
AIMS

- a) To propound and advance Rationalism, which is defined as the attitude of mind which unreservedly accepts the supremacy of reason, and aims at establishing a system of philosophy and ethics independent of all arbitrary assumptions or authority.
- b) To stimulate freedom of thought.
- c) To promote inquiry into religious and other superstitious beliefs and practices.
- d) To encourage interest in science, criticism, history and philosophy, as connected factors in a progressive human culture, independent of theological creeds and dogmas.
- e) To promote the fullest possible use of science for human welfare.
- f) To promote a secular and ethical system of education.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Membership includes 12 months' subscription to the respected *Australian Rationalist* journal, a monthly newsletter and discounted admission to Rationalist Society functions, *plus* the comfort of knowing you are part of an international movement to defend the legacy of the Enlightenment and further the cause of free thought.

I hereby apply for membership of the Rationalist Society of Australia and affirm that I agree with the aims of the Society as set out above.

Signed _____ Date _____

Name _____

Address _____

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(As you may imagine, contact via email is much easier and cheaper, so please let us know your email address if you have one. We will never share this with any other person or organisation. Please print clearly.)

Source of contact with the Society _____

Annual membership fee (from 30th April 2009)

\$35 Single membership
 \$50 Couples membership
 \$ Plus a donation? (many thanks)

\$25 Single concession _____
 \$40 Couples concession _____

Student/pension no:

Send a cheque or money order to: The Secretary, PO Box 1312, HAWKS BURN, Vic. 3142

OR

Transfer funds electronically to: Rationalist Society of Australia, BSB 063-001 Account 0080 0062

being sure to cite your name as reference and to email us proof of payment.