

MEMBERSHIP POLICY

I. General Provisions

Article 1

The Membership Policy is annexed to the Bylaws of the American Chamber of Commerce in the Republic of Slovenia.

Article 2

AmCham Slovenia Membership Categories:

- **CORPORATE:** If the annual worldwide turnover of the company or the group to which the company belongs exceeds EUR 1.5 million, an annual fee of EUR 1,650 (plus VAT) and a one-time joining fee of EUR 100 (plus VAT) shall apply.
- **ENTREPRENEUR:** If the annual worldwide turnover of the company or the group to which the company belongs does not exceed EUR 1.5 million, an annual fee of EUR 825 (plus VAT) and a one-time joining fee of EUR 100 (plus VAT) shall apply.
- **NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION:** If the company is registered as a non-profit organization in the Republic of Slovenia or the United States of America, an annual fee of EUR 275 (plus VAT) and a one-time joining fee of EUR 100 (plus VAT) shall apply.

Special membership category:

PATRON: an annual membership fee of EUR 3,300 (plus VAT) and a one-time joining fee of EUR 100 (plus VAT) shall apply

Article 3

Transitions between membership categories

- All AmCham members may transition to a higher category, regardless of the revenue of the company or group to which they belong.

As stated in the Bylaws of the American Chamber of Commerce in Slovenia, AmCham Slovenia members are entitled to all benefits resulting from AmCham activities for the period from the date of their enrollment to December 31 of the same year. The Membership Fee is payable within thirty (30) days of the date that the invoice is submitted to the member by AmCham. Fees for legal entities that become members during the current year shall be calculated on a pro-rata basis for the portion of the year remaining at the time the member joins, i.e. in the amount of 1/12 of the annual membership fee for each month of membership started.

- If during the year an AmCham member wishes to move from a lower to a higher category,

such member may do so by sending written notice to the headquarters of AmCham Slovenia.

- If the AmCham member transitions to a higher category, such member will be charged a surcharge by the end of the current year that is proportional to the difference in membership fee categories.
- Unless written notice of the termination of membership is received by October 31 of the current year, membership will be automatically extended for a one-year period on January 1 of the following year.
- If a member wishes to move to a lower membership category, and this is in line with the revenues of the company or the group to such member belongs, the member may do so by sending written notice thereof by no later than October 31 of the current year. If this condition is not met, the member shall also be obliged to pay the same membership fee for the next period, as stated in the Bylaws of the American Chamber of Commerce in Slovenia.

Article 4

Special membership category: AmCham Patron Membership

- The Patron membership is automatically extended to existing Patron members for a one-year period starting on January 1 of the following year.
- The specific benefits of Patron membership are defined annually in October for the following year.
- If a member of AmCham Slovenia wishes to move from one of the other membership categories to Patron membership category, such member may do so by sending written notice to AmCham Slovenia. When the executive office approves the membership status, the status of the Patron member will enter into force on January 1 of the following year, in which the member shall be obliged to pay a membership fee for the Patron category.
- If a member of AmCham Slovenia wishes to move from a special category of Patron membership to one of the other membership categories, and this is in line with the revenues of the company or the group to which such member belong, the member may do so by sending written notice thereof by no later than October 31 of the current year. If this condition is not met, the member shall also be obliged to pay the same membership fee for the next period, as stated in the Bylaws of the American Chamber of Commerce in Slovenia.
- The number of AmCham Patron members is limited to 10% of all AmCham Slovenia members.