

# APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP



Name of applicant firm	
Contact name	
Telephone	
Email	
Address	
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Website	

**Please note that application is by office and not by firm – multiple applications are welcomed**

Please complete the following table for the office applying

	Fee earning Partners	Fee earning solicitors	Fee earning non qualified	Other
Office total				
Of which deal with RTA claims				
Number of RTA PI claims handled per year				
Please indicate the level of experience/expertise of RTA PI claims handling in the applicant office				
What percentage, if any, of your overall motor claims work is for defendant insurers				
What percentage of your overall motor claims work is BTE/ATE				
Are any of your fee earners members of:	<b>APPLYING OFFICE</b>			
APIL	YES / NO			
Law Society Personal Injury Panel	YES / NO			
FOIL	YES / NO			
Any other relevant organisations	Please specify:			

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Please include any other information you feel is relevant to your application

## Criteria for membership:

1. Firms eligible for membership are firms of one or more solicitors practicing alone or in partnership; as a Limited Liability Partnership; as an Incorporated Practice under the Solicitors' Incorporated Practice Rules 1988; as an Alternative Business Structure, licensed under the Legal Services Act 2007 or Legal Services (Scotland) Act 2010 as amended.
2. Where the particular office of the firm applying for membership (if it has more than one office) takes at least 250 motor personal injury claims (excluding Northern Ireland & Scotland where it should be at least 100 motor PI claims per annum), of which at least 75% shall be cases in which the firm shall be acting for the Claimant, **and** can demonstrate a sufficient degree of expertise in the handling of such claims that the Management Committee believe that they should be admitted to Membership".
3. To agree to adhere to the MASS Code of Conduct and the MASS Articles of Association, in particular, the Society's stated objectives.
  - I have read the MASS Articles of Association and Code of Conduct
  - I hereby declare that I am authorised by the above applicant form to apply for membership and I confirm that the contents of this application form are correct
  - I understand that the Management Committee reserve the right to admit or refuse applications, which will not be open to appeal
  - I agree to attend an interview (in person or by 'phone)
  - If elected, I agree that my firm will be bound by the Articles of Association and Code of Conduct

Name	
Signature	
Date	

Please return completed form via email to: [enquiries@mass.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@mass.org.uk)

NB MASS will not divulge the information contained in this application form to any party other than MASS unless by prior agreement