



CANADIAN
PULSE AND
SPECIAL CROPS
TRADE ASSOCIATION

MEMBER & PARTNER APPLICATION

Please send completed application with payment to:
Canadian Pulse and Special Crops Trade Association
920-220 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, MB. R3C 0A5
hello@cpsctrade.ca

MEMBERSHIP TYPES

MEMBERS

Members of the Canadian Pulse and Special Crops Trade Association* are **Canadian** individuals, partnerships, corporations or other legal entities **engaged in the growing, export, merchandising or brokerage of pulses and special crops** in their whole, split, flour and fraction forms. All CPSC Members are eligible to vote on association issues. Members are encouraged to make additional contributions beyond their membership fee to support the CPSC.

Gold Members - \$5,000 CAD minimum

CPSC Gold Members receive enhanced benefits and are featured prominently on the CPSC website.

Regular Members - \$1,500 CAD

Regular Members receive standard benefits and are featured on the CPSC website.

PARTNERS \$1,500 CAD

CPSC Partners receive standard benefits and are featured on the CPSC website. Partners are:

a) Individuals, partnerships, and corporations **outside of Canada engaged in the growing, export, merchandising or brokerage of pulses and special crops**

OR

b) Canadian or International individuals, partnerships and corporations who are **not directly engaged in the growing, export, merchandising or brokerage of pulses and special crops** but who have an interest in connecting with CPSC Members and Partners

AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS \$200 CAD

CPSC Affiliates are other **Canadian non-profit organizations** working within the pulse and special crops industry. Affiliates are not eligible to vote. They are listed on the CPSC website.

MEMBER BENEFITS

BENEFIT	GOLD MEMBER	REGULAR MEMBER	PARTNER
Advocacy on behalf of the industry to resolve market access, transportation, and crop protection issues	X	X	X
Real-time updates on market access and transportation issues impacting the industry	X	X	X
Access to CPSC Trade Rules and Arbitration services at a discounted rate	X	X	X
Access to join Pulse Canada's Science and Technical Industry Program (STIP) for an additional contribution per committee.	X	X	X
Advocacy on behalf of the industry related to food regulations	X	X	X
Annual report on key results achieved by the CPSC in the areas of transportation, market access and market growth/innovation	X	X	X
Discounted registration rate for Pulse & Special Crops Convention	X	X	X
Technical support from Pulse Canada staff with expertise in pulse quality, processing, nutrition, health, sustainability, food regulations	X	X	X
Marketing of CPSC Member products to processors, manufacturers and foodservice operators at events, presentations or on the Pulse Canada website.	X	X	
Opportunity to provide guidance on CPSC activities	X		
Confidential, customized support for CPSC members and their customers	X		
One complimentary registration to annual Pulse & Special Crops Convention	X		

1. Membership Category

This application is hereby made for registration of (check option):

- CPSC Gold Member - Annual Membership Fee*: \$5,000 CAD Minimum
- CPSC Regular Member - Annual Membership Fee*: \$1,500 CAD
- CPSC Partner - Annual Membership Fee*: \$1,500 CAD
- Affiliated Organization - Annual Membership Fee*: \$200

*Membership fees are in Canadian funds and are subject to applicable taxes. All Members and Partners are encouraged to make additional contributions toward CPSC projects and initiatives.

2. Particulars of Applicant

Business Name:

President/Vice-President:

Head Office Address:

City: _____

Province/State: _____

Postal/Zip Code: _____

Country: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Website: _____

3. Designated Representative to the CPSC

Name: _____

Position: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Province/State: _____

Postal/Zip Code: _____

Country: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

4. Privacy Policy and Use of Information

The CPSC is committed to protecting personal information provided by all Members and Partners. By submitting this application, you are providing us with consent to use the information to better understand your interest in our products and services, and to inform you about those that may interest you, among other purposes.

When you submit this application, your contact information is used primarily to communicate with you about the services and activities of the CPSC. Your contact information will also be used to notify you about events such as the Pulse & Special Crops Convention. You may opt out of these communications at any time by contacting the CPSC office. Your name, email address and mailing address will also appear on the CPSC website and membership listing. Your personal information is never released to third parties.

5. References

All companies applying for the CPSC Member category must submit two written reference letters from current CPSC Members (Gold or Regular) in support of their application.

6. Undertakings of Application

We hereby declare that:

a) _____, the person named herein as our designated representative and whose signature appears below, is duly authorized to represent us as a Member of the CSCA, and to exercise any voting privileges attached to our membership classification at CPSC Member meetings, and his/her authority shall continue until such time as you receive and acknowledge receipt of notice of our revocation of such authority.

Signature of designated representative: _____

Date: _____

b) We have read and fully understand the CPSC Code of Conduct and agree to abide by all expectations and conduct regulations.

Signature of designated representative: _____

Date: _____

c) The statements made in this application are true in substance and in fact:

Signature of designated representative: _____

Date: _____

7. Products and Services

a) Please circle or highlight the pulse and special crops products and/or services your company offers:

Products Supplied:

Beans (all types)
Bean Ingredients (e.g. flours, fractions)
Buckwheat
Canary Seed
Chickpeas
Chickpea Ingredients (e.g. flours, fractions)
Coloured Beans
Faba Beans
Feed Peas
Green Peas
Green Lentils
Kidney Beans
Lentils (all types)
Lentil Ingredients (e.g. flours, fractions)
Mustard
Peas (all types)
Pea Ingredients (e.g. flours, fractions)
Red Lentils
Sunflower
White Beans
Yellow Peas

Services Provided:

Affiliate
Agency
Broker
Cleaning & Handling
Exporter
Financial Services
Grower Commodity Association
Importer
Inspection/Verification/Testing
Logistics
Manufacturing
Market Analysis
Ocean Freight
Packaging
Port
Processor

b) Please explain why you wish to join the CPSC: