

Dear Friends,

Warm welcome and greetings from the office of Vice President and Election officer, IOA!

As you know very well that we have already sent the Nomination form and Election Schedule of IOA Election 2018 for your ready reference and information well in advance.

The same information was circulated through IOA Newsletter 2018 by mail and also uploaded on the IOA website i.e. [www.ioaindia.org](http://www.ioaindia.org). We will also acknowledge all of you about the contestants who are participating in this year IOA Election after 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2018.

I would like to inform you again that **this year, only online election will be held** so please **registered yourself for the online election if you have not done so already. The last date for online registration is 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2018.**

Please note that any change in your registered email ID and or registered mobile number after 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2018 till Election process is over will not permit you to vote online. So please make any changes in your contact details before 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2018 to avoid forfeiting you online voting right. Please register your email ID at the IOA website i.e. [www.ioaindia.org](http://www.ioaindia.org) or send an email at the following email address i.e. [electionofficerioa@gmail.com](mailto:electionofficerioa@gmail.com) and you may also contact me at 9414069191 for further clarification.

I also wish to inform you that **members have to send their request from their own end** and it should be correct along with LM No. and mobile nos. **(Name, full address, state, membership no., mobile and email).**

Election will be held this year with a new vendor and online voting will be supervised by the Election officer and central Election observer under strictly confidential procedure. Dr. Ramesh Chandra Meena will be the Election officer and Dr. S.S. Yadav will be the Central Election observer.

Please understand that it is our endeavour that every member gets a chance to vote and nobody is deprived of this fundamental right. I humbly request all of you to please convey this message to all members of IOA and your colleagues who have not the email address.

Jai Hind! Jai IOA!

With best wishes,

**(Dr. Ramesh Chandra Meena)**

Vice President & Election officer-2018

Indian Orthopaedic Association

Cc to: All state chapters of IOA

All EC members of IOA

**PS: once again, I humbly request all of you to please spread/share this message among your friends; Junior and senior also, so everyone can take part in elections.**