

Motion 1: EC Moves to Change the Bylaws and the Regulation for Membership Dues

Reason for Motion:

The EC desires to change § 18 (1) of the Membership Dues which will necessitate the subsequent change of § 7 (5) Number 1. The number of votes at the General Meeting proportionate to each member club must be adjusted to the new base amount.

Current Language	New Language
1. Versatile Hunting Dog Clubs, Breed Clubs and their subdivisions; Hunter Associations at County-, District and Local levels, as well as affiliated clubs in other countries have one (1) vote for every commenced increment of € 256.	1. Versatile Hunting Dog Clubs, Breed Clubs and their subdivisions; Hunter Associations at County-, District and Local levels, as well as affiliated clubs in other countries have one (1) vote per every commenced increment of the base fee as set forth by the Member Dues Regulation.

New Membership Dues Starting in 2019

The EC moves to change the Regulation for Member Dues starting in 2019 to account for the overall increase in costs and expenditures the Association incurs.

	Current	New
Minimum Dues (base fee) per member club	256,00 €	366,00 €
Each member club with more than 75% hunter members pays this amount per individual member	2,30 €	3,30 €
Clubs with less than 75% hunter members pay this amount per individual hunter member	2,30 €	3,30 €
Clubs have to pay a lump sum for their "non-hunter" members; the lump sum is due for the first 2000 individual members, in the amount of These clubs report their individual membership separately, in hunters and non-hunters categories. The percentile of non-hunters will be re-assessed every 4 years.	500,00 €	715,00 €
County and local level Hunter Associations		
up to 1000 individual members pay this amount	307,00 €	439,00 €
up to 2000 individual members pay this amount	409,00 €	585,00 €
more than 2000 individual members pay this amount	511,00 €	731,00 €
Plus 2.50 € per tested dog, but not less than 25,00 € per each test conducted (the tests published in the most recent DGStB will serve as the basis for the calculation).		
The dues for State Hunter Associations and affiliated clubs are subject to negotiation, but will not be less than	256,00 €	366,00 €