Pune Branch of WICASA of ICAI Elections for the Year 2025-2026 Notice-cum-Information

The Managing Committee of Pune Branch of WICASA is composed of 2 members nominated by Managing Committee of Pune Branch of WIRC of ICAI and **6 persons elected** by the Members of the Pune Branch of WICASA from amongst its members.

Some of the relevant rules regarding eligibility to vote, eligibility to contest for election, mode of filling nomination etc., are given below:

- 1. Any student, who is a member of Pune Branch of WICASA as on 1st March, 2025 is eligible to vote in the election provided he continues to remain a member on the date of election. For this purpose, any student undergoing articleship training in Pune will be considered as member of Pune Branch of WICASA.
- 2. Any member eligible to vote in the election can contest for in the election provided the unexpired period of his/her articleship training as on 1st March, 2025 is not less than one year.
- 3. A member desiring to contest the election shall submit a nomination form duly signed by him/herself and by a Proposer and a Seconder, who shall be persons entitled to vote in the election. The Nomination form will be available at ICAI Bhawan, Bibwewadi and also available at www.puneicai.org from Tuesday, 4th March, 2025 during office hours.
- 4. Every candidate for election shall pay Rs. 10/- (by Gpay/Cash/Bank Draft only) to the office of the Pune Branch of WIRC of ICAI, Pune, along with the Nomination Form which shall not be refundable in any case. Completed Nomination Form shall be accepted up to 5 p.m. of the Monday, 10th March, 2025 at ICAI Bhawan, Bibwewadi, Pune.
- 5. List of valid nominations will be displayed at ICAI Bhawan, Bibwewadi, Pune on Wednesday, 12th March, 2025 by 5 pm and the last date and time for withdrawal of nomination will be Thursday, 13th March, 2025 by 5 pm.
- 6. The final list of Nomination will be displayed at ICAI Bhawan, Bibvewadi, Pune on **Saturday**, **15**th **March**, **2025** after 5 pm.

7. The elections shall be held if more Nomination forms are received than No. of Vacancies i.e. 6. The election shall be by way of poll of members on **Friday, 28th March, 2025 from 9:30 am to 5:30 pm** at "ICAI BHAWAN", Bibwewadi, Pune 411037. Preferential Voting will be there in case of election. No proxy will be allowed.

8. The names of all candidates elected shall be announced at the meeting by the Election Officer and his decision and declaration shall be final.

9. Student Members are requested to bring along their Student Article Identity card/copy of letter of article ship Registration/ Eligibility form duly signed by the Principle as a proof of their eligibility to vote. Ballot paper will not be issued any student unless the eligibility form is complete in all respects and appropriate photographic identification is available.

10. CA. Rekha Dhamankar has been appointed to receive, scrutinize, and finalize the nominations and to conduct the election in accordance to and in the manner prescribed in Appendix V of Chartered Accountants Regulations, 1988.

11. For any information about the election procedure, the Members may contact Ms. Shwetali from Pune ICAI (Mobile No. 82371 66005) or CA. Rekha Dhamankar (Mobile No. 93264 47619)

Sd/-CA. Pradnya Bamb (Chairperson, Pune WICASA)

Date: Tuesday, 4th March, 2025

Place: Pune