



National Trust

(Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India)

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No.1/NAT/Board Elections 2009

New Delhi, 31st July 2009

To,

All Registered Organizations

As three year tenure period of Nine persons as Members of the Board from amongst organizations registered with the National Trust will expire on 9.12.2009 it will be necessary to fill the said vacancies.

NOW THEREFORE

In terms of Rule 3(2) and (3) of the National Trust for the Welfare of Persons with Autism , Cerebral Plasy , Mental Retardation and Multiple Disabilities Rules 2000, nominations are invited from amongst organizations registered with the Board under Section 12 of the National Trust Act, 1999 for filling the office of nine members representing the registered organizations.

1. In terms of sub-section (1) of section 4 of the National Trust Act, 1999 a member shall hold office for a term of three years from the date of his appointment or until his successor shall have been duly appointed whichever is longer. No members shall hold office after he has attained the age of 65 years. Sub-section(4) provides that before appointing any person as a member of Central Government shall satisfy itself that the person does not and will not have any such financial and other interest as is likely to affect member of the Board shall be a beneficiary of the Trust during the period such member holds office.
2. The nominations may be submitted to the Board in the annexed form of nomination (Form1) by registered post/speed post so as to reach the Trust's office latest by or before **5 PM on 14.9.2009** Nominations though dispatched before the said date and time by post but received subsequent to the said date and time will not be considered.

3. Shri.Rajnish Sharma, Deputy Director act as the Returning Officer and Shri.A.K.Pal, Assistant Legal Advisor act as Assistant Returning officer for election to the Board of the National Trust.
4. The nominations will be scrutinized by the Returning Officer to determine their validity. The returning office shall carry out the scrutiny of the nomination forms **15.09.2009 by 5 PM** and declare the list of valid nominations at **5 PM on 15.09.2009**.
5. After the list of valid nominations have been issued a candidate may, if he so wishes, withdraw his candidature in the annexed Form of Withdrawal (Form-4)
6. Where the total number of valid nominations received by the Board are nine in number no election will be held and the nine vacancies will be deemed to be filled up by those valid nominations in the appropriate categories.
7. Where the total number of valid nominations received by the Board is less than nine , the Board may make appointment by nomination to the given vacancy/vacancies in terms of Rule 3(5) ibid.
8. Where the total number of valid nominations received by the Board is more that nine, the Board shall hold elections by postal ballot for nine vacancies to the Board in terms of Rule 3(4) ibid.
9. In accordance with the provisions of sections 3(4) (b) of National Trust Act and Rule 3(3) of National Trust Rules, 2000 the nine vacancies to the Board shall be distributed amongst the registered organization in the following manner.
 - a) From voluntary organizations 3 vacancies
 - b) From association of patents of persons with autism, Cerebral Palsy, Mental Retardation and Multiple Disability 3 vacancies
 - c) From association of persons with disability (persons with disability has been defined in section 2(j) of National Trust Act) 3 vacancies

Distribution of the above vacancies shall be as follows:-

- a) From voluntary organizations
 - 1 working in the area of mental retardation
 - 1 working in the area of autism
 - 1 working in the area of cerebral palsy
- b) from association of parents
 - 1 working in the area of mental retardation
 - 1 working in the areas of autism
 - 1 working in the area of multiple disability
- c) from association of persons with disabilities
 - 1 working in the area of cerebral palsy
 - 2 working in the areas of multiple disabilities

10. Where Nomination is not received for any category representing registered organizations the Board may make appointment by nomination to the given vacancy as provided in Rule 3(5) of the National Trust, Rule 2000.
11. The list of Registered organization with the Trust as on 31.8.2009 shall constitute the electoral roll. An authenticated copy of the list of registered organizations as on 31-08-2009 will be available for inspection at the office of the National Trust upon prior request. The same can also be seen at www.thenationaltrust.in
12. The Schedule of Elections shall be as follows:-

S.No	Item of work	Time	Date
1	Date of issue of notice inviting nominations		31.07.2009
2	Last date for receipt of nominations	By 5 PM	14.09.2009
3	Date of Scrutiny of nominations	By 5 PM	15.09.2009
4	Date of issue of list of valid nominations	By 5 PM	15.09.2009
5	Last date for withdrawal of nominations	By 4 PM	23.09.2009
6	Date of issue /Publication of list of candidates subsequent to withdrawals	By 5.30 PM	23.09.2009
7	Last Date of dispatch of ballot papers by the returning officer to the registered organizations	By 5.30 PM	1.10.2009
8	Last date for receipt of ballot papers from registered organizations	By 5 PM	03.11.2009
9	Date of Opening of envelopes containing ballot papers and counting of votes	10 AM to 5 PM	04.11.2009
10	Date of Declaration of Result of elections by the Returning Officer	By 5.30PM	04.11.2009

13. All Registered organization to whom this invitation for sending nominations is being sent have to respond through the Chief functionary/President/Secretary or any Principal Officer as indicated by them.
14. Persons who are blind or physically impaired and cannot themselves participate in the elections may do so with the help of other persons who will affix their name and obtain their signature and address, preferably before Gezzetted Officer or Notary Public.

(Atu I Prasad)
Joint Secretary & Chief Executive Officer

NOMINATION FORM**(Election to the board of the National Trust -2009)****(Nominations Should be send by Post only)**

We hereby nominate as candidate for election to the Board of the National Trust-

Candidate Name:.....

S/o, D/o, W/o, H/o :.....

His/her Postal Address:.....

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Mobile No.

E-mail Address

Signature of Chief Functionary of the Organization

Name:

Designation:

Date:

Your Main working Area? (please tick one)
☐Autism ☐Cerebral Plasy ☐Mental Retardation ☐Multiple Disability

Name of the Organisation					
National Trust Registration No.					
Validity From			Validity To		
Telephone	STD Code				
Mobile No.of Head of Org.			e-mail Address		
Address of the Organisation					
District			State		

Which category your organization belongs? (please tick one)

☐ Voluntary Organisation ☐ Association of Parents ☐ Association of Persons with Disabilities

I,....., the candidate mentioned above assent to my nomination and hereby declare that-

- a) I have completed 18 years of age and am less than 65 years of age.
- b) I am nominated for this election by.....
registered organization working in the above mentioned area of disability.
- c) I am seeking a place on the Board of the National Trust from the category (a/b/c) mentioned in para 9 of your letter inviting nominations.
- d) That my name and my father's/mother's/ husband's name have been correctly spelt out above.
- e) That to the best of my knowledge and belief, I am qualified and not disqualified for being chosen as Member of the Board of the National Trust, as per section 6 of the National Trust Act, 1999.
- f) I do not have and will not have any financial and other interest in the National Trust as is likely to prejudicially affect my functions nor shall I be a beneficiary of the Trust during the period I hold office as member as per section (5) of the National Trust Act.

Dated:

(Signature of Candidate)

(Do not leave as blank else nomination will be rejected)

(To be filled by the Returning Officer)

S.No. of Nomination Paper.....

Received on.....

All nomination papers will be taken up for scrutiny on.....

Dated:.....

(Returning Officer)

FORM-4

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF CANDIDATE

(Election to the Board of the National Trust -2009)

(You can send the withdrawal of Application through e-mail, from the e-mail address recorded in the Nomination Form only)

To,

The Returning Officer
National Trust
16 B , Bada Bazar Marg
Old Rajinder Nagar
New Delhi- 100 060

I,....., a candidate validly nominated at the above election on behalf of..... a registered organization have its office at and working in the area of Do hereby give notice that I withdraw my candidature therefrom.

Signature of validly nominated Candidate

Address :.....
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Place:.....

Mobile No.....

Date:.....

E:mail Address.....

(Office Use only)

This notice was received on at..... AM/PM

Date:

Returning Officer