

## TO: SNOOKER CENTRES

## **RE: INVIATION TO BECOME ASSOCIATE MEMBER**

The Malaysian Snooker & Billiards Federation (MSBF) was formed some two decades ago with the prime object to promote the billiards sports comprising snooker, pool and carom.

To-day, it is most pleased that MSBF has been duly accredited by the Olympics Council of Malaysia, National Sports Council and the Sports Ministry with considerable support/funding by the Government for the sport. Likewise, MSBF is similarly well accredited both at the regional and international levels, including our players who have achieved reasonable successes with due recognition overseas.

Much had since been achieved to-date; much more need be done to further promote the objectives of the billiards sports, especially in the eradication of its poor image. To consolidate our efforts, it is necessary for the billiards fraternity to act as one in the pursuit of our common goal.

The MSBF Council has decided to admit associate members to reinforce the sport; we appreciate that many of you are yet or are pending receipt of business licenses from your local authorities concerned. We have, however, decided to accredit snooker centres who are licensed as a full-fledge associate members under Category A, whilst those pending licensed under Category B, for which we will upgrade them to A, once such an operating license is obtained.

We attach herewith the associate membership conditions and its application form for your necessary follow-action. Should you need further clarifications, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

I look forward to hear from you accordingly.

Warmest regards,

致给各桌球中心,

大马桌球总会,成立至今己过二十个年头,成立桌球总会最终的目地,是在于推广健康的桌球运动。

现今,大马桌球总会,已取得大马奥理会,以及国家青年体育部的认同及支持,很庆幸,也得到国家体育 理事会的赏识,拔款让总会得予赞助国家球员,出国参加比赛。总会在本区域,以及国际间颇有名声。本 国桌球好手,也在本区域及国际赛会上,为我国争光。

总会将持续努力,来完成未完成的目标,尤其是要抹去桌球运动,一向来给人不健康的印象。为了稳固总 会的力量,总会必需结合所有桌球中心,来协助,以达到共同的目标。

总会考虑,增设附属会员,宗旨是加强推广这项运动。附属会员分类为两组;A 组为己持有准证的桌球中心,以及 B 组为现己在申请准证中的桌球中心。如果 B 组的准证被批准,将提升为 A 组。

现付上,申请附属会员的表格,以及会员须遵守规则的条文。如有不详,请联络本总会负责人。谢谢!

Yours sincerely,

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