

Policy - Financial Support of DSMRA Member Travel

Policy Statement

The DSMRA, subject to available funds, will support its members financially, or in kind, to facilitate their attendance at activities considered by the Membership and Committee to be of benefit to the DSMRA.

Principles

It is considered in the Association's interest to assist, if possible, its committee's attendance at its Annual General Meeting (AGM) or any Special General Meeting.

Priority of financial support of attendance by Committee members at a General Meeting should be in the following order to the maximum value identified in the Schedule of Rates:

1. President
2. Treasurer
3. Secretary
4. Vice President
5. 1st committee member elected
6. 2nd committee member elected
7. 3rd committee member elected

It is also considered valuable to have as broad a representation of the membership attend the AGM as possible. To this end the DSMRA will if possible provide financial support to Branches for them to assist member attendance at the AGM in accordance with the maximum amount identified in the Schedule of Rates.

Further, there may also be meetings with other individuals or organisations for purposes that are deemed to be in the Association's interest where either a committee member or other member should be in attendance.

Financial support can be made available to cover:

- Motor vehicle expenses
- Accommodation
- Air travel
- Taxis

Any other expenses considered appropriate by the committee

Responsibilities

Committee

References

Work Instruction - Schedule of Rates