30<sup>th</sup> September 2022

Dear Branch Secretary,

## NOMINATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEES FOR 2023/2025

- EDUCATION COMMITTEE
- EQUALITY COMMITTEE
- NON-PERMANENT TEACHERS' ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The election to these committees will take place at the 2023 Annual Convention which will be held in Clayton Whites Hotel, Wexford from 11<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> April 2023. Each candidate must be nominated by a branch and the appropriate nomination forms duly completed must be sent to reach the General Secretary <u>by 5.00 pm on</u> <u>Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2023</u>. Nominated candidates may withdraw on or before February 8<sup>th</sup> 2023. Please find enclosed the nomination forms for these committees and the ASTI Election Code.

Please note that it is not necessary to be a member of Central Executive Council or a delegate at Convention to be a candidate in these elections.

In relation to the Non-Permanent Teachers' Advisory Committee, Standing Committee asks that branches consider nominating a non-permanent teacher to serve on this committee.

It is important to note that no member may serve on more than one of the following committees namely, Standing Committee, Education Committee and Equality Committee during a concurrent term of office.

## **GENDER BALANCE:**

The ASTI wishes to promote gender balance in the election of members to committees/offices within the ASTI. In this regard, the Equality Committee asks branches to be mindful of this in the context of elections to committees/offices within the union.

With every good wish.

Yours sincerely,

Kat

Kieran Christie GENERAL SECRETARY