Section 2:

Short bio-data of the Nominee (max 500 words):

Rashid is an IT leader with a strong passion for delivering greater business value by employing project management standards, quality-driven processes, right technologies and collaborative teams. Member SPMI since 2006 and a PMP since 2007. More than 15 years of professional experience in diverse geographical, technology and business environments. Worked for leading multi-national organizations, such as Credit Lyonnais, Siemens and Fujitsu – and currently at FedEx where he leads cross-functional teams and manages a portfolio of programs, projects and systems for the Asia Pacific & China region. His areas of interest include CRM, Sales Force Automation, Sales Performance Management, Mobile Technologies, Project Portfolio Management and Information Security.

Rashid holds an MBA from University of Birmingham, MS (Computing) from National University of Singapore and Bachelors in Computer Systems Engineering from N.E.D University of Engg. & Tech., Pakistan. He is certified in ITIL Foundation, PRINCE2 Foundation and also a P3O Practitioner. He is a Dale Carnegie Graduate and a Toastmasters Competent Communicator. Currently serving as the Vice President-Education for Changi-Simei Toastmasters Club and as the Alumni Ambassador of University of Birmingham in Singapore. He can be reached at:

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Short description of how nominee intend to contribute to the chapter (max 500 words):

As a PMP and SPMI member, I want to encourage the adoption of the PMI's project management methodologies and tools among the practitioners in general. And also to develop the recognition of Project Management as a distinct profession and business discipline in the industry by promoting the awareness of immense business benefits produced by competent Project Managers and adoption of standard methodologies.

I could share my experience and expertise with the board and the Exco in introducing new programs and activities at SPMI that can engage and deliver more benefits to the members and organization. For instance, we can invite the senior members to conduct educational sessions at little or no cost – or we can setup purely networking sessions for smaller and specific industry or practices groups. At SPMI, my primary focus will be to empower and educate our members to become better project managers, leaders and experts. As a leader and board member, I would maintain the highest ethical standards and provide leadership in protecting and fostering the interests of SPMI members, SPMI organization and the PMI.