



RAJASTHAN ECONOMIC ASSOCIATION

30th January 2018

General Body Meeting 2018-19

The general body meeting of Rajasthan Economic Association was held on 30th January 2018 at senate hall, V.C. Secretariat, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur after conclusion of the conference.

The agenda of the meeting was to approve the minutes of last general body meeting of the session 2017-18 held on 28th January 2017, minutes of executive meetings and to elect the new executive committee for the session 2018-19.

The general body unanimously approved the following points of subsequent meetings of the executive committee for the session 2017-18:

1. The minutes of the last general body meeting held at University of Kota on 28th January 2017 has been approved by the house unanimously.

2. The Secretary presented the report of the activities and the work performed by the executive committee during the session 2017-18. It was informed to the house that-

- The constitution amendment was successfully completed (incorporating all the changes which were passed by the general body till 2016) and the certified copy of the same is in official records now,
- Certified copy of registration letter of REA was also received from Registrar of Societies, Jodhpur after following the necessary process,
- PAN card of the association was also received by the secretary
- A new bank account in the ICICI Bank, University of Rajasthan branch was opened in order to facilitate internet banking and other features, which was not possible in the old account as it was initially opened with Rajasthan Bank. Further, there were issues with this account due to some technical problems. Hence, to overcome these problems a new account was opened in June 2017 and the PAN card has been linked to this account. The old account which is with the same branch has been closed now and the entire amount is transferred in the new account.
- A panel discussion on Union Budget 2017-18 was organized at Department of Economics, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur in February 2017.
- First workshop (on Research Methodology and Use of SPSS) of the association was organized in association with TIES at Mohanlal Sukhadia University, Udaipur from June 12-17, 2017.
- A Felicitation program for the former presidents' and secretaries' was organized during the 38th Annual Conference at University Guest House, Jaipur on 29th January 2018.
- Total number of 37 new life members was added in the session 2017.
- The publication of the Rajasthan Economic Journal has been made regular from the year 2018 onwards with the publication of January 2018 volume on time and was simultaneously distributed during the conference to the life members.
- Dr. V.K. Ari on behalf of the general body appreciated for the activities carried out by the executive committee.

3. In the last general body meeting held in Kota, it was decided to link the Rajasthan Economic Journal with REA executive from 2017-18 onwards in order to have better coordination and to bring out bi-annual publications regularly. In this direction, the journal has been brought back to the Department of Economics, University of Rajasthan and Prof. V.V. Singh has been appointed as the Chief Editor of REJ. An editorial board has been formed for the smooth functioning and



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assistance to the chief editor. It was also decided by the executive to upload the soft copy of the journal on the website of the association from January 2018 onwards so that it is freely available to all. Process is also going on to list the journal in the UGC approved list.

3. As requested by the general body in the last meeting, the outgoing Chief Editor of REJ Dr. S.C. Sharma submitted the audit report of the bank account of the journal and transferred the balance amount to the association's bank account. The bank account of REJ has been closed now and all the expenses for the publication will be met out by the association.

4. Dr. N.K. Vyas raised the issue about an old F.D. amounting to Rs. 2 lakh in UCO Bank. He said that it was done way back before he became secretary and should be searched into. The new executive should look into the matter.

5. Association will put more effort in order to increase the individual correspondence with life members.

6. The life members have requested the executive committee to submit the audited report to the house. The secretary presented the bank statement of last two years and an audited report will be submitted once the accounts of 38th Annual Conference are cleared within a month.

7. The issue about the status of life members whose details are not there with the association was raised by secretary. The house unanimously decided that such cases should be collected by the executive committee and subsequently presented in the next general body meeting for discussion and to decide upon such cases.

8. JNV University, Jodhpur proposed to host the next annual conference of REA. Another proposal from a private college in Alwar was received during the meeting.

9. General body nominated Dr. Rahul Chaudhary as the Chief Electoral Officer for the election of new executive. The new executive committee was elected unanimously in the elections held during the general body meeting. The new executive committee for the session 2018-19 is as follows-

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| 1. President | – | Dr Rameshwar Jat |
| 2. Vice President | – | Dr Girdhari Lal Meena |
| 3. Vice President | -- | Mr Kishna Ram Choudhary |
| 3. General Secretary cum Treasurer | – | Mr Yashwardhan Singh |
| 4. Joint Secretary-I | – | Dr Neha Paliwal |
| 5. Joint Secretary-II | – | Mr Bheem Singh Shekhawat |
| 6. Executive Members | – | Dr Ummed Singh, Dr Seema Pareek, Dr Ramgopal Sepat, Ms Boola Choudhary and Ms. Ruchi Sharma |
| 7. Co-opted Members | – | |

Place: Jaipur
30/01/2018

Dr. Rahul Chaudhary
Chief Electoral Officer



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The meeting ended with the thanks to the chair and all the members present in the meeting by the secretary.

The following life members were present in the general body meeting-

1. Dr Ram Narain Meena
2. Dr. Seema Pareek
3. Ms. Anita Meena
4. Mr. Hardan Ram
5. Dr. Vijay Kumar Ari
6. Dr. N.K. Vyas
7. Dr. M.R. Singariya
8. Dr. Santosh Rajpurohit
9. Dr. Dev Karan
10. Mr. Anil Nagar
11. Mr. Bheem Singh
12. Dr. Ummed Singh
13. Dr. G.L. Meena
14. Chitranjan K. Maurya
15. Dr. Ram Gopal Sepat
16. Ms. Anju Choudhary
17. Ms. Ruchi Sharma
18. Mr. Jai Narayan Choudhary
19. Ms. Boola Choudhary
20. Mr Yashwardhan Singh
21. Mr. K.R. Choudhary
22. Dr. Rameshwar Jat
23. Dr. Rahul Chaudhary

Secretary