The Sober Living Network – San Diego COALITION MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS

Internet Referral Listings at: <u>www.soberhousing.net</u> Six day a week sober living referral service 1-800-799-2084

DO NOT MAIL ANYTHING UNTIL INSTRUCTED TO DO SO

Call **Glenn 951-219-8021** for an inspection appointment **AFTER you complete:** The Owner/Operator training, member application, all other required paperwork, and meet all other member requirements.

If you don't pass the inspection, you will be required to pay a **\$35.00 Re-inspection fee each time the inspector must come out**

Network membership **demonstrates** that your Sober Living Home is a sober environment, healthy, safe, well managed and ethical. The **Sober Living Network is a membership association for quality Sober Living homes.** Once all membership requirements have been met, you will be accepted as a full member of the Network. Your home will be placed on the Quality Sober Living Home Referral 800 number, and provided with a listing on the Approved Housing Referral pages on the Sober Living Network website. An Approved Certification will be made sent to you.

These are the membership requirements:

- 1. Complete the membership application and review the membership requirements. Complete the application with the following attachments:
 - A signed copy of the Code of Ethics, signed by owners and managers.
 - The endorsement page of your liability insurance coverage. \$500,000 minimum.
 - A copy of brochure (information sheet), guest agreement, rules and policies.
 - Copies of owners and managers training certificates.
- 2. Prepare the **\$200 application fee payable to The Sober Living Network.** Add \$100 for each additional home.
- 3. Prepare your home for inspection by reviewing the Pre-Inspection Instructions and Inspection Check List. Preparation is essential to avoid a follow up visit. (You will be charged \$35 for each re-inspection.)
- 4. Call an inspector to set up an appointment for inspection.
- 5. The inspector will prepare a summary sheet with comments for any improvements.
- 6. While your membership is being processed, this may take 30 60 days or longer if you are not prepared.

Sober living homes do not provide services covered under the State Department of Alcohol and Drug Programs (ADP) alcohol & drug facility licensing requirements as stated in Chapter 5, Title 9, California Code of Regulations, and Subchapter 1: Purpose and Definitions. The following are relevant excerpts from current State law: ... *No person ... shall operate a facility which provides 24-hour nonmedical, residential, alcoholism or drug abuse recovery or treatment services to adults without first obtaining a license from the Department of Alcohol & Drug Programs (ADP). (CA Code of Regulations §10505) "Alcoholism or Drug Abuse Recovery or Treatment Service" means a service which is designed to promote treatment and maintain recovery from alcohol and drug problems which includes one or more of the following: detoxification, group sessions, individual sessions, educational sessions, and/or alcoholism or drug abuse recovery or treatment planning. (CCR §10501 (5))*