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Date: October 21, 2019

**To**

**All the Fellows of the Society:**

Dear Sir/Madam,

The 95<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Society will be held on Friday, November 15, 2019 at 5.00 p.m. in the School of Studies in Chemistry, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, Chhattisgarh.

You are requested to attend.

Yours sincerely,

Chittaranjan Sinha

Honorary Secretary

### **AGENDA (Annual General Meeting 2019)**

1. To confirm the Proceedings of the last Annual General Meeting of the Society held at G B College, Naugachia, Bihar (Proceedings annexed) on December 29, 2018.
2. To report the presentation of different Endowment Awards.  
*Note:* Names of the Awardees will be announced at the meeting.
3. To present the Young Scientist Awards for the year 2019.  
*Note:* Names of the Awardees will be announced at the meeting.
4. To consider and adopt the Budget Estimate of the Society for the financial year 2020 – 2021 (Copy of the Budget Estimate is annexed).  
*Note:* The observation of the Council would be placed at the meeting.
5. To consider and adopt the Audited Statement of Accounts of different funds of the Society for the financial year 2018 – 2019 (the Statement of Accounts is furnished in the Annual Report for the year 2018 – 2019, which will be distributed in the meeting).  
*Note:* The observation of the Council would be placed at the meeting.
6. To consider and adopt the Annual Report of the Society for the financial year 2018 – 2019 (the Annual Report for the year 2018 – 2019 would be distributed in the meeting).  
*Note:* The observation of the Council would be placed at the meeting.
7. To declare the results of election (to be held in November 2019) of the Officer-Bearers, and the Ordinary Members of the Council.
8. To announce the venue of the next Annual Convention of Chemists, 2020.
9. Presidential Address: To be delivered by Professor D.C. Mukherjee, President of the Society.

**Proceedings of the 94<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Indian Chemical Society held on Tuesday, December 29, 2018 at 5 p.m. in the Department of Chemistry, G B College, Naugachia, Bihar.**

The names of the fellows present in the Meeting are given in Annexure- 1

At the outset, the Honorary Secretary requested Professor D.C. Mukherjee, the President, to preside over the meeting. Professor Mukherjee took the chair and called the meeting to order. He welcomed the members present and sought the cooperation of the members and then requested Professor Chittaranjan Sinha, the Honorary Secretary to take up the agenda items of the meeting.

The Honorary Secretary conveyed his sincere thanks to the Chair and also welcomed the members present. He then placed the items of the agenda.

Agenda -1

**To confirm the Proceedings of the last Annual General Meeting of the Society held in the Department of Chemistry, Uka Tarsadia University, Maliba Campus, Bardoli, Surat, Gujarat on December 24, 2017.**

The Honorary Secretary reported that the Proceedings of the last Annual General Meeting of the Society held at the Department of Chemistry, Uka Tarsadia University, Maliba Campus, Bardoli, Surat, Gujarat on December 24, 2017, had been duly uploaded in the website of the Indian Chemical Society and he did not receive any comments on the proceedings.

Professor D.C. Mukherjee, the President of the Meeting asked opinions of the Members whether the recording of the proceedings was correct. The Members opined that the recording of the proceedings was correct. Then Professor K B Pandeya proposed that the proceedings be confirmed and the proposal was seconded by Professor Ali Mohammad.

It was resolved that the Proceedings of the 93<sup>rd</sup> Annual General Meeting of the Society held at the G B College, Naugachia, Bhagalpur be confirmed.

Agenda -2

**To report the presentation of different Endowment Awards.**

*Note:* Names of the Awardees will be announced at the meeting.

The Honorary Secretary reported that the following endowment awards were presented after the awardees had delivered their lectures. The names of the awardees are given below:

<u>Name of the Award</u>	<u>Awardee</u>
1. Acharya P.C. Ray Memorial Award (2017)	Professor Pratim K Chattaraj
2. Professor J.C. Ghosh Memorial Award (2017)	Professor Brindaban C Ranu
3. Professor J.N. Mukherjee Memorial Award (2017)	Professor Biswajit Ganguly
4. Professor P. Ray Memorial Award (2017)	Professor Ashutosh Ghosh
5. Professor Suresh C. Ameta Award (2017)	Professor Ajay K Misra

6. Professor R.D. Desai 80<sup>th</sup> Birthday Award (2017)      Professor Kunal Roy  
7. Professor S.S. Sandhu Memorial Award (2017)      Professor Vandana Bhalla

Agenda-3

**To present the Young Scientist Awards for the year 2018.**  
**Note: Names of the Awardees will be announced at the meeting.**

The Honorary Secretary declared the names of the Young Scientist Awardees of the Convention and the Awards were presented to them. The list of awardees recommended by the Scientists-in-charge of the respective sections is given in **Annexure-2.**

Agenda -4

**To consider the Observation of the Council on the recommendations of the Election Reform Subcommittee and to make necessary resolution in this regard.**

The Honorary Secretary placed the recommendations of the Election Reform Subcommittee and the observation of the Council in this regard.

After discussion, Professor K B Pandeya that the recommendations of the Election Reform Subcommittee be confirmed. The proposal was seconded by Professor Ashok Jha.

It was resolved that the recommendations of the Election Reform Subcommittee be confirmed.

Agenda -5

**To consider and adopt the Budget Estimate of the Society for the financial year 2019 – 2020 and the Budget for 2018 – 2019 (Copy of the Budget Estimate is enclosed).**

**Note: The observation of the Council would be placed at the meeting.**

In absence of the Honorary Treasurer, the Honorary Secretary placed the Budget Estimate for the Financial Year 2019-2020 and the Budget for 2018-2019 as forwarded by the Council to the AGM.

After a prolonged discussion, Professor S K Talapatra proposed that the said Budget Estimate and the Budget be adopted and the proposal was seconded by Professor Sheo Satya Prakash.

It was resolved that the Budget Estimate of the Society for the Financial Year 2019-2020 and the Budget for 2018-2019 be accepted.

Agenda -6

**To consider and adopt the Audited Statement of Accounts of different funds of the Society for the financial year 2017 – 2018 (the Statement of**

**Accounts is furnished in the Annual Report for the year 2017 – 2018, which will be distributed later).**

**Note: The observation of the Council would be placed at the meeting.**

In absence of the Honorary Treasurer, the Honorary Secretary placed the Audited Statement of Accounts for the financial year 2017-2018 as forwarded by the Council to the AGM.

After a prolonged discussion Professor S T Gaikwad that the Audited Statement of Accounts for the year 2017-2018 be accepted. This was seconded by Professor Asok K Mallik.

It was resolved that the Audited Statement of Accounts for the year 2017-2018 be accepted.

#### Agenda -7

**To consider and adopt the Annual Report of the Society for the financial year 2017 – 2018 (the Annual Report for the year 2017 – 2018 would be distributed later).**

**Note: The observation of the Council would be placed at the meeting.**

The Honorary Secretary reported that the Annual Report of the Society for the year 2017-2018 had been circulated amongst the members present in the Annual General Meeting.

Professor Samaresh Bhattacharya proposed that the Annual Report of the Society for the year 2017-2018 be accepted and the same was seconded by Professor Subrata Ghosh.

It was resolved that the Annual Report of the Society for the year 2017-2018 be accepted.

#### Agenda -8

**To announce the venue of the next Annual Convention of Chemists, 2019**

The Honorary Secretary informed the House that he had received few invitations from different Universities expressing their intention to hold the next Annual Convention of Chemists 2019. However, it was decided that the final decision regarding the Venue of the next Annual Convention of Chemists would be taken in the next Council Meeting after considering the infrastructural facilities of the host institute.

#### Agenda – 10

**Presidential Address**

The Honorary Secretary stated that the Presidential Address had already been delivered by Professor D.C. Mukherjee, the President of the Indian Chemical Society at the inaugural session of the Convention on December 28, 2018.

The Honorary Secretary, on behalf of the Indian Chemical Society, expressed his deep sense of appreciation to all who had been associated with the Convention for their untiring service to hold the Convention very successfully. The Honorary Secretary expressed his sincere thanks to everybody present in the AGM for their active co-operation.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

**Sd/- Professor D.C. Mukherjee**  
**President of the Meeting**

**Sd/- Professor Chittaranjan Sinha**  
**Honorary Secretary**

## Annexure - 1

Record of Attendance at the Annual General Meeting of the Indian Chemical Society held on 29.12.2018 in the Department of Chemistry, G B College, Naugachia.

### Life Members

1. Professor D.C. Mukherjee, F/1108	Kolkata
2. Professor C.R. Sinha, F/4679	Kolkata
3. Professor Tanamaya Pathak, F/5018	Kharagpur
4. Professor Biswa Mohan Sahoo, F/8112	Odisha
5. Professor Bimal K Banik, F/8107	USA
6. Dr. Biswajit Pal, F/6543	Kolkata
7. Professor Asok K Mallik, F/1121	Kolkata
8. Dr. Ashok K Jha, F/6953	Bhagalpur
9. Dr. Chhagan Lal, F/7694	Kanpur
10. Dr. Debdyuti Mukherjee, F7870	Israel
11. Dr. Sujoy Sarkar, F/7871	Israel
12. Professor Asit Majumder, F/4769	Kolkata
13. Dr. Rahul Bhattacharya, F/7425	Kolkata
14. Prof. Samaresh Bhattacharya, F/5357	Kolkata
15. Dr. Prasanta Mukherjee, F/8039	Kolkata
16. Professor K B Pandeya, F/995	Allahabad
17. Professor S K Talapatra, F/1130	Kolkata
18. Professor Bani Talapatra, F/466	Kolkata
19. Professor Jagatpati Tah, F/8063	Burdwan
20. Professor S K Borthakur, F/7631	Assam
21. Dr. Dina Nath Singh, F/6936	Faizabad
22. Dr. Pradyut Sarma, F/7569	Assam
23. Professor Ashu Rani, F/6609	Kota
24. Professor Sheo Satya Prakash, F/821	Patna
25. Professor S T Gaikwad, F/7366	Aurangabad
26. Dr. Anjali Rajbhoj, F/6773	Aurangabad
27. Professor M K Lande, F/5493	Maharashtra
28. Dr. Bindeshwari Singh, F/6951	Bihar
29. Professor Surendra Prasad, F/4275	Chapra
30. Dr. Samar Roychowdhury, F/8106	Pune
31. Dr. N C Saha, F/5689	Kolkata
32. Dr. Sudipa Saha, F/7651	Kolkata
33. Dr. Haimanti Mallik, F/1128	Kolkata
34. Dr. Rammohan Pal, F/7670	Kolkata
35. Professor Ali Mohammad, F/1848	Aligarh

**Young Scientist Awards**

The Convention Awards (Young Scientist Awards) of the 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of Chemists, 2018 were presented to the following Young Chemists:

**Analytical Chemistry & Environmental Chemistry Section**

- 1) **Professor V.S. Tripathi Award:** Julekha Khatun, Nanometaterials Research Lab, Department of Chemistry, Sidho-Kanho-Birsha University, Purulia, West Bengal.
- 2) **Dr. Upadhyayulu V. Rao Memorial Award:** Jajati Mandal, Department of Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry, Bihar Agricultural University, Sabour, Bhagalpur, Bihar
- 3) **Dr. Upadhyayulu Annapurna & Satyanarayana Memorial Award:** Jyoti Korram, School of Studies in Chemistry, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, Chhattisgarh
- 4) **Prof. V. Pandu Ranga Rao Award:** R. Kashyap, Post Graduate Department of Biotechnology, Bhagalpur University, Bhagalpur, Bihar
- 5) **Prof. A. K. Dey Award:**

**6) Professor G. Gopalarao Centenary Young Scientist Award:**

- i) Sunanda Dey, Department of Chemistry, Jadavpur University, Kolkata-32
- ii) Avinash Kumar Rai, Department of Chemistry, PAHER University, Udaipur-313003

**Inorganic Chemistry Section :**

- i) **Prof. A. K. Dey Award:** Rakesh Purkait, Department of Chemistry, Jadavpur University, Kolkata-32
- ii) **Prof. B. C. Halder Memorial Award:** Prem B. Thombre, Department of Chemistry, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad-431004, Maharashtra
- iii) **Shree B. M. L. Bhasin Memorial Award:** Sonli A. Korde, Department of Chemistry, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad-431004,

Maharashtra

iv) **Best Poster Award:**

**Industrial and Applied Chemistry Section :**

**Indian Chemical Society Award:** Debdyuti Mukherjee, Institute of Chemistry  
The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel

**Organic and Biochemistry Section**

- i) **Dr. D. S. Bhakuni Award:** Adya Jain, School of Studies in Chemistry  
Jiwaji University, Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh
- ii) **Dr. B. N. Mankad Award:** Preetishmita Borah, Agrionics, V1(A) Department,  
CSIR-Central Scientific Instruments Organisation, Chandigarh, Punjab
- iii) **Dr. J. M. Dasgupta Award:** Sadananda Ranjit, Department of Chemistry,  
Ramnagar College, Purba Medinipur, West Bengal.
- iv) **Professor P. Sengupta Memorial Award:**
- v) **Professor S.K. Talapatra Award:** Nandagopal Hudait, Department of  
Chemistry, West Bengal State University, Barasat, Kolkata-700126
- vi) **Best Poster Award:** Ananya Dasmahapatra, ICMR-National Institute of  
Cholera and Enteric Diseases, P-3, C.I.T Road, Scheme-XM, Beliaghata,  
Kolkata-700010

**Physical Chemistry Section :**

- i) **Prof. Santi R. Palit Award (Two Awards):**
  - (a) Sujay Sarkar, Institute of Chemistry, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem,  
Israel
  - (b)
- ii) **Association of Kineticists Award (Two Awards):**
  - (a) Deepa Meena, Department of Pure and Applied Chemistry, University of  
Kota, Kota-324005
  - (b)
- iii) **Professor S.T. Nandibewoor Award:** Ajit Das, Department of Chemistry,  
Sidho-Kanho-Birsha University, Purulia, West Bengal



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**Budget Estimate for the year 2020-2021 with Actual**  
**Receipts and Payments in 2018-2019**

	<b>Actuals for 2018-2019</b>	<b>Budget Estimate for 2019-2020</b>	<b>Budget Estimate for 2020-2021</b>
<b>Receipts</b>	<b>(in Rs.)</b>	<b>(in Rs.)</b>	<b>(in Rs.)</b>
<b>Fellowship Subscription</b>	<b>44,450=00</b>	<b>1,00,000=00</b>	<b>75,000=00</b>
<b>Subscribers Subscription</b>	<b>32,62,386=00</b>	<b>30,00,000=00</b>	<b>35,00,000=00</b>
<b>Life Membership Fee</b>	<b>4,10,150=00</b>	<b>3,50,000=00</b>	<b>4,50,000=00</b>
<b>Sale of Journals and Reprints</b>	<b>89,823=00</b>	<b>1,50,000=00</b>	<b>1,50,000=00</b>
<b>Sale of History of Chemistry</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>1,000=00</b>	<b>5,000=00</b>
<b>Royalty</b>	<b>3481=00</b>	<b>1,000=00</b>	<b>10,000=00</b>
<b>Donation</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>
<b>Sale of Waste Paper</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>25,000=00</b>
<b>Interest on Investment</b>	<b>31,270=80</b>	<b>15,000=00</b>	<b>45,000=00</b>
<b>Advertisement</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>
<b>Grants from Govt. of W.B.</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>
<b>Loan from Life Membership Fees Fund</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>
<b>Award</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>
<b>Seminar</b>	<b>10,947</b>	<b>4,00,000=00</b>	<b>4,00,000=00</b>
<b>Education in Chemical Science &amp; Technology</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>10,000=00</b>	<b>10,000=00</b>
<b>Nomination fee for election</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>
<b>Other Sources</b>	<b>1,04,015=00</b>	<b>5,000=00</b>	<b>1,25,000=00</b>
<b>Total Rs.</b>	<b>39,56,522=80</b>	<b>40,32,000=00</b>	<b>47,95,000=00</b>
<b>Payments</b>			
<b>Salaries, DA, HRA, Bonus etc.</b>	<b>13,19,213=00</b>	<b>15,00,000=00</b>	<b>16,50,000=00</b>
<b>Provident Fund</b>	<b>25,632=00</b>	<b>35,000=00</b>	<b>38,500=00</b>
<b>Pension Fund</b>	<b>4,33,008=00</b>	<b>4,25,000=00</b>	<b>4,50,000=00</b>
<b>Gratuity and Leave Encashment Fund</b>	<b>25,000=00</b>	<b>40,000=00</b>	<b>40,000=00</b>
<b>Pension Fund (Society's contribution)</b>	<b>25,000=00</b>		<b>40,000=00</b>
<b>Life Membership Fund</b>	<b>1,30,000=00</b>	<b>2,85,000=00</b>	<b>4,27,500=00</b>
<b>Printing Charges</b>	<b>5,75,642=00</b>	<b>6,00,000=00</b>	<b>6,50,000=00</b>
<b>Postage</b>	<b>1,93,619=00</b>	<b>3,50,000=00</b>	<b>3,50,000=00</b>
<b>Stationeries</b>	<b>49,228=00</b>	<b>1,50,000=00</b>	<b>1,50,000=00</b>
<b>Furniture and Equipment</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>50,000=00</b>	<b>50,000=00</b>
<b>Travel (Home)</b>	<b>73,857=00</b>	<b>1,20,000=00</b>	<b>1,30,000=00</b>
<b>Travel (Abroad)</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>70,000=00</b>	<b>70,000=00</b>
<b>Award</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>
<b>Cost of Paper</b>	<b>1,82,441=00</b>	<b>8,00,000=00</b>	<b>5,00,000=00</b>

<b>Telephone Charges</b>	<b>59,537=00</b>	<b>1,50,000=00</b>	<b>1,50,000=00</b>
<b>Bank Charges</b>	<b>3,147=05</b>	<b>10,000=00</b>	<b>10,000=00</b>
<b>Municipal Tax</b>	<b>3,479=00</b>	<b>6,000=00</b>	<b>6,000=00</b>
<b>Council Meeting Expenses</b>	<b>20,700=00</b>	<b>2,25,000=00</b>	<b>1,25,000=00</b>
<b>Meeting</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>50,000=00</b>	<b>50,000=00</b>
<b>Maintenance</b>	<b>42,830=00</b>	<b>3,00,000=00</b>	<b>3,00,000=00</b>
<b>Audit Fee</b>	<b>7,500=00</b>	<b>10,000=00</b>	<b>10,000=00</b>
<b>Seminar</b>	<b>35,924=00</b>	<b>4,50,000=00</b>	<b>4,50,000=00</b>
<b>Education in Chemical Science &amp; Technology</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>50,000=00</b>	<b>50,000=00</b>
<b>Contingency</b>	<b>69,000=00</b>	<b>1,20,000=00</b>	<b>1,30,000=00</b>
<b>Advertisement</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>
<b>Internet with computer</b>	<b>1,30,862=00</b>	<b>1,00,000=00</b>	<b>2,00,000=00</b>
<b>Endowment Award Fund</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>NIL</b>
<b>Membership to International Societies (FACS)</b>	<b>8,778=00</b>	<b>30,000=00</b>	<b>30,000=00</b>
<b>Legal Expenses</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>10,000=00</b>	<b>10,000=00</b>
<b>Renewal of Registration</b>	<b>NIL</b>	<b>1,000=00</b>	<b>1,000=00</b>
<b>Total Rs.</b>	<b>34,14,397=05</b>	<b>59,37,000=00</b>	<b>60,68,000=00</b>

**Balance in General Fund: Rs. 11, 28, 908=95 as on 31.03.2019**

**In the meeting of the Finance Committee of the Society held on July 19, 2019 at the Library Room of the Society at 2.30 PM to consider the expenditure to be incurred in connection with the ensuing election of the Indian Chemical Society it was recommended that Rs.1,25,000=00/- to be provided for this purpose. The recommendation has been subsequently unanimously accepted and approved by the Council in its meeting held on August 01, 2019.**