

NEWS & VIEWS

THE INDIAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF MEDICAL EDUCATION

“Association for Surgeons of India Building”

MEDICAL EDUCATION FOUNDATION

The Indian Association for the Advancement of Medical Education at its 9th annual session in January 1970 has approved the establishment of the Medical Education Foundation with a view to collect funds and to utilise the interests accrued from the same for the following purposes :—

- a) to further the cause of Medical Education in India;
- b) To offer fellowships to medical graduates for higher medical studies;
- c) to offer grants for student research including research in Community Health in rural areas, travel grants to teachers, exchange of teachers, exchange of students etc.
- d) to undertake evaluation of education programmes of Medical, Paramedical, Dental, Nursing and Public Health personnel;
- e) to prepare, print and publish any paper or periodicals and monograph of books in furtherance of the objects of the Society and to contribute to any such periodicals etc.
- f) to do and perform all other acts, matters and things they may assist in conduce to or be necessary for the fulfilment of the above mentioned aims and objects of the society.

The Memorandum of the Association of the Medical Education Foundation was published in the Journal of Medical Education December, 1969 Volume VIII No. 9.

At the 9th Conference of the IAAME at Varanasi, the Board of Trustees have met and the following office bearers have been elected :—

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| 1. Prof. P. N. Wahi | — | President and Treasurer |
| 2. Dr. K. L. Wig | — | Vice President |
| 3. K. N. Rao | — | Secretary |

Rs. 3,000-00 has been donated by Dr. D. Bhaskar Reddy for an Award in the name of late Dr. D. Govinda Reddy, Executive Director, IAAME (1964-67). Further contributions are expected.

Rs. 10,000-00 has been donated by Dr. K. N. Rao, Executive Director IAAME till-date for the following purposes :—

Rs. 7,000-00 the interest on this fund may be utilised for giving an Award to an outstanding Medical Educationist at the time of the Annual Conference and he/she shall be required to give lecture/pration;