

Corporate Members' Rules and Agreement

Article 1 (Purpose)

This Agreement (hereinafter, the "Agreement") sets forth the rules for corporate members of The Board Director Training Institute of Japan (hereinafter, "BDTI") with respect to admission, payment of dues, and other matters.

Article 2 (Corporate Member)

A "corporate member" shall refer to organizations which have applied to be such in compliance with all provisions of this Agreement, and which BDTI has accepted as such.

Article 3 (Admission)

1. An organization desiring to become a corporate member must submit the corporate member application form in the format determined by BDTI.
2. After the aforementioned application form has been submitted, BDTI will promptly determine whether the applicant is qualified to become a corporate member, and if so, will notify the applicant.
3. The procedures referred to in the two preceding clauses shall be carried out online, using an online application form separately designed and created by BDTI.

Article 4 (Annual Dues)

1. Each year, corporate members will pay to BDTI annual dues in the amount set forth on a chart that has been approved by the board of directors of BDTI.
2. Payment of the aforementioned dues shall be made by the method and at the timing determined by BDTI separately from this Agreement.
3. The dues referred to in this Article shall in no case be refundable, irrespective of the expulsion of (or withdrawal by) a particular corporate member, or for any other reason.

Article 5 (Benefits)

Corporate members may receive benefits as decided by BDTI separately from this Agreement, depending on type of membership.

Article 6 (Withdrawal or Expulsion)

1. At any time, a corporate member may withdraw its membership, by submitting the withdrawal application in the format as separately determined by BDTI.
2. In any case where it has been revealed that a corporate member has misrepresented any of the facts in the corporate member application form, or a corporate member has violated a provision of this Agreement, or a where a User's registration has been revoked pursuant to Article 1.8 of the Terms of Use for Online

Account Holders because it has been revealed that such User does not satisfy the qualification conditions set forth in Article 1.3 of the Terms of Use for Online Account Holders, or where a corporate member has damaged the reputation of BDTI in some way, or where there is any other just cause such as affiliation with organized crime or other just cause, BDTI may expel that person or organization as a corporate member following a decision to do so by BDTI's board of directors.

Article 7 (Loss of Qualification as a Corporate Member)

In addition to the provisions of the preceding Article, a corporate member will lose its qualification to remain as such if any of the following conditions exist:

- (1) If an organization has been liquidated or dissolved; or
- (2) The payment described in Article 4 above has been in arrears for one month or more.

Article 8 (Publication/Disclosure of Corporate Members' Industry and Name)

If given permission by a corporate member, BDTI may publish and disclose the name and industry type of that corporate member in any materials explaining about BDTI, including BDTI's web site.

Article 9 (Detailed Matters and Rules)

The Representative Director of BDTI may determine any other more detailed matters or rules, as required for implementation of this Agreement.

Article 10 (Changes)

Any changes to this Agreement can and shall be made based on decisions by BDTI's board of directors.

Note: These Corporate Members' Rules and Agreement came into force in their original form on September 28, 2010. This revised version of the Agreement (this version) has been implemented since May 29, 2024. Additional amendments were made on June 8th, 2012, March 24th, 2016, January 31st, 2017, March 19th, 2018, May 28th, 2024 and June 1st 2025.