

## **Proposed Amendments to the Constitution:**

### **I. Vacancy in Managing Council (Details given below)**

#### **Existing Clause :-**

❖ Non attendance of a member of The Managing Council at three consecutive meetings without permission or leave of absence of the President shall constitute a vacancy.

❖ If a member of the Managing Council continues to be absent for four consecutive Managing Council meetings with or without permission, this shall constitute a vacancy. Such members shall cease to be a member of the Managing Council and will not be eligible to be a members for the next 3 years.

#### **Proposed amendment :-**

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❖ If a member of the Managing Council continues to be absent for four consecutive Managing Council meetings with or without permission, this shall constitute a vacancy. Such members shall cease to be a member of the Managing Council and will not be eligible to be a member for the next 3 years.

❖ The section 19(a) and (b) shall not be applicable to the five immediate Past Presidents or **if the member cannot attend the meetings due to official MOGS or FOGSI assignments pre informed to the President and Secretary.**

### **II. E – Voting.**

#### **Existing Clause :-**

#### **POSTAL BALLOT :-**

Should the number of nominations for any elected post or post of Member of Managing Council exceed the number of vacancies, an election by a secret ballot to choose the winning candidate will be held by postal ballot prior to the Annual General Meeting of the Society.

**Proposed amendment :-**

**POSTAL BALLOT :-**

Should the number of nominations for any elected post or post of Member of Managing Council exceed the number of vacancies, an election by a secret ballot **or any electronic means** or any other means to choose the winning candidate will be held prior to the Annual General Meeting of the society.