

# MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Application is hereby made by:

(Firm or Individual) \_\_\_\_\_

(Address) \_\_\_\_\_

(Phone/Fax) \_\_\_\_\_

for ACTIVE/ASSOCIATE membership in the **Texas Cotton Association**, and if elected to membership I/WE hereby agree to subscribe, abide by, and be subject to the Constitution, By-Laws, Rules and Regulations of same, now in force, or which maybe hereafter adopted; and in accordance therewith to pay, when called upon, all dues, fees and assessments which may be levied against the membership. I understand that failure to pay any of such indebtedness shall terminate the membership, but will not release any of such indebtedness.

1. I/WE, as applicant, AM/ARE CORPORATION/PARTNERSHIP/INDIVIDUAL.

2. (a) State fully the nature of business in which engaged:

(b) Are you actively engaged in the business of buying or selling cotton in Texas or Oklahoma? YES/NO

(c) Do you handle any cotton in your own name? YES/NO

3. State your experience in the cotton industry, including firms with whom you have been associated, functions performed, reasons for leaving and references to be contacted regarding experience: \_\_\_\_\_

4. (a) Give partners/officers & their former connections:

(b) Are they all citizens of the U.S.? YES/NO

5. (a) Have you ever filed for re-organization under any chapter proceedings of the Federal Bankruptcy Act? YES/NO

(b) If so, give the status of each proceeding:

(c) Are there any unpaid past due claims or claims in controversy not outstanding against you? YES/NO

(d) If so, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

6. (a) Name of bank: \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Name of bank officer: \_\_\_\_\_

(Authorized to discuss you financial ability to engage in cotton business.)

7. **ENDORSEMENTS:** (Principals of Active firms, being personally acquainted with the applicant, and knowing them to be of good reputation for membership. *Three signatures are required if engaged in the cotton business in Texas or Oklahoma for more than one year - Five, if not.*)

1) \_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_

3) \_\_\_\_\_

4) \_\_\_\_\_

5) \_\_\_\_\_

8. **I, the undersigned, declare the above to be true and correct.**

**SIGNED:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_