12.2.8 Words imparting the masculine gender and singular number shall respectively include feminine gender and plural number and vice versa.

13.0 <u>MEMBERSHIP:</u>
Any person who fulfils the following conditions and agree to abide by and strive for attainment of the aims and objects of the KARUNA TRUST (R) could be admitted as the member of the Trust.

- 13.1 Should be above 18 years in age.
- 13.2 Should not be one who is incapacitated by law to enter into contractual obligations.
 - 13.3 Should be a wearer of Khadi or one agreeable to become a wearer of Khadi on admission to membership.
 - 13.4 Should be one willing to work for the attainment of the objects of the Trust.
 - 13.5 Persons desirous of becoming members of the Trust shall fill and sign the application form prescribed for the purpose and pay the amount prescribed for the category of membership applied for as specified below submit the from to the Secretary of the Trust; the Secretary shall place the same before the Managing Committee whose decision on admission of members shall be final.
 - 14.0 There shall be three types of members of the Trust:
 - 14.1 Patron Members: Any person who is having belief in the aims and objects of the KARUNA TRUST (R) and willing to serve in the field and contribute a sum of Rs.2,000/- or more or donates property worth Rs.2,000/- or more to the KARUNA TRUST (R) shall be called as a patron member.
 - 14.2 Life Members: Any person or body dedicated to constructive work and who is having belief in the aims and objects of the KARUNA TRUST (R) and contribute Rs.1,000/- or more in cash or digite property worth Rs.1,000/- or more shall be called as life member.
 - 14.3 Ordinary Members: Artisans or individuals who are engaged in the field of Khadi and Village Industries and who have faith in the aims and objects of the KARUNA TRUST (R) on payment of Rs.5/-as entrance fee and Rs.20/- as annual subscription shall be called as an Ordinary Members.