



# Sri Lanka Islamic (UK) Association

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## NOTICE OF THE 54th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Dear Member,

Assalamu Alaikum,

Please find enclosed the notice of the 54th Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Sri Lanka Islamic Association (UK), together with the supporting documentation for your review.

**The enclosed pack contains:**

- Notice of the AGM
- Agenda and supporting information
- Minutes of the previous AGM
- Annual Accounts and Financial Statements
- Membership renewal information and forms

We kindly remind all members that, in accordance with the Association's constitution, only members with a valid and fully paid subscription are eligible to attend, participate and vote at the AGM. If you have not yet renewed your membership, please do so before the meeting to ensure your voting rights are maintained.

We encourage all members to review the enclosed documents in advance and attend the AGM to contribute to the future direction and continued success of our Association.

We look forward to welcoming you on Sunday 5th July 2026.

**Date:** 5th July 2026

**Time:** 10:30 am – 12:45pm

**Location:** Claremont High School  
Harrow  
HA3 0UH



### *SLIA Vision:*

*To connect our members with their Sri Lankan heritage  
Serving the community since 1972*



## 54<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting Agenda and Contents

### Opening proceeding - Fatiha

Welcome address by the president.

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### 54<sup>th</sup> AGM for the Period ending 1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> December 2025

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### TBA **Meeting Close and Salawat**

## Section 1: 53rd Annual General Meeting Minutes

### 1.1 53<sup>rd</sup> Annual General Meeting Minutes

Minutes of AGM of the Sri Lanka Islamic Association (U.K) was held on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> of September 2025, at Harrow Mosque, 34 Station Road, Harrow, HA1 2SQ with members also participating remotely via zoom.

The meeting commenced at **10.30am** with the recitation of Surah Al Fathiha. A quorum of 30 members was confirmed in accordance with the Association’s Constitution, taking into account members attending both in person and via Zoom.

### 1.2 Members attending in person

Kahlid Malhar	M.J Marzook	Hijaz Yaseen	Fathima. M Sulaiman
Azhar Salahudeen	Minna Mohamed	Azad Sadikeen	Sarah Burton
Alan Wahab	A F Musafer	Mohamed Irfhan	M Ossman
Shiffa Wahab	F Z Musafer	Jabir Sulaiman	Minha Hameed
Dina Sadikeen	Kahrnun Salahudeen	Abdul Rahuman	Rifaz Razik
Hanum Ismail	Nister Annis	Azahim Mohamed	Ajwad Hashim
Mazia Marzook	Jesmin Annis	Abdul Hilmy	Deen Ossman
Shihama Abdual Carder	Hidaya Zahir	Nabil A Cadar	Zeeniya Saleem
Mohamed Saleem	Fazly Wahab	Manjula Ossman	Haleem Osman
A Liyaudeen	M Liyaudeen	Latiff Abdeen	Zackia Abdeen
Azmi Hassan	Shamila Nalimdeen	Z Rayan	Shihama Zahir
Althaf Zahir	Faizel Ghouse		

#### 1.2.1 Members attending via Zoom

- Imtiaz Muhseen

#### 1.2.2 Apologies

- None received.

#### 1.2.3 Matters discussed

The Secretary informed members that meeting documents would be distributed via WhatsApp rather than email. Some members attending remotely experienced technical difficulties accessing the meeting via Zoom.

#### President's Address

The President reflected on his two-year term in office, acknowledging the challenges encountered and expressing his gratitude to members of the community for their support. He also noted that committee members had, at times, been subjected to criticism and unacceptable behavior

## **Governance and AGM delays**

Members expressed concerns regarding governance arrangements and the delays in holding the AGM. There was discussion as to whether the meeting should proceed as an AGM or be treated as a Special General Meeting (SGM). Following extensive discussion, a majority of members agreed that the meeting should proceed as an AGM.

Members also raised concerns regarding delays in the preparation of the annual accounts and meeting minutes and requested that future accounts be circulated and presented within 28 days.

## **Review of 2024 Accounts**

The Secretary informed the members that the accounts were still being finalised by the auditors but presented a draft set of accounts for consideration by the members. Membership expressed disappointment with the delay in finalising the accounts. It was decided to expedite the finalisation of the accounts from the auditors to be expedited.

To strengthen the governance arrangements, members proposed the formation of a review committee to oversee and review the 2024 accounts prior to ratification. The proposed members included: Hilardeen Ossman, Manjula Osman, Kahlid Malhar, Gazamfer Hameed.

## **Building rental Review**

Resolved: Members approved an increase in the rental charge for the SLIA building from **£1,250 to £1,500 per month**, effective from **January 2026**, following a two-year rent freeze.

## **Constitutional Amendments**

Members proposed a review of the Constitution to address governance deficiencies that had emerged over the previous two years.

Members requested that the incoming President, Imtiaz Muhseen, investigate these matters. Imtiaz Muhseen confirmed that he would consult with the incoming committee and determine an appropriate course of action.

## **Charity Donations**

A question was raised regarding previous charitable donations. The Committee confirmed that all charitable contributions were made in accordance with established due diligence procedures and approved disbursement processes.

## **Member Communications**

Members expressed concerns regarding limited communication on events and activities. Ghazanfar Hameed responded that member engagement had been relatively low despite communications being issued, noting that only 13 members had confirmed attendance for the AGM. Members also reported issues with receiving WhatsApp messages.

## **Future AGM Arrangements**

The meeting discussed ways to improve future AGM arrangements, including:

- Circulating meeting documents in advance.

- Providing digital access links ahead of meetings.
- Introducing proxy attendance arrangements.
- Improving online access to financial statements.
- Acquiring additional equipment to support hybrid meetings.

### 1.3 Secretary's Report (2024)

#### **Secretary's report 2024.**

Kahlid Mahler informed the membership that no charity payments we made during 2024.

**The following events were held during the year.**

- Breakfast events held on four Saturday's during the month of Ramadan

### 1.4 Treasurer Report 2024

**As the treasurer was not present the draft accounts were presented by the secretary.**

The accounts were discussed informally. However, the membership was of the view that since the accounts were not reviewed and confirmed by the auditors, it will have to await the auditors review and as such cannot be adopted.

### 1.5 Building Report

**The membership was informed that there was nothing to report on the building for the year 2024.**

## 2.0 54th AGM proceeding 2025.

Pro temp Chairman – Mr Azahim Mohamed presided over the nominations

Mr A Mohamed informed the membership the list of names proposed and seconded to hold office for the year 2025.

Position	Nominee	Proposed by	Seconded by
President	Hussain Imtiaz Mushen	A Azahim Mohamed	Nissther Annis
Vice-President	Mohamed Azhar	Jazal Marzook	Azahim Mohamed
Treasurer	Irfhan Zuwaid	Azhar Salahudeen	Jazal Marzook
Assistant Treasurer	Jazal Marzook	Azhar Salahudeen	Azahim Mohamed
Secretary	Dina Sadikeen	Jazal Marzook	Azhar Salahudeen
Assistant Secretary	Vacant		
Committee Member	Ahamed Hussain Wahab	A F Musafer	M J S Mahroof
Committee Member	Hijazy Yassen	Nissther Annis	Jazal Marzook
Committee Member	Nissther Annis	Azahim Mohamed	Jazal Marzook
Committee Member	Rifaz Razik	Jazal Marzook	Azhar Salahudeen
Committee Member	Matheen khalid	Mohammed Saleem	Ghazanfar Hameed
Committee Member	Ghazanfar Hameed	Hilardeen Ossman	Mohammed Saleem
Committee Member	Ajwad Hashim	Nisthar Annis	Jazal Marzook
Committee Member	Vacant		

### Closing Remarks

Appreciation expressed to outgoing and incoming committee members.

Emphasis on teamwork, transparency, and community engagement.

Meeting concluded with a commitment to improve operations and uphold SLIA's values.

### 10 . Appointment of Accountants

It was agreed to continue with the current accountants Reddy Siddiqui LLP.

**3.0 Events and Activities conducted during the year 2025.**

<b>Event</b>	<b>Date and Venue</b>	<b>Notes</b>
Naqshbandi Zikr	19 <sup>th</sup> January 2025 – Harrow Central Mosque	Attended by around 130 guests
Ramadan Iftar 1 – Naqshbandi Zikr	1 <sup>st</sup> March 2025 – Claremont School, Kenton, Harrow	Attended by around 150 guests
Ramadan Iftar 2 – Shazuliya Hadrah	8 <sup>th</sup> March 2025 – Kingsbury Green School, Harrow	Attended by around 140 guests
Ramadan Iftar 3 – Hizb and Katham Thamam	15 <sup>th</sup> March 2025 – Kingsbury Green School, Harrow	Attended by around 150 guests
Ramadan Iftar 4 – Hadad Rathib	22 <sup>nd</sup> March 2025 – Claremont School, Kenton, Harrow	Attended by around 135 guests
Celebration of Prophets Birth	28 <sup>th</sup> September 2025 Harrow Mosque	Attended by 150 people.

### 3.1 Committee Meetings held during 2025

The SLIA Executive Committee held the following meetings during the year 2025:

Date	16/02/2025	06/04/2025	13/07/2025	30/11/2025	
Ghazanfar Hameed	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Sharana Nizar	N		N	-	
Khalid Malhar	Y	Y	Y	-	
Hillardeen Ossman	Y	Y	Y	-	
Abdul Hilmy	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Ahamed Wahab	Y		Y	Y	
Nissther Annis	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Hijazy Yaseen	Y	Y	Y	-	
Azhar Salahudeen	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Mohamed Irfan	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Shamila Nilamdeen Ryan	Y	Y	Y	-	
H I Muhseen	-	-	-	Y	
F D Sadikeen	-	-	-	Y	
A Hashim	-	-	-	Y	
R Razik	-	-	-	Y	
H Yaseen	-	-	-	Y	
Matheen Khalid	-	-	-	Y	

### 3.2 Nominations for Election of office bearers for the year 2026

The following nominations for the year 2026 AGM were received ahead of the deadline date of 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2026 deadline:

Position	Nominee	Proposed by	Seconded by
President	H I Muhseen	Nissther Annis	Azahim Mohamed
Vice-President			
Treasurer	M Irfan	Rifaz Zuwaid	Dina Sadikeen
Assistant Treasurer			
Secretary	F D Sadikeen	Imtiaz Muhseen	Nissther Annis
Assistant Secretary			
Committee Member	A Hashim	Imtiaz Muhseen	Dina Sadikeen
Committee Member	M Nissther Annis	A Mohamed	Imtiaz Muhseen
Committee Member	R Razik	Mohamed Irfhan	Dina Sadikeen
Committee Member	H Yaseen	Nissther Annis	Imtiaz Muhseen
Committee Member	A M Hilmy	Azahim Mohamed	Imtiaz Muhseen
Committee Member	Matheen Khalid	Nissther Annis	Imtiaz Muhseen
Committee Member			
Committee Member			

### 3.3 Nominations for Election of office for the year 2026 received after the deadline:

- Jazal Marzook
- Allan Wahab.