



INDIAN SOCIETY OF CRITICAL CARE MEDICINE

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR ELECTION 2023

Election 2023 – Below mentioned code of conduct will followed by all candidates during the general election 2023.

Every nomination form should be accompanied with a pre-filled formatted profile of the candidate.

The candidate will also update the profile of himself / herself on Connect Portal on ISCCM website.

The candidates are allowed to use the following means for canvassing:

- Candidates are allowed to make individual / personal phone calls to other member (No calls by surrogates, substitutes, juniors, or secretariat people on candidate's behalf)
- Candidates need to prepare the profile according to the prescribed format provided by ISCCM.
- To send video message for selected positions only, prepared recorded and edited by the ISCCM office and approved by the Election Commission. The recorded video will be posted on the website and YouTube channel and links of the same will be sent along with the profile link.
- Candidate should update their Connect profile

The candidates are not allowed to:

- Campaign in social media in any form
- Use the profile other than the one approved by the Election Commission.
- Make surrogate calls
- Indulge in individual or surrogate email or SMS blast
- Send WhatsApp or telegram messages
- Conduct Promotions through pharmaceutical industry
- Undertake any academic or promotional program during the campaign period either physical or online.

Any complaint must be submitted only to the ELC with objective and concrete evidence, then only it would be accepted and given due cognizance. No complaint can be made public during the election process.

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The penalty for violation of election campaign process will be as follows:

For the candidate:

- Cancellation of the candidature with possible retrospective effect
- 3 years ban from:
 - any election process in the EC and branches
 - any academic activity of the ISCCM
 - any examination process invitation or participation
 - any faculty invitation in national conference / conclaves / workshops

▪ **For any other member:**

- 3 years ban from:
 - any election process in the EC & branches
 - any academic activity of the ISCCM
 - any examination process invitation or participation
 - any faculty invitation in national conference / conclave or workshop

No form of election campaign will be allowed during the voting process by any candidates or any member.

The society strictly condemn and is having zero tolerance on campaigns or propaganda based on religion, gender, race, community, or any other form of discrimination.



Dr. B K Rao
Election Commissioner



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