

# Indian Society of Soil Science

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## APPLICATION FORM FOR INSTITUTIONAL MEMBERSHIP

*The undersigned, for and on behalf of the below mentioned organization, hereby applies for the enrolment of the said organization as an INSTITUTIONAL MEMBER of the Indian Society of Soil Science and agrees to further its aims and objectives and abide by its Rules and Regulations.*

Full name of the Institution (BLOCK LETTERS)

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*NAME, DESIGNATION and full postal address of the person to whom all communication are to be sent*

<i>Pincode:</i>

Phone Nos→ Office:(i)

(ii)

;Res:

;NSD Citi code:0

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**Please attach a brief account (in not more than 300 words) of the activities and programmes of the Institution\* (\* This, being an essential requirement, should accompany the application)**

Membership applied for the calendar year: 201

Membership fee per calendar year: Rs. 7000

Total amount paid herewith: Rs. Seven thousand only by cash/ MO/ demand draft

**Pl. Note: Payment by outstation cheque will not be accepted**

*Place:*

*Date:*

*Signature of the applicant*

Applicant's name:

Applicant's designation:

*(Pl. affix official seal)*

## **Extract from the Rules and Regulations (2002) of the Indian Society of Soil Science**

### *OBJECTIVES*

The objectives of the ISSS shall be

- (a) to cultivate and promote soil science and kindred branches of science;
- (b) to disseminate the knowledge of soil science and its applications, through meetings, discussions, and publications;
- (c) to promote judicious interactive use of soil, water and other natural resources, fertilizer and other inputs to maintain quality and resilience of soil for sustainable agriculture;
- (d) to foster high standards in the teaching and education of soil science;
- (e) to work in close association with learned societies and organisations having similar objectives;
- (f) to create public awareness about the importance of soil as a finite natural resource, and
- (g) to carry out research and to perform all other acts, matters, and things that may assist in, or be conducive to, or be necessary for the fulfilment of objectives and purposes of the Society.

### *MEMBERSHIP OF ISSS*

The ISSS shall consist of Honorary Members, Life Members, Members, Donor members, Institutional Members, and Student Members.

### *INSTITUTIONAL MEMBERSHIP AND PRIVILEGES*

An organization/ institution/ association of people/ body of individuals having interest in soil science or kindred branches of science/technology can apply for Institutional Membership in the prescribed proforma. The Council of the ISSS will consider such applications and shall have the discretion to admit or refuse admission on adequate grounds. On admission, an Institutional Member will be required to pay annually a sum equivalent to ten times the prevailing annual Membership subscription with no levy of admission fee. Institutional Member shall have the right to receive Journal, Newsletter and any other material as decided by the Council of the Society on complimentary basis. A representative of the Institutional Member can attend scientific meetings of the Society. Institutional Member shall not have any right of voting or holding office.

### *RELINQUISHING MEMBERSHIP*

Any member may resign, on application in writing, from the membership of the ISSS, but shall not be entitled to any refund of any fees /subscription paid by him/her in advance. Should such a member decide to rejoin the ISSS, he/she shall be treated as a new member.

### *MEMBERSHIP DISQUALIFICATION*

Any member found indulging in acts contrary to the objectives, purposes and activities of the ISSS can be removed from the membership by the Council by following the due procedure as laid down in bye-laws.