4.2 **FEES**

4.2.1 Annual Base Membership Fee

- 4.2.1.1 Annual base membership fees of MAs payable to LC shall be set by resolution and shall be paid to LC Head Office at least fifteen days prior to the Annual Meeting in each year.
- 4.2.1.2 The Annual Base Membership Fees are:
 - 4.2.1.2.1 for MAs with less than 650 registered players, \$700.00 per annum.
 - 4.2.1.2.2 for MAs with 650 and more but less than 1,000 registered players, \$1,400.00 per annum.
 - 4.2.1.2.3 for MAs with 1,000 or more registered players, \$2,100.00 per annum.
- 4.2.2 Annual Registered Participant Fee
 - 4.2.2.1 Registered Participant: A "Registered Participant" means any person, including but not limited to: a player, coach, official and volunteer such as a manager, trainer, club/team executive member or league or MA administrator or any other person directly associated with the activity, who participates in organized lacrosse activities under the control of the Member Association or LC. These activities include but are not limited to athlete development programs, recreational and competitive leagues, club teams, national teams, coaching programs, officiating programs, and events. This includes all those persons who the Members report to their Provincial or Territorial Governments in applications to receive funding.
 - 4.2.2.2 Registered Participant Fees: Registered Participants shall pay a fee by category, to be determined by the Members, to LC in order to access and support services, privileges and programming developed and to be developed by LC for the sport of lacrosse in Canada.
 - 4.2.2.3 The MAs shall file with LC Head Office by October 1st of each year, the registered participants within their jurisdictions in each of the Sectors. This report shall provide the number of registered participants in all categories.
 - 4.2.2.3.1 Failure to file the registered participants to LC Head Office by the deadline will result in a fine not to exceed \$1000.
 - 4.2.2.4 The annual fee per registered participant shall be set at \$4.00. This fee shall be paid to LC Head Office by the deadline set in February by the office and forwarded to the MAs.

- 4.2.3 Operating Levy
 - 4.2.3.1 The Operating Levy will be equal to the amount needed to maintain LC's basic business operations, if necessary, due to financial hardship.
 - 4.2.3.2 Each MA shall pay a portion of the Operating Levy based upon their percentage of the sum of the sector votes for which each MA is eligible according to participant registration numbers for the previous year. The amount of the Operating Levy is calculated as follows:
 - 4.2.3.2.1 MAs total sector votes divided by the total of all sector votes for all MAs times the amount of the Operating Levy.
 - 4.2.3.3 The amount of the per vote levy will be approved, when a levy is deemed necessary by the members at the AM and shall be payable by March 31 of the following year.
- 4.2.4 MAs must have all invoices and debts to LC fully paid or have made payment arrangements with the Head Office to be considered in good standing and eligible to vote at any general meeting of LC.