



# Association of Machinery and Equipment Appraisers

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## AMEA Professional Member – PM

### Application requirements and conditions for new members are:

Eligibility for membership in the Association of Equipment Appraisers as an AMEA Professional Member (AMEA – PM) is open to individuals and firms whose work interrelates with that of professional appraisers. This category includes, but is not limited to, attorneys, accountants, insurers and bank and trust officials. AMEA Professional Members have an interest in the appraisal profession, but do not prepare appraisals or represent themselves as appraisal practitioners. This category is only for those individuals and firms whose primary business does not involve the buying, selling, or appraising of capital equipment.

### Application requirements and conditions for new members are:

- Provide a description of the type of business services that are provided.
- Have been in business for at least three (3) years.
- Participate in an interview with the Association of Machinery and Equipment Appraisers Membership Committee representative.
- Applicant must attest that they:
  - Have not been expelled from the Association of Machinery and Equipment Appraisers.
  - Have not been expelled from the Machinery Dealers National Association.
  - Are not currently associated with a firm whose membership was rejected, terminated, or expelled by the Machinery Dealers National Association.
  - Will use the AMEA Professional Member logo during their tenure of membership in the manner prescribed by the Association (AMEA).
  - Submit a completed application with two (2) sponsors who are members of the Association of Machinery and Equipment Appraisers.

### Requirements and conditions for designation retention are:

- AMEA Professional Members must remain at all times in good standing with the Association of Machinery and Equipment Appraisers.

## Annual Dues for Professional Membership \$290

All payments must be in U.S. funds, payable to AMEA. New member dues will be billed upon completion of the application process and prorated based on the AMEA membership year. The Application process must be completed within 24 months and any fees collected are not refundable.

### Part I: Applicant Information

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Suffix: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Personal Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of business / company: \_\_\_\_\_

Description of current position and number of years with company: \_\_\_\_\_

## Part II: Sponsors

List two sponsors from different companies (*excluding persons in your firm*) and their contact information that are members of the Association of Machinery and Equipment Appraisers.

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## Part III: Applicant Statement

- 1) I personally hereby irrevocably waive any claim or right of action at law or in equity that I might have at any time against the AMEA, the AMEA Board of Directors, officers, trustees, committee members, staff, or other officials, either as a group or as individuals, for any official act performed in furtherance of the AMEA including, but not limited to:
  - a. declining to accept my application as a member;
  - b. termination of membership by AMEA for a reasonable and just cause. Reasonable and just cause would be as a result of breaching the AMEA Code of Ethics, AMEA Standards and Procedures of Professional Appraisal Ethics and Practice, Constitution, Articles of Incorporation, or By-Laws
- 2) I agree that any mark, logo, professional designation, seal or emblem which evidences my membership in AMEA, shall remain the property of the Association, held by me in trust. I shall re and expenses) which the AMEA may suffer and incur, or become subject to, as a result of or in connection with my breaching the agreements contained in paragraphs 1 and 2 above, including any and all costs and expenses (including actual attorneys' fees) incurred in connection with the AMEA's enforcement of this indemnification.
- 3) I certify that all of my statements on this application are true and correct and I hereby grant permission to make appropriate inquiries to verify them.

**My signature attests to the above statements.**

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

### Office Use Only

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Application Fee Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Payment: \_\_\_\_\_

Member ID Assigned: \_\_\_\_\_

1<sup>st</sup> Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

Board Interview: \_\_\_\_\_