



Mr Syed Aminul Haque

Place of Residence: **Portsmouth**
Sector: **Politics**

Syed Aminul Haque was born in 1942 in the village of Modhupur (Shaheb Bari), Dubai Bazar Bahubal district in Habigonj.

Mr Haque was educated at Bahubal Dinnath Institution Satkaphon in Bangladesh. He also went onto study at Putijury Alia Madrasha for a short period. He then arrived in the UK in 1962. Mr Haque's eldest brother brought him over to the UK to obtain further education.

He went over to join his brother in Manchester and to join his business in Bury, Manchester. Mr Haque's eldest brother also got him involved in social community organisations. This gave Syed Aminul Haque inspiration to be involved in community work. Mr Haque then moved to Oxford and went to Headington Technical College where he studied English at A Level. Whilst studying Mr Haque worked in Midland Bank and later worked as a reception clerk at Radcliff Infirmary Hospital. He went onto to study further at Highbury Technical College, Cosham in Portsmouth where he studied Business and accounting.

After moving to Portsmouth all the brothers joined together to open a business and to be partners in the business. Mr Haque joined ICS International Correspondence School and studied a Hotel and Catering Management course. He eventually moved to London working in the catering industry. Mr Haque also studied in Business and Finance at Westminster University.

Syed Aminul Haque has been a self employed catering manager over the years. He also taken a keen interest in volunteering and community work and has participated with various organisations. At present he is the President of the Bangladesh Welfare Association in Portsmouth (BWA), he has been a Chairperson of the Greater Sylhet Development and Welfare Council UK Portsmouth Branch, founder member of communities united and Vice Chairman. Vice Chairman of the Ektha Housing Association Portsmouth, founder member of Portsmouth Racial



Equality Network, member of the Hampshire Constabulary Consultative Group (police HQ) and member of Hampshire Fire and Rescue Service Eastleigh (HQ), Member of Havant Borough Council Safety Group, member of Portsmouth City Council Cohesion Panel, member of the Ministry of Defence, Ethnic Minority Advisory Group, member of the PCC Racial Harassment Forum, member of the NHS patient charter, member of the Portsmouth Jame Mosque Advisory Council and Member of the Community Education steering Committee. He was also member of Portsmouth Interfaith Forum (PIF), Portsmouth Priory School's Governor, member of the NHS Equal Voice forum and member of Lion's Club International (Welfare Division).

In the past Mr Haque has been a reporter for the newspaper Shadhiker at Habigonj Bangladesh. In recognition for his invaluable work and outstanding contribution to the community Syed Aminul Haque was awarded the Community award from Channel S.

Currently Mr Haque is the Interpreter for the PCC, furthermore he is the outreach worker for the PCC Housing participation department. In his spare time Mr Haque enjoys dining out, playing some sports, reading and public relations. Mr Haque is married to Farha Deeba Haque and they have three sons and three daughters.