

**Minutes of the Indian Epilepsy Society-Executive Committee Meeting  
2020**

**21st Joint Annual Conference of Epilepsy Association (IES) & Indian  
Epilepsy Society (IES) - ECON 2020**

**Venue: - Atelier Hall, Hotel Hyatt Regency, Ashram Road, Ahmedabad,  
Gujarat**

**Date: - 17/01/2020 (Friday)**

**Time: - 16.30- 5.30 pm**

**IES/2020/EC/01 Welcome address by the President**

Dr. (Prof.) SV Thomas, President of IES welcomed the EC & ex officio members.

**IES/2020/EC/02 members present :** Following members attended the meeting: Drs. Sanjeev Thomas , Manjari Tripathi, Man Mohan Mehndiratta, Vinayan K P, B Rajendran, R Laxminarasimhan, P Sarat Chandra, Nalin Chaudhary, Atma Ram Bansal, Gautam Ganguly.

**IES/2020/EC/03 Remembering Dr. Chander Mohan Sharma-** The IES EC expressed condolence on the sudden demise of Dr. Chander Mohan Sharma,(Professor) and HOD, SMS Medical College Jaipur) . He was an active member of IES and had conducted several awareness programs in Rajasthan for epilepsy. His absence will be felt in the IES. All members of IES paid condolences to Dr. Sharma by observing a two minutes in silence. Dr.Tripathi informed that she had expressed condolence by a letter to Dr. C M Sharma's family on behalf of IES.

**IES/2020/EC/ 04 Approval of the minutes of the last EC meeting held on  
10.8.2019 at Hotel Hyatt Regency, Ahmedabad and circulated with issue**

**3 (July –Sept) of Epilepsy India:** The minutes of the mid- term meeting held at Ahmedabad on 10.8.2019 at Hotel Hyatt Regency, Ahmedabad and circulated with issue 3 (July –Sept) of Epilepsy India were presented by the Secretary General. These were adopted after being proposed by Dr. proposed Dr G Ganguly , Seconded by Dr A R Bansal.

**IES/2020/EC/05 Report of the Secretary General:** Dr. M Tripathi, Secretary General IES, presented the report for the year The following academic activities

took place: AOCN & IES west syndrome meeting and final guidelines, attended by Pres elect and Sec. Indian Epilepsy School 2019, discussion about number of faculty vs delegates was done. It was proposed to have fewer faculty and more students for the next meeting. Epilepsy school- 2020, is to be held in Chennai, and 2021 proposed by AIIMS Bhopal. India had a large presence at the 33<sup>rd</sup> International Epilepsy Congress at Bangkok, 22-26<sup>th</sup> June 2019. India has submitted the bid to host Asia Oceanian Epilepsy Conference in 2022 which if it is awarded, will be held at Kochi. Discussions on the elections for the Next President Elect and new EC members, was done and it was decided there is a need to accelerate process: timeline decided was Nominations by mid feb, withdraw by one week, ballot paper by first week march and final collection by 25<sup>th</sup> March , Result by 31<sup>st</sup> March was decided. Result declaration by the current returning officer and the current president elect is to be done. The election committee would be the current management committee and the returning officer as per the constitution.

Subsections which submitted their interest documents and members and were in order.

- a. Surgery- Dr Sita and Dr Sarat
- b. Paediatric- Dr Shaifali and Dr Vinayan
- c. Young – Dr Suvasini Sharma, Dr Aparna Banerjee
- d. Each subsection to have minimum 20 members. Fee is to be 1000.  
All should be members of IES. Election every two years.
- e. No financial independence is to be there for the subsections..
- f. Membership fee to be submitted to IES treasurer .

Award papers in the ECON should be in the following

3 categories – Clinical, basic, psychosocial depending on the number.

The theme of the presentation will be the deciding factor  
Secretary report was proposed by Dr. Ganguly, seconded by Dr. Sarat Chandra

❖ **IES/2020/EC/06 Report of the Treasurer**

- Treasure report : read by Dr Vinayan. It was accepted and Proposed by Dr Rajendran, Seconded AR Bansal.

- ❖ IJEP – discussion about editor should be EC member or not, if elected then EC member . As of now the editor is Dr Sanjib Sinha. The editor must attend the midterm and main IES EC meetings. This was proposed by Dr Rajendran, and seconded by Dr Sarat Chandra.

❖ **IES/2020/EC/07 & 08 Report of Editor Epilepsy India and Webmaster**

It was decided that these two reports be presented in the Joint IES - IES EC-EC meeting.

❖ **IES/2020/EC/09 Annual Conference 2022**

ECON 2021 will be held at Trivandrum and Dr. Sanjeev Thomas has been requested to have suitable dates between January 15<sup>th</sup> and February 15<sup>th</sup> 2021.

Udaipur has submitted the bid for ECON 2022, however since there is no Udaipur chapter of IES, it was decided to ask them to work under the aegis of IES Jaipur to host the conference and send a proposal or constitute a new chapter. Dr M Tripathi proposed that even IES members be allowed to hold the meetings under the aegis of the local neurology chapter/ association.

- New members were welcomed - 47, new members were approved.

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**IES/2020/EC/10 Anyother matter raised by members by giving prior notice:**

Prof MM Mehndiratta observed that those who have served as the IES president in the past-registration and accommodation free is to be complimentary for the ECON. Senior citizen delegates of more than 70 years of age, not 65 years, should be given free registration for ECON.

Dr. (Prof.) M.M. Mehndiratta also opined that those who get the ILAE bursaries must be members of the IEA/IES.

Both these suggestions were accepted and to be implemented.

These points were adopted, proposed by Dr. Atmaram Bansal and seconded by Dr. Sanjeev Thomas.

**IES/2020/EC/11 Any other matter with the permission of the Chair:  
Unspent amount and audited reports of ECON**

Dr. Manjari Tripathi, Dr. G. T. Subhas & Dr. K. P. Vinayan gave their comment about having clear-cut rules for sharing of the surplus money of ECON organizing committee. It has been decided that for future ECON meetings that 50% of the surplus money would be retained by the organizing committee and should be used for the growth of epilepsy academics & awareness and the remaining 50% to be shared equally by IES and IEA.

**❖ IES/2020/EC/12 Vote of thanks to the Hosts and Chair**

Secretary General thanked all the members for their active participation and valuable inputs and thanked the chair and the hosts of ECON 2020 for a wonderful conduct of the meeting.

**Minutes of Extraordinary IES- EC meeting held virtually and recorded:  
Mar 12, 2020 at 08:30 PM**

The president welcomed all present in the zoom meeting. Members present were Drs. Sanjeev Thomas , Manjari Tripathi, Vinayan K P, B Rajendran, P Sarat Chandra, Nalin Chaudhary, Atma Ram Bansal.

Members who could not join but intimated Profs- Lakshmi Narasimhan.

Gautam for the meeting. Ganguly / did not intimate Profs Dr MM Mehndiratta.



The following consensus was obtained

1. Due to the erratic mailing a. as a result of Corona restrictions, b. wrong address / incorrect addresses in the members address register (shifting members) NEW ballot papers and mailing is needed after correcting addresses as far as possible, the previous ballot paper is hence null and void .
2. Also suggestions to modify the envelopes and ballot paper were made . A revised ballot paper will be circulated for comments and suggestions to the EC and Nominated candidates for EC post. Corrections will be accepted till march 30th only.
3. It was decided to send to all members the complete excel sheet of membership names and addresses. Members would receive this by e mail as the electoral list needs to be known by all. They would then before april 5th send corrected e mails and addresses of the members they know or are aware of address change. After obtaining this revised blue color ballot papers would be sent to the revised addresses and return last date of the ballot papers would be June 1st 2020.
4. Election results will be declared after mid term meeting in mid June.
5. Till mid june the current EC , President and president elect would continue as per legal opinion which was taken.
6. Dr. Sanjeev Thomas suggested revised registration rates for ECON 2021. Two foreign speakers will be sent an invite if they refuse another set of speakers will be invited. The scientific committee of ECON 2021 consisting of president IES IEA Secretary IEA IES the chairman of scientific committee for 2021 is the president IEA. Will call for proposals and these will be discussed in the mid term meet and the program finalized by scientific committee. The dates for ECON would be February 5th to 7th 2021 at Uday Samudra Trivandrum. Mid term meeting to be held on march 31st is postponed due to the Corona outbreak.
7. Voting for ILAE was discussed and decided.

The secretary and president thanked all present.