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President's Theme : "Train the young to Enrich the future"

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Dear IOA members,

Warm greetings on the auspicious festival of Deepawali.

We are all aware that the election process of the IOA is in full swing.

Some issues are nevertheless cropping up which we feel need to be clarified. It has been brought to our notice that few of our members have received OTP on their mobile phones and emails without their logging in to vote.

This could be attributed to someone, a contestant or their representative, who is entering the members LM number on the website (Could be attempting to know if a particular person has yet voted or not) The OTP as the first step automatically goes to the member. BUT, this single OTP generation should not allow any manipulation as long as the member himself does not share his OTP to any third party

It is the Second OTP that allows voting. The generation of second OTP depends upon submitting this first OTP onto the site. If the member does not do so nothing further will happen. If he has already voted he would be informed the same and he cannot vote again.

Due to the enthusiastic attempts of few contestants, these single OTP's have been received by members, creating doubts in their minds. Besides, these members have been bombarded with nefarious and maligning messages compounding the issue. This is deplorable.

On our personal level we have talked to contestants and have requested them to prevent such OTP generation and they have extended their full cooperation.

Have faith in the IOA executive and feel free to exercise your franchise and vote in maximum numbers to further strengthen our glorious association. Please don't get influenced by messages from people with malafide intentions.

Also, it is advisable not to share your OTP with anyone. It's your Vote. Use it judiciously.

Once again, Wishing you all a prosperous and happy festival of hope, light and positivity.

Long Live IOA

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