



FROM THE DESK OF THE CHAIRPERSON

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To
All BAGA Members,

I, Srimita Ray Chaudhuri, hereby declare in accordance with Bylaws, Amendment No. 005/2008, 4.3(b) that the proposed names of the nominees are as follows:

a) Executive Committee 2009-2010

President: Mr. Achintya Dey and Dr. Dharmajyoti Bhaumik
Vice President: Mrs. Ashima Das
Vice President (Joint): Mr. Sumit Dutta
Secretary: Mr. Kaushik Basu
Treasurer: Mr. Debatirtha Basu

b) Board of Director Mr. Surajit Roy

All the nominations are deemed eligible, and since two nominations have been received for the position of President, we will have an election on January 23, 2010 tentatively 3 P.M. to 5 P.M for the position of the President of 2010/2011 Executive committee. There will be no contest for the remainder of the Executive Committee, so the positions will be filled by the candidates that have filed nominations. To all nominees, there will be no campaigning on the day of the election (1/23/10).

Based on the BAGA Bylaws in effect, the persons who are eligible to vote are limited to those who have maintained the membership of BAGA for at least 12 months prior to the election date. Voter list has already provided to the presidential candidates of the Executive committee 2010/2011 and will also be available on the day of the election.

We needed two candidates for the BAGA Board of Directors; so far, we have received only one nomination. We still need another person for a seat on the BAGA Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors of BAGA has decided to extend the time of application for another month i.e., till **Sunday, February 21, 2010** for one vacant position on the Board of Directors. Any BAGA member in good standing who is currently serving or has previously served a full term as a member of the Executive Committee may be nominated as a candidate for election to the Board of Directors. For details, please see the application form for the position of Board of Director posted on BAGA's web site www.baga.net.

Thank you,

Srimita Ray Chaudhuri

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