



INDIAN SOCIETY OF ENGINEERING GEOLOGY

NHPC Office Complex,
Sector-33, Faridabad – 121003, Haryana, India

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ISEG Executive Council Meeting

Venue: Online meeting via MS Teams app
At 11.00 hrs on 8th Jan 2022.

AGENDA

1. Welcome by Secretary, ISEG
2. Address by President ISEG
3. Status report on activities undertaken by the present council (2020-21)
4. Consideration for extending term of present executive council by 2 months
5. Election of the next council.
6. Membership of IAEG for the year 2022
7. Editorial activities of ISEG by the Editor.
8. Any other issue with permission of the chair

MINUTES OF THE ISEG GENERAL BODY MEETING

A general body meeting of the Indian Society of Engineering Geology was held on 8th Jan, 2022, at 11.00 AM. The Meeting was attended by many members of the society. As by the scheduled time of the meeting only 25 members had joined, the meeting was adjourned by 20 minutes and then it was started again. As the President, ISEG, was not present, Dr, Gopal Dhawan, was invited to preside over the meeting. The list of participants is given at Annex-I.

1. **Welcome address by the Secretary, ISEG:** The Secretary, ISEG, Sh. S. L. Kapil, welcomed all the participants in the meeting. He set the tone of the meeting by mentioning the agenda of the meeting. He appraised the house that due to other meetings running concurrently, the President, ISEG, Sh. A.K. Singh could not join the meeting and has conveyed his good wishes for the meeting.
2. **Status report on activities undertaken by the present council (2020-21):**

The Secretary, ISEG, presented a brief status of the activities taken by the present council in the last two years. He mentioned that more than 120 life members and 03 institutional members have been added to the Society. The Society has started a new knowledge sharing webinar series under which three lectures have been organized so far. After a gap of more than two years, the



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society was able to successfully organize the International Conference on “Recent Advances in Geotechnics” (EGCON 2021). A brief account of the expenditure and sponsorship was also presented.

3. **Consideration for extending term of present executive council by 2 months:** The term of the present council has ended in Dec 2021. Due to pre-occupation with the EGCON2021, the due process of election has not yet been started. Therefore, it was proposed to extend the tenure of the present executive council by two months, till a new body is elected through due process. After detailed deliberations, the house agreed to extend the term of the present council by three months, i.e. March, 21.
4. **Election of the next council:** The process of elections for next council is to be started soon. For conducting the elections, the following two members were nominated as election officers:
 - a. **Sh. Lokesh Jaiswal**, SM (Geology), NHPC, LM-1374 and
 - b. **Sh. Dharmendra Kumar Pandey**, Sr. Geologist, GSI, LM 1517
5. **Membership of IAEG for the year 2022:** The secretary informed the house that so far only 64 members (25 with bulletin and 39 without bulletin) have subscribed to IAEG in this year. This number was very small considering the incentives provided to members as agreed in the last AGM.

The issue was deliberated in detail and the following decisions were taken:

- a. Society shall try to take GST exemption on IAEG payment and till such times, GST shall be borne by the society.
- b. Society may deposit 50 subscriptions' fees with IAEG in the beginning of the year in advance, and submit the final list as and when the members make payment.
- c. Society may consider taking 10 year IAEG subscription charges from members and manage same on annual basis with the IAEG.



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Charges for IAEG membership for 2022:

Conversion rate of Euro/ INR = Rs. 84.35/Euro as on 08.01.2022

Category of Membership	Annual Charges in Euro	Annual Charges, in INR excluding GST	Rounded off including handling charges
IAEG Annual Member with Bulletin	19€	₹1602.65	₹1650/-
IAEG members without Bulletin	7€	₹590.45	₹650/-

It was decided to use all our contacts to get more and more subscriptions of the IAEG so that the Indian National Group is made more visible.

6. **Editorial activities of ISEG by the Editor:** The secretary, ISEG, informed the house that with active cooperation of all, the journal of Engineering Geology and the Newsletter are being published on time. Vol 46(1) 2021 of JoEG and Vol 17(1) 2021 of the Newsletter, has already been published.

7. **Any other issue with permission of the chair**

Dr. Ashutosh Kainthola, BHU, Varanasi, has expressed interest to start the Varanasi chapter of the ISEG. The issue was deliberated in detail and Secretary, ISEG was authorized to discuss with Dr, Kainthola.

The Secretary, ISEG, expressed his gratitude to all the members who were present in the meeting and shared their views.

The meeting ended with thanks to the Chair.



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ANNEXURE-I

List of Members Attended the Meeting					
Sl. No	Membership No		Name	Designation	ISEG Portfolio
1	LM	340	Dr. Gopal Dhawan	Ex-CMD, MECL, Ex-ED (Geotech) NHPC	Ex-President, ISEG 2013-15
2	LM	1408	Sh. S.L. Kapil	Executive Director , NHPC	Secretary ISEG 2020-21
3	LM	1341	Dr. Saibal Ghosh	DDG, GSI, Kolkata	Secretary ISEG 2018-19
4	LM	1406	Sh. S K Wadhavan	Ex-DG, GSI	
5	LM		Sh. M Raju	Ex-DG, GSI	Council Member, ISEG 2020-21
6	LM	1421	Dr. Rajbal Singh	Former Jt. Director, CSMRS	
7	LM	1226	Sh. Vachaspati Pandey	DGM (Geology), NHPC	Joint Secretary, ISEG 2020-21
8	LM	1479	Sh. Manoj Gupta	Lead Designer, Afcons	
9	LM	1276	Ajai K Naithani	Scientist, NIRM	
10.	LM	438	Sh. Naresh K Mathur	Ex- CGM, NHPC	
11.	LM	1277	Dr. Mridul Srivastava	Director, GSI	Treasurer, ISEG 2020-21
12.	LM	1360	Sh. Amitabh Sharan	CEO, EGE	Council Member, ISEG 2020-21
13.	LM	1427	Sh. Satishram K Goyal	CEO, Spargeo	Council Member, ISEG 2020-21
14.	LM	1516	Dr. A Murali Krishna	Associate Professor	
15.	LM	1122	Dr. S.N. Patil		
16.	LM	1115	Sh. Imran Sayeed	Ex- CGM, NHPC	Past Secy, ISEG
17.	LM	1370	Sh. Vivek Sharma	SM(Geology), NHPC	
18.	LM	1521	Dr. Ashit K Swain	Director, GSI	Council Member, ISEG 2020-21
19.	LM	1279	Mr. Akhouri Bishwapriya	Director, GSI	Council Member, ISEG 2020-21
20.	LM	1525	Sh. Vipul Nagar	SM (Geophysics) NHPC	Jt Editor, ISEG 2020-21
21.	LM	1474	Sh. Vinod Kumar Jaiswal	SM(Geology), NHPC	
22.	LM	1431	Sh. Sunil J Ganvir	DGM (Geology)	Council Member, ISEG 2020-21
23.	LM	1517	Sh. Dharmendra Kumar	Sr. Geologist, GSI	Council Member, ISEG 2020-21
24.	LM	1369	Dr. Sumit Dabral	SM(Geology), NHPC	



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25.	LM	1640	Dr. Vinay	Sr. Geologist, GSI	
26.	LM	1629	Dr. B Butchi Babu	Scientist, NIRM	
27.	LM	1634	Sh. HL Arora	Former Director (Tech), THDC	
28.	LM	1528	Mr. Shubham Chowdhury		
29.	LM	1306	Sh. Ratan Das	SM(Geology), NHPC	
30.	LM	1530	Mr. Anshuman Dutta	SM (Geology), NHPC	ISEG Delhi NCR Chapter 2020-21
31.	LM	1269	Sh. Arindom Chakraborty	DGM (Geology), NHPC	Jt. Secretary, ISEG 2018-19
32.	LM	1420	Dr. A. P. Singh	Director, Explore Engineering Consultancy (P) Ltd., Noida.	Co-Convener, ISEG Delhi NCR Chapter 2020-21
33.	LM	1531	Sh. S.K. Marandi	SM(Geology), NHPC	