



ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: The Advanced Television Systems Committee (ATSC) is open to (a) any corporation or other business entity having a commercial interest directly and materially affected by advanced television systems standards development, and (b) any nonprofit organization whose members or activities are directly affected by the work of the ATSC, and (c) government entities whose participation would be focused on technical standards, provided that each such entity or organization in (a), (b), or (c) above has (i) the qualifications and willingness to participate actively in the work of the Committee, and (ii) the willingness to bear its appropriate share of the expense of the Committee. If distinct divisions of an organization can demonstrate independent interests and authority to make independent decisions in the various areas of activity of the Committee, each may apply for membership. Universities, governmental organizations, and technical professional societies that are comprised of individual memberships may pay at the minimum member dues level.

WHAT IS THE NAME OF YOUR ORGANIZATION OR THE NAME OF THE INDIVIDUAL (OBSERVER ONLY)?

WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES BEST DESCRIBES YOUR ORGANIZATION?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | BUSINESS ENTITY | <input type="checkbox"/> | GOVERNMENT AGENCY |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | INTERNATIONAL AGENCY | <input type="checkbox"/> | NONPROFIT MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATION |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | OTHER (PLEASE DESCRIBE BELOW) | <input type="checkbox"/> | INDIVIDUAL (OBSERVER ONLY) |
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PLEASE GIVE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF YOUR ORGANIZATION AND SPECIFY YOUR ORGANIZATION'S INTEREST AND QUALIFICATIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE WORK OF THE ATSC.

PLEASE INDICATE YOUR ORGANIZATION'S GROSS REVENUES IN US\$.

(Appropriate membership dues will be invoiced after this application has been processed by the ATSC. See attached dues policy.)

	<u>ANNUAL GROSS REVENUES</u>	<u>ANNUAL MEMBER DUES</u>	<u>ANNUAL OBSERVER DUES</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	INDIVIDUAL	N/A	US\$ 500
<input type="checkbox"/>	LESS THAN \$10 MILLION	US\$ 1,600	US\$ 1,100
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$10 MILLION - \$50 MILLION	US\$ 6,500	US\$ 5,000
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$50 MILLION - \$2 BILLION	US\$ 13,600	US\$ 10,200
<input type="checkbox"/>	MORE THAN \$2 BILLION	US\$ 16,000	US\$ 12,100

WHO WILL REPRESENT YOUR ORGANIZATION IN THE ATSC? (ONE PERSON)

NAME _____

TITLE _____ **PHONE** _____

_____ **FACSIMILE** _____

COMPANY _____

ADDRESS _____ **E-MAIL** _____

_____ **WEBSITE** _____

SIGNATURE _____

TITLE _____ **DATE** _____

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**Advanced Television Systems Committee
Dues Structure and Policy**

ATSC, Inc.
Dues Structure & Policy

1. Member dues shall be based upon the gross revenue of the organization:

<u>Annual Gross Revenues</u>	<u>MEMBER Annual Dues</u>	<u>OBSERVER Annual Dues</u>
Individual	N/A	US\$ 500
Less than \$10 million	US\$ 1,600	1,100
\$10 million - \$50 million	6,500	5,000
\$50 million - \$2 billion	13,600	10,200
More than \$2 billion	16,000	12,100

In instances where the ATSC receives an application from a subsidiary company, revenues for membership dues will be assessed according to those of the parent company unless it can be shown that the parent company's business (other than that of the subsidiary) does not include television in which case they would pay dues at their subsidiary revenue level. If there are multiple subsidiaries of the same parent company seeking membership or renewal, each will pay dues in accordance with the previous sentence.

Universities, governmental organizations, and technical professional societies that are comprised of individual memberships may pay at the minimum member dues level.

Individual Observer status is only available to persons not employed by an eligible organization.

- a. On an annual basis, the ATSC has the right to request documentation in support of a member's stated annual gross revenues.
 - b. Dues of members joining after the first quarter of the year will be pro-rated quarterly.
2. The following schedule for payment and collection of dues shall be adhered to.

December 1: Invoices will be sent for the following years' dues. These invoices will have a due date of January 31.

February 1: Members who have not yet paid will be allotted a thirty-day grace period, and will receive a 'friendly' reminder to remit payment expeditiously. The reminder will notify the member of impending incurrence of late penalties.

March 1: Notice of delinquency will be sent with revised invoice that will include a 5% late penalty. Invoice will have terms of 30 days.

April 1: Notice of delinquency will be sent with revised invoice that will include a 10% late penalty. Invoice will have terms of 30 days.

May 1: Notice of delinquency will be sent with revised invoice that will include a 15% late penalty. Invoice will have terms of 30 days.

July 31: Failure to pay dues shall automatically result in a recommendation by the Board of Directors to the full ATSC Committee to terminate membership in accordance with the Procedures of the ATSC unless the President determines that there are special circumstances.

Members joining mid-year must pay dues within sixty days or a recommendation will be made by the Board of Directors to the membership of ATSC, Inc. to terminate their membership, unless the President determines that there are special circumstances.

The terms of this schedule will accompany all invoices and reminders. The ATSC dues structure will be present on all invoices.

3. Members that wish to rejoin within one year of resignation or termination must pay dues for the previous year.
4. Bank fees associated with dues payment should be paid by the member, but may be waived at the discretion of the President.