**BOARD ELECTION PACK 2022**

Dear Member,

Thank you for your interest in becoming a candidate for election onto the Amnesty

International United Kingdom (AIUK) Section Board in 2022.

There are five seats available on the Board at the 2022 election. Amnesty International United Kingdom Section Articles of Association require a minimum of four Board members to retire each year and this number includes board members that have reached the end of their term of office.

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 25 March 2022.

Section 1 (Useful Information):

* Board Role Description
* Nomination Guidance Document
* FAQ Document
* Board Code of Conduct
* Amnesty Structure
* Election Process

Section 2 (Forms to fill in and return):

* Nomination Papers
* Application Form
* Diversity Questionnaire

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.

Any electronic submissions should be sent to [returningofficer@amnesty.org.uk](mailto:returningofficer@amnesty.org.uk)

If you wish to submit hardcopy documents, please use the following address:

Returning Officer (c/o Selma Shirazi)

Director’s Office

Human Rights Action Centre

17-25 New Inn Yard

London, EC2A 3EA

IMPORTANT NOTE!

Nomination Papers and Application Forms must be completed and received by the Returning Officer by **5pm on Friday 25 March 2022.** If you are posting hardcopy documents, you must allow enough time for them to be received prior to this deadline. This is also the deadline for submission of documents by email.

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

One final tip: please do check that you and your proposers are fully paid-up members of the AIUK Section for, at least, the six-month period immediately preceding the deadline for nominating (25 March 2022). You

can do this by contacting our Supporter Communications Team on 0207 033 1777.

If you have any enquiries regarding the nature or substance of the Board role, please do not hesitate to contact the nominations committee via [nomcom@amnesty.org.uk](mailto:nomcom@amnesty.org.uk).

If you have any questions about the nomination or election process, please contact me at [returningofficer@amnesty.org.uk](mailto:returningofficer@amnesty.org.uk).

We appreciate that this is a somewhat complex process, and we would like to assist you as much as possible.

Yours sincerely,

*Lloyd Thomas*

Returning Officer

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