

NOTICE

25.11.2020

Dear Members,

An Order dated 16.10.2020 was received from the Supervisor, Ministry of Education to IIA for conduct of the IIA Elections by E-voting as per existing Bylaws. Accordingly, an urgent online meeting of the IIA Council was convened on 21.10.2020 in which the Election Schedule was finalized and announced. As of now, nominations for all the positions have been received and scrutinized by the scrutineers duly appointed by the IIA Council. However, in the meantime, Ar. Shamit Manchanda, Ar. Punit Sethi and certain other members of the Institute have chosen to make certain representations to the said Supervisor, questioning various aspects on the conduct of Elections which were already duly addressed by the scrutineers to the Supervisor from time to time.

Whereas the Election process is underway and the final scrutiny of nominations was in process, it has come to our notice through the Supervisor's communication, that Ar. Rajiv Biala has recently filed a case before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi against the Union of India and wherein, surprisingly, IIA is not even made a party and the same is listed on 03.12.2020.

In view of the above, the Supervisor has unilaterally advised us to put the process of Elections on hold in view of the matter before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi. IIA is taking up the matter with the said Supervisor and other appropriate Forums to continue the Elections as per schedule. However, in view of the aforesaid communication from the Ministry Official, the publishing of the final list of Eligible Candidates for all elections is deferred until further notice.

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