## **Election Manifesto**

## Dear LIS Colleagues,

With the grace of almighty God, blessings of elders and desire by young professionals I, Prof. M. P. Singh is contesting in the ILA election 2019-22 for the post of the President with enthusiastic, honest and dedicated Panel to bring back the democratic pattern.

## The Manifesto for ILA Election (2019-2022):

- 1. Establish a democratic culture at the ILA, in its functioning activities and elections and to ensure it as a worldwide identity.
- 2. Create an online platform for the regular exchange of information and views among members for wide distribution of information, the portal will also host a registry of all the LIS jobs posted throughout the country.
- 3. Protection to library professionals from any type of harassment and exploitation at the workplace.
- 4. Emphasis on the setting up of a standard minimum salary for the Library Professionals in private sectors equivalent to Govt. norms.
- 5. To pursue National Funding Agencies to increase funds for research projects to librarians and LIS faculty for the advancement of Research and Development in LIS.
- 6. Act as pressure force for the enactment of Library Acts for every state with the help of respective state Governments.
- 7. Encourage and help the LIS professionals in building new skills, innovative technology and knowledge empowerment by organizing short-term courses, and training programs for library professionals.
- 8. Initiate for allocation of land and office for ILA with the help and support of Delhi Government and Government of India.
- 9. Initiate for establishment and routine follow-up of Libraries in every organization including schools, universities (in public and private units) and recognize the need of a library in society.
- 10.Initiate for the establishment of a council similar to that of (Medical Council, Bar Council and more) for the development of library science profession.