**Organisational Motion: Timeline for downgrading 2018 membership**

Signatory: IFLRY Bureau

Considering that

* At the next GA, we will possibly adopt a new membership structure, including associate, rather than candidate membership;
* The introduction of associate membership includes rather substantial changes for the IFLRY membership system, including considerations on rights and obligations;
* According to the membership fee statutes, membership changes can only be accepted in the year preceding the financial year;
* Therefore, although adopting the membership reform before 2018, MOs would not be able to consider this new option for the 2018 financial year.

Believing that

* All MO’s should have sufficient time to properly consider their status within IFLRY, given the proposed changes, including the 2018 financial year.

Calls for

* The IFLRY membership to accept applications for downgrading of the membership for 2018 at the Spring General Assembly latest, as a once-off measure for the membership changes to settle.