

# **ANNOUNCEMENT**

## **ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS/EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF NUTRITION SOCIETY OF INDIA FOR THE YEAR APRIL 2020 – MARCH 2022**

The elections of the Office Bearers as well as the Executive Committee of the Nutrition Society of India for the term April 2020 to March 2022 to be conducted at the next Annual General Body Meeting of the Society scheduled for 8<sup>th</sup> November 2019 during forthcoming 51<sup>st</sup> Annual National Conference of the Society to be held at Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala.

Keeping in view the Rules and Byelaws of the Society, the schedule for conducting elections for the Executive Committee of the Society is given below by approval of the President:

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| Release of Notification for nominations for EC | : | <b>8<sup>th</sup> June 2019</b>      |
| Last Date for Submission of Nominations        | : | <b>8<sup>th</sup> August 2019</b>    |
| Last Date for Withdrawal of Nominations        | : | <b>8<sup>th</sup> September 2019</b> |
| Scrutiny of Nominations                        | : | <b>20<sup>th</sup> October 2019</b>  |
| Conduct of Elections/Announcement of Elections | : | <b>8<sup>th</sup> November 2019</b>  |

The nominations for the following posts are invited from the eligible members so as to reach **The Secretary, Nutrition Society of India, National Institute of Nutrition, Jamai-Osmania PO, Near Tarnaka X Roads, Hyderabad-500 007, on/or before 8<sup>th</sup> August 2019:**

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| President                   | - | One post  |
| Vice-President              | - | Two Posts<br>(of which one should be from the Headquarters) |
| Secretary                   | - | One Post (from the Headquarters)                            |
| Joint Secretary             | - | One Post  |
| Treasurer                   | - | One Post  |
| Executive Committee Members | - | 13 Posts  |

The nominations should include the written consent of the nominee.

The election criteria as per the Bye-Laws of the Society is given below:

- The last date for receiving nominations shall be 3 months before the General Body is scheduled to conduct elections. The last date for withdrawal of nominations shall be 2 months before the General Body is scheduled to conduct elections.
- The nomination forms bearing the name of the nominee and the post being nominated for, duly proposed and seconded by eligible members of the Society along with the consent letter of the nominee indicating his/her willingness to accept the office, if elected, shall be received by the Secretary.
- Any ordinary or life member of the Society is eligible to contest for the election, to propose or second a nomination. However, for being nominated as well as to propose/second, the member should have been on the rolls of the Society at least for three years prior to the year of election and should have no arrears of subscription including that for the current year.

- No member of the Society is eligible to file nomination for more than one post in the Executive Committee or to propose or to second more than one nominee for the same post.
- Scrutiny of the nominations shall be done by the Secretary in consultation with the Executive Committee.
- Election, if necessary, shall be conducted during the General Body Meeting.
- The President of the General Body Meeting shall conduct the election during the General Body Meeting.
- Election shall be by secret ballot. All members (Life or Ordinary) present at the General Body Meeting shall be entitled to vote, provided that the member is on rolls for at least one year and has no arrears of subscription including that for the current year.
- x) The President shall declare the results of the election at the General Body Meeting.

**The proforma of the nomination form is attached below:**

