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Objective: To obtain a Board Member, Commissioner, or a Representative position where I can utilize my years of experience in serving Columbus and Ohio community.

Background: After practicing dentistry for 17 years in India, I moved to Chillicothe, Ohio in 1977 to join my family. There, I worked for the Ohio Rehabilitation & Corrections Department in Dental Services at Chillicothe Correctional Institute for about 11 years. After moving to Columbus, I owned and operated a small business from 1987 to 2001. My two sons and one daughter are well settled in Columbus, Ohio. Now that I have retired, a significant amount of time is spent in entertaining eight grand children and serving the needs of my community through various organizations.

Affiliations: Following represents some of my present and past affiliations with various organizations.

- Commissioner Advisory Commission of Governor's Office of Faith Based Community Initiative. 2008-Present
- Board Member Alcohol Drug & Mental Health Franklin County. 2007-Present
- Commissioner: Community Relations Commission, City of Columbus. 2003-Present.
- Board Member: American Red Cross. 2003-Present.
- Board Member Columbus Police Minority Recruitment Unit. 2008-Present
- Chair: Red Cross Speaker's Bureau. 2003-Present.
- President: Spiritual Sadhna Society – Organized several religious, cultural, and educational programs. In 1983, Gov. Richard F. Celeste and H.E. Mr. K.R. Narayanan, Ambassador of India, with other Ohio Senators attended the programs. 1980-Present.
- Founding Member: Interfaith Association of Central Ohio. 1984-Present.
- Director: Shiva Counseling Services. A non-profit organization for teaching, and practicing techniques of stress reduction for improving family and social relationships. 1987-Present.
- Member: Mayor's Religious Advisory Council. 2001-Present.
- President: Port Columbus Interfaith Services. 2004-Present.
- Board Member: Federation of Indian Associations (FIA). 2002-Present
- Member: Ohio Bicentennial – Religious Advisory Council. Contributed to the book entitled, "Religion in Ohio" and presented Historic Markers at places of worship. 2002-2003.
- Trustee: Asian & Pak Cultural Association – Several cultural, social, and educational programs were attended by Ambassador of Pakistan, Mayor of Columbus, and other dignitaries. 1991-1999.
- Board Member: UNA / USA Columbus Chapter. 200-2004. - 2006-Present.
- Board Member: Asian American Community Services. 1999-2002.
- Executive Committee: Past member of the U.N. Festival, Columbus, Ohio. - Chair of C.M.I.F. Festival.
- Executive Committee: Past member of the Asian Festival, Columbus, Ohio.

Education: BAMS, SH Medical College, Bihar, India. 1957
MDS, SJ Medical College, Calcutta, India. 1962