

Cyber Society of India (CySI)-Office of the Election Officer
Election Notification – 2025–2027 Term-Date: Thursday, 24th July 2025

Ref: Election/1/2025

Dr. T. S. Dharmalingam, M.A., B.L., M.B.A., Ph.D.

Deputy Collector (Retd.),

Election Officer – CySI


Email: election@cysi.in

To: All Life Members of CySI (via www.cysi.in)

Subject: Notification of Elections for Office Bearers and Executive
Committee Members (ECM) – 2025–2027

In accordance with the CySI Bye-laws and as resolved in the Executive Committee meeting dated 24th April 2025 (Resolution No. 4), elections for the 2025–27 term of the Executive Committee will be held as follows:

 **Date of Election:** Sunday, 17th August 2025

 **Venue:** Anna Centenary Library – Book Release Hall, 2nd Floor, Gandhi Mandapam Road, Kotturpuram, Chennai – 600025.

Positions Open for Election (14 in total):

- President – 1
- Vice Presidents – 2
- Secretary – 1
- Joint Secretaries – 2
- Treasurer – 1
- Joint Treasurer – 1
- EC Members – 5
- EC Member (Audit) – 1

Eligibility Criteria:

- As per Bye-law 12(ii): Only Life Members in good standing who have completed **at least 2 years of active membership** with regular AGM attendance are eligible to contest.
- As per Clause 11C(iv): Life Membership is valid for 20 years. Expired memberships are not eligible to contest or vote. Updated list available at www.cysi.in.

Key Dates:

Event	Date
Start of Nomination Filing	28.07.2025 (Monday)
Last Date for Nomination	01.08.2025 (Friday) by 5 PM
Last Date for Withdrawal	05.08.2025 (Tuesday) by 5 PM
Publication of Contestants	07.08.2025 (Thursday)
Election Day	17.08.2025 (Sunday Afternoon)

Nomination Process:

1. Contestants may file for **only one post** using **Form 1**.
2. Each nomination must be seconded by **two Life Members** using **Form 2**.
3. Forms (in PDF) can be downloaded from www.cysi.in.
4. After signing, scanned Forms 1 & 2 must be **emailed to:**
election@cysi.in
 - **Deadline:** 01.08.2025 by 5 PM
 - Originals must be retained and submitted to the Election Officer on election day or earlier on request.

Important Notes:

- If a member files for more than one post and fails to withdraw excess nominations by 05.08.2025, all their nominations will be rejected.
- If the number of valid nominations equals the posts, **candidates will be declared elected unopposed.**

- In case of vacant posts or insufficient nominations, **floor nominations** may be accepted on the election day.
- Valid nominations will be scrutinized and the final list will be published on 07.08.2025 at www.cysi.in.
- Voting will be **in-person only** on 17.08.2025. There is **no proxy voting**.
- Attach a copy of your **Life Member ID** or **payment receipt**, / S.L No of voters list, while submitting Form 1 or 2.
- For all queries related to the CySI elections, please use the official email election@cysi.in Kindly note that personal mobile numbers and email IDs are not to be used for election-related correspondence, in order to maintain official protocol and ensure transparency.
- This notification and accompanying forms are meant strictly for CySI members and are not for public distribution. Members are requested to ensure timely and correct submission of nominations.

Sd/-

Dr. T.S. Dharmalingam

Election Officer – CySI

Date: 24.07.2025

Cc:

To the Secretary, CySI (secretary@cysi.in) – Kindly circulate this notification with Forms 1 & 2 to all Life Members and arrange to upload them at www.cysi.in. Also publish the voters' list (alphabetical/seniority wise) for reference.