ASSOCIATION OF RICE RESEARCH WORKERS **ICAR- National Rice Research Institute**

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Dated: 01.09.2015

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Election for Office Bearers of Executive Council of ARRW for the Triennial term Jan 2016 -Dec 2018 request for nomination regarding

Dear Member,

The Election of all Office Bearers of the Executive Council of ARRW is due for the triennial term January 2016 - December 2018 as per the Constitution of the Association. Therefore, we invite the nominations for the different offices of the Executive Council in the enclosed nomination form. As per the bye law (Refer website: www.arrworyza.com), one should be nominated by at least two eligible members along with the written consent of the nominee. The list of eligible members having voting right is available in the ARRW website. The schedule of ARRW Election to the office bearers of ARRW for the triennial term January 2016 - December 2018 as follows:

Last date for filing of Nomination

Date of issue of postal ballot papers to outstation ARRW members

: 26th September 2015 (4.30pm)

Last date for withdrawal of nomination (if any)

: 3rd October 2015 (4.30pm)

Last date of receipt of postal ballots

: 15th October 2015

: 23rd November 2015 (2.00 pm)

Date of Election (at ARRW head quarter, NRRI, Cuttack)

: 23rd November 2015 (10.00 am - 2.00 pm)

Counting of Votes

: 23rd November 2015 (3.00 - 4.30 pm)

Nominations duly filled in the enclosed form (in original), may please be sent to the undersigned latest by 26th September 2015 (upto 4.30pm). Please note that if withdrawal of nomination is conditional, will not be considered as withdrawal and a candidate can contest for only one post after final withdrawal.

As per the Clause-9.1S of the ARRW Constitution all Patrons, Life Members and Annual Members (who have paid their annual subscriptions by 31st July 2015 for the concerned year i.e. July, 2015 and have been members of the Association for a minimum period of one year prior to the year of **election**) are eligible to vote, nominate and be able to contest the election.

Thanking you.

Yours sincerely,

Encl: As above