

Association of Resource Companies, Ship Operators, Ports & Terminals

Housekeeping

- Muster Point in case of an emergency evacuation is Langley Park located down Hill Street
- Bathrooms are located on the Mezzanine Level behind the lifts.

Welcome 5th In-Person Meeting

- Hosted in Perth this year, voted by members.
- Attendance has grown from 50 in 2022 to 130 registered attendees in 2026.
- A full day of industry updates, safety shares and panel discussions

2026 ARCSOPT

IN-PERSON MEMBERSHIP MEETING

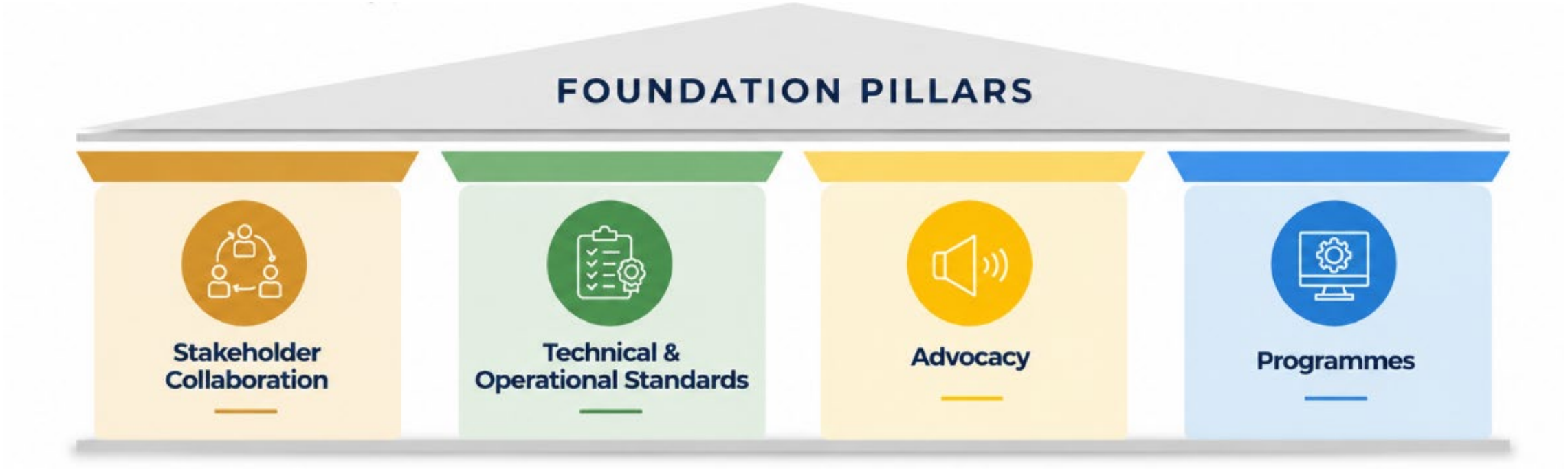
Thursday, 22 October 2026 | Perth, Western Australia

08:30–08:55	**Registrations**
09:00–09:10	**ARCSOPT Committee** | General update
09:15–09:45	**AMSA** | Port State Control trends & compliance update
09:50–10:10	**Intercargo** | Industry Update & Latest Initiatives
10:15–10:30	**DNV Maritime** | Rules and Regulations driving safety in ship-shore interaction
10:30–11:00	**MORNING TEA**
11:05–11:40	**Subgroup Panel** Pilbara Ports Authority, DBCT, RIO TINTO & Anglo Eastern. Chair: Intercargo
11:45–12:00	**Alpha Bulkers** | AI-supported crew assessment and familiarisation program
12:05–12:20	**OSM Thome** | Gangway and combination ladder fall prevention
12:20–13:20	**LUNCH BREAK**
13:25–13:55	**Associates Panel** Rightship, MER Solutions & Propel. Chair: Savio Fernandes
14:00–14:15	**Terminal Subgroup** | Safe Access to Vessels
14:20–14:30	**DSR** | Mooring Rope Reliability - From hidden damage to traceable decisions
14:30–15:00	**AFTERNOON TEA**
15:05–15:15	**Lloyd's Register** | Alternative Fuel Bunkering: Industry Developments
15:20–15:30	**ARCSOPT Focus Areas for the Next 12 Months**
15:30	**Meeting Closed**

ARCSOPT Purpose

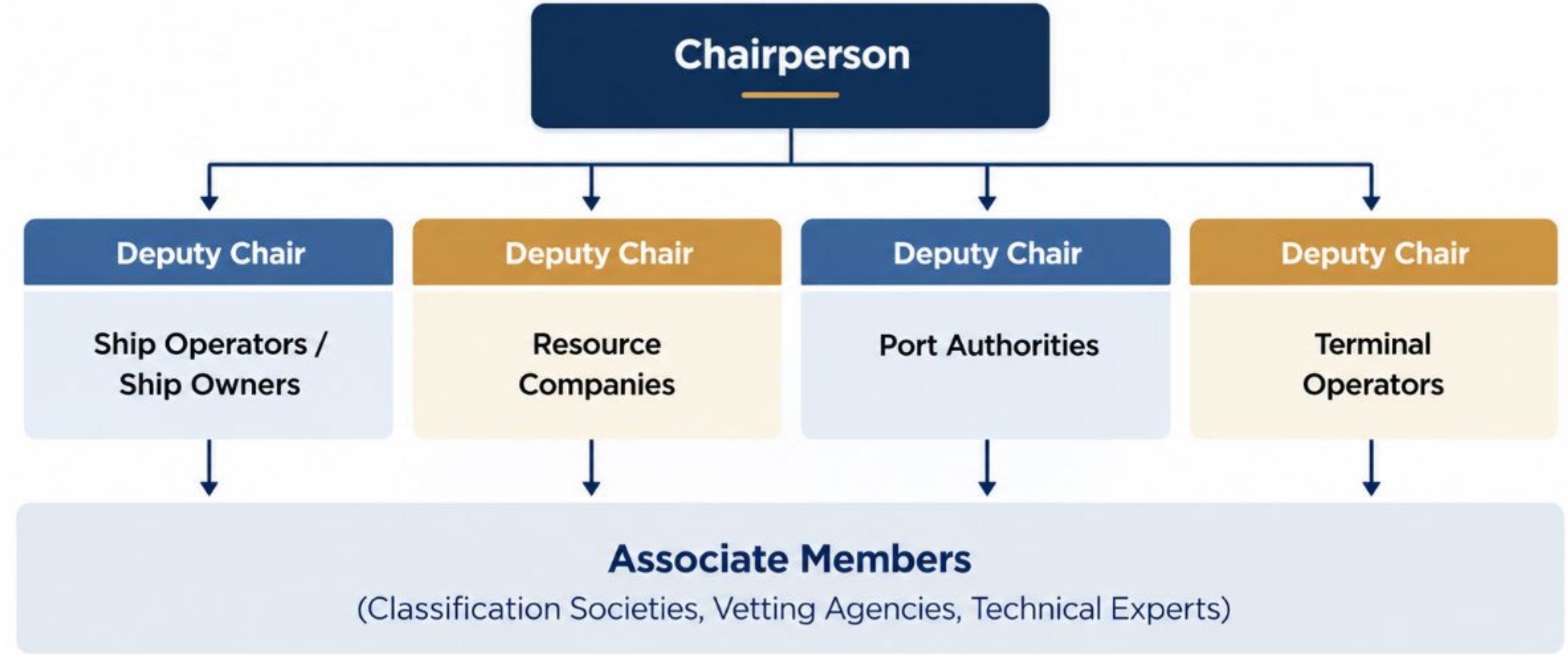
Promote **operational excellence** within the bulk and container sector of the International Maritime industry with regards to key areas of concern and improvement areas.

The philosophy is built upon promoting consistency of approach and mutual benefit for all with the four (4) key pillars of:



ARCSOPT Structure

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ARCSOPT Committee

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International Ship Operators

ANGLO-EASTERN

NYK LINE
NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA

TMS

SYNERGY GROUP

Australian Port Authorities

PORT AUTHORITY OF NEW SOUTH WALES

Flinders Ports

PILBARA PORTS AUTHORITY

Vacant position

Australian Terminals

DALRYMPLE BAY COAL TERMINAL PTY LTD

PKCT
PORT KEMBLA COAL TERMINAL

Abbot Point Operations

WICET
WIGGINS ISLAND COAL EXPORT TERMINAL

Australian Resource Companies

HANCOCK IRON ORE

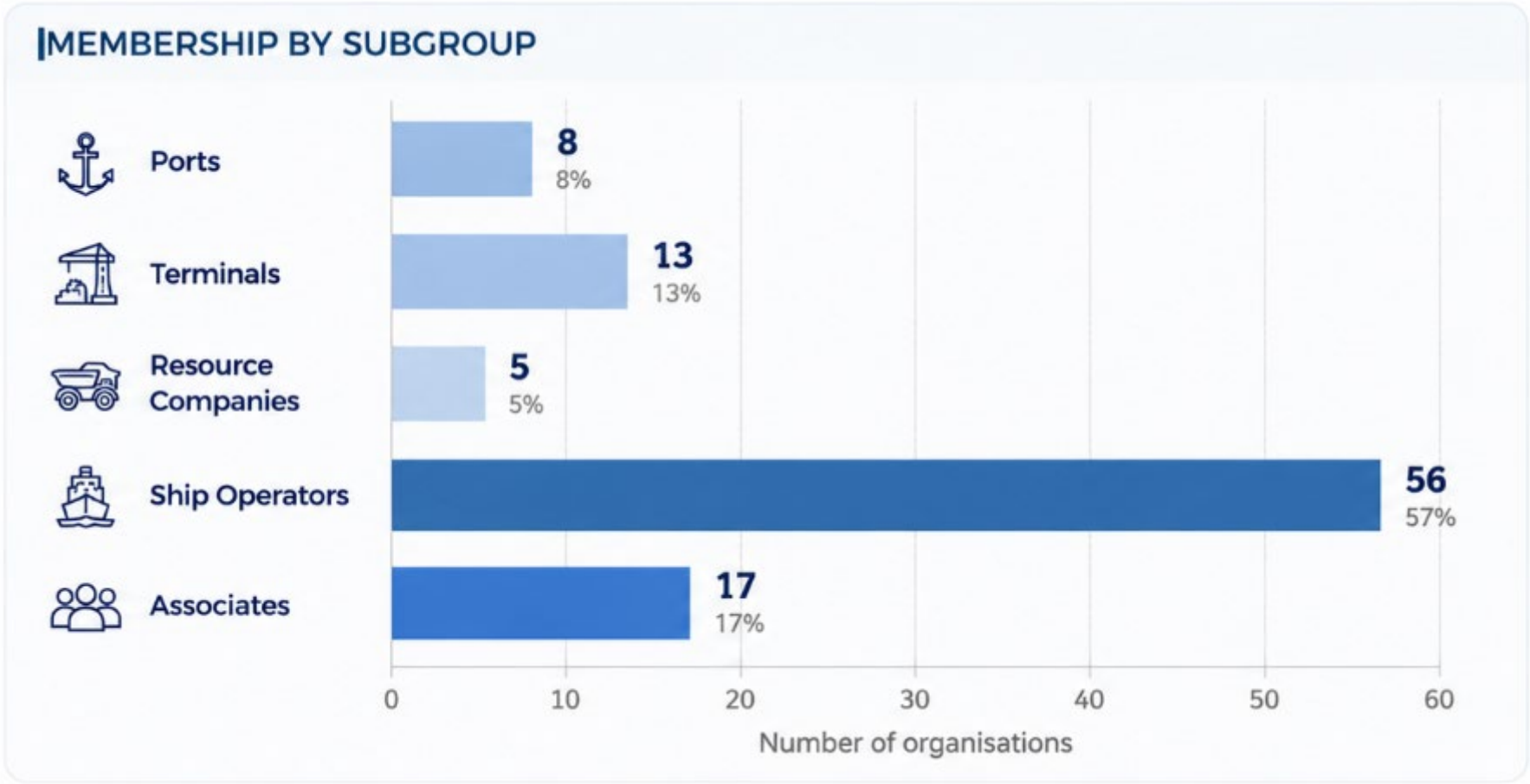
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BHP

RioTinto

Membership Overview

ARCSOPT currently has 99 participating organisations, representing over 300 industry representatives.



Associate Members

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- Associate member status are appropriately qualified and experienced organisations within the Maritime Industry.
- Vetting Agencies, Technical Experts, Classification Societies & Flag State

MER SOLUTIONS
RIGHTSHIP
PROPEL MARINE
QualShips
AmSpec
INTERCARGO
International Association of Dry Cargo Shipowners
Wilhelmsen
DSR
DNV
ClassNK
CHARTING THE FUTURE
LIBERIAN REGISTRY
BOLUDA TOWAGE
BLUE VISBY SOLUTION
INTERNATIONAL REGISTRIES
BEN LINE
LR

ARCSOPT Meetings

Regular meetings focused on technical proposals / guidelines, general updates, and safety sharing.

PREVIOUS MEETINGS

	Date	Meeting Type
	10 December 2025	Committee
	05 March 2026	Committee & Membership
	19 August 2026	Committee
	29 August 2026	Committee
	22 October 2026	Annual In-Person Meeting

Meeting Resources

All meeting minutes and presentations are available for download via the ARCSOPT Website.

ARCSOPT Website >

Membership Survey & Funding Framework

- The Committee reviewed the membership survey results, seeking feedback on ARCSOPT's future structure, direction and preferred funding model.

- **90%** of respondents supported establishing a more formal and permanent structure for ARCSOPT.
- **65%** of respondents supported a combined funding model incorporating increased annual membership fees and industry contributions.

- The framework comprises two primary funding sources:
  - Annual Membership Fees
  - Industry Contributions



COMMITTEE ENDORSEMENT

The Committee **endorsed** the proposed combined funding framework.

Executive Administrator Position

- Since its establishment in August 2022, ARCSOPT has operated through in-kind support and financial contributions from its membership. As ARCSOPT's membership and industry presence continue to grow, reliance on in-kind support for core administrative and governance functions is no longer sustainable.

- The Executive Administrator position will support the Association's ongoing administration, governance and delivery of services to members.

- The role will be funded through annual membership fees, with the existing fee structure considered sufficient to support the position on an ongoing basis, subject to annual review.



COMMITTEE ENDORSEMENT

The Committee **endorsed** the formal establishment and funding of the Executive Administrator position.

FY2026-27 Membership Fees

- ARCSOPT membership fees are reviewed annually to ensure sufficient funding for the Association's ongoing administration, operations and governance requirements.

- As ARCSOPT continues to grow, maintaining a sustainable fee structure is essential to supporting its ongoing activities and future development.

- A modest increase in annual membership fees was proposed for FY2026–27 to reflect rising operating costs while ensuring fees remain reasonable and sustainable.

Category	2025 – 2026 Fee (USD)	Increase	2026 – 2027 Fee (USD)
Member	USD 385	3.9%	**USD 400**
Associate Member	USD 285	5.3%	**USD 300**

COMMITTEE ENDORSEMENT

The Committee **endorsed** the proposed membership fee increase for FY2026–27.

2026 In-Person Meeting

- Membership fees fully cover the 2026 In-Person Meeting expenses.
- Total cost: **$11,840.00.**
- This amount includes venue hire, audiovisual equipment, and catering.
- The 2026 In-Person Meeting invoice is fully paid and reconciled.

Novotel Perth Langley
221 Adelaide Terrace
Perth, WA, 6000, Australia
ABN 97 001 092 842
Email: casey.mikus@accor.com

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AUSTRALIA

Invoice Date 19/10/2026
Invoice # 636259
Arrival Date 22/10/2026
Room Ballroom South
PO

Date	Charge Description	QTY	Price	Debit	Credit
29/05/2026	*Advanced Payment*				$ 2,300.00
23/09/2026	*Advanced Payment*				$ 4,600.00
14/10/2026	*Advanced Payment*				$ 4,940.00
CONFERENCING & EVENTS					
22/10/2026	Day Delegate Package	120	$ 94.00	$ 11,280.00	
	AV - lectern microphone	1	$ 220.00	$ 220.00	
	AV - Handheld Microphones	2	$ 170.00	$ 340.00	
			Total:	$ 11,840.00	$ 11,840.00

Total charges (AUD) *$11,840.00*
Total INCLUSIVE GST (AUD) *$1,076.36*
Total NETT amount (AUD) *$10,763.64*

FINAL DEPOSIT Total due by: 13/10/2026 $0.00
Please refer to deposit schedule in event contract for more information

If paying by EFT, please use payment reference: # 636259

Account: QP Management Pty Ltd T/A Novotel Langley Hotel
Bank: NAB
BSB: 082 057
ACC: 846203821
Swift Code: NATAAU3302X

Annual Financial Report and Summary

- Accountant engaged to prepare the Financial Report for the year ending 30 June 2026.
- Annual Summary of Financial Affairs submitted to NSW Fair Trading.

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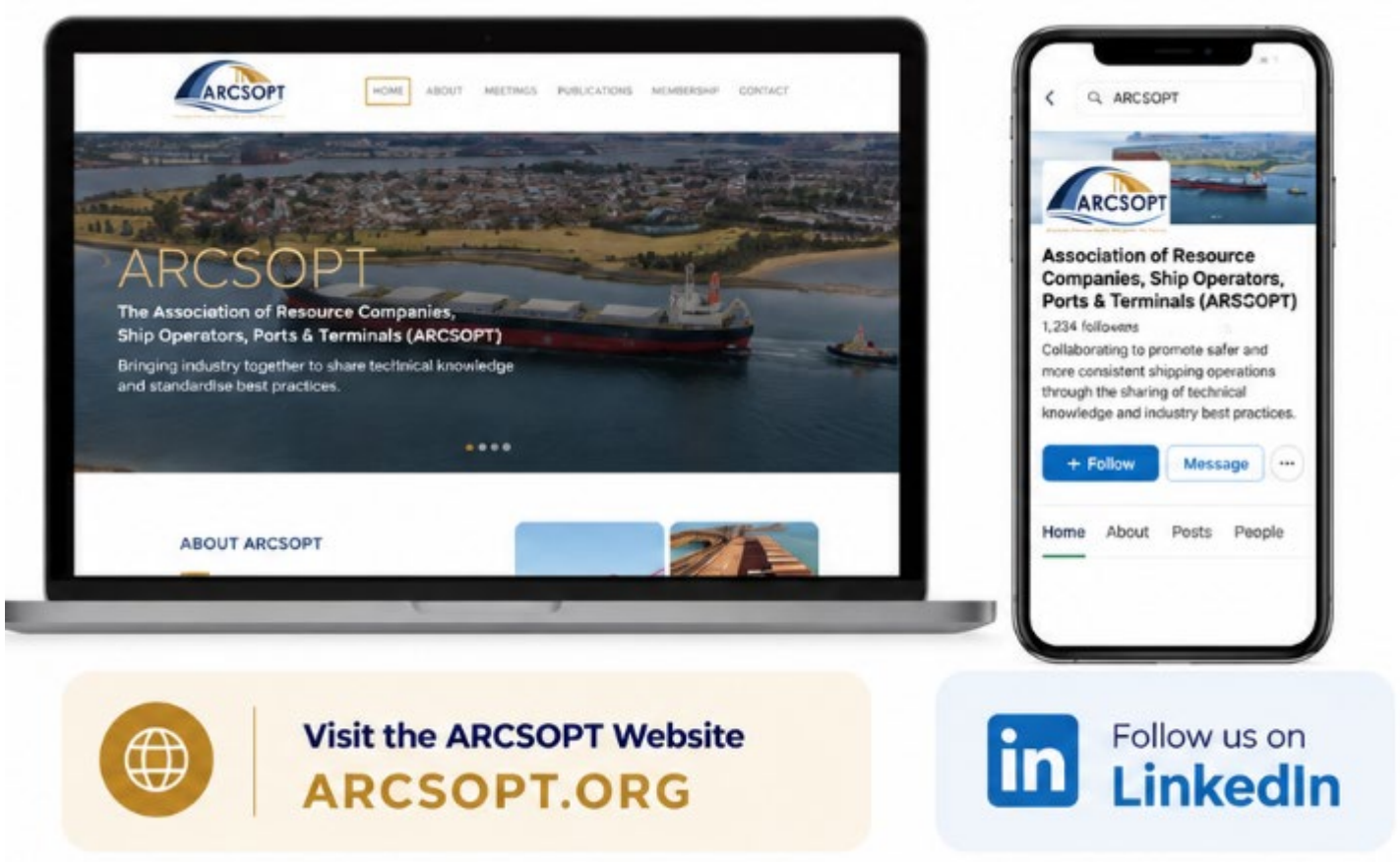
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BALANCE SHEET
AS AT 30 JUNE 2026

	Note	2026 $	2025 $
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash at bank		24,652.33	10,983.99
Trade receivables		-	2,143.47
Prepayments		2,300.00	4,103.78
		26,952.33	17,231.24
TOTAL ASSETS		26,952.33	17,231.24
NET ASSETS		**26,952.33**	**17,231.24**
EQUITY			
Retained Profits		26,952.33	17,231.24
TOTAL EQUITY		**26,952.33**	**17,231.24**

ARCSOPT Website & LinkedIn

- Central location for all meeting minutes, presentations, and technical documents.
- Hosts Terms of Reference, Committee Structure and Committee Members
- Technical Proposals under review and endorse Technical Guidelines.
- Stay updated via our LinkedIn page for announcements and new publications.



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