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Validators: Incentives, Not Status

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1. Guiding Principle

Being a validator on BLG24 does not grant status, privilege, or decision-making power over the network. A validator is exclusively a technical operator who keeps the chain's infrastructure running in exchange for a clear, predictable economic compensation. There are no hierarchies, no inner circles, no preferential access to information or decisions. The model rests on four pillars:

Incentives

Participation as a validator is rewarded through commission on delegated transactions and a performance bonus — never through the issuance of new tokens, since the network has permanent 0% inflation.

No status

Being a validator is not a title or a social position within the project. It does not imply special access to Victor, the team, or any decision-making.

No privileges

All validators operate under the same technical and economic rules, without exceptions, without special conditions negotiated case by case.

No control

A validator has no authority over the chain's development, its identity parameters (supply, denom, chain ID), or the treasury. Its function is exclusively technical: signing blocks.

No speculation

The validator role is not presented, nor should it be understood, as a speculative investment opportunity. It is an infrastructure function compensated for the real work of keeping the network operational and secure.

2. How Staking Works on BLG24

Staking on BLG24 uses Cosmos SDK's native, non-custodial mechanism (delegation). This means that neither Victor, nor the network, nor any validator can touch, move, or dispose of delegated tokens — they remain under the exclusive control of the delegator at all times, unless they choose to begin the undelegation process.

Mechanism	Native Cosmos SDK delegation (non-custodial)
Staking token (bond denom)	ug24

Unbonding period	3 years (94,608,000 seconds) — changed on-chain via governance (proposal #2, passed on 08/18/2026)
Validator commission	10% (configured maximum cap: 20%; maximum daily change: 1%)
Source of rewards	Commission on delegation + performance bonus from the treasury. Never new issuance (0% inflation)

3. Performance Incentives

In addition to the standard commission, a weekly bonus of 50 G24 is designed (pending full activation for external validators), paid from the treasury to validators that maintain an uptime threshold of 98% or higher, measured over a 100-block window via the chain's slashing module.

This bonus is a reward for verifiable on-chain infrastructure work (consistently signing blocks), not a promise of return or an investment product.

4. Technical Requirements

- Own server with stable connectivity and continuous (24/7) availability.
- Correct configuration of the BLG24 node (Cosmos SDK v0.50.13) following the network's technical documentation.
- Maintaining the required uptime to access the performance bonus; repeated failure to do so may result in slashing under standard Cosmos SDK rules.
- Responsible management of validator keys (operator and consensus) — loss or compromise of these keys is the operator's sole responsibility.

5. Risks and Responsibilities

- The validator is responsible for the security of their own infrastructure and keys.
- The 3-year unbonding period means that, once delegated, funds cannot be withdrawn or transferred immediately.
- The performance bonus is not guaranteed in perpetuity; it depends on treasury fund availability and may be adjusted.
- Becoming a validator grants no rights over BLG24's governance, development, or ownership beyond the standard governance vote that comes with holding delegated tokens.

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