



Becoming a Member of Link Group Ltd

Who Can Join?

Because Link seeks members from all sectors of the community, membership applications are welcomed from:

- Tenants
- Service users and other customers
- Other residents in areas within which it operates
- People who can make a positive contribution based on their business, professional or social experience skills

Membership is also open to "unincorporated bodies" with which Link operates (such as tenants', residents' and proprietors' associations) and to their representatives.

Anyone who is a Link tenant aged 16 or over can apply, or if you are not a Link tenant then you must be over 18.

Why become a Member?

Tenant and resident participation encourages individuals to make a real contribution to the decisions that affect their homes and communities. This gives you the opportunity to participate in the planning of Link's future

What do I get?

You will receive the most recent Annual Report and your £1 Link Share Certificate. You will also receive invitations to membership events, be invited to attend and vote at our Annual General Meeting and, should the case arise, any Special General Meeting.

Why should I get involved?

Organisations work better if they provide customers with the services they want, in the way they want them delivered. Involvement in the service means that you are able to provide us with valuable feedback, which is necessary in order for us to continuously improve our services.

That's why we want the views and input of individuals who live in our communities...
individuals like you!

Why we consult

We need to work together with you, to find the best forms of participation that meet particular issues. Sometimes we may target a particular group of tenants, for example, younger or older tenants, people from ethnic minorities or new migrants. We need to ensure that we are meeting everyone's needs.

How do I become a Member?

It's simple. Complete this application form and the Diversity Monitoring Form (optional) attached and send it to:

***The Secretary
Link House
Link Group Ltd
New Mart Road
Edinburgh
EH14 1RL***

You may also hand the form to your housing officer or other member of Link staff, along with £1. Once we have received your application it will go before the Group Board, who will decide to either accept or reject your submission.

We will write to you shortly afterwards informing you of the outcome.

Our aims and objectives

Link aims to attract people from the communities it serves - and those interested in helping it achieve its objectives - to become members of the Association.

Please complete in block capitals

Why do you wish to become a member of Link Group Ltd?

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF LINK GROUP LTD

- 1. **Name in full**

- 2. **Home Address**

- 3. **Home Tel No**

4. Are you aged
16 – 18 Over 18

5. Employment Status (please specify)

Employed part time Unemployed
full time

6. Name of Current Employer (if applicable) _____

7. Work Tel No _____

8. Are you currently a tenant, service user or sharing owner with Link
(please specify) _____

Signed Date

If you require further information please contact:

The Secretary

On

08451 559 559

Thank you for your cooperation and for you interest in Link Group Ltd

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Approved: yes no

Date: _____

Membership no: _____

Please note, membership of Link does not mean you are placed on the Housing Register

