ALL INDIA DIFFICULT AIRWAY ASSOCIATION

Election of office bearers and members of the Executive committee for 2023-2025.
Members are hereby informed that the following Executive committee Office–bearers and members will retire after the Annual General Body Meeting to be held during NAC 2023.

1. **President:**
   Dr Pankaj Kundra

2. **Vice President**
   Dr Rakesh Garg

3. **General Secretary**
   Dr Apeksh Patwa

4. **Treasurer**
   Dr Amit Shah

5. **Executive Committee Members**
   Dr Sohan Solanki
   Dr Sarbari Swaika

6. **Zonal Members**
   South Zone: Dr Sripada Mehandale
   West Zone: Dr Jeson Doctor
   Central Zone: Vacant Post
   East Zone: Vacant Post

For the year 2023-2025, Elections will be held for the following office bearers and elected members of the executive committee and hence nominations are invited for them.

1. **President elect** (One Post)
2. **Vice President** (One Post)
3. **General Secretary** (One Post)
4. **Treasurer** (One Post)
5. **Executive Committee members** (2 Posts)
6. **Zonal Members** (4 posts – One each from East, Central, West and South zone)
Eligibility

1. For the post of President, Vice-Presidents and Gen. Secretary, the candidate should have been elected and not nominated for 4 (four) years as follows:
   i. On the National Executive Committee for a minimum of 2 (two) terms i.e. total 4 (four) years in the National Executive Committee or
   ii. 1 (one) term of 2 (two) years in National Executive Committee and 2 (two) years as office bearer in the City Branch Executive Committee, the 2 terms not running concurrently.
   iii. For re-eligibility to contest election for any post on the National Executive Committee the candidate must have attended at least 2 (two) out of the last 4 (four) Executive Committee Meetings held in both year of his/her previous term. In case of such absence the member shall not be eligible to contest elections for one term (i.e. two years) and can contest after this period is over.

2. No member shall be eligible to seek election for more than 2 tenures each as Vice-President, Gen. Secretary, Treasurer, or Elected Member of the Executive Committee.

3. Candidates elected for post of vice president and above cannot contest for any post other than that of President. Any EC member cannot hold any post for more than 2 terms. (For the purpose of this clause, Executive committee Zonal members and Executive Committee members are treated as the same post.)
   a. For all other positions other than President, Vice Presidents and Gen. Secretary, membership of the society for at least 5 years is mandatory (as on 31st July 2023, i.e. membership on or before 31st July, 2018)
   b. The outgoing President cannot stand for any other post after his tenure, except for the post of Editor of the society Journal.

The nomination form (attached) must be completed with the candidate’s name, address, AIDAA membership number and the office for which the candidate is nominated, proposed by one valid life member and seconded by another valid life member, and duly signed by the candidate, signifying his/her willingness to stand for the election and to serve on the Executive Committee if elected. There shall be a separate nomination form for each candidate, and for each post. For every post, the nomination form must be accompanied by a sum of Rs.10,000/- (Rupees Ten thousand only) from a candidate, by electronic transfer
   \[\text{NEFT Details – Account No 50200029010991}\]
   Customer ID - 112752283
   IFSC Code: HDFC0004012
   Every nomination must be submitted in the prescribed form, duly filled and signed, and complete in all respects. Send a soft copy of the filled nomination form, NEFT
Transaction reference number, brief bio data of the candidate (not exceeding 200 words) and one photograph by email to the Chief Election Officer Dr. Sheila Myatra at the email id aidaa.aidaa2010@gmail.com no later than 31st July 2023 by 5.00 pm.

A list of valid nominations received will be declared on 5th August 2023. Withdrawal of nominations is permitted till 8th August 2023, 5pm by email only. Withdrawal notice may be sent to the Chief Election Officer at aidaa.aidaa2010@gmail.com before 8th August 2023, till 5pm.

Online election will be held, if necessary, during third or fourth week of August. Election results will be declared in AIDAA Executive committee meeting followed by the Annual General Body Meeting during NAC 2023.

Please note that only AIDAA Life Members (on or before 31st December 2022) are eligible to vote (Associate life members and those who became life members after December 31, 2022 are not eligible to vote).

Prof. Sheila Myatra
Chief Election officer
AIDAA

DEADLINES OF ELECTON PROCEDURE

- Last date to receive the nomination (by email) at AIDAA office: 31st July 2023 by 5.00 pm
- Declaration of eligible candidates 5th August 2023
- Last date for withdrawal: 8th August 2023 till 5 pm by email only
- Election will be conducted online between third & fourth week of August 2023.
- Result will be declared in AIDAA Executive committee meeting followed by the Annual General Body Meeting.