

RESOLUTION 19R-20

To request the RI Board to consider changing the online voting process

Proposer(s): Rotary Club of Ratlam, District 3040, India

Endorsed by: District 3040 through an annual district conference, Ratlam,
Madhya Pradesh, India, 22-23 December 2018

1 WHEREAS, presidents of active clubs receive an online voting link which is active
2 for 15 days, and

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4 WHEREAS, voter confidentiality cannot be maintained for such an extended
5 period of time, and

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7 WHEREAS, this has led to interested parties influencing voters and pressuring
8 them to cast votes in a certain way

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10 IT IS RESOLVED by Rotary International that the Board of Directors of Rotary
11 International consider limiting the period of online voting to eight hours during
12 the district conference, so that presidents and electors are given an opportunity
13 to exercise their voting rights in a single location. This will ensure free and fair
14 voting for all clubs.

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FINANCIAL IMPACT

15 If implemented, this resolution would have no substantial financial impact on RI.