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## **About Myself**

As a renowned engineering consultant in the Canadian nuclear industry, I provide services to engineering corporations and nuclear utilities all over Canada. I am a trained structural engineer by profession, a licensed professional engineer in Ontario, Canada, and Michigan, USA, and also a chartered engineer in the Institution of Civil Engineers, United Kingdom.

Apart from my professional life, I am actively involved in community activities and am the President of the Centennial Park Skating Club in Etobicoke, Toronto. I am also the Vice Chair at the Ontario Chapter of the Institution of Civil Engineers, United Kingdom. In addition to this, I was the Assistant Secretary of the Jaffna Hindu College Association in 2015 and 2016, the Chair of the Dinner Subcommittee in 2016, the Secretary in 2018 and 2023, and also a member of the Process Review Committee (PRC) in 2019.

## Jaffna Hindu College

I studied at Jaffna Hindu College (JHC) from 1976 to 1983 and have represented the college in the Jaffna Circuit Meet, J.S.S.A. I participated in sports and games very credibly and brought laurels to the college. I was an outstanding sportsman at the college, but did not have the opportunity to play 1st XI soccer as I was 17 years old when leaving the school for university. I was proud to be a JHC old boy at the Faculty of Engineering, University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka.

## Achievements:

- Vice-Captain 3rd XI College Soccer Team in 1980
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- Athletic Captain, Kasipillai House 1982
- Secretary of Kasipillai House 1982
- Member of College Cricket Team 1979 and 1980
- Member of Army Cadet Corp

## If Elected...

Being a former Secretary and Assistant Secretary, I have gained the trust of other members, particularly the administration of the association's activities. The strength and experience that I have gained over these periods are invaluable assets that are required by the Association. I will continuously reach out to all members and commit to a transparent association by ensuring that all financial information and transactions are available to members when requested.

I am a strong supporter of modernising the association by better serving its members and inviting younger members into this association. I ardently support the bolstering of our constitution to better protect both the association and its members. I will work hard with the newly elected office bearers and the executive members to build trust, which will eventually pave the path for greater involvement at large. I will continuously advocate for improvement where possible, whether that be our endeavours, or the inclusivity and ownership of activities in the subcommittees and the executive committee. Above all, I will prioritize the continued growth of our association, by training and grooming younger members for leadership positions they will one day undertake.