

Organisational Membership: PLEASE JOIN US



Name of Organisation

Main contact

Position

Email

Main phone Direct or mobile phone

Postal address

..... Postcode

Alternative contact/s

Position/s or specific areas or interest

Email Phone

We would like to join GM Freeze for one year, from 2018. We understand and agree to the aims of GM Freeze and to our obligations as members (see overleaf).

Print name Sign

Position Date

Annual membership rates, based on the turnover of your organisation:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Band A £0-£39,999 | £ 36 | <input type="checkbox"/> Band E £500,000-£999,999 | £360 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Band B £40,000-£79,999 | £ 60 | <input type="checkbox"/> Band F £1 million-£9,999,999 | £480 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Band C £80,000-£149,999 | £120 | <input type="checkbox"/> Band G £10 million plus | £600 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Band D £150,000-£499,999 | £240 | | |

We also offer a £12 minimum subscription to organisations that cannot afford £36. Please call us on 0845 217 8992 to discuss if you think this applies to your organisation.

- I enclose a cheque for the appropriate amount, payable to GM Freeze
- Please send us an invoice
- We will pay the appropriate amount direct to GM Freeze, Account No 6534 8341, Sort Code 08-92-99
- Please send us a receipt

Please post to:

GM Freeze c/o Openspace Cooperative, Unit 1, 41 Old Birley Street, Hulme, Manchester, M15 5RF or scan and email to vicky@gmfreeze.org.

Data Protection

GM Freeze is registered with the Information Commissioner's Office. By completing this form you are giving your permission for us to process your personal information. We will only use your details to send you information about our campaigns, for fundraising and to keep you up to date with our work. We will not pass your details on to anybody else without asking you first.

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Tel: 0845 217 8992 **Email:** info@gmfreeze.org **Web:** www.gmfreeze.org

Making your pledge

In becoming a member of GM Freeze your organisation pledges to support a freeze on genetic modification and patenting in food and farming. This means that you are joining the call for a moratorium on:

- the growing of genetically modified plants and the production of genetically modified farm animals for any commercial purpose
- the import of genetically modified foods, plants, farm crops and farm animals, and produce from genetically modified plants and animals
- the patenting of genetic resources for food and farm crops.

Rights of Members

As a member of GM Freeze you will be entitled to send up to two delegates to each of our open meetings and receive minutes. Each member organisation will be entitled to vote at the AGM and in the election of our Management Committee. All members are eligible to stand for election to the Management Committee if proposed and seconded by other members.

From time to time GM Freeze may set up working groups that members are welcome to join. For details of current working group activity, membership and how you may contribute to them, please contact Liz O'Neill on liz@gmfreeze.org.

The liability of members is limited.

Obligations of Members

GM Freeze is a company limited by guarantee and therefore all members of GM Freeze will be liable for the payment of debts and liabilities of the company, as set out in our Memorandum of Association. In the event of GM Freeze being wound down, liability for each member will not exceed one (1) pound Sterling.

Copies of the Articles and Memorandum of Association are available from Liz O'Neill at Liz@gmfreeze.org. Members wishing to resign from GM Freeze must give at least one month's notice in writing, as set out in our Articles of Association. GM Freeze contacts within each member organisation are requested to distribute GM Freeze papers and action alerts internally.

Elections

Elections for positions on the Management Committee will take place at each AGM. Each year members will be able to vote for candidates nominated and seconded by two other GM Freeze members.

Note

In joining GM Freeze each organisation is indicating its formal support in those areas where it has specific competence. Each also acknowledges the expertise and authority of the other members in their respective fields. In addition each organisation supports the overall message of the GM Freeze statement.