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Notice:

Subject : Scrutiny of the nominations for the elections of the
candidate for the post of the President of Goans Hockey

Sir/Madam,

The undersigned has been appointed as the Returning officer for the elections to the post of President of Goans Hockey. That the various associations/clubs/Trusts/Societes affiliated to the Goans Hockey had on 27/07/2024 filed their respective body applications before the undersigned returning officer nominating their representatives to vote for the post of the President of Goans Hockey.

That the following Bodies had filed their applications namely

(1)Goa Hockey Promoters (2)Star Sports and Cultural Club (3) Hockey South Goa (4) Innovation Socio-Cultural Sports Association (5) Don Bosco Oratory Sports and Cultural Youth Club, Panjim (6) Maina Hockey Club (7)North Goa District Association (8) Goa Mavericks Sports Club (9) Integrated Goa Welfare and Development Trust (10) Stars of Sattari

That upon Scrutiny of the application Forms it is found that except for Nos (10) ie Stars of Sattari all the forms are found to be valid as having affiliation fees/renewal fees, Mou/Constitution, names renewed. Hence the application for nomination of representatives of "Stars of Sattari" is rejected.

It is pointed out by Mr Atul Pai Kane, President/representative of Goa Mavericks sports Club that the affiliation fees of the various clubs herein scrutinized were to be paid prior to 23/03/2024 as the elections were called for on the 06/04/2024 and the postponement was sought only for the scrutiny of documents.



It is herein stated by the undersigned returning officer ,that he had accepted the role only on the 15th of July 2024 to conduct the elections to the post of President of Goans Hockey.

It is stated by Mr Atul Pai Kane , President/representative of Goa Mavericks sports Club that vide letter having dated 21st March 2024, the name of the then returning Officer for the present election, Adv. Joey Rodrigues was changed to the undersigned returning officer. The Undersigned Returning officer states that he was not within knowledge of the same as on the said date and he stands by his statement above mentioned.

It is further stated by the undersigned returning officer that as per the amendment to the constitution of Goans Hockey at the Extra Ordinary General body meeting held on 8th September 2022 at the Manohar Parrikar Indoor stadium, Navelim , section 3(F) the electoral College the eligibility of member clubs is to be decided on the basis of the following criteria of (1) whether the club has participated in the men and women state championship organized by Goans Hockey or (2) paid their annual fees or (3) not held elections. Therefore as such the criteria is either of the three, it is found that the criteria is met and complied with as the respective fees have been paid by the clubs whose scrutiny of applications for nominations has been done. Hence the matters rests and ends.

That further Mr Atul Pai Kane , President/representative of Goa Mavericks sports Club again objected and stated that the Goans Hockey has not certified if the permanent members have not conducted activities as required under the constitution under the new amendments under Section 3(c) to the constitution of Goans Hockey at the Extra Ordinary General body meeting held on 8th September 2022 at the Manohar Parrikar Indoor stadium, Navelim. Mr Atul Pai Kane states that he shall withdraw the objections if contrary is true.

The undersigned returning officer finds this objections go into powers of investigation that have not been authorized to him. Mrs Farrel Gracias, the present Secretary of Goans Hockey states that the above nine clubs have participated in the district and state Champanionships held in the year 2024 and has documents to prove the same.

The undersigned returning officer, r he notes that he has perused a certificate signed by one V.T. Hadkonkar, Inspector General of Societies wherein it is certified that 'Goans Hockey' is registered under No 188/Goa/2009 dated



1/08/2009 which registration is hereby renewed till 11/08/2024. That it is stated by the returning officer upon perusal of this certificate, that the Inspector General of Societies has himself renewed the registration of "Goans Hockey" which per say is obviously renewed upon perusal of proper and valid documents justifying the renewal of the same. The matter thus ends.

The following clubs have their nominated representatives validated for the voting;

(1)Goa Hockey Promoters (2)Star Sports and Cultural Club (3) Hockey South Goa (4) Innovation Socio-Cultural Sports Association (5) Don Bosco Oratory Sports and Cultural Youth Club, Panjim (6) Maina Hockey Club (7)North Goa District Association (8) Goa Mavericks Sports Club (9) Integrated Goa Welfare and Development Trust

Date: 28/07/2024

Place: Margao



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