



## THE AMERICAN BUSINESS COUNCIL OF PAKISTAN

### PROGRAM OF ABC ELECTIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE / OFFICE BEARERS & AGM – 2020

1.	EXCOM to approve Election Program and appoint Election Commission & Election Officials	Friday, July 3
2.	Announce/circulate Election Program	Wednesday, July 8
3.	Circulate/Display list of Members entitled to cast votes along with their National Tax Number, Name and Designation of their Authorized Representatives	Wednesday, July 8
4.	Send Changes in the Name of Authorized Representatives, if any, to the Secretary General with proof of eligibility	Wednesday, July 29
5.	Objection on Members/Voters in writing to the Secretary General	Monday, August 3
6.	Secretary General shall intimate action on Objections / Changes	Friday, August 7
7.	Person aggrieved by the decision of the Secretary General shall refer dispute pertaining to the Eligibility of a Member to the Election Commission	Thursday, August 13
8.	Election Commission's decision	Tuesday, August 18
9.	Circulate/Display Final List of Members / Voters with a copy to the Regulator of the Trade Organization	Thursday, August 20
10.	<b>Candidates shall send their Nominations to the Secretary General duly proposed and seconded and signed by them</b>	<b>Between Friday, August 21 and Thursday, August 27</b>
11.	Circulate Preliminary List of Candidates after review by Election Commission	Thursday September 3
12.	<b>Send Audited Accounts &amp; AGM Notice to Members</b>	<b>Friday, September 4</b>
13.	Last date for Withdrawal of Candidates	Tuesday September 8
14.	Circulate / Display Final list of Candidates	Tuesday September 15
15.	<b>Election of the Executive Committee</b>	
	(a) <b>DATE:</b>	<b>FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18</b>
	(b) <b>TIME:</b>	<b>9:00 A.M.</b>
	<b>Seal &amp; Sign the Ballot Box</b>	<b>9:15 A.M.</b>
	<b>Opening of Ballot</b>	<b>12:30 P.M. to 2:30 P.M.</b>
	<b>Break for Lunch &amp; Prayer</b>	<b>4:00 P.M.</b>
	<b>Closing of Ballot</b>	

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| (c) | <b>PLACE:</b> | <b>Karachi</b>   | <b>ABC Office</b>  |
|     |               | <b>Islamabad</b> | <b>Berlitz</b><br>1 <sup>st</sup> Floor, Block-13 R<br>F-7 Markaz, Jinnah Super<br>Islamabad |
|     |               | <b>Lahore</b>    | <b>Monsanto/Bayer</b><br>Level 14 Arfa Software Tech. Park<br>346-B Ferozpur Road<br>Lahore  |
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16. **Election of the Office Bearers**
  17. Any person elected as member of Executive Committee, shall send, to the Election Commission for election as an office bearer, his nomination duly proposed and seconded by an elected Executive Committee's member and signed by the candidate Monday September 21
  18. The nomination papers shall be scrutinized by the Election Commission and list of candidates shall be displayed Friday September 25
  19. Circulate / Display Final list of Candidates Monday September 28
  20. **Election of the Office Bearers** Tuesday September 29  
**PLACE:** **ABC Office, Karachi**
  21. **Announcement of Election Results at the AGM** **Wednesday September 30**

**Note: In case of Holiday on any of the above dates the next working day would automatically be treated as the new date**