

Report of Hon. General Secretary IADVL

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Wish you a happy new year

I took over charge as secretary IADVL at Chandigarh but the change over was not smooth. As in any change over, the facts, registers and datas reached us quite late and we could start functioning only after a long gap.

This year saw a growth in number of Life Membership by 269, OM - 141 and Associate Members -268. I request all non life members to become life members as soon as possible.

I have received many complaints regarding non inclusion in the list of Life Members of doctors who have paid their Membership fees to various branches. I request respective secretaries to kindly listen to their grievances and do the needful.

I also request the members to kindly check their addresses in the master register kept in the IADVL stall and correct them if any discrepancies are there. I want the following changes in the Life membership Scheme and request you to kindly ponder over my proposal:

1. The life Membership No. should be in continuation from No. 1. onwards for all the States taken together as such there will be no duplication of numbers and we can know the current status of membership, and increase in numbers immediately. The membership may be prefixed by a State code if so desired.
2. There should be a separate register for the ordinary and associate members. In Master Register it is difficult to pick up the defaulters and new entries.

To rejuvenate the sick status of journal fund, I request the council to please think over the following :

To create a fund of sufficient strength which could meet the annual printing expenditure of the journal which would be around Rs 3 lacs. There is a sum of Rs. 5 lacs in the Journal Fund the interest of which will be above Rs. 50000/ annually. From Chandigarh conference Rs 1 lac is to be added to this fund in FD. Its interest will be around Rs. 10000. The Editor in Chief must be having Fund say about Rs. 200000. I request that all the funds must be kept at one place so that the interest accrued may be

transferred to the saving bank account regularly. It will help in running the journal smoothly. The journal Fund as you know has been exhausted and so I propose that from the conference surplus fund (Rs. 10,00,000 received from Delhi) Rs. 5,00,000 should be put in the journal fund then we will have a fund of about Rs. 13 lacs which can only grow in future by new subscriptions and hopefully, by the turn of the century the journal will be having sufficiently strong money wise to keep up its regular appearances.

I went to Delhi to sort out the Delhi dispute. I met the various members but their co-operation was wanting. Dr. Bhutani asked for certificate of IT exemption and informed that Rs. 10 lacs already given to the association has share of Delhi Branch, journal and Headquarters. Dr. Pandhi insisted on the IT exemption from IT authorities but no IT exemption has been granted to the association so far. Our previous secretary has tried exemption at Rajkot and we were told that this was done but I could not receive any paper till October last year from him. We have filed for such exemption at Patna. It will take some time. In the meantime I propose that all the assets and liabilities of the Delhi branch from that International Conference should be taken over by the IADVL Hqrs. and the various members from the Organising committee should be requested to co-operate and hand over the entire amount to the HQ (even after paying the IT if required). We can always get a refund if we get such exemption but now when the International Society of Dermatology is having its conference at CAIRO, let us do something about it before we get blacklisted.

Here only I would like to inform that I have received an invoice of US \$ 11875 from International Society for Dermatology which comes to about Rs 4,50,000. So please guide me. Since we are not able to send that fund at present what to do in this respect.

Constitution : The constitution is being printed regularly but has not been sold a single copy so far. I propose that the house gives its sanction so that I can arrange some funds from

donation from various pharmaceutical companies and the constitution is supplied free of cost to every life member. I thank all of you for co-operation and hope your co-operation will remain the same this year also.

Chandigarh Conference : Dr. Bhushan Kumar, Organising Secretary of last conference at Chandigarh has sent audited report and shown a saving of Rs. 320000. He deserves all applauses for enriching the association after such a great grand congress.

Badges and Tie : Camlin Pharma and Unichem promised in writing to give IADV&L badges and Tie to all Life Members of IADV&L at Bangalore Conference. I need your ap-

proval.

I intend to give photo identity card, New Life Membership Certificate and IADV&L directory to all Life Members free of cost (Printed by IADV&L with supports from Pharmaceuticals) for which I seek your permission and support. Dr. Anil Kumar Jha, Life Member from UP wants support for first SAARCD Congress at Kathmandu in October 1999. I request all members to support Dr. Jha for a grand Congress.

Long Live IADV&L

Jai Hind,

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Dear members,

Wish you a happy and financially sound and prosperous New Year.

1. We have a surplus of about Rs. 200000 this year from subscription etc. Also we received Rs. 100000 from Gauhati Conference this year. We have made a Fixed Deposit of Rs 4 Lacs this year.

2. We received audited accounts from the Chandigarh Conference Secretariate and it has a saving of Rs. 320226.00 as on 29.09.98. So our share would be over Rs. 200000. I thank the organising committee of the Conference for the handsome and moneysome offer.

3. We have received the account of IADV&L Textbook. It has been reflected in our accounts. But the FD's and saving account are at Mumbai. I propose that the FD Account should be sent to Hqrs. and the saving account should remain with prof. Valia. We will keep the FD in a separate head.

4. No IT exemption has been granted to the association so far. We have approached the IT authorities at Patna for the same. We had three meetings with them. They want IT returns to be filed for last three years. Now the IT Return has been filed for one year only for 96-97. The problem is that in the change over period the association runs at two places and it becomes difficult to keep

track of income and expenditure. As per the previous treasurer's request I sent a detailed account of our IADV&L general fund to him to file the return. But it was not done due to some difficulty. We are in the process of filing the returns for the year 1997-98, 1998-99, and we have also applied for a Permanent Account Number. It may be finalised this year.

5. The money received from the Delhi branch for the International congress is lying as a separate fund. The editor has asked for his share. We decided last year that the Journal contribution of the conference surplus should also be sent to the Hqrs. Only interest amount of it should be sent to the Editor. We have heard the Hony. Secretary's proposal for strengthening the hands of Editor in chief of the Journal. We should by the end of this year have sufficient fund for this.

6. The Delhi fund is something to be taken care of and this time let us decide something concrete.

With this I conclude and if there is something left please bear with me and guide me and hopefully there will be a better management this time.

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