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**MINUTES OF THE 3RD(2010-2011) MEETING OF THE PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE  
HELD ON FRIDAY, THE 15<sup>TH</sup> APR 2011, AT HOTEL FORTUNE PARK J P CELESTIAL,  
BENGALURU.**

The following were present:

Shri K S Prakash Rao	Chairperson
Shri H O Agrawal	
Prof B P Sinha	
Shri Nuli Namassivaya	
Shri P S Sundaram	
Prof (Dr) J W Bakal	
Shri TVS Ramamurthy	Co-opted
Dr V Gunasekhar Reddy	Co-opted

**Secretariat:**

Shri Gurmukh Singh	Dy Managing Editor
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The following regretted their inability to attend:

Dr Surendra Pal	Co-Chairperson
Dr S K Aggarwal	
Shri V Appakukty	
Prof (Dr) M G Sharma	
Prof M Jagadesh Kumar	EIC(TR)
Prof S K Koul	EIC(JR)
Prof Ranjan Bose	EIC(JE)
Shri T V Partha Saradhi	Co-opted
Shri R K Singh	Spl Invitee
Shri R V Datar	Spl Invitee

**ITEM-1 CONFIRMATION OF THE MINUTES OF THE 2ND (2010-2011) MEETING OF  
THE PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE HELD ON 12 FEB 2011 AT IETE HQ, NEW  
DELHI**

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

**ITEM-2 PUBLISHING SCHEDULE OF IETE PUBLICATIONS**

2.1 The committee deliberated on the publishing schedule of various IETE publications. The committee noted that IETE journals are published in time as per schedule. IETE Technical Review is ahead of the schedule by one month and Journal of Research is as per normal schedule from Mar-Apr 2011 onwards. It was also noted by the committee that for Journal of Education, one approved article is available and the IETE Newsletter is being printed as per schedule.

2.2 This was for the information of the Governing Council.

**ITEM-3 SPECIAL ISSUE ON THE THEME OF ATC-2010: "MAKING TELECOM AND IT GREEN - CHALLENGES AND ROAD AHEAD"**

3.1 It was conveyed by Prof M Jagadesh Kumar, EIC, IETE Technical Review during 2<sup>nd</sup>(2010-11) meeting of the Publications Committee held on 12 Feb. 2011 at IETE HQ, New Delhi that he was making all out efforts to get articles from various authors across the world on the theme of ATC-2010. But in spite of his best efforts, he has not been able to obtain print worthy articles. The two articles received earlier by him on the theme of ATC will be printed in the regular issue.

3.2 This was for the information of the Governing Council.

**ITEM-4 EXPANSION/CHANGE IN THE BOARD OF CO-EDITORS AND PANEL OF REVIEWERS OF IETE JOURNAL OF RESEARCH**

4.1 Prof S K Koul, EIC JR has again requested for another six months to streamline and expand /change the Board of Co-Editors and panel of reviewers of IETE Journal of Research since he needs more time to find dedicated persons who are willing to spare time for this work. The committee agreed to his request.

4.2 This was for the information of the Governing Council.

**ITEM-5 PAUCITY OF SUITABLE ARTICLES FOR JOURNAL OF EDUCATION (JE)**

5.1 As informed by the ARP Section, about 410 e-mail were sent to various Engineering Colleges/Institutes' Heads of ECE Departments and ISF Coordinators requesting them to submit suitable articles for publishing in JE. But no response has been received so far.

5.2 The Committee noted the efforts of ARP Section and deliberated on this issue. It was suggested to take up this issue in next meeting of EICs going to be held shortly and discuss the out come in July meeting of the Publications Committee.

5.3 This was for the information of the Governing Council.

**ITEM-6 ADVERTISEMENTS FOR IETE JOURNALS AND NEWSLETTER**

6.1 As per the recommendations of the Publications Committee during its 2<sup>nd</sup> (2010-11) meeting, Organizational Members of IETE were requested to give advertisement of their products in the IETE Journals and IETE Newsletter. Two full

page advertisements have been received so far from INAE, New Delhi. The Committee noted the progress in this regard and recommended to offer 50% discount on full page advertisement tariff to engineering colleges for their advertisements.

6.2 This was for the approval of the Governing Council

**ITEM-7 FRESH MoUS WITH M/S MEDKNOW PUBLICATIONS AND MEDIA PVT LTD**

7.1 As recommended during 2<sup>nd</sup> (2010-11) meeting of the Publications Committee, Shri Appakutty was requested to go through the existing MoUs and suggest the format for the new MoU taking into account the legal aspects in view of the change in the name of publisher as, "M/s Medknow Publications and Media Pvt Ltd". Shri Appakutty prepared the new combined MoU. Prof J W Bakal, chairman, IETE Mumbai Centre was requested to visit M/s Medknow Publications and Media Pvt Ltd, Mumbai to assess the existing status of the Company in view of the change in name. He informed that the company has been functioning satisfactorily and the change in the name is only for the purpose of their undertaking website activities for other customers. In view of the above, the Committee recommended the following:

- The MoU prepared by Sh Appakutty be sent to M/s Medknow Publications and Media Pvt Ltd for finalization after incorporating modifications as suggested by Prof. J.W.Bakal, Chairman, IETE Mumbai Centre.
- The activities with M/s Medknow be continued on same terms and conditions.

The Committee appreciated the efforts of Shri V Appakutty and Prof J W Bakal.

7.2 This was for the information of the Governing Council.

**ITEM-8 SPECIAL ISSUE OF IETE JOURNAL OF RESEARCH ON "COMPACT MODELING"**

8.1 As per the inputs received from Prof S K Koul, EIC, JR, the committee noted that the special issue of JR on "Compact Modeling" is likely to be printed in Sep-Oct 2011.

8.2 This was for the information of the Governing Council.

**ITEM-9 ONLINE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM**

9.1 As per the recommendations of the Publications Committee during its 2<sup>nd</sup> (2010-11) meeting held on 12 Feb 2011 at IETE HQ, New Delhi, Prof S. K. Koul EIC ,JR



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studied the issue of Online Management System. In this regard, "M/s Taylor & Francis Books India Pvt Ltd", a U K based company having office at New Delhi, had sent a questionnaire for preparing proposal for printing of JR & TR as well as OMMS and website development. Required information was given to the company in the questionnaire. The proposal from the company is expected and will be put up in the next Committee meeting.

9.2 This was for the information of the Governing Council.

ITEM-10 TRANSLATION OF EXTRACTS OF ARTICLES PUBLISHED IN IETE JOURNALS IN FOREIGN LANGUAGE (SPANISH)

10.1 As per the suggestions received from Prof S K Koul, the committee noted that a letter was sent to Prof Rafael Bernal Castro, President, Editorial Director, Sociedad Iberoamericana de Informacion Cientifica (SIIC) to obtain details and financial implications, if any, for translation of extracts of articles published in IETE Journals in Foreign Language (Spanish). Reply is awaited and will be put up in the next Committee meeting.

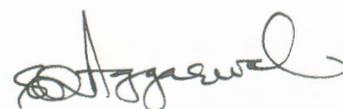
10.2 This was for the information of the Governing Council.

VOTE OF THANKS

11. There being no other point, the meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

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