



Please return this form, with appropriate remittance, to:

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APPLICATION FOR A NODA LONG SERVICE AWARD

Please read this form carefully before completion and COMPLETE IN BLOCK CAPITALS

Name of Society applying for the Award

Recipient's full name (state Mr/Mrs etc.)

Date of Committee Resolution agreeing to this Application

The Application is for the following Award (tick as appropriate):

Ten year badge male	<input type="checkbox"/>	Thirty year silver bar	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ten year badge female	<input type="checkbox"/>	Thirty five year silver bar	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fifteen year badge	<input type="checkbox"/>	Forty year silver bar	<input type="checkbox"/>
Twenty year badge	<input type="checkbox"/>	Forty five year silver bar	<input type="checkbox"/>
25 year Long Service Medal	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fifty year Gold bar, ribbon and Certificate	<input type="checkbox"/>
Certificate also required	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fifty year medal (complete set) and Certificate	<input type="checkbox"/>
25 year badge(available to 25 year medal holders only)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sixty year gold bar with diamond	<input type="checkbox"/>

If the recipient is already the holder of an Award or Awards, please indicate what the most recent Award was and give the date of its presentation

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Details of Service

If the recipient already holds an Award, only give details of active service since the date of the last Award:

A Services to the Applicant Society above:					B Services to any other Society or organisation *:				
From		To		Office, Position, Duty or other Service	From		To		Office, Position, Duty or other Service
Month	Year	Month	Year		Month	Year	Month	Year	

* The 'other' organisations need not be affiliated to NODA but the service to them must be vouched for in proper detail by two responsible officers of such 'other' organisation.

It is hereby certified that NO remuneration other than refund of actual accountable expenses has been paid to the nominee for the services described.

Date of submission of application:

Proposed date of presentation:

SIGNATURE OF SOCIETY The Application should be signed by the Chairman and Secretary or, if this is not possible, by other responsible officers of the Society - the nominee may NOT be one of the signatories.

(Signed):

(Signed):

Office in Society:

Office in Society:

ATTESTATION OF RECIPIENT I confirm that the above details are true statements of fact and that I have not received any remuneration other than refund of actual accountable expenses for the services described, and I believe my application meets the qualification requirements detailed overleaf.

Signature of Recipient

(Recipient's signature may be added after presentation, if preferred) **Please see over/**

NATIONAL OPERATIC AND DRAMATIC ASSOCIATION

LONG SERVICE AWARDS

The following Awards are available :-

Ten year badge # Fifteen year badge # Twenty year badge #Twenty five year badge (available to twenty five year medal holders only) # The Long Service Medal, on blue ribbon, for twenty five years of service. A Certificate is also available, but not separately, at an extra charge.

Silver bars, worn on the ribbon of the above Medal, each one signifying a further five years of service

(i.e. 30, 35, 40 and 45 years).

A fifth bar, in gold, worn with the above Medal on a replacement maroon ribbon, signifying fifty years of service (silver bars should not be worn as well). # The fifty year medal is also available as a complete set (i.e. Maroon ribbon, medal and bar ready made up) A complimentary Certificate is also issued.

Finally a sixth bar, in gold, with diamond inset, signifying sixty years of service.

These badges, medals and bars are awarded for active service given to the amateur theatre. The Awards are intended for those who, week after week, attend rehearsals or spend many hours on backstage or administrative work, and whose services are essential/indispensable to putting on shows. 'Occasional' service, e.g. just for a show week itself, does not qualify and generalised descriptions of duties such as backstage, f.o.h., programmes, tickets, committee, officer or helper are insufficient. The grant of Life Membership of a Society is NOT a qualification for a NODA Award, nor is any status which can be achieved by merely paying a subscription - such as 'Patron', 'Associate' or 'Hon. Member'. Receipt of any remuneration - but not refund of actual accountable expenses - disqualifies, and for this purpose remuneration includes gifts above a nominal value : payment for services to the amateur theatre other than to the sponsoring societies however does not preclude the person from being given an Award.

Any activity before the age of eleven does NOT qualify for consideration for NODA Medals. However a Junior Award Certificate is now available, please see separate form.

These application forms have to be checked against official records and authorised by the appropriate NODA official - please therefore allow at least six weeks before the presentation date.

THE LATEST CHARGES FOR BADGES, MEDALS, CERTIFICATES & BARS ARE DETAILED IN THE NODA NATIONAL NEWS. If in doubt please telephone the Association's Headquarters on (0207) 837 5655 between 9.30am and 4.30pm Monday to Friday. The correct remittance must accompany each Application Form : if an Award is not granted the remittance will be refunded.

SECOND-HAND AWARDS : If a badge, medal or bar is no longer required by its holder, a transfer to another eligible person is permissible but the exchange should be registered with NODA as if a new Award was being issued. Complete the form but write 'Award already held' where appropriate.

THE NODA COMMENDATION AWARD Those who do not qualify for one of the above-named Awards may be entitled to wear the NODA COMMENDATION AWARD, especially if they are in receipt of a remuneration or do not serve amateur theatre on a weekly basis. Further details and a special Application Form may be obtained from the address overleaf.

ADDRESS TO WHICH AWARDS SHOULD BE SENT WHEN READY FOR DESPATCH :-

Name
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Address
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..... Postcode... .. Tel.....

For Official use only

Examined, approved for area AWARD SECRETARY

DATE.....