



**THE INSTITUTE OF
Company Secretaries of India**
भारतीय कम्पनी सचिव संस्थान
IN PURSUIT OF PROFESSIONAL EXCELLENCE
Statutory body under an Act of Parliament
(Under the jurisdiction of Ministry of Corporate Affairs)

8th September, 2022

DIRECTIVE

Any appeal(s)/ communication(s) by the candidates to the voters in relation to the Election to the Council and Regional Councils-2022, in any form other than the manifesto or circular issued under Rule 42 of the Company Secretaries (Election to the Council) Rules, 2006 (the Rules), including posting of contents, images, photographs, appeals etc., on social media, contravenes the Election Code of Conduct dated 7th September, 2022 (uploaded on the website of the Institute) and the Rules.

The candidates contravening the Election Code of Conduct dated 7th September 2022 and the Rules are subject to disciplinary action under the provisions of the Company Secretaries Act, 1980 and Company Secretaries (Election to the Council) Rules, 2006.

Candidates are advised to take note of the above and to follow the Election Code of Conduct & the Rules in letter and spirit.

Returning Officer and Secretary, the ICSI