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15th May, 2017

TO : 1. All Branch Presidents/Secretaries for onward transmission to Members

2. Members of the Governing Body

3. Life Members

Dear Sir / Madam,

Re: Annual General Meeting 2017

You will be pleased to know that the next Annual General Meeting of The All India Anglo-Indian Association will be held at YMCA, Beach Road, RK Beach, Visakhapatnam, **on Saturday, the 30th of September, Sunday, the 1st of October, and Monday the 2nd of October (departure)**. Outstation Delegates are expected to **arrive on Friday the 29th of September** and register/check in after lunch. The Notice and Agenda will be sent in due course.

The Governing Body by its Resolution at its meeting held in Visakhapatnam on 30th April 2017, has unanimously agreed that the formula for determining the number of Delegates from each Branch for payment of expenses for attending the Annual General Meeting of the Association will be as follows:

- i) The expenses of **One Delegate** from each Branch, namely, **AC 3-Tier rail fare to and fro** including the expenses in respect of **board and lodging** (dormitory accommodation) will be met by the Association. *(Copy of the train ticket must be submitted for reimbursement – this is required for the purpose of auditing).*
- ii) In case of Branches having **more than 100 and up to 300 members**, the expenses of a **Second Delegate** in respect of Board & Lodging (dormitory accommodation) will be met by the Association. **(NO TRAIN FARE).**
- iii) In case of Branches having **more than 300 members**, the expenses of a **third Delegate, namely, AC 3-Tier rail fare to and fro** including the expenses in respect of Board and Lodging (dormitory accommodation) will be met by the Association.

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- iv) Any expenses of those who fall outside this formula will **not** be met by the Association. **Such expenses shall be recovered from the individual concerned @ Rs 3,700/-** for three nights dormitory accommodation (29th September – arrival, 30th September, 1st October, 2nd October – till lunch time), three breakfasts, three lunches and three dinners, including the Meet and Greet, Beach Party and Delegates' Ball. **Students in school/college - Rs 2,700.**

You are requested make a note of the following:

- Only the first 300 outstation Delegates to register (**by 31 July**) will be provided dormitory accommodation at one of the locations where staying arrangements are being made. (**Last date of registration - 31 July**).
- It will **not** be possible for the organizers to make arrangements for **local conveyance from and to the Airport or Railway Station**. However, there will be a **Help Desk** at the Airport and at the Railway Station. It will be manned right through the day on Friday 29th September from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. On arrival, you may approach the Help Desk for assistance. Please note that Delegates will have to make their own arrangements at their own expense. Members of the Organising Committee will be present to assist and advise you with regard to the best transport option.
- **Registration and Check-ins will only begin from 2.30 p.m. onwards on the 29th of September, 2017, and not before that.** Those delegates arriving earlier than that will have to make their own arrangements. (For those who arrive early on the 29th of September, it could, however, be the ideal opportunity to form your own groups and move around Vizag – it's a lovely city!)
- Delegates must **check out of the accommodation provided by 9 a.m. on Monday the 2nd of October, 2017 – before** the start of the Business Session on the last day.
- Those who will be making their own arrangements to stay should specify this in the Registration Form and mention that they **DO NOT** require the organizers to make arrangements for their stay in the dormitories. These **outstation Delegates** will also pay **Rs 3,700 (members)** and **Rs 2,700 (students in school/college)** for all meals and entertainment. (**Last date of registration for these Delegates is also 31 July**).
- Should you require **information about hotels** near the Meeting venue, do drop us a line (**email**) - we shall put you in touch with members of the Organising Committee – they will help you find **clean and comfortable accommodation within your budget**
- **Children below the age of 15 should not be brought** to the Business Meetings and the Delegates' Ball.
- **Only members can attend the Business Meetings.**

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- The Branch Presidents or Secretaries are requested to send to Mrs. Vinisha Nero, Honorary General Secretary, **as early as possible, but not later than the 31st of July, 2017**, the names of the Delegates who will attend the AGM, their gender, age, and whether dormitory accommodation is required. *Registration Form enclosed.*
- Delegates **must** make their (confirmed) return reservations before their departure for Visakhapatnam.

Please write to, preferably by email:

Mrs. Vinisha Nero, MLA, Email: office@aiaiaassociation.org

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We are pleased to inform you that the Organising Committee of the 2017 AGM comprises many stalwarts and youth members, and is headed by the following members:

Chairman of the Organising Committee – Mr Phillip Tocher, MLA and GB Member

Convenor of the Organising Committee – Mr Noel Thomas

Assistant Convenors – Mrs Pamela Francis and Mr Claudius Rosario

Secretariat – Mrs Phyllis Pereira

Thank you.

Our warmest regards and best wishes,

Barry O'Brien

President-in-Chief

Vinisha Nero

Honorary General Secretary

Encl: Registration Form and Programme