

## **ELECTIONS OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COMOS INDIA FOR 2023-2026**

**Report of Election Process & Announcement of Election Results  
on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2023 at Dr. MCR HRD Institute of Telangana, Hyderabad, at 13:30 PM - 14:00PM**

**Good Afternoon**

**to all the Executive Committee of COMOS India  
and all the other Members**

At the outset, let me convey my best wishes & good health to all of you & your families.

I am happy to see and meet all of you at Dr. MCR HRD Institute of Telangana, Hyderabad during the AGM.

All of you know that I have been appointed as Returning Officer this year for the Elections of Executive Committee of COMOS India for 2023-2026, by the Executive Committee of COMOS, and Kalpana Raghavendra has been appointed as the Election Officer for the Elections.

As Returning Officer, I want to share the following details of the Election Process held during elections.

A separate email ID [icomosindia.election2023@gmail.com](mailto:icomosindia.election2023@gmail.com) has been created for conducting the elections, which is accessed by the Returning Officer and the Election Officer to communicate and to attend any queries related to the election process by the members.

- Executive Committee of COMOS, announced the Election Schedule on 26<sup>th</sup> April 2023 by appointing Returning Officer and Election Officer for the Elections on the same day.
- On 27<sup>th</sup> April 2023, circulated the Notice for Election & Election Schedule and AGM. Notice along with Voters List through email and also same had been kept on the Elections Section of Website of COMOS India.
- On 28<sup>th</sup> April 2023, the Nomination Form for the candidates was circulated by email as well kept on the Website asking the contesting members to send the filled Nomination Forms by 18.05.2023. We have received all the Nomination Forms as per the schedule given to the candidates for the Posts of EC Committee of COMOS, India. After reviewing all the received nomination list from 28<sup>th</sup> April–19<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 (as declared in the schedule), the First List of Candidates was circulated to the members and kept on the website on 20.05.2023.
- From 21<sup>st</sup>–27<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 Filing of appeals/objections were taken and Disposal of appeals/objections were done from 28<sup>th</sup> May–3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2023.
- After the last date for withdrawal of nominations i.e. 4<sup>th</sup> June, 2023, the final list was prepared and circulated to the members & kept on the website on 5<sup>th</sup> June 2023 by Notifying of Procedure for e-voting by Returning Officer along with a small note introducing all the candidates with their objective / agendas were published on the website.

- On 8<sup>th</sup> June 2023: e-voting, started at 10.00 a.m. and voting process was ended on 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2023 at 18.00 p.m.

As all of you know, it was decided to conduct the AGM 2023 in hybrid mode on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2023, and venue of the AGM was Dr. MCR HRD Institute of Telangana, Hyderabad. In the AGM, the Annual Report, Audited Annual Accounts and the budget of the council by the Executive Committee along with the announcement of the Results of Elections is to be present.

The Elections have been conducted and went smoothly and today I am going to announce the Results of the Elections on this platform for the Executive Committee of ICOMOS India for 2023-2026, as per the guidelines of MoA which includes the following posts.

**The following Single Contestants were elected for the below mentioned Posts:**

<b>Name &amp; ID</b>	<b>Contested for the Regional Representative Post</b>
POONAM TRAMBADIA– 21688	West Zone
BIKRAMJIT CHAKRABORTY- IND 21854	East Zone
SMITA MAKHIJA - IND 15959	North Zone
SV SURYANARAYANA MURTHY GULLAPALLI - IND 21894	South Zone
ANURADHA CHATURVEDI - IND 37161	Central Zone
DILIP CHANGKAKOTY – IND 38720	North-East Zone

**For the Post of VICE PRESIDENT:**

SHALINI DASGUPTA - IND 21213

**For the Post of Secretary:**

Nitin Sinha - IND 21850

**For the Post of Treasurer:**

JANA DAS CHAUDHURI - IND 40706

**The following is the result for the Contested Candidates for the below mentioned Contested Post on the basis of the votes polled through E-voting for the candidates.**

**For the Post of PRESIDENT:**

1. RIMA HOOJA - IND 21936 98/144 (68%) (Elected)

2. GURMEET RAI - IND 21852 46/144 (32%)

Total voters were 167 out of which 23 voters have not voted.

I congratulate all the above members for getting elected for the Executive Committee of ICOMOS India for 2023-2026.

During the Elections as Returning Officer, I attended all the queries and clarified related to the election process raised by the members time to time.

The opinions, suggestions and appeals collected through the members will be submitted soon through a Report to the new Executive Committee of ICOMOS India for 2023-2024 for their consideration and implementation in the SoPG & MOA.

Once again thank the Executive Committee of COMOS India for appointing me as Returning Officer and other members who have supported me during the elections.

Xavier Benedict  
Returning Officer,  
COMOS India Elections 2023

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Xavier Benedict  
Returning Officer,  
COMOS India Elections 2023

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Kalpana Raghavendra  
Election Officer,  
COMOS India Elections 2023