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**MINUTES OF THE 1ST (2012-13) MEETING OF THE PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE
HELD ON SATURDAY, THE 01 DEC 2012, AT 1030 HOURS AT IETE HQ, NEW
DELHI**

The following were present:

Shri Harsh Vardhan	Chairman
Wg Cdr (Retd) Prof P Prabhakar	Co-Chairman
Prof (Dr) M Basavaraj	
Shri C K Haridas	
Dr M H Kori	
Prof R P Gupta	
Dr V Gunasekhar Reddy	
Shri S C Rudra	
Prof S R Jog	
Shri K M Paul	Co-opted

Secretariat:

Mrs Urmila Bararia	Technical Officer
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The following regretted their inability to attend:

Prof M Jagadesh Kumar	EIC (TR)
Prof S K Koul	EIC (JR)
Prof Raj Senani	EIC (JE)
Prof S K Wason	Special Invitee

**ITEM-1 CONFIRMATION OF THE MINUTES OF THE 4TH (2011-12) MEETING
OF THE PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE HELD ON 14 JUL 2012 AT
KATHMANDU**

1.1 As no comments were received, the minutes were confirmed.

ITEM-2 PUBLISHING SCHEDULE OF IETE PUBLICATIONS

2.1 The publishing schedule of various IETE publications presented in tabulated form was discussed by the Committee. Members appreciated the efforts of the Secretariat for maintaining the schedule in printing and dispatch of IETE Journals.

2.2 The members were of the view that the IETE Journal of Education should have two distinct sections - one for AMIETE students and other for DipIETE students.

2.3 Editors-in-Chief of the IETE Journals be requested to adhere to the mandated character of the Journals.

2.4 The members were of the opinion that Editor-in-Chief of IETE Journal of Research may be authorized to include some more articles in the Journal in view of its greater demand from the authors. The committee recommended that about 8-10 extra pages may be added & for this purpose the Governing Council may approve an additional expenditure of about Rs 3 lacs approx. per annum.

2.5 This was for the approval of the Governing Council.

ITEM-3 ADVERTISEMENTS FOR IETE JOURNALS AND NEWSLETTER

3.1 The Members desired that region wise distribution of IETE Journal of Education may be prepared to enable the Governing Council members to explore the possibility of collecting advertisements for this Journal.

3.2 It was also recommended that copies of the IETE Journal of Education to be sent to the Principal by name instead of the coordinator of the ISF Centre concerned.

3.3 This was for the information of the Governing Council.

ITEM-4 UPLOADING INFORMATION ON LATEST TOPICS ON IETE WEBSITE

4.1 This matter was deliberated in detail by the members of the Publications Committee and it was recommended that sub-groups in various areas of specialization in field of Electronics/Telecommunication/Computing be formed and the subject matter experts be identified and requested to generate material for the IETE website.

4.2 This was for the information of the Governing Council.

ITEM-5 REVIEW OF CONTENTS OF IETE NEWSLETTER

5.1 The matter was discussed by the members in detail. The members were of the view that it should be edited with more care. The Newsletter may also carry worldwide information on latest developments in the frontier areas of Electronics / Telecommunication / Computing.

5.2 This was for the information of the Governing Council.

ITEM-6 HIGHLIGHTING INDIAN RESEARCH OUTCOME THROUGH IETE JOURNALS

6.1 Chairman IETE Pune Centre made a presentation on publishing the

proposed Journal of Innovation & Research. The first issue of this journal would commemorate Diamond Jubilee of IETE. The Centre Chairman had requested for the seed money of Rs.25,000/- from IETE HQ. The Committee recommended that the seed money of Rs.25,000/- may be made available by IETE HQ and suggested that in future the Governing Council may lay down certain guidelines pertaining to such issues.

6.2 The format and the contents of the Newsletter of IETE Pune Centre was appreciated by the Publications Committee.

6.3 The requirement of seed money of Rs.25, 000/- for publishing the proposed Journal of Innovation & Research by Pune Centre was for the approval of the Governing Council.

ITEM-7 IETE HQ BOOKS LIBRARY

7.1 The Committee recommended that an internet connection, a desktop computer and a printer should be provided at the library of the IETE Centers to the extent possible. A Sub-Committee would be formed to consider the possibility of providing internet access to specialized organizations like ITU, IEEE etc at the IETE HQ Books library.

7.2 The Committee recommended that Rs. 3 lacs be provided in annual budget of the HQ Books library for the purchase of some books and the internet links.

7.3 This was for the approval of the Governing Council.

VOTE OF THANKS

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

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(S R Aggarwal)
SECRETARY GENERAL

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