dues are to be revisited following the three-year period. The following proposed membership dues reflect the decision of the ACIUCN Board, with the amounts rounded to the nearest \$10 and with the smallest increase per year for an organisation being \$10.

The Board seeks approval from the membership at the AGM.

Table 1: ACIUCN Proposed Membership Fees for fiscal years FY25, FY26, and FY27

ACIUCN Membership Categories	Membership code	Current	2024-2025	2025-2026	2026-2027
State Party (Australian Government)	ST	\$10,900 or higher sum as negotiated	11,130 or higher sum as negotiated	11,365 or higher sum as negotiated	11,300 or higher sum as negotiated
Primary State/Territory/Government agency	GA1	4,380	4,470	4,565	4,660
Subsidiary State/Territory/Commonwealth Government agency	GA2	2,750	2,810	2,870	2,930
Major national NGO/Indigenous Peoples' Organisation (IPO)	NGIPO 1	2,750	2,810	2,870	2,930
State/smaller NGO/Indigenous Peoples' Organisation (with paid staff) OR University department/institute	NGIPO 2	540	550	560	575
Small/local NGO/Indigenous Peoples' Organisation (entirely voluntary)	NGIPO 3	390	400	410	415
Associate (non-voting organisation)	A	450	460	470	480
Associate (non-voting individual)	AA	290	290	290	290