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CENTRAL SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION RESEARCH & TRAINING INSTITUTE

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Proceedings of the IASWC Executive Council Meeting held on 29th July, 2013 at Committee Room, CSWCRTI, Dehradun

The Executive Council of the IASWC met in the afternoon of 29th July, 2013 to discuss various issues of the IASWC. The following members of the Executive Council participated in the meeting:-

1. Dr. P. K. Mishra, President
2. Er. K.P. Tripathi, Vice-President
3. Dr. A.K. Srivastva, Vice-President
4. Dr. O. P. Chaturvedi, Chief Editor
5. Dr. D. Mandal, Secretary
6. Dr. N. K. Sharma, Treasurer
7. Dr. Harsh Mehta, Executive Member
8. Dr. J. P. Singh, Business Manager

At the outset, the Secretary welcomed all the Executive Council members and apprised the House about the several activities taken up by the Association in the recent past. The following agenda items were discussed and decisions were taken during the meeting.

S. No.	Item	Decision taken
1.	Publication of the Proceedings of the Conference on FFCSWR-2013 held at Bangalore	<p>The Executive Council agreed to publish the Proceedings of the Conference on FFCSWR-2013 held at Bangalore. In this regard, quotations may be invited from the potential publishers with the following terms and conditions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Publisher should provide a reprint of the material or a copy of the Proceedings to each author free of cost.2. The publication cost should be borne by the Publisher with minimum financial support from the Association.3. Ten numbers of the proceedings should be given as reference copies to the Association.4. The price of the Book may be fixed mutually by the Association and the Publisher. <p>However, it was also decided that a Special Issue of the Journal on Farmers First for Soil & Water Conservation in Southern Region may also be published from the Association considering the best fifteen papers presented during the Conference. The Organizing Secretary of the Conference may provide these papers to the Association for further necessary action by the Chief Editor of the Journal.</p>

2.	Organizing Conference in collaboration with other Associations.	It was brought to the notice of the EC that Soil Conservation Society of India (SCSI), New Delhi is going to organize an International Conference in February, 2015. The SCSI is willing to organize the above mentioned Conference in collaboration with our Association. In principle, the EC approved the decision to organize this Conference jointly by arranging a Special Session on Researchable Issues on Soil and Water Conservation. In addition, some responsibility may also be shared with SCSI for organizing the above Conference.
3.	Notification of the forthcoming Election/Awards	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. It was decided to issue the notification for the election of the Executive Council of IASWC for the biennial term, 2014-15 and announcement for IASWC Awards for the year 2013 during the month of August-September, 2013. The Nomination Forms for election of Executive Council for the biennial, 2014-2015 and application forms for Fellowship and Awards, 2013 may be dispatched along with 41(2) issue of the Indian Journal of Soil Conservation. 2. Dr. B.N. Ghosh was nominated as Returning Officer for conducting the election of the EC.
4.	Any other point with the permission of the Chair	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Executive Council decided that to be eligible as a nominee for the Fellowship and Dr. K.G. Tejwani Award, an individual must be a Life Member of the Association with a minimum period of five years. 2. The decision on the modification of the bye-laws and guidelines for various awards of the Association taken by the EC may be ratified during the next General Body Meeting for final approval. 3. The EC decided that no TA/DA will be provided to the Executive Members/Ex-officio members residing outside Dehradun for attending the meeting of the Association at the Hqrs.

The meeting ended with a Vote of thanks to the Chair and all the Executive Council members.


 Secretary, IASWC, Dehradun

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