

Procedure for intake of Fellows and Members – REGULATIONS

I. Election: The Fellows and Members will be admitted by election as described below.

II. Direct Nomination for Fellows:

- (a) A Fellow who should preferably be from the same specialty to which the candidate belongs, shall propose a candidate. Members of the Council and of Credential Committee are not entitled to propose or second nomination for a Fellow.
- (b) A Fellow of any specialty shall second the proposal.
- (c) The Fellows nominating the candidate should certify from personal knowledge of the professional and scientific standing/achievements of the candidate and furnish other particulars as stated in the proforma prescribed for the purpose.
- (d) The completed nomination form along with requisite documents and reprints should reach the Secretary as per schedule decided by the Council. Late nominations will be considered for the next year.
- (e) The Secretary shall register every nomination and send acknowledgement to the proposer within 15 days with a copy marked to the candidate.
- (f) The candidate shall be Indian citizen or a person of Indian origin. Exceptionally a foreign national who may have done outstanding work in India or for India in his/her own country may be considered.
- (g) All communications on the subject of candidature shall be addressed to the proposer with a copy marked to the candidate.
- (h) The nomination will remain valid for 3 years. After that the person can be nominated afresh, in accordance with prescribed procedure.
- (i) The Secretary, after receiving these nominations, will prepare the list of proposals known as 'List I of proposals for Fellowship for the year _____ (year of nomination)'. This list should include those candidates who were not elected during one or two previous years.

III. Nominations for Fellows from elected Members of 8 year's standing:

- (a) An elected Member of the Academy, after completion of 8 years as Member, does not need a proposer or seconder. He is automatically eligible for nomination.
- (b) The secretary shall send intimation to all Members qualified as mentioned in (a) above and request them to send their bio-data and other documents as prescribed for the purpose (same form as in direct nomination), as per schedule decided by the Council.
- (c) The concerned Member, while sending bio-data and documents, may enclose recommendation from a Fellow, based on his personal knowledge about professional competence and other qualities. Such recommendation will be given due importance. The last date of receipt will be as per schedule decided by the Council. Late applications will be considered for the next year.
- (d) The nomination will remain valid for 3 years.
- (e) The Secretary shall register every nomination and send acknowledgement within 15 days. This should be sent to the candidate.

- (f) Members admitted by passing examination held by NBE are not eligible for consideration under this category.
- (g) The member applying for Fellowship shall update his/her bio-data in the prescribed format for 3 consecutive years.
- (h) A fresh application for advancement may be made after a lapse of 2 years, if the candidate is not selected during 3 consecutive years.
- (i) All communications on the subject of candidature shall be addressed to the Member concerned.
- (j) The secretary, after receiving the nomination will prepare a list of the proposals, known as 'List II of proposals for Fellowship for the year _____ (year of selection)'. This list should include those candidates who were not elected on one or two "occasions earlier".

IV. Nominations for Members by election:

- (a) A Fellow of any specialty, shall propose a candidate. Members of the Council and of Credential Committee are not entitled to propose or second nomination for a Member.
- (b) A Fellow of any specialty shall second the proposal.
- (c) The Fellows nominating the candidate should certify from personal knowledge of the professional and scientific standing/achievements of the candidate and furnish other particulars as stated in the form prescribed for the purpose.
- (d) The completed nomination form along with requisite documents and reprints should reach the Secretary as per schedule decided by the Council. Late nominations will be considered for the following year.
- (e) The Secretary shall register every nomination and send acknowledgement to the proposer within 15 days. This should be sent to the proposer, copy endorsed to the candidate.
- (f) The candidate shall be an Indian citizen.
- (g) All communications on the subject of candidature shall be addressed to the proposer, copy endorsed to the candidate.
- (h) The nomination will remain valid for 3 years. After that the person can be nominated through a fresh application after a lapse of 2 years, in accordance with the prescribed procedures.
- (i) The Secretary, after receiving these nominations, will prepare the list of proposals known as 'List III of proposals for Membership for the year _____ (year of selection)'. This list should include those proposals which were not approved (selected as) during the previous year.

V. Application for Award of Members by passing Examination conducted by NBE:

Those candidates who pass the examination conducted by the National Board of Examinations will individually submit an application for admission as Member of the National Academy of Medical Sciences, **duly proposed by at least one Fellow of the Academy certifying the character and conduct of the candidate.** Subject to the approval of the Council of the National Academy of Medical Sciences, the candidate will be admitted as member after paying one time life subscription fee of Rs.7,000/- (inclusive of admission fee of Rs.1,000) as may be determined from time to time, and after executing the Bond of Obligation. *(This will be effective from the batch who passed the N. B. Examination held in November 1992 and onwards)*

Nomination Form for Award of MNAMS – Member of National Academy of Medical Sciences (India) after DNB.

The procedure entails submitting an application proposed at least by one Fellow of the National Academy of Medical Sciences (India). A list of Fellows of the Academy, along with their addresses, in your vicinity is also available on the website to facilitate your taking action in this regard. However, it is open for you to get your nomination done by any Fellow of the Academy. You are advised to duly complete these documents and send them along with a crossed Bank Draft for Rs.7,000/- (one time life subscription of Rs.6,000/- plus admission fee of Rs.1,000/- drawn in favour of **“The Secretary, National Academy of Medical Sciences (India)”**, payable at New Delhi.
