



香港旅遊業議會
**TRAVEL INDUSTRY COUNCIL
OF HONG KONG**
Incorporated with limited liability

DIRECTIVE

Issue Date: 26th November 1997

Ref: BOD59/20/11/97

***Re: Franking machines and levy stickers
Resolution No.59***

According to the Travel Agents (Amendment) Ordinance 1993 and the Articles of Association of TIC, it is both a legal requirement and a member's obligation for a travel agent to contribute to the Travel Industry Compensation Fund by way of levy in respect of each and every outbound package tour fare received.

With a view to facilitating and enforcing compliance of the levy franking regulations, the Board of Directors of TIC resolved that installation of franking machines shall be mandatory for all licensed member agents. The levy stickers will be abolished and the franking machine shall be the only legal tool for levy collection.

Any member who fails to install a franking machine by **20th January 1998** or continue to use levy stickers on any receipt which is dated 21st January 1998 or after shall be considered as having violated this directive. Such member will be subject to penalties which may lead to termination of membership as stipulated in Article 11(3)(a) & (b) of the Articles of Association of TIC.

This directive supersedes Resolution No. 15 (ref no: BOD9/01/15/90). The unused levy stickers can be refunded at the TIC Executive office.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
TRAVEL INDUSTRY COUNCIL OF HONG KONG

Joseph Tung
Executive Director

IMPORTANT