

**Constitution of Humanist Society of NSW Incorporated**

**Appendix 1. HUMANIST SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH WALES INC**  
(incorporated under the Association Incorporation Act 2016)

**APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP**

I, .....  
(full name of applicant)  
of ..... Postcode .....  
(address of applicant)

Phone (Home) ... (Work) ..... E-mail: .....  
being a

.....  
(occupation of applicant)

hereby apply to become a member of the above named incorporated association and declare that I am in agreement with the association's Objects set out below.

In the event of my admission as a member, I agree to be bound by the Constitution of the association for the time being in force (Copies of the Constitution are available from the Secretary or from the Society website <http://www.hsnsw.asn.au>).

Special Interests:

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.....  
Signature of applicant ..... Date .....

I, ..... a member of the association,  
(full name of proposer)  
nominate the applicant, who is personally known to me, for membership of the association.

Signature of proposer ..... Date .....

If you do not personally know a member of the association who can propose your application, then you may either:

1. attend a Humanist Society of NSW Inc meeting; or (if that is not practicable)
2. provide a statement of interest for the Committee to consider.

Annual Membership Fee: Single ..... Double ..... Concession .....  
(Please provide proof of concession rate eligibility, such as a pension, student or health care card number.)

I enclose cheque/money order/cash for: Membership \$ .....  
Donation \$ .....  
Total \$ .....

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**Objects**

1. To encourage a rational approach to human problems, to promote the fullest possible use of science and the arts for human welfare, to defend freedom of expression, and to provide a constructive alternative to theological and dogmatic creeds;
2. To gain and maintain for non-religious people the same rights as are enjoyed by members of religious bodies;
3. To encourage an awareness of and the responsibility to the connection and interdependence between human and other life forms, and duty of care owed by present generations to future generations and the environment;
4. To encourage informed and reasoned discussion of issues in a manner that shows respect for the individual and his or her views;
5. To encourage respect for the universal human rights of men and women free from discrimination on the basis of race, class, disability, gender, age, nationality or sexual orientation.