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GENERAL INFORMATION: Gives a broad outline of the organisation, including its purpose, principles, location and area of work.



300 MEMBERS



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THE MEMBERSHIP: Describes who can be a member, how to become a member, and what the rights and responsibilities of members are.



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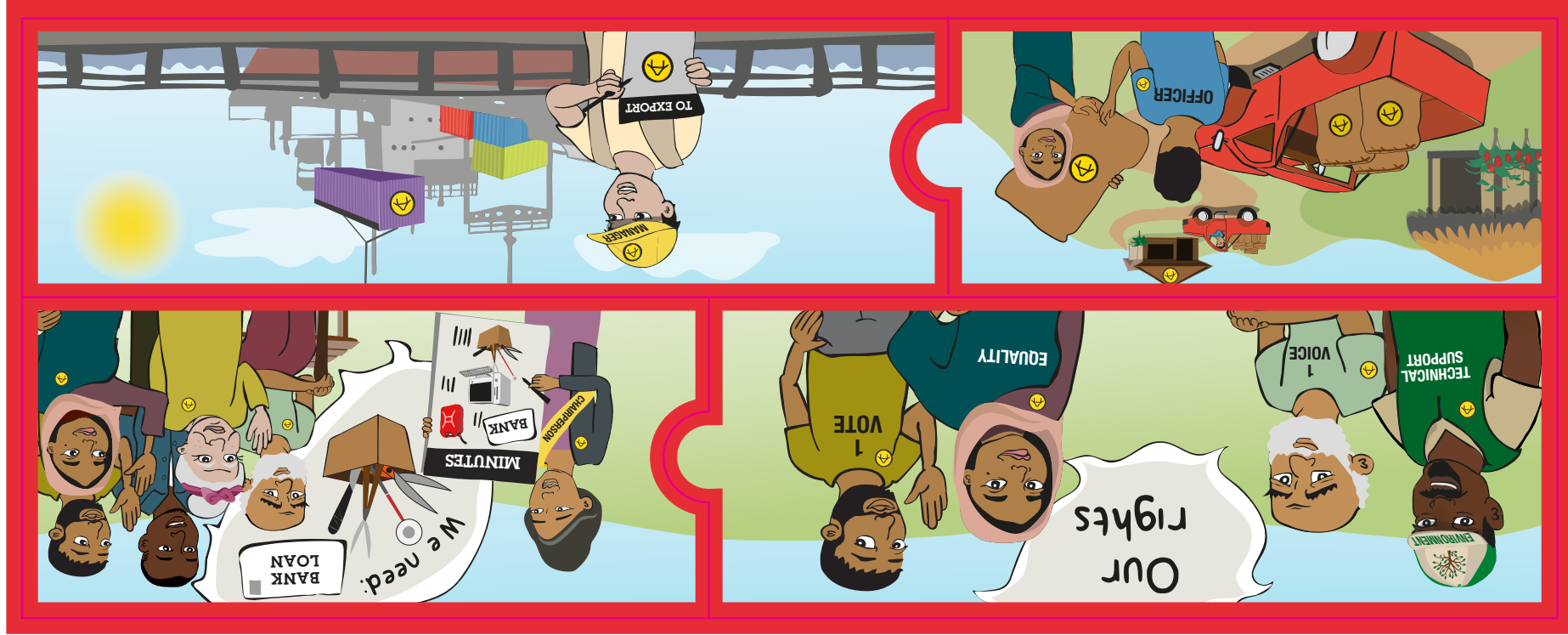
OBJECTIVES OF THE ORGANISATION: Describes the general activities of the organisation and its business, including services to members, which are carried out in order to fulfil the organisation's purpose.



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MEETINGS: Describes how to prepare and hold meetings, including the notice period, the expected participants, and how often the meetings should occur.





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INCOME GENERATION AND ACCOUNTS: Describes how the organisation will make money and keep record of accounts, in order to be accountable and transparent.



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GOVERNANCE BODIES: Describes who oversees and implements the organisation's activities, and how governance bodies will interact with each other.



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DECISION MAKING: Describes the voting rights of the organisation's members and its governance bodies, and the requirements to validly sit, deliberate and vote.



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DISSOLUTION AND DISPUTES: Describes the steps to solve any disputes between the members and/or governance bodies. It also describes what is required in the case that dissolution is necessary.

