PAKISTAN COATING ASSOCIATION

ELECTION SCHEDULE – 2026 (For Term 2026–2028)

SER	ACTIVITY	DAY & DATE
1.	The Secretary General shall **display the election schedule on the notice board of PCA**, upload the same on the official website and submit a copy of the schedule to the Regulator.	15th July, 2026 (Wednesday)
2.	Any member of the Association wishing to change its authorized representative shall notify the Secretary General in writing and submit the relevant supporting documents as evidence of the change.	20th July, 2026 (Monday)
3.	The Secretary General shall display the **provisional list of all members eligible to vote along with NTN, Sales Tax Registration** (if applicable), name and CNIC number of their authorized representative at Notice Board and website of the Association.	22nd July, 2026 (Wednesday)
4.	The members having any objection to the entries or changes appearing in the provisional voters list shall submit their objections in writing to the Secretary General.	29th July, 2026 (Wednesday)
5.	The Secretary General shall examine and intimate the action taken on objections or changes submitted by the members.	3rd August, 2026 (Monday)
6.	Any member aggrieved by the decision of the Secretary General may submit a representation before the Election Commission for consideration.	7th August, 2026 (Friday)
7.	The Election Commission shall review and decide the representation submitted by the aggrieved member.	10th August, 2026 (Monday)
8.	Any person aggrieved by the decision of the Election Commission or where the Commission fails to decide within stipulated time may file an appeal before the Regulator, whose decision shall be final.	15th August, 2026 (Saturday)
9.	The Regulator shall decide the appeal filed under the preceding clause.	26th August, 2026 (Wednesday)
10.	**The final list of voters shall be displayed on the notice board and website of the Association and shall also be submitted to the Regulator.**	28th August, 2026 (Friday)
11.	**Eligible candidates shall submit nomination papers for vacant seats of Executive Committee**, duly proposed and seconded by registered voters. **The Executive Committee shall consist of the following regional representation:** a. **North Region:** Fifteen (15) seats. b. **South Region:** Five (5) seats.	**2nd September, 2026** (Wednesday)
12.	Scrutiny of nomination papers and letters of authority by the Election Commission. Final voters list shall be provided to contesting candidates and list of valid candidates along with withdrawal forms shall be circulated.	3rd September, 2026 (Thursday)

13.	Objections, if any, against nomination of candidates may be filed before the Election Commission as per applicable rules.	4th September, 2026 (Friday)
14.	The Election Commission shall decide the objections filed against nomination papers of candidates.	5th September, 2026 (Saturday)
15.	Any aggrieved candidate may file an appeal before the Regulator against the decision of Election Commission within the prescribed time.	7th September, 2026 (Monday)
16.	The Regulator shall decide the appeal filed by the aggrieved candidate.	14th September, 2026 (Monday)
17.	**The Secretary General shall receive withdrawals from contesting candidates.**	17th September, 2026 (Thursday)
18.	**The Election Commission shall issue and display the final list of contesting candidates.**	**18th September, 2026** (Friday)
19.	**Polling for the Corporate and Associate Class Executive Committee seats shall be conducted simultaneously at the PCA Main Secretariat, Lahore, and the Regional Secretariat, Karachi, from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. without any break. Immediately after the close of polling, the votes shall be counted, and the provisional results shall be announced.**	24th September, 2026 (Thursday)
20.	**Newly elected Executive Committee members shall submit nominations for election of Office Bearers** duly proposed and seconded by elected EC members. The Women entrepreneurs contesting reserved seats shall also submit nomination papers accordingly. **The Regional allocation of the Office Bearers will be as follow**: a. **Chairman:** North Region b. **Senior Vice Chairman:** South Region c. **Two (2) Vice Chairmen:** North Region	**26th September, 2026** (Saturday)
21.	Scrutiny of nomination papers for Office Bearers by the Election Commission and display of final list of candidates.	28th September, 2026 (Monday)
22.	**Polling for Women Entrepreneurs Reserved Seat (Executive Committee as Electoral College) and declaration of provisional result.**	28th September, 2026 (Monday) 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

23.	**Polling for election of Office Bearers of the Association**.	28th September, 2026 (Monday) 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
24.	**Announcement of final election results in the General Meeting of the Association.**	30th September, 2026 (Wednesday)

OFFICE TIMINGS DURING ELECTIONS

1. Monday to Friday - 9:00 a.m to 5:00 p.m
2. Saturday (Half Day) - 9:00 a.m to 1:00 p.m
3. Sunday - Closed