

# Branch Membership 2016



DELIVERING SAFE, EFFICIENT, SUSTAINABLE LOGISTICS



FTA is the leading trade association in the logistics industry. Boasting a rich history of over 125 years, our aim is to represent and support our 15,000 members in achieving a safe, efficient and sustainable transport operation.

We feel that it is important to ensure that the money you spend on your FTA membership is used to improve the industry and policies and legislation within it. Please take a look at our 2016 section (page 7) of this brochure to learn more about how we will be working to support industry throughout the year.

## Why join FTA?



### Advice and support

You can access our extensive information base at any time to ensure you are best placed to make good business decisions, keep on top of industry and legal developments and progress your career.



### Influence

Be involved in shaping policies and the industry for the future through our Freight Councils and stay better connected with industry peers through a variety of networking opportunities.



### Compliance

Be confident in your compliance with our support and guidance that is tailored to your operation. Our experts can help you unravel complicated legal policies, explain how they relate to your operation and advise on putting measures in place to protect you from non-compliance.



### Efficiency

Save time with all the information you need in one place. Our clear implementation advice also helps you save time on planning. Cut costs through minimising business risk, eliminating the cost of third party solicitors or consultants and benefit from discounts on other FTA products and services.

## Additional extras

- FTA's International Service is an invaluable source of information and guidance to help ensure the compliance and efficiency of your international road transport operation
- Our Operator Licence Compliance Information Service (OLCIS) subscription has been specifically designed to provide information and support on what you need to do to stay compliant to your operator licence undertakings
- The Guide to Van Excellence is a subscription service designed for van fleet operators who are committed to raising standards across their operation

**Branch Membership is a cost effective way of gaining full membership to FTA as a depot of a full fee-paying organisation**

# What does my membership include?

## Information



Our position within the industry ensures we have a wide and trusted knowledge base. Information is available to you via a range of channels including **regional member briefings**, **compliance guides** and **briefing notes** on new or changing regulations, **member-only website content** and the highly regarded **FTA Yearbook of Road Transport Law**.

## Advice



As a valued member of FTA we want to make sure that when you need advice and support it is easily available to you. That is why you will have unlimited telephone and email access to our **Member Advice Centre\*** and **Member Service Centre\*** and a **dedicated field-based Membership Manager** to ensure that your queries are dealt with consistently and effectively.

## News



Up-to-the-minute industry news is available in various forms to suit you. These include **email news bulletins**, **instant traffic alerts**, **member only sections of our website** and **social media updates**. FTA also publishes **Freight & Logistics magazine**, which covers wider industry updates and also more member-focused news.

## Influence



Our Freight Councils offer members the opportunity to get actively involved in influencing FTA's policy agenda. There are **Regional** and **National Councils** that cover issues affecting road, rail, sea and the wider supply chain and we have a key presence in the UK and Europe.

## Save



We like to look after our members by ensuring they pay **up to 40 per cent less** than non-members on our range of industry-leading products and services, including Vehicle Inspection Services, Tachof<sup>ta</sup>, Training, Shop<sup>fta</sup>, PCN administration service, Consultancy and Events.

## Exclusive services



There are a range of services that are exclusive to members (below). Model Conditions of Carriage and Storage and use of our member logo are also available, along with vehicle stickers.

### FTA Recovery

[www.fta.co.uk/recovery](http://www.fta.co.uk/recovery)

Free to subscribe to plus a reduced tariff service offered by the AA.

### FTA Fuel Card

[www.fta.co.uk/fuelcard](http://www.fta.co.uk/fuelcard)

Cost savings through discounted fuel prices and interest free credit.

### Driver Licence Checking Service

[www.fta.co.uk/driverlicence](http://www.fta.co.uk/driverlicence)

Reduce the time, costs and risks of checking your drivers' licences.

### Online Supplier Directory

[www.fta.co.uk/onlinesupplier](http://www.fta.co.uk/onlinesupplier)

Advertise your products and services for free to other FTA members.

### Online Networking Forums

[www.fta.co.uk/networking](http://www.fta.co.uk/networking)

Forums covering Public Authorities, Waste, Utilities, Safety and more.

# What else does FTA offer?

Our full range of services are available to view online at [www.fta.co.uk](http://www.fta.co.uk)

## Vehicle Inspection Services

[www.fta.co.uk/vis](http://www.fta.co.uk/vis)

Vehicle inspections and audits on all vehicles and equipment.

## Tachof<sup>ta</sup>

[www.fta.co.uk/tacho](http://www.fta.co.uk/tacho)

Tachograph and drivers' hours analysis, interpretation and support.

## Training

[www.fta.co.uk/training](http://www.fta.co.uk/training)

Industry-leading nationwide public and in-company courses.

## Shop<sup>fta</sup>

[www.shop.fta.co.uk](http://www.shop.fta.co.uk)

The trusted choice for transport supplies and consumables.

## Consultancy

[www.fta.co.uk/consultancy](http://www.fta.co.uk/consultancy)

Tailored solutions, compliance and efficiency reviews and advice.

## Events

[www.fta.co.uk/events](http://www.fta.co.uk/events)

Various annual topical industry conferences and events.

## Cost Information Service

[www.fta.co.uk/costinformation](http://www.fta.co.uk/costinformation)

Tools to help reduce and benchmark transport costs.

## Penalty Charge Notice (PCN) Support Service

[www.fta.co.uk/pcn](http://www.fta.co.uk/pcn)

Audits and administration to help reduce PCNs.

## Operator Licence Compliance Information Service

[www.fta.co.uk/olcis](http://www.fta.co.uk/olcis)

A step-by-step guide to managing your Operator licence undertakings.

## Van Excellence

[www.vanexcellence.co.uk](http://www.vanexcellence.co.uk)

Best practice guidance, van fleet accreditation and support.

## Carbon<sup>fta</sup>

[www.fta.co.uk/carbon](http://www.fta.co.uk/carbon)

Practical advice on reducing, reporting and recording emissions.

## International Service

[www.fta.co.uk/international](http://www.fta.co.uk/international)

Additional services and support for those operating internationally.

## Transaid

[www.fta.co.uk/transaid](http://www.fta.co.uk/transaid)

Your membership includes a £10 donation to this worthy charity.<sup>†</sup>

<sup>†</sup>You can choose to opt out, please see membership form on page 6.

# Branch Membership Application Form

Please tear off, complete and return the attached form. If you require any assistance please call 03717 11 22 22.



“The savings we make through taking FTA Recovery and the FTA Fuel Card services actually cover the cost of our FTA membership.”



“Access to all areas of expertise at FTA assists us with any compliance or operational issues that we encounter.”

## Branch Membership Application 2016

Return by post to **Membership Recruitment, Freight Transport Association, Hermes House, St John's Road, Tunbridge Wells, Kent TN4 9UZ** by fax to 01892 552 360 or scan and email to [member.admin@fta.co.uk](mailto:member.admin@fta.co.uk)

### Required fields in red

#### Your details

Title \_\_\_\_\_ First name \_\_\_\_\_ Surname \_\_\_\_\_

Job title \_\_\_\_\_

Direct dial no \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

#### Company details

Company name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent member number \_\_\_\_\_

Trading names (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Website \_\_\_\_\_

Company registration no \_\_\_\_\_ VAT reg no (if known) \_\_\_\_\_

#### Company profile

##### No of vehicles operated

Large commercial vehicles (>3.5t) \_\_\_\_\_ Vans (<3.5t) \_\_\_\_\_ Passenger carrying vehicles \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of business \_\_\_\_\_

FTA Recovery (please tick to register for free)

FTA Fuelcard (please tick to apply for this free-to-join discounted fuel service)<sup>§</sup>

#### Declaration

I hereby apply for membership and agree to abide by the terms of the Articles of Association of Freight Transport Association Ltd (a copy of which is available on request)

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

A VAT invoice will be issued to you on registration of your membership

#DOWNLOAD

<sup>§</sup>Cards are free in the first year and then £6 per vehicle thereafter. Applications will be subject to a credit check.

## Membership fees

<b>Branch fee</b>			£ <b>137.00</b>
<b>Additions</b>			<b>+</b>
Additional contacts	£137.00 each	No required _____	£ _____
Operator Licence Compliance Information Service	£260.00 each	No required _____	£ _____
Guide to Van Excellence	£260.00 each	No required _____	£ _____
International Service	£125.00 each	No required _____	£ _____
		<b>Total</b>	£ _____
		<b>Please add VAT (at the appropriate rate) of the above figure</b>	£ _____
<i>Cost Information Service</i>			
Manager's Guide to Distribution Costs	£170.00 each (no VAT)	No required _____	£ _____
Manager's Fuel Price Information Service	£197.00 each (no VAT)	No required _____	£ _____
Bundle of both items	£317.00 each (no VAT)	No required _____	£ _____
		<b>Transaid donation (to opt-out please cross through price)</b>	£ <b>10.00</b>
		<b>Grand total (including VAT)</b>	£ _____

## Payment

- Direct debit** (a direct debit form will be sent to you) **1 per cent** discount with this option
- Cheque enclosed** (payable to FTA) £ \_\_\_\_\_
- Please invoice me** Purchase order number (if required) \_\_\_\_\_
- Credit card** (we will contact you for your card details)



*“Excellent training is just part of the whole compliance picture I get from FTA.”*



*“Shopfta’s unique publications are built from a wealth of industry knowledge.”*

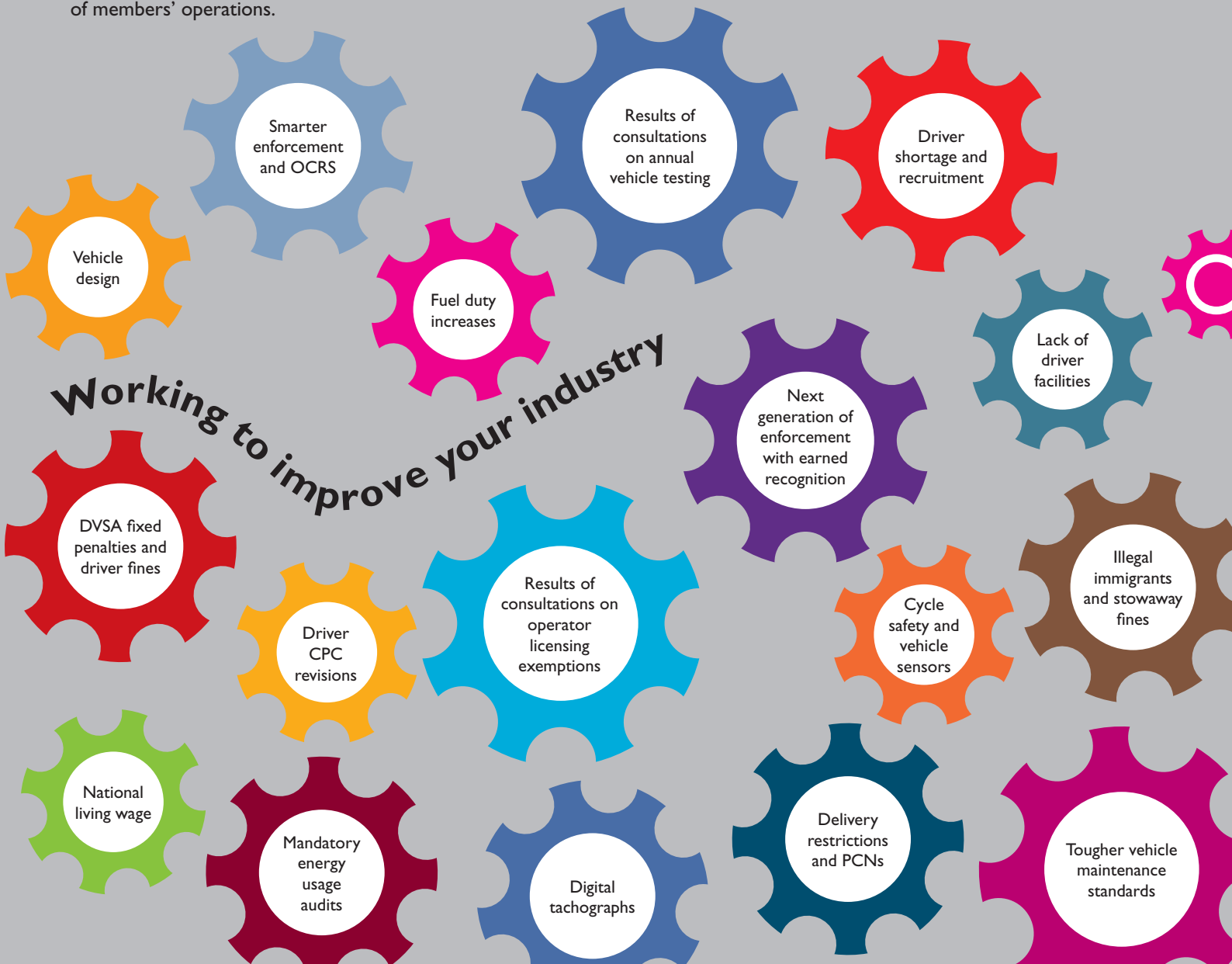


*“FTA’s Transport Manager events provide a valuable guide in today’s tough business climate.”*



# Supporting our members throughout 2016

We proactively work to help minimise the impact of any new legislation, represent the best interests of our members at a regional, national and European level and make improvements to the logistics industry as a whole. Below is an example of just some of the issues that we are working on throughout 2016 that are posing a threat to, or could impact on, the efficiency, costs and complexity of members' operations.



“ Alliance Healthcare has been a member of FTA for over 30 years and has consistently found their support and services to be highly informative and of great value to our transport operation. In particular we find the up-to-date information available via the Member Advice Centre, free briefings and conferences of great value and have come to trust and rely on FTA as an integral part of our transport business. ”

Andy Blythe  
National Logistics Manager, Alliance Healthcare

## WANT MORE INFORMATION ON FTA MEMBERSHIP?

Get in touch today!



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