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Minutes of Executive Committee Meeting

Date: 14th of March, 2020

Venue: CRRID, Sector-19A, Madhya Marg, Chandigarh

Review meeting of NWISA Executive Committee members was held at CRRID, Sector- 19-A, Madhya Marg, Chandigarh on dated 14th March, 2020, under the chairmanship of President NWISA and facilitated by Dr. Manoj Kumar Teotia, the EC member and local host of the meeting. The meeting started at 3:30 PM at CRRID. The agenda of the meeting was as follows:

1. Life-time Achievement Award
2. XXI NWISA Conference in view of Corona Virus
3. Review of previous meeting and action taken report
4. Patronage of NWISA
5. Any other Item

Secretary of NWISA welcomed all worthy executive members of NWISA. Then after, secretary read the minutes of previous meeting and after healthy discussion, minutes were passed. The president was requested to address the executive and he briefly discussed all agenda items. All items were discussed by all EC members and resolved and following decisions were taken:

Agenda Item: 1 Life-time Achievement Award

The committee formed to fix criteria to give life-time achievement, presented their report. In the report committee suggested to follow the pattern and criteria of Indian Sociological Society (ISS) to give life-time achievement award and will be given to the eminent scholar from north-west region with 60 years and above age. Considering the suggestions, a committee was suggested to form to decide to give the award, the committee to finalize the name of awardees will be as follows:

1. President, NWISA
2. General Secretary (Member Secretary)
3. Two eminent Professors of NW Region

After a detailed discussion with all EC members and it was amicably decided that the award will be given in annual conference of NWISA every year and to give award, this year, committee comprises of following members have been formed:

1. Sh. Bhup Singh Gaur (Convener)
2. Dr. Mohinder Slariya (Member Secretary)
3. Prof. B.K. Nagla (Subject Expert Member)
4. Prof. Prem Kumar (Subject Expert Member)

It was also decided that atleast two existing executive members of NWISA of that vary term will nominate the name of the awardees and recommended to the committee formed for the purpose and the committee will decide finally to whom award be given.

In this regard, this year (2019-2020) nomination for life-time achievement award will be received to give award to the eminent sociologists; Prof. S.L. Sharma, Prof. Brinder Pal Singh and Prof. P.N. Pimpley. Prof. SL Sharma was nominated by EC members; Dr. Manoj Kumar and Dr. Manoj Kumar Teotia. Prof. Brinder Pal Singh was recommended by EC member Dr. Bindu Dogra, Dr. Anupam Bahari and Dr. Jagsir Singh whereas Prof. PN Pimpley was recommended by EC member, Dr. Amarjit Lal and Dr. Bali Bahadur. It was also decided that the award will be comprises of memento, shawl and citation and no financial award will be given and Travel and stay will be borne by the organizing institution of the NWISA conference as awardees will be considered as special speakers in the conference.

Agenda Item: 2 XXI NWISA Conference in view of Corona Virus

In view of advisory issued by Ministry of Human Resource Development, UGC, Department of Higher Education, Govt. of Himachal Pradesh vide letter No. EDN-H (PA/DHE)-Misc-01/2020 dated 13th March 2020. Since the venue for XXI NWISA Conference is in Manali (Kullu District of HP), so XXI NWISA National Conference has been postponed till further notification.

The situation will be reviewed again after 15th of April (as per notification of state govt. and notification is being attached herewith) and decision will be communicated to all respected members. Keeping in view this situation, the date for submission of abstract is further extended upto 10th of April, 2020 and all those who had submitted their abstracts for the conference will be notified upto 11th of April.

Agenda Item: 3 Review of previous meeting and action taken report

As per the earlier notifications of various committees constituted, every committee has submitted their report and reports were discussed in detail. Executive was informed that publication of NWISA Research Journal is

almost in final stage and will be started very soon. It was discussed and appreciated the idea of formation of research committees. All conveners of RCs are again requested to submit write-up and other related requested information latest by 31st of March to the General Secretary so that same can be uploaded on official website.

Agenda Item: 4 Patronage of NWISA

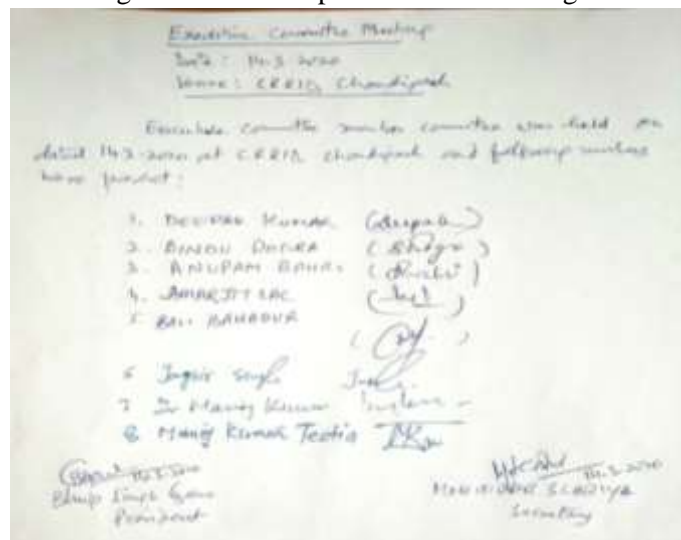
As per the provision of patronage in the constitution of NWISA, it was discussed and requested to all executive members to find-out patron of NWISA and agree them to contribute Rs. 5000/= as patronage fee minimum and maximum Rs. 10,000/= may be requested to contribute. In this regard it was also discussed to find out people from different arena of life beside academics. Along with this, it was also discussed that big entrepreneurs, business houses may be approached and convinced about the contribution of NWISA in north-west region and contribute some amount under CSR activities.

Agenda Item: 5 Any other Item

As agenda item, it has been amicably decided in principal that there should be proper representation in managing committee from each states of north-west region.

The application received for life membership from Dr. Viaks Sexana from SD College Beaver, Rajasthan, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology has been cancelled and the submitted fee will be refunded by post through check of Rs. 1000/=.

Following members were present in the meeting:



Committee for finalization of Life-time Achievement Award-2020 was formed and endorsed by EC members:

Committee for finalisation of Life time achievement award. of NWISA:

President
Secretary
Prof. B.K Nagle.
Prof. Prem Kumar

1. Dr Manoj Kumar Singh
2. Dr. Manoj Kumar Tootia MKT
3. Dr. Girish Datta S.Datta
4. Dr. Anupam Bhatti Bhatti
5. Dr. Jasjeet Singh Jasjeet
6. Dr. Anurag Lal Lal
7. Dr. Baljit Khatun Khatun

Recommendation for Life-time Achievement Award-2020 by worthy EC members:

Recommendation for Life-time Achievement Award

We hereby propose S.L. Sharma for life time achievement award

1. Dr. Manoj Kumar Singh
2. Dr. M.K. Tootia

We propose Prof. Binodendra Singh for the life time achievement award

1. Dr. Girish Datta S.Datta
2. Dr. Anupam Bhatti Bhatti
3. Dr. Jasjeet Singh Jasjeet

We propose Prof. P.N. Rimpley for life time achievement award

1. Dr. Anurag Lal Lal
2. Dr. Baljit Khatun Khatun

Meeting ended with vote of thanks to all members.

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Mohinder Slariya

Place: Chamba
Dated: 21.3.2020

Dr. Mohinder Slariya
General Secretary