Organisations

UNIONS

are independent organisation that represents their members and protects their RIGHTS

contract checking
pay & hours
legal situations
health & safety

MUSICIAN'S UNION (MU)

represents MUSICIANS and workers in the music industry

musician
composer
conductor
teacher
record producer
session musician

BROADCASTING ENTERTAINMENT CINEMATOGRAPH & THEATRE UNION

represents those in MEDIA, BROADCASING and ENTERTAINMENT

roadie
DJ
live sound technician
journalist

EQUITY

represents PERFORMERS and creative PRACTIONERS

broadcaster
musician
singer
actor

AGENCIES

provides a service on BEHALF of an artist

MCPS
MECHANICAL COPYRIGHT PROTECTION SOCIETY

collects money when music is REPRODUCED physically or ACCESSED digitally

online streaming
film/tv use
radio use
CD manufacturing
vinyl sales

PRS
PERFORMING RIGHTS SOCIETY

collects money when live or recorded music is played in PUBLIC SPACES

concert halls
pubs
cafes
arenas
bars

PPL
PHONOGRAPHIC PERFORMANCE LTD

licenses the right to play RECORDED MUSIC and MUSIC VIDEOS in public

restaurants
shops
clubs
stadiums

TRADE BODIES

are organisations founded and funded by businesses with SIMILAR INTERESTS to promote collaboration, provide training and advertise their trade

ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSIONAL RECORDING SERVICES

represents those in the AUDIO INDUSTRY

mastering engineer
record producer
sound engineer
manufacturer
live sound technician
lighting technician

MUSIC PRODUCERS GUILD

represents those in MUSIC PRODUCTION (i.e. studio)

record producer
sound engineer
mastering engineer
software programmer
studio manager

PROFESSIONAL LIGHTING AND SOUND ASSOCIATION

represents those who provide services at ENTERTAINMENT EVENTS

studio manager
DJ
lighting designer
roadie
sound designer