



## Advocacy - Governance - Renewal

Mr. Ajoy Mehta  
Municipal Commissioner  
MCGM, Mahapalika Marg  
Mumbai 400001



1<sup>st</sup> June, 2017

Dear Mr. Mehta,

**Sub: Application for NGO member on the TVC as per advertisement  
PRO/297/ADV/2017-2018**

Our NGO, NAGAR (NGO Alliance for Governance and Renewal) is a not for profit organization established in 2000, with a goal to improve life in the city of Mumbai. It is a Registered Trust – F 26453 (Mumbai). NAGAR wishes to apply to be an NGO member on the Town Vending Committee to be formed by the MCGM as per the Street Vendors (Protection of Livelihood and Regulation of Activities) Scheme, 9<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2017, reference no: BMC 2516/ C.N.1599/2016/N.E.21 & Rules 11 (2) (k) (2-5) and rule 12.

As required by the MCGM in the said advertisement we attach the following documents

1. Copy of Registration Certificate.
2. Copy of duly audited financial statements for previous 3 years.
3. We wish to state that NAGAR has not been blacklisted or convicted of any penal offence.

NAGAR (formerly CitiSpace) has been in the forefront of the Street Vendor issue since 1998. We filed a PIL in the Bombay High Court in 1998 (1722 of 1998) with a prayer that the Court direct the MCGM to implement the 1985 Supreme Court Order which

had laid down Guidelines to allocate Vending and Non-Vending Zones in Greater Mumbai. We continued to be in the Courts (both High Court and the Supreme Court) till 2013 when the Supreme Court gave the final Order in this matter. Please see our website [www.nagar.org.in](http://www.nagar.org.in) for more information.

Moreover, over all these years, we have participated in several meetings at the highest levels in the MCGM and the State Government as well as in all 24 Wards of Greater Mumbai. We have also networked extensively with both citizens and hawkers to find an amicable solution of Street Vending in the city.

Because of our extensive experience, at the ground level, in the Courts and with Government NAGAR believes it is eminently qualified to be a member of the TVC. We feel that we'll be able to offer insightful, instructive, and quality inputs to the competent authority in preparing a good and equitable zoning for the citizens of Mumbai.

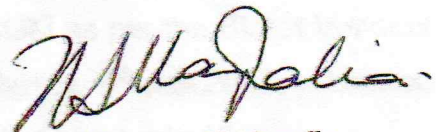
Looking forward to a positive response

Thanking You,



Meher Razaat

Trustee



Nayana Kathpalia

Trustee

**On behalf of Trustees**

Anand Akerkar	D M Sukthankar	Dinesh Ahir	Gerson Da Cunha
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