ELECTION NOTICE

Several enquiries/complaints are being received by the 'Election Committee' for omitting mentioning "Doctor" and/or "PT" on the addresses of some of the members, non-receipt of ballot papers, ballot papers to wrong address, state ballot not received, inappropriate language being used in canvassing by the members and by the contesting candidates, breaching of Model Code of Conduct, unfair IAP Election 2020-23, unopposed candidates to a particular post are deemed elected, using their status and supporting other candidates and also some humiliating others on social media and influencing members for voting purposes etc etc. The "Election Committee" place on record that proper election procedure has been adopted as per Rule 5.2 of the Bye-laws and that of other provisions. The function of the Election Committee has been defined. As required registered postal Ballot Papers had been circulated as per the electoral roll received from the IAP. The other guidelines so provided under the bye-laws have also been complied with. Therefore, ballot papers have been circulated as per the addresses so provided in the electoral roll. It may be made clear that once a ballot paper is received back undelivered the same shall not be posted again. However, all members and contesting candidates have equal right for canvassing, solicit votes subject to limitations as applicable.

An unopposed candidate cannot be deemed to be declared elected till the election results are declared and announced. Esteemed members and the contesting candidates are requested not to indulge into unnecessary, and uncalled for messages and mails and also not burden the record of Election Committee. Whenever necessary, on receipt of a complaint, named lawyer is consulted by the Election Committee.

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