

Original

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Section 6. Elections

d. Unless herein stated otherwise, if there is more than 1 candidate for an open vacancy to the Executive Board or to any Standing Committee, the election to that position shall require a relative majority by votes from the members, conducted by an electronic ballot. Where there is just 1 nominee for a position then no ballot will be held for that position and the nominee will be deemed to have won the election by acclamation.

[Comment: this part is now redundant in view of the Nomination Committee and therefore removed.]

e. The current Secretary General and Treasurer may be nominated for a second Term however no member of General Board or Executive Committee may be nominated for more than 1 position. If there is more than one nominee for any position then an electronic vote by the entire ICRS membership will take place at least 2 calendar months before the date of the World Congress.

[Comment: the procedure of the Election through the Nomination Committee is included.]

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g. Only current Fellow Members of the General Board are eligible for the position of Treasurer or Secretary General, provided, that they did not already occupy in former years the position of Vice President, President, or Past President of the society.

[Comment: align statement with eligibility criteria as are already specified in Section 6e of the current bylaws.]

New

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e. ... The current Secretary General and Treasurer may be nominated for a second Term however no member of General Board or Executive Committee may be nominated for more than 1 position. If there is more than one nominee for any position then an electronic vote by the entire ICRS membership will take place at least 2 calendar months before the date of the World Congress. New members of the Executive Board (2nd Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary General) are elected by ratification of the General Assembly and based on a recommended slate of candidates selected by the Ad-hoc Nomination Committee. The Nomination Committee will consist of 6 members, including the (non-voting) Chair appointed by and from the Emeritus Committee, 1 Committee member appointed by and from the General Board, and 4 Committee Members at large. Nomination Committee Members, including the Chair, cannot serve twice on a Nomination Committee. Nomination Committee members must be ICRS Fellows or Ordinary Members in good standing.

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g. Only current Members of the General Board and members of the General Boards of the last 2 terms are eligible to stand for election to the positions of Secretary General and Treasurer provided, that they did not already occupy in former years the position of Vice President, President, or Past President of the society.