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Dear Subscriber

New membership arrangements for PENG and BAPEN

We apologise for the delay in membership arrangements for this year and are pleased to inform you that this has now been completed.. The PEN Group membership fee for 2008 will be **£20**, a reduction of £5.00. We have reduced this rate in order to encourage you to join BAPEN at the same time.

BAPEN membership fee for 2008 is a special rate of **£15** for individuals who join a core group as well. For individuals who do not wish to join a core group eg PENG, BAPEN membership will be **£35.00** per year. There is now a distinction between affiliate and full members of BAPEN. If you do not wish to join BAPEN as a full member, you will still be classed as an affiliate member but not have the advantages and benefits of being a full member.

We hope you will see there is an advantage in joining PENG and BAPEN. (please see *Benefits of joining BAPEN* – attached).

If you wish to join BAPEN as well as PENG, please fill in the membership form enclosed and forward with the cheque to Mrs J Beeston, Dietetic and Nutrition Services, Bassetlaw Hospital, Worksop S81 0BD and we will ensure you are entered on the BAPEN database.

Yours sincerely

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