MEMBERSHIP PACKAGE

NATRUE - International Natural and Organic Cosmetics Association
NATRUE IS YOUR VOICE, BE PART OF THE MOVEMENT!

THE NATRUE ORGANIZATION WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS!

There are numerous benefits to membership: setting NATRUE’s advocacy agenda - being ahead of the regulatory curve - contributing to EU and international regulatory decision making - participating in working groups - creating harmonized communications - joint presence at events/trade fairs - receiving our newsletter on the latest regulatory and scientific developments...

...and if you already have NATRUE certified products you automatically have the right to become a Full Member Category B at no extra cost!

FOUR MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

FULL MEMBER A
If authentic Natural and Organic Cosmetics are your world...
That’s your category!
Be a NATRUE Ambassador!

FULL MEMBER B
If you chose the NATRUE Label to differentiate the high quality of your products:
Congratulations!
You’re automatically part of the NATRUE Community!

FULL MEMBER C
Do you operate in the production or distribution of Natural and Organic Cosmetic products - anywhere in the world? Join us! You are informed and can help shape the future!

ASSOCIATE MEMBER
If you are a company, physical person, association... and your activities are related to Natural and Organic Cosmetics, have a voice and connect with the bigger picture!

www.natrue.org - info@natrue.eu
MEMBER A

When authentic Natural and Organic cosmetics are your world.

REQUIREMENTS:

Who:
Open to all companies who operate around the world in the production of Natural and Organic Cosmetic products.

Condition:
of which at least 75% of their natural and organic products are certified or in the process of certification under the NATRUE label.

Membership fee:
Calculated proportionally based on annual worldwide turnover of ex-factory sales of Natural and Organic cosmetics certified to the NATRUE Label or another recognized national Label in the previous year.

BENEFITS:
You will be updated and your opinion will be heard!

Voting Rights:
Full voting in the Annual Members Assembly based on membership fee
- Plus 1 additional vote for each 500,00€ of variable contribution fee paid the previous year.
Voting rights in Working Groups.

Participation in Working Groups:
- Board of Directors,
- Public Affairs Working Group,
- Regulatory and Scientific Working Group,
- Communication Working Group
- Possible participation in NATRUE Scientific Committee Criteria and Label.

ACCESS TO INFORMATION

Full access to all information: regulatory updates, news, position papers, info concerning all Working Groups and Task Forces.

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MEMBER B

When you chose the NATRUE Label to differentiate the high quality of your products.

REQUIREMENTS:

Who:
Companies who operate around the world in the production and/or distribution of authentic Natural and Organic Cosmetics.

Condition:
of which at least 75% of all individual products you make under a specific brand (which may be one of many you own) that are or are in the process of being certified to the NATRUE Label.

Membership fee:
No additional fee – welcome!

NATRUE label users simply sign Annex B of the Label-User contract confirming affiliation to NATRUE.

BENEFITS:

Stay up-to-date and be involved in the decision making process!

Voting Rights:
Voting Rights at the Annual Membership Assembly:
- One vote for every 10 products certified to the NATRUE Label at the end of the previous year
No voting rights in Working Groups.

Participation in Working Groups:
- Possibility to become a Member of the Board of Directors,
- Public Affairs Working Group,
- Communication Working Group,
- NATRUE Scientific Committee Criteria and Label.

ACCESS TO INFORMATION
News, Regulatory updates, Working Groups and Task Forces when participating.

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MEMBER C

Do you operate in the field of Natural and Organic Cosmetics anywhere in the world?

Connect with the bigger picture - be part of the NATRUE movement!

REQUIREMENTS:

Who:
Companies involved in the production and/or distribution of Natural and Organic Cosmetics.

Membership fee:
Calculated proportionally based on annual worldwide turnover of ex-factory sales of Natural and Organic cosmetics certified to the NATRUE Label or another recognized (inter)national Label.

BENEFITS:

Be part of the NATRUE movement!

Voting Rights:
Full voting in the Annual Membership Assembly:
- 1 vote for each 10,000,00 € of variable membership contribution of the previous year.

Participation in Working Groups:
Possibility to become a Member of the Board of Directors
- Open Ad Hoc Task Forces.

ACCESS TO INFORMATION
NATRUE News and information pertaining to those task forces in which Members participate.
ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Be informed and have your say!
All NATRUE Friends are welcome!

REQUIREMENTS:

Who:
Companies, Individual persons, Associations, Economic Interest Groups (EIG) which are active in the field of Natural and Organic Cosmetics.

Membership fee:
Companies: 5000€ per annum,
EIG: 2000€ per annum,
Associations: 1000€ per annum,
Individual persons: 100€ per annum.

BENEFITS:

Voting Rights:
consultative voting in the Membership Assembly.

Participation in Working Groups:
Open Ad Hoc Task Forces.
## Membership Categories and Their Requirements

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* As defined in Art.30 of NATRUE AISBL’s Articles of Association in combination with NATRUE AISBL’s Internal Rules Members of NATRUE pay a yearly fee calculated on the basis of the worldwide turnover made in the previous year with the manufacturing and selling of natural/organic cosmetics. Certified to NATRUE or any other recognised label (i.e., ECOCERT, BDIH, ICEA, COSMOS etc.)

** As per Articles of Association and Internal Rules.

*** NO member can have more than 25% of all votes at the Membership Assembly.
NATRUE
Membership Application

Name of the company/association/person applying for membership:

Legal form of company:

Legal representative:

Place and Registration number in trade register:

Address of the registered office:

Post/Zip Code:  City: Country:

E-mail address:  Tel:  Fax:

Type of Membership:

Members Category A is open for all companies who operate around the world in the production of natural and organic cosmetic products of which at least 75% of their natural and organic products are certified or in the process of certification under the NATRUE label.

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Members Category B is open for those companies of which at least 75% of all individual products (in terms of formulations) in a de-limitable series of products of the same brand must be or are in the process of being certified as natural or organic cosmetics in accordance with the NATRUE label.

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Members Category C is open for those companies which operate around the world in the production and/or distribution of natural and organic cosmetic products.

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Associate Members. Companies, physical persons, associations, economic interest groupings etc., active around the world in the field of natural and organic cosmetic products, can be admitted as Associate Members.

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Do 75% of your company’s cosmetic products already comply with an officially recognized national standard for Natural and/or Organic Cosmetics recognized at national level?

☐ Yes  ☐ No

If so which standard?

Are products audited at least once every two years by an independent inspection body to ensure compliance with the above mentioned standard?

☐ Yes  ☐ No

Date:  Company Stamp:

Signature
TURNOVER DECLARATION TO CALCULATE NATRUE FULL MEMBERS’ CONTRIBUTION

As defined in Art. 30 of NATRUE AISBL’s Articles of Association in combination with NATRUE AISBL’s Internal Rules Members of NATRUE pay a yearly membership fee which is calculated on the basis of the worldwide turnover made in the previous year on the manufacturing and selling of certified natural/organic cosmetics (not only NATRUE certified but also BDIH, ECOCERT…). The declared turnover should equally include products sold by members when acting as a third party manufacturer.

For the calculation of the NATRUE AISBL membership fee of 20….
Company:
Address:

Declares truthfully that in 20…. its turnover related to cosmetics was

Contact Person: ..................................................  Auditor: ..................................................
Place, Date: .....................................................  Place, Date: ..................................................
Signature: .......................................................  Signature: ....................................................
Company stamp:  Company stamp:

NATRUE reserves the right to ask for a copy of the official annual financial statement.

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Should you require any additional information? Contact us!
The NATRUE Secretariat will be delighted to help you!

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Together let's protect natural and organic cosmetics!