



## FIL General Assembly 2018

### FIL Subscriptions – Limited Review

The subscription levels for members have not substantially changed since the FIL was set up in 2008.

The adjustment that has been made was to set the subscription rate for members moving from Associate Member status to Full Member at \$500.

In 2008 the levels were set by simply adding together the subscriptions paid to the International Lacrosse Federation (ILF) [men] and the International Federation of Women’s Lacrosse Associations (IFWLA) and applying a uniform % increase.

This has presented some anomalies particularly where members did not have women’s programs in place in 2008 and consequently were not members of and paying a subscription to the IFWLA or were not members of either Federation.

In some instances the membership fee is disproportionate to the number of players within their National Governing Body.

The intent of this limited review has been to adjust for known anomalies and also to apply some rounding where considered appropriate.

The intent has been to correct anomalies rather than seek significant increases and the impact if all proposed increases are agreed, and noting the reductions, is a 1.1% increase in the overall Full Member subscriptions.

Please note that at the General Assembly in 2017 Israel Lacrosse agreed to their subscription level being raised from \$500 to \$1000.

The Board has the authority to and has already agreed the following reductions with effect from 2018:

Hong Kong	\$915	to	\$900	Reduction of	\$15
Ireland	\$1800		\$1200		\$600
Sweden	\$1200		\$1000		\$200
Wales	\$2000		\$750		\$1250

The proposal to the membership is to agree the following increases:

Australia	\$4850	to	\$5000	Increase of	\$150
Canada	\$6040		\$6500		\$460
Czech Republic	\$1800		\$2000		\$200
England	\$5800		\$6300		\$500
Finland	\$700		\$800		\$100
Israel	\$500		\$1000		\$500 (agreed)
Japan	\$7390		\$8000		\$610
USA	\$8265		\$8500		\$235

The full listing of subscriptions is attached as presented to the FIL Board in January of this year.

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Secretary General  
5<sup>th</sup> May 2018

**FIL Subscriptions  
2018**

<b>Full Members</b>	<b>Current Subscription</b>	<b>Proposed Revision</b>	<b>Impact</b>
Argentina	500		
Australia	4850	5000	150
Austria	800		
Belgium	500		
Bermuda	700		
Canada	6040	6500	460
Czech Republic	1800	2000	200
Denmark	500		
England	5800	6300	500
Finland	700	800	100
France	500		
Germany	3020		
Haudenosaunee (IN)	3200		
Hong Kong	915	900	-15
Ireland	1800	1200	-600
Israel <i>note 1</i>	500	1000	500
Italy	700		
Japan	7390	8000	610
Latvia	700		
Netherlands	1200		
New Zealand	1500		
Norway	700		
Scotland	1800		
Slovakia	700		
South Korea	1800		
Spain	500		
Sweden	1200	1000	-200
Switzerland	500		
Thailand	500		
USA	8265	8500	235
Wales	2000	750	-1250
	61580		690
			1.1%

note 1 Israel agreed to increase their subscription \$1000 at GA2017

Associate Members currently pay \$250

Agreed level on move from AM to FM

The purpose of this review is not a major revision to the subscription levels but to resolve some of the anomalies that have been identified since the subscription levels were set and a small measure a small measure of tidying up to rounded numbers.

The FIL Board has the authority to make reductions but any increase is a matter for membership agreement at the General Assembly.

If the changes are agreed my proposal is that:

Decreases Implemented in 2018

Increases Presented to GA2018 for implementation from 2019

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