submitted in the prescribed application form at the Indian Diplomatic Mission/Consular Post that covers the area of residence of the applicant. Nominations received after the due date, incomplete and unsigned applications, or forms not accompanied with photographs would be summarily rejected.

Nominations, duly recommended by HOM/HOP, may please be sent by e-mail/fax to Under Secretary (DS), Ministry of Overseas Indian Affairs, Akbar Bhawan, New Delhi – 110021; E-mail: usds2@moia.nic.in; Fax: 011- 24197942. The application form in original may be subsequently sent by diplomatic bag to Under Secretary (DS)

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