

GOVERNING BODY OF BUYING AGENTS ASSOCIATION: 2020-22

Buying Agents Association, the apex body representing Buying Agents pan India from the MSME export sector, had its 2nd general elections for the vacant seats in the Governing Body of the Association on 18th-19th June 2020. In a statement issued by the General Secretary, Ms Anchal Kansal, on behalf of the Association, BAA announced its new Governing Body of 14 members in its 3rd Annual General Meeting held on 19th June 2020 virtually over a Zoom call.

The new members who won the elections for the vacant seats of Category 1 were **Mr Sanjay Khurana** from Global Resources and **Ms Tanya Bhatia** from Dymak India. For the seat in Category 2, **Mr Sanjeev Jain** from TQM Global Buying who had been so far the Nominated GB Member since a year won the elections. For the vacant seat in the Institutional Category, **Mr Om Prakash Prahladka** from HCSSC won the election unopposed.

In a follow-up Governing Body meeting of the newly formed GB, the new Office Bearers were decided. Having led the Association strongly since its formation, first as the General Secretary and then as Chairperson, **Mrs Christine E Rai**, has been promoted to the position of Patron-In-Chief unanimously by the Board.

Leading the team now is **Mr Vishal Dhingra** from Specialty Merchandising who is nominated as the new Chairman of the Association. **Mr. Sumit Chhabra** of Creative Concepts continues his second term as a Vice Chairman and the Board nominated **Mr Manoj Rana** of RMS Associates and **Mr Michael Vinod** of Made In India Sourcing as the other two Vice Chairmen.

Ms. Anchal Kansal of Indsource International continues her responsibilities as the General Secretary of the organization for a second term. Newly elected candidates, **Ms Tanya Bhatia** of Dymak India took up the responsibility as Joint Secretary and **Mr Sanjay Khurana** from Global Resources took up charge of being BAA's newly appointed Treasurer.

The other members of the BAA Governing Body continuing their terms are **Mr. Nitin Mohan** of Triburg, **Mr Sanjeev Jain** of TQM Global Buying, **Mr Deepak Joshi** of MLine, **Mr Vishaal Sinha** of Hermes Infraconsult.

EPCH represented by **Mr. Rakesh Kumar** and Handicrafts & Carpet Sector Skill Council represented by **Mr. Om Prakash Prahladka** are Institutional Members who will be bringing to the Governing Body their years of knowledge and experience in the industry and shall continue to guide the Association in its endeavors.

During the same meeting, it was unanimously decided to nominate **Mrs Mandira Malik** of Something Else as the Nominated Member for the vacant seat of the FM category and also to invite **Ms Rohini Suri** as a Special Invitee back on the board for their immense contribution to BAA in the last term.

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MRS. CHRISTINE E. RAI
PATRON-IN-CHIEF



MR. VISHAL DHINGRA
CHAIRMAN



MR. SUMIT CHHABRA
VICE CHAIRMAN



MR. MANOJ RANA
VICE CHAIRMAN



MR. MICHAEL VINOD
VICE CHAIRMAN



MS. ANCHAL KANSAL
GENERAL SECRETARY



MS TANYA BHATIA
JOINT SECRETARY



MR. SANJAY KHURANA
TREASURER



MR. NITIN MOHAN
GB MEMBER



MR. SANJEEV JAIN
GB MEMBER



MR. DEEPAK JOSHI
GB MEMBER



MR. VISHAAL SINHA
GB MEMBER



MR. RAKESH KUMAR
INSTITUTIONAL MEMBER



MR. O P PRAHLADKA
INSTITUTIONAL MEMBER



MRS. MANDIRA MALIK
NOMINATED MEMBER



MS ROHNI SURI
SPECIAL INVITEE