

INDIAN ORTHODONTIC SOCIETY (Regd. as 75 of 1992, Vellore) ELECTION NOTIFICATION 2025

Date:04/08/2025

Notification is hereby given for elections to the following posts of the executive committee, Indian Orthodontic Society.

The election is to be held during the 59th Indian Orthodontic conference at Hotel Radisson Blue Resort, Vizag on the Saturday, 29th of November 2025. The election process will start with commencement of the AGM at 9 am.

- 1. One President elect (2025-26)
- 2. One Vice President (2025-26)
- 3. One Hon. Secretary (2025-28)
- 4. One Joint Secretary (2025-28)
- 5. One Hon. Treasurer (2025-28)
- 6. One Editor JIOS (2025-28)
- 7. Twenty-Five EC members (2025-2026)

Eligibility Criteria

For Posts 1-6, the requirement to be fulfilled shall be of being an elected member of the Executive Committee for a minimum period of three years, which should have been completed before the year of the Election with attendance criteria in each year and other eligibility criteria as detailed in Article 22(b)(i) IOS Constitution 2024.

(The attendance details of previously elected office bearers/EC members are available on www.iosweb.net in the directory section.)

For Post 7. Executive Committee Member – A member who has attended any three IndianOrthodontic Society Annual General Body Meetings.

For first time EC nominations, conference attendance certificate should be attached with the nomination form for validity. (This is mandatory). This is not necessary for those who have served on the EC before.

These criteria should be fulfilled by all candidates on the pre-announced day on which all applications received by the Head Office are subjected to scrutiny by the Scrutinizing Committee (SC). The nomination of a candidate, who does not satisfy the qualification norms, will automatically be declared invalid by the SC.

Submission of Nomination forms.

The nomination forms for all the posts are available in the forms /downloads section on the official website www.iosweb.net.

Nominations in the prescribed format only will be accepted and all information needed should be duly filled.

Duly completed nomination form should be mailed to the Hon. Secretary by Speed post / Registered post. Envelope should be superscribed as "IOS ANNUAL ELECTIONS 2025" and should reach the undersigned latest by 05.00 PM IST, 03/09/2025. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered. Kindly email the same for reference to secretary@iosweb.net with subject heading IOS Election nominations 2025.

The list of received nominations will be published on the official website and on the IOS Facebook page after the last date for receiving nominations.

Once the scrutinizing committee has verified the applications, the list of valid nominations will be published.

Last date for withdrawal of nominations will be 10 days from the publication of valid nominations.

No withdrawal will be allowed after the specified date and on the day of the election.

Candidates please note

- 1. The candidate, proposer and seconder should be an IOS life member in good standing.
- 2. The candidate shall be physically present at the time of election in the General Body Meeting.
- 3. From the time of publication of valid nominations on the Society's website, candidates shall be given ten days for withdrawal of their candidature if they desire to do so. A candidate may file nominations for multiple posts, but, is eligible to contest for one post only. A candidate who has filed valid nominations for multiple posts and has not withdrawn the candidature for all except one of them before the last date of withdrawal shall be deemed to be disqualified from all posts.
- 4. Floor nominations will be called only for posts that have not received any valid nominations.

Although the 59th AGM is to be held physically, life members of good standing who pre-register for the AGM may vote remotely / electronically / online as per article 22 c of the IOS constitution.

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