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**APPLICATION FOR ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP**

MANUFACTURER MEMBERSHIP IS AVAILABLE TO BUSINESS ENTITIES ENGAGED IN THE PRODUCTION OF SECURITY HARDWARE WHO MEET THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. The applicant is actually engaged in the production of security hardware or controls such production by contract, licensing agreement, patent, trademark or otherwise;
- 2. The applicant sells its product to wholesale distributors of security hardware as part of a multi-step distribution process;
- 3. The applicant has taken title to the security hardware they sell, thus assuming inventory risk.

The undersigned, being engaged in the business of the manufacture of security hardware presently distributed by wholesale distributors, hereby applies for Associate Membership in the Security Hardware Distributors Association and agrees to subscribe to its Constitution and Bylaws.

COMPANY \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE/PROVINCE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP/PC \_\_\_\_\_  
TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_ FAX \_\_\_\_\_  
WWW ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ COMPANY E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_  
KEY CONTACT \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE LIST PRINCIPAL OWNERS:**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE NAME THREE TOP COMPANY OFFICIALS:**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE LIST OTHER KEY PERSONNEL:**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME \_\_\_\_\_ TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE CHECK ONE: Applicant is:**

- Corporation
- Partnership
- Proprietorship
- LLC
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Do you now market your security hardware products through wholesale distributors?  Yes  No

List company name, location and a contact name for SHDA Distributor Members for whom you are an established vendor:

Company Name \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_ Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_ Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Please list date and location of applicant's incorporation: Date \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_

Do you manufacture the product you sell?  Yes  No

If no, do you control such production by contract, licensing agreement, patent, trademark or otherwise?  Yes  No

If you control such production, please list circumstances: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you own the inventory you sell?  Yes  No

Do you bill for the product you sell?  Yes  No

**Applicant is required to carry a minimum of \$2 million dollars in US Product Liability Insurance coverage. Further applicants must submit proof of coverage.**

Does applicant carry \$2 million dollars product liability insurance coverage?  Yes  No

Do you have an interest or affiliation with any other security supply manufacturers?  Yes  No

Do you have an interest or affiliation with a wholesale distributor of security hardware?  Yes  No

How many employees do you have at the present time? \_\_\_\_\_

List principal security hardware products which your company produces:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any Canadian affiliates?  Yes

If so, please list here \_\_\_\_\_

ANNUAL DUES:

\$1,500 PER YEAR **(First and second year dues due with application)**

I hereby certify that the applicant:

- Is actually engaged in the production of security hardware or controls such production by contract, licensing agreement, patent, trademark or otherwise;
- Sells its product to wholesale distributors of security hardware as part of a multi-step distribution process;
- Has taken title to the security hardware they sell, thus assuming inventory risk.

It is understood that an Associate Member in good standing is entitled to attend all meetings of the Association, receive all of its publications and enjoy such other privileges as may be determined from time to time by the Board of Directors. Associate members may not hold office or vote at meetings of the Association.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

***The Association may require applicants for Associate Membership to provide satisfactory evidence that they are engaged in the manufacture of security hardware. Such evidence shall be afforded confidential treatment.***

**PLEASE ENCLOSE:**

- Check for first and second year dues: \$3000**
- Product Brochures**
- Certificate of Insurance confirming \$2 million US dollars in product liability coverage**