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MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION for 2015

SECTION A: Personal Information

Full Name _____ Gender: M ___ F ___

Company/University Name _____

Mailing Address (indicate if this is your home or work address) Work ___ Home ___

City _____ Postal Code _____ Country _____

Work Phone No. _____ Home Phone No. _____ Fax Number _____

Email _____

SECTION B: Membership category

- 1. Regular member \$90.00
- 2. Fellow member (A Fellow is an awarded status.) \$90.00
- 3. Post-Doctoral Fellowship holder \$45.00
- 4. Student member *(Signature of academic supervisor: _____) \$10.00
- 5. Emeritus member (retired) \$30.00
- 6. Fellow Emeritus member (A Fellow is an awarded status.) \$00.00

* Student members are students studying Soil Science at a Canadian University, or Canadian students studying Soil Science abroad.

SECTION C: Subscriptions

Subscriptions to: Canadian Journals of Animal Science (CJAS), Plant Science (CJPS), and Soil Science (CJSS)
Please circle the subscription(s) you want to purchase.

	Print			Print and Electronic			Electronic		
	CJAS	CJAS	CJAS	CJAS	CJPS	CJSS	CJAS	CJPS	CJSS
AB, MB, PE, QC, SK, NT, NU, YT	\$53.55	\$53.55	\$53.55	\$60.90	\$60.90	\$60.90	\$47.25	\$47.25	\$47.25
NB, NL, ON	\$57.63	\$57.63	\$57.63	\$65.54	\$65.54	\$65.54	\$50.85	\$50.85	\$50.85
PE	\$58.14	\$58.14	\$58.14	\$66.12	\$66.12	\$66.12	\$51.30	\$51.30	\$51.30
NS	\$58.65	\$58.65	\$58.65	\$66.70	\$66.70	\$66.70	\$51.75	\$51.75	\$51.75
Outside Canada	\$53.00	\$53.00	\$53.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$59.00	\$45.00	\$45.00	\$45.00

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Donations to CSSS are most welcome (itemized as charitable donation on receipt): _____

(Please make cheque payable to *Canadian Society of Soil Science* and return with this form.) **TOTAL DUE:** _____

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SECTION D: Professional Information

Highest degree obtained:

- High school Diploma B.Sc. M.Sc. Ph.D.

Primary Employer:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Federal Government | <input type="checkbox"/> Provincial/Local Government | <input type="checkbox"/> Institute, Association, Foundation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> University | <input type="checkbox"/> Community/University College | <input type="checkbox"/> Farmer, Grower, Rancher |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Industry, Business | <input type="checkbox"/> Consultant | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (incl. retired) |

Activities:

- Research Extension Teaching Other

Other memberships:

- SSSA CGU P.Ag. P.Eng. Other: _____

Age group:

- under 25 26-30 31-35 36-40 41-45 46-50 51-55 56-65 66-75 over 75

1. Why are you a member of the Canadian Society of Soil Science?

2. How better can the Society help address your professional needs?

PRIVACY NOTICE:

CSSS maintains a confidential membership list for the sole purpose of communicating with our members. We do not sell or lend this information for any purpose. By providing your contact information, you are agreeing to receive information from CSSS. If you have purchased one of the subscriptions on this form, you have agreed that we pass your required contact information to the supplier.



We need your input about CJAS/CJPS/CJSS

On September 16, 2014 the AIC Board informed the Presidents of the Scientific Societies (CSSL, CSA, CASS, CSWS, CSH) and the Editors-in-Chief of the CJSS, CJPS, CJAS that they had entered into an agreement with Canadian Science Publishers (formerly NRC Press) for the sale of the journals. The Scientific Societies were not consulted on the sale and were not informed of the conditions of the sale. Since that time the Canadian Science Publishing has chosen not to proceed with its offer.

The AIC Board has indicated that it wishes to divest itself of science publishing and will be seeking a buyer for the three journals. It is AIC's position that these journals are the sole property of AIC and the only role the Scientific Societies played was to volunteer their time to assist with editorial work with the journal, reviewing of manuscripts and submission of manuscripts to the journal. It is AIC's position that this volunteer activity gives the Societies no ownership stake in the journals.

In September we, the Scientific Societies, were taken by surprise by this development. We anticipate that now that the Canadian Science Publishers offer has been withdrawn, AIC will be seeking another buyer. AIC has not indicated that they will be consulting with the Scientific Societies in this process. We wish to poll the Society membership as to how they feel the Societies should precede in this matter.

The Scientific Societies have several options:

1. We accept that AIC owns the journals and we unconditionally commit our Societies continued affiliation with the journals following their sale.
2. We accept that AIC owns the journals and we decide as Societies whether we wish to have our Societies continue their affiliation with the journals following their sale.
3. We contest AIC's claim of ownership of the journals.
4. We abandon the current journals and start our own journals under different names.

As part of option 2 the Societies may be able to negotiate monetary and/or non-monetary benefits to the Societies with the new publisher in return for Society endorsement and involvement in editorial and reviewer duties.

1. Do you feel that the CJSS/CJPS/CJAS is an integral part of the Society?

- Yes No No opinion

2. What roles have you played in the Journal? Check all that apply:

- Editor Associate Editor Reviewer Author Co-author Subscriber

3. Do you feel the Society should contest the ownership of the Journal?

- Yes No No opinion

4. If the Societies are not able to negotiate an ownership stake in the Journal, do you think the Society should have conditional affiliation, unconditional affiliation, or no affiliation with the journal?

- Conditional Affiliation* Unconditional Affiliation No affiliation

*If you chose "Conditional Affiliation", explain briefly:

5. If the Society no longer has affiliation with the Journal, do you think we should start a new journal under a different name?

- Yes No No opinion

6. Your comments: