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Proceedings of the 5th Executive Committee Meeting of Association of Mastitis held on 13-04-2025

The 4th Executive Committee Meeting of Association of Mastitis was held on 13-04-2025 under the Chairmanship of Prof. S.K. Maiti, Vice-President, Association of Mastitis. Following executive members were present in the meeting-

1. Dr. S.K. Maiti, Vice-President
2. Dr. Neelesh Sharma, General Secretary
3. Dr. Neelesh Sindhu, Joint Secretary
4. Dr. Arvind Kumar, Treasurer
5. Dr. Pavan Kumar, Member

Prof. Neelesh Sharma, General Secretary, Association of Mastitis, at the very outset, welcomed all the members and appraised all the Agenda of the Association and after threadbare discussion, the following agendas were approved.

Following agenda items were discussed in the meeting

1. Delegating financial power to the general secretary

Dr. Neelesh Sindhu, Joint Secretary of the society, proposed that financial authority including the operation of Association of Mastitis bank accounts be delegated to the Dr. Neelesh Sharma, General Secretary, Association of Mastitis, to facilitate quicker decision-making and streamline administrative and financial processes. He emphasized that this measure would significantly enhance operational efficiency and contribute to the smooth functioning of the society. Hereafter, **Dr. Govind Yadav**, Ex-Treasurer of Association of Mastitis does not have any role in the society, hence he is free from the society responsibilities with immediate effect.

After due deliberation, the Executive Committee unanimously approved the proposal, recognizing it as a step taken in the larger interest and long-term benefit of the society.

Henceforth, Dr. Neelesh Sharma, General Secretary, Association of Mastitis is authorized to handle all operations including transactions as single signatory authority.

(Action: Dr Neelesh Sharma, General Secretary)

2. Organization of 2nd conference of AoM.

Dr. Neelesh Sindhu, Joint Secretary of the Association of Mastitis, proposed finalizing the venue for the Association's second annual conference, scheduled for 2025. After careful consideration, the Executive Committee resolved to host the conference at Sher-e-Kashmir University of Agricultural Sciences and Technology (SKUAST), Jammu.

Additionally, the Committee emphasized the importance of expanding the Association's reach by enrolling new members. It was unanimously agreed to initiate a focused membership drive to encourage wider participation and strengthen the Association's network.

(Action: All Executive Committee Members)

3. Instigation of society awards

Dr. Neelesh Sindhu, Joint Secretary, Association of Mastitis proposed for instigation of society awards for honouring the original research with practical importance in area of mastitis. EC approved the following awards as below:

Sr. No	Name of award	Number	Fees after screening
1	Fellow of AoM	2	Rs. 5000/-
2	Associate Fellow of AoM	2	Rs. 5000/-
3	Mid-Career Scientist Award	2	Rs. 2000/-
4	Young Scientist award	2	Rs. 1000/-
5	Best Research article in JAR	2	Nil

In addition, awards from the Individual/Institute/Corporate may be accepted with the minimum amount as Fixed Deposit in the Association of Mastitis bank account after approval from the Executive Committee.

A committee was approved for finalizing the guidelines and application forms for various awards as below-

1. Dr. Neelesh Sharma, Chairman
2. Dr. Neelesh Sindhu, Member
3. Dr. Pavan Kumar, Member Secretary

4. Election for new Executive body of the Association of Mastitis

Dr. Neelesh Sharma briefed the members regarding the election of new Executive Committee of the Association on completion of tenure of the existing executive committee on 19 January, 2025.

The Executive Committee approved the proposed list of new office bearers. The new Executive Committee is as follows:

EXECUTIVE BODY	
President	Dr Ashok Kumar Principal Scientist, Division of Animal Health, CIRG, Makhdoom, Mathura, U.P., India
Vice-President	Dr. Sujit Kumar Business Unit Head, Zenex Animal Health Punishka House, Ahmedabad, Gujrat, India
Vice-President	Dr. Rajeev Singh Professor & Head Department of Veterinary Microbiology College of Veterinary & Animal Sciences, Meerut, U.P., India
General Secretary	Dr. Neelesh Sharma Professor & Head Division of Veterinary Medicine F.V.Sc. & A.H., SKUAST-J, R.S. Pura, Jammu, J&K, India
Joint Secretary	Dr Arvind Kumar Professor & Head Division of Livestock Products Technology F.V.Sc. & A.H., SKUAST-J, R.S. Pura, Jammu, J&K, India
Joint Secretary	Dr Pavan Kumar Assistant Professor GADVASU, Ludhiana, Punjab, India
Treasurer	Dr Neelesh Sindhu Assistant Professor LUVAS, Hisar, Haryana, India
Member	Dr. Atul Anand UNDP India Country Office, New Delhi, India
Member	Dr. Ankit Kumar Scientist HPVK, Karnal, LUVAS, Haryana, India

(Action: All Executive Committee Members)

The meeting was ended with a vote of thanks by Dr. Neelesh Sindhu, Joint Secretary, AoM

Dr. Neelesh Sharma
General Secretary

1. Dr. S.K. Maiti, Vice-President
2. Dr. Neelesh Sharma, General Secretary
3. Dr. Neelesh Sindhu, Joint Secretary
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