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Dear Club Secretary,

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS
National President 2020 – 2021 (1 year term)
3 x National Board Directors 2020 – 2022 (2 year term)

This is the official call for nominations for the position of National President 2020-2021 (1 year term) and 3 positions for National Board Directors for the years 2020-2022 (2 year term).

The position of National President is for a 1 year term commencing July 1, 2020. Nominees for Board Director positions must be prepared and available to undertake a full term of 2 years from 1st July 2020. Director portfolios and responsibilities will be decided by the incoming National Board upon election, reflecting the skill sets of the members of the board and their chosen priorities.

In accordance with Constitution 11.2(a) the incoming members of the National Board must satisfy the following eligibility criteria:-

- 1) **National President** who, must:
 - a) have, for not less than 5 years, been a member of a Club;
 - b) have held the position of Club President or Regional Communicator (or equivalent) and held a Manager position on the National Board for at least two [2] years; and
 - c) be of good fame and character;

2. **Three (3) Board members** who, must:
 - a) have, for not less than 5 years, been a member of a Club,
 - b) be willing to accept the position for two (2) years,
 - c) be of good fame and character,
 - d) be able to take on the leadership of a sub-committee,

Please note that the National Board has taken legal advice on the Constitutional provision that nominees must be between the ages of 18 to 45. Our preliminary legal advice is at this stage is that restriction is potentially in contradiction to our own constitution and could also be considered age discrimination and contrary to the provisions of the *Age Discrimination Act 2004 (CTH)*. As a result any current apex member who otherwise fits the above criteria is encouraged to apply

Please provide your written nomination on your Club's letterhead addressing the criteria, as stated in Section 1 or 2 (minimum half page), signed by the nominee and the nominee's club, addressed to;

Apex Australia National Office
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or emailed to:
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Nominations must be received by 30 April, 2020. Ballot papers will then be prepared and distributed in accordance to the Constitution. Further information can be located within the Apex Constitution & Manual, www.apex.org.au, or by contacting your National Board admin@apex.org.au

Yours in Apex,

Mick Godfrey
National President 2019/2020



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