

# **Proposal**

# Procedure for unpaid membership fees

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Proposed by:	According/Referring to:
Audit Board	Standing Orders: § 4 Abs. 1 Nr. 6 ff.

### **Description and rationale:**

#### **English**

According to §32 Abs. 5 of the statute members have to fulfill their financial obligations towards ESN Germany "on schedule". However, there are no further regulations on what happens if a member does not pay or whether there is to be any official communication between ESN Germany and that member about it. In theory it is possible that a member doesn't pay its membership fee by accident and is not informed about it by the NB. Then for 12 months nothing happens and suddenly the NA can vote to exclude that member from the association, based on § 4 Abs. 3 Nr. 2 of the statute. To prevent such an occurrence, the standing orders should include regulations that the membership fee has to be paid within four weeks after receiving the invoice; the NB has to inform a member about its outstanding debts several times. If the fee is not paid, the NB can decide to no longer consider that member for seats at LPs and events of ESN AISBL including the WEP and FGSM. All members will be informed about such a decision; if the corresponding members appeals that decision, the NA will decide about it.



## **Necessary changes in SOS:**

#### **Ordnung**

§ 4 - Rechte und Pflichten von Mitgliedern

(1) 6. Die Entrichtung des Mitgliedsbeitrags hat innerhalb von vier Wochen nach Zugang der entsprechenden Rechnung zu erfolgen. Sollte zwölf Wochen nach Zugang der Rechnung ein Mitglied seinen Mitgliedsbeitrag trotz mehrerer Erinnerungen nicht entrichtet haben, kann der Vorstand beschließen, dieses Mitglied bei der Zuteilung von Platzkontingenten gemäß §9 der Veranstaltungsordnung für Veranstaltungen gemäß §3 Abs. 2 und 3 der Veranstaltungsordnung bis zur Entrichtung des Mitgliedsbeitrags nicht zu berücksichtigen. Hierüber sind die Mitglieder zu informieren. Widerspricht das betroffene Mitglied dem Beschluss, befindet die Mitgliederversammlung über dessen Statthaftigkeit.

6.7. Zudem gelten die folgenden Sonderbestimmungen:

(...)

Supported by:	Opposed by: