

BOARD ELECTION PACK 2021

Dear Member,

Thank you for your interest in becoming a candidate for election onto the Amnesty International United Kingdom (AIUK) Section Board in 2021.

There are five vacancies on the Board in 2021. Amnesty International United Kingdom Section Articles of Association require a minimum of four Board members to retire each year and this number includes board member that have reached the end of their term of office. This year, four board members reached the end of their term.

If you wish to stand for election to the Board, you must fill in and return the forms listed in Section 2, below. All forms should be received in electronic or hard copy by 5pm on Friday 26 March 2021.

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You can submit your all your forms electronically without the need to print any documents. We will also accept a valid email address in the place of signatures (wherever requested) in order to authenticate your nomination. Forms can be submitted electronically to returningofficer@amnesty.org.uk or by post to:

Returning Officer (c/o Selma Shirazi)
Director's Office
Human Rights Action Centre
17-25 New Inn Yard
London, EC2A 3EA

IMPORTANT NOTE!

Please ensure that your Nomination Papers and Application Form are completed and returned to the Returning Officer at the AIUK Section office to be received by **5pm on Friday 26 March 2021**.

Please contact Selma Shirazi by telephone on 0207 033 1556 to check receipt if you do not receive a reasonably prompt acknowledgement.

One final tip: please do check that you **and your proposers** are fully paid-up members of the AIUK Section for at least six months before the deadline for nominating (26 March 2021). You can do this by contacting our Supporter Communications Team on 0207 033 1777.

If you have any enquiries regarding the Board role or election process, please do not hesitate to contact the nominations committee via nomcom@amnesty.org.uk
We appreciate that this is a complex process and we would like to assist you as much as possible.

Yours sincerely,

Lloyd Thomas
Returning Officer, AIUK