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**MEETING NOTICE**

A Special General Body Meeting of AFST(I) is scheduled on **9<sup>th</sup> July 2023 at 12.00 Noon in the venue Southern Star Hotel, Mysuru** to deliberate the agenda items listed below:

**AGENDA:**

1. Welcome
2. Proposed Amendments to bye-laws

Members are requested to kindly make it convenient to participate in the meeting.

**Dr Suresh D Sakhare**  
Honorary Secretary, AFST(I)  
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P.S.: Lunch 1.00 PM onwards

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## **Proposed Amendments**

1. After due deliberations and discussions, CEC members agreed on the following general framework that can be included in the constitution by way of an amendment -
  - (a) To contest for the position of President Designate-HQ, the interested candidate(s) should be a life member of good standing for 10 years who have attended at least 5 AGBMs and served either as Vice President or Secretary in the HQ or Chapters.
  - (b) To contest for the position of Vice president HQ, the interested candidate(s) should be a life member of good standing for 7 years who have attended at least 4 AGBMs and served either as Secretary or treasurer in the HQ or Chapters. Further, as the VP (HQ) is a signatory authority for all the financial transactions of the association along with Hon. Secretary and Hon. Treasurer, the CEC was of the opinion that the voting for this position should also be pan-India. Similarly, to contest for the position of Vice President (Chapters), the candidate(s) should be a member of good standing for 5 years who have attended at least 3 AGBMs and should have served as EC member of the Chapter.
  - (c) To contest for the position of Joint Secretary, the candidate should be a life member of good standing for 5 years and should have attended at least 3 AGBMs.
  - (d) To contest for the position of Treasurer, the candidate should have been a life member of good standing for 3 years and should have attended at least 2 AGBMs.

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