



# Associate Application

## EXTRACT FROM THE PTA RULES

13. PTA Associate status may be granted by the Executive Council to any applicant who must

(a) either (i) have trained as a Pianoforte Tuner, Technician or Factory Operative in a reputable factory or workshop for not less than three years or have completed an approved course in pianoforte studies at a recognised College and have gained the proficiency certificate, and have subsequently earned a living as a pianoforte tuner, technician or piano maker for a period (at least two years) which, combined with the training period, is at least five years,

or (ii) be a member of another tuners' association and satisfy the Executive Council that his tuning proficiency can be shown to be of a satisfactory standard,

or (iii) have earned a living as a Pianoforte Tuner, Technician or Factory Operative for at least seven years.

and

(b) at the time of application, currently be engaged in the piano industry.

14. PTA Associates may attend all PTA General Meeting on a non-voting basis. They may not publicly advertise their registration and may not use the PTA name or Logo. Any PTA Associate who, in the judgement of the Executive Council, has abused the privilege of PTA Associate Status may be struck off the register of PTA Associates, with no refund of subscription.

Surname

Forenames

Address

Date of birth

PTA Student Registered N°

Tel: home

Tel: work

POST TOWN

fax

Post Code

e-mail

### Details of training

Apprenticeship  College course  Piano workshop  Other

Name and address of training establishment

Dates

1

from

to

2

from

to

### Subsequent appointments or occupation

Dates

## References from professional people in the MUSIC TRADE

1 Name of referee  Position   
Address

2 Name of referee  Position   
Address

Introduced by PTA Member  Reg. N°

*I am member n°                      of another tuners association, viz:*

*I have read and understood Rules 13 and 14 concerning PTA Associates.*

*I apply to become a PTA Associate and if elected I agree to pay the entrance fee and annual subscription upon demand, and to abide by the PTA Rules.*

Signed

Date

Note that the fees until December 2009 are:

Entrance fee                      : £10

Associate subscription        : £90, reduced to £75 if paid within 30 days of the due date

**The Executive Council will keep all information strictly confidential**

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