

**Proceedings of the Executive Council meeting of the Society of Statistics, Computer and Applications held at IASRI, New Delhi on 13 April, 2012 at 02.30 p.m.**

Executive Council (EC) meeting of the Society of Statistics, Computer and Applications was held at IASRI, New Delhi under the chairmanship of Prof. Alope Dey on 13 April, 2012 at 02.30 p.m.

The following members attended the meeting.

1. Prof. Alope Dey, in Chair
2. Prof. V.K. Gupta
3. Dr. V.K. Bhatia
4. Dr. D. Roy Chaudhury
5. Dr. R.C. Agrawal
6. Dr. Rajender Parsad
7. Dr. Alope Lahiri
8. Dr. Lalmohan Bhar
9. Dr. Ramasubramanian V.
10. Dr. Alka Arora

The following issues were discussed and appropriate decisions taken are given as follows:

**1. Finalization of venue and dates for organization of the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Society**

One verbal request has come from Mr. Piyush Kant Rai, Banasthali for holding the 15th Annual Conference. However, no correspondence has come from the VC concerned of his institute. EC decided that the secretary may write a letter to Mr. Rai urging him to give their consent about holding this conference within some specified time limit. If Banasthali cannot hold the conference, alternative venues like University of Rajasthan, Jaipur or Dr. Pankaj Mittal VC, may be contacted.

**2. Review of activities of the society**

- (i) Concerted efforts should be made to ensure timely publication of society's journal. The combined volume for the year 2009 and 2010 is ready for printing. However, due to financial crunch, EC in its earlier meeting decided to publish the journal online for the time being. Dr. A. Dhandapani, NAARM, Hyderabad has been entrusted with the task of creating the website and make it operational as early as possible. Work is in progress in this direction.
- (ii) Chairman expressed that the present editorial board may be revived. It was also decided that Dr. Rajender Parsad would be the Editor of the Journal and Dr. LM Bhar would be the Managing Editor of the Journal. The other members of the Editorial Board would be the Associate Editors. A new editorial board may be set up in consultation with Professor Alope Dey. The Chairman also emphasized that the editorial process should be completed within six months so that impact factor of the journal is increased.

- (iii) Chairman desired that the annual conference may be organized once in two years in the future. A proposal may be put up in the next GB meeting.
- (iv) Outside sources of fund like NABARD, RBI etc. may be explored. The Secretary of the society, along with the Joint Secretaries, may take action in this regard.
- (v) NRI members may be asked for raising funds for the society. A letter from the president of the society may be written to them.
- (vi) Change of address of the society should be intimated to the Registrar, GoI.
- (vii) The membership fees for becoming life member of the society should be raised from Rs. 1500/- to Rs. 2500/-. A proposal may be put up in the next GB meeting.
- (viii) In the last GB meeting, the post of President was kept vacant. EC now decided to fill it up by Dr. V.K. Gupta who is Executive President at present. Now onwards the post of Executive President is done away with.
- (ix) The organizing secretary of the 14<sup>th</sup> Annual conference Dr. D.K. Ghosh may be requested to prepare the proceedings of the conference for distributing the same to the members.
- (x) Overall activities of the society will be looked after by Dr. D. Roy Chaudhury. He will be assisted by the three joint secretaries with the following activities:
  - Dr. Lalmohan Bhar – activities related to publication of journal
  - Dr. Alope Lahiri – Accounts and financial activities of the society
  - Dr. Ramasubramanian V. – Regarding GB, EC meetings

**(D. Roy Chaudhury)**

**Secretary,  
Society of Statistics, Computer and Applications**

**APPENDIX-I**  
**LIST OF NEW COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR 2011-12**

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Late Prof. M.N. Das, New Delhi

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1. Dr. Pranab Sen, New Delhi
2. Dr. R. B. Barman, Bombay
3. Dr. Rajpal Singh, Baraut
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6. Dr. R.C. Agrawal, New Delhi

Executive President

Dr. V. K. Gupta, IASRI, New Delhi

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5. Dr. Bikas K. Sinha, Kolkata
6. Dr.(Mrs.) Pankaj Mittal, Sonipat

Secretary

Dr. D. Roy Chaudhury, New Delhi

Treasurer

Dr. Ashish Das, Mumbai

Jt. Secretaries

1. Dr. Alope Lahiri, New Delhi
2. Dr. L.M. Bhar, New Delhi
3. Dr. Ramasubramanian V., New Delhi

Members

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| 1 | Dr. K.K. Jose, Pala, Kerala             | 9  | Dr. Mrs Veena Manocha, Hisar   |
| 2 | Dr. K.V. Palanichamy, Mumbai            | 10 | Dr. A. Ramasastri, RBI, Mumbai |
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| 5 | Dr. Kashinath Chatterjee, Shantiniketan | 13 | Dr. Alka Arora, New Delhi      |
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| 7 | Dr. S. Sampath, Chennai                 | 15 | Dr. Jagdish Prasad, Jaipur     |
| 8 | Dr. D.R. Aneja, Hisar                   |    |                                |

Ex-Officio Member

Dr. Rajender Parsad, New Delhi

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