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Election of Office Bearers of the Governing Body for 2019-2020 Members are hereby informed that the following persons will retire in February, 2019.

- **President**
  Dr. Pritam Gupta, New Delhi

- **One Vice-President**
  Dr. B.B. Rewary, New Delhi

- **Hon. General Secretary**
  Dr. Mangesh Tiwaskar, Mumbai

- **Four Governing Body Members**
  Dr. Agam C. Vora, Mumbai
  Dr. Shibendu Ghosh, Hooghly
  Dr. J.L. Punglia, Chittorgarh
  Dr. R. Rajasekar, Kumbakonam

Dr. Pritam Gupta will remain in the Governing Body as Past President for one year.

Therefore, election for the following office bearers, elected members of the Governing Body for 2019-2020 will be held and nominations are hereby invited for them.

1. **One President-Elect**
2. **One Vice-President**
3. **One Hon. General Secretary**
4. **Four Elected Members**

Nominations shall be made on prescribed forms stating the office for which nominations are filled. The nomination shall be proposed by one valid member and seconded by another valid member and duly signed by them and shall also be signed by the candidate signifying his/her willingness to stand for election and serve on the Governing Body if elected. Separate nominations must be submitted for each post.

Every member is supplied with a nomination form. The nomination form completed in all respects should reach the API Office not later than 31st May, 2018, along with a passport size photograph. For every post on the Governing Body, the nomination must be accompanied by a sum of Rs. 2,500/- + 18% CGST / IGST = Rs. 2,950/- (Rupees Two thousand nine hundred fifty only) in favour of “The Association of Physicians of India” in the form of Demand Draft payable at Mumbai. The nomination paper NOT accompanied by the Bank Draft of Rs. 2,950/- will be deemed invalid. The fees for nomination is not refundable.

**Rules Relating to Qualification for Election to Governing Body.**

1. **President Elect:** To contest for the post of President Elect, the candidate should be a life member of API for at least 10 years and have completed at least two full terms of 3 years each in any elected position in the Governing Body.

2. **Vice President & Hon. General Secretary:** To contest for the post of Vice President, & Hon. General Secretary the candidate should be a life member of API for at least 5 years and should have completed at least one continuous full term of 3 years in any elected position in the Governing Body.

3. **To contest for**
   - The candidate’s designation shall not be permitted.
   - Canvassing in any form or in favour of the candidate shall not be permitted.
   - **THE CANDIDATE WILL HAVE TO CERTIFY AND SIGN THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN HIS / HER BIODATA IS CORRECT.**

   The results will be declared at the end of counting of votes and announced in the subsequent issue of JAPI. The report will be placed before the Governing Body for intimation.

Dr. Mangesh Tiwaskar
Hon. General Secretary

**DEADLINES OF ELECTION PROCEDURE**

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