

**UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE**

**EDUCATION ACT 1994**

**REQUEST TO OPT OUT OF MEMBERSHIP OF A UNIVERSITY STUDENTS' UNION**

The University Ordinance for the University of Cambridge Students' Union sets out the procedure by which a student may opt out of membership. This right may be exercised by any student who is a member of the Union. The Union will make its services available to students who choose formally not to be members, and it is a condition of University funding of the Union that this should be so. Nevertheless, a student who opts out of membership is not regarded as being represented by the Union in relations with the University, nor is the student eligible to stand as a candidate or to vote in Union elections. A person who resigns membership, and who holds office in the Union, or membership of a committee or other body of the Union, shall thereby vacate it.

Notice of a student's wish to opt out of membership must be given on this form, which should be returned to:

**The Registry, University Offices, The Old Schools, Trinity Lane,  
Cambridge, CB2 1TN**

The form can also be returned as a signed scan or photograph by email to:

**registry@admin.cam.ac.uk**

A decision to opt out takes effect for the remainder of the academic year in question (i.e. to 30 September next following).

I am a member of the University of Cambridge Students' Union and wish to exercise my right to opt out of membership of the Union for the remainder of the academic year. I understand that my rights to be represented by the Union and to participate in Union affairs are affected by this decision.

Full name: .....

College .....

Signature: .....

Date: .....