

# Conditions for joining BIFA as a Trading Member

To be accepted as a member of BIFA an applicant company must:

- 1. Adopt and incorporate the BIFA 2017 Standard Trading Conditions (STC) into international freight contracts.**  
*(Companies cannot use the BIFA Logo or Standard Trading Conditions until they have been accepted as members)*
- 2. Hold adequate Freight liability Insurance cover to meet the liabilities incorporated in the BIFA 2017 STC and when required by BIFA, shall produce evidence from your broker/underwriter that the cover remains valid (details of your existing cover are given in the Insurance Declaration section of the Membership Application Form).**
- 3. Undertake to accurately complete, sign and return the Annual Company Declaration that will be sent to you prior to your Annual Membership renewal notice.**
- 4. Ensure fair business relationships between Members and their clients and between Members and promote and safeguard the interests of the general public by establishing and maintaining a high standard of professional behaviour with the object that Membership of the Association shall denote integrity and a high quality of service.**
- 5. Maintain the reputation, standing and good name of the Association and its Members.**

Membership will be offered following receipt of the completed Application Form, signed Insurance Declaration providing evidence of Freight Liability Insurance and full payment of the application and subscription fees.