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ISA KARNATAKA STATE BRANCH MINUTES OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Executive committee Meeting ISA KARNATAKA STATE BRANCH was held on 25.05.2025, Sunday at MEU, Decennial block Father Muller's Medical College Mangalore. The meeting was presided over by Dr. Chandrashekar S, Vice President, ISA Karnataka State Branch as chairman.

The following executive committee members were present:

Dr. B P Manjula (Virtual)	Dr. Chandrashekar S	Dr. Henjarappa KS	Dr. Satish Kumar MN
Dr. D.B.Prakash	Dr Srinivasalu D (ex officio)	Dr. Nethra H.N	Dr. Shivakumar F Kumbar
Dr. Yathishkumar J K	Dr. Andana Bangera	Dr.Sripad Mahendale (Special Invitee)	Dr.Sumesh Rao (Special Invitee)
Dr. Rithesh D'Cunha (Special Invitee)	Dr. Krishna Prasad Patla (Special Invitee)	Dr.Meghana Mukund (Special Invitee)	Dr. Shilpa G K Bhat (Special Invitee)
Absent			
Dr. Vinay Marulasiddappa	Dr. Shashidhar G S	Dr. Manjunath Bhat	Dr. Sandhya D
	Dr. Avinash K	Dr. Shivakumar M.C	Dr. Saraswathi N
Dr. Anil Kumar M.R	Dr. Ramachandraiah R	Dr. Shivanand L K	

Honorary Secretary welcomed all the members for the meeting and requested the Vice President Dr. Chandrasekhar S to make opening remarks and place the meeting in order.

The Chairman made opening remarks and requested secretary to take-up the agendas for discussion.

The following agendas were discussed.

Agenda 1 . OBITUARY

The secretary informed members that ISA Karnataka State Branch lost life Member from Tumkur city branch, Dr.T.K Krishnamurthy (ISA No:K1426). He was a Professor at Sri Siddhartha Institute of Medical Sciences Tumkur since 2008 and was a active member of ISA Tumkur City Branch. He had graduated from BMCRI in 1980 and obtained his post graduate degree in MD Anaesthesiology from BMCRI in 1999. He had contributed extensively towards the field of anaesthesiology. The chairman asked the members to rise up for a minute and observe silence in respect of the departed soul. The members paid their respects to the departed soul.

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Agenda 2 . REVIEW OF SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME OF ISACON KARNATAKA 2025

Dr.Sumesh Rao, the scientific chairperson of ISACON KARNATAKA 2025 presented the scientific programme schedule of ISACON KARNATAKA 2025 to the executive committee. He said the Scientific Committee for ISACON Karnataka 2025 is in the process of organizing and finalizing the speakers of the upcoming state conference. He shared the provisional conference program schedule which included.

- Themed scientific sessions.
- Titles and topics of presentations
- Names and affiliations of invited faculty members who will be delivering the sessions

He requested for suggestions to further improve the program, modify any sessions and topics. Following detailed discussions in the EC, the following suggested.

1. To include
 - a) CPR workshop on IRC guidelines of ISA.
 - b) Chronic pain workshop on cadavers.
2. To give opportunity to the upcoming speakers from all districts of Karnataka involving the respective ISA city branches.
3. To follow the structure of the state conference covering various sessions like KLE oration, Ballari trainee talent sessions, BLDE's best paper presentations, ISA Tumkur e-poster presentations, private practitioner's sessions, quiz and to comprehensively cover various topics of anaesthesiology for the benefit of post graduates and anaesthesiologist.
4. Also to follow the pre determined timings for all the sessions / events specified in ISA Karnataka for state conference.

Agenda 3 . UPDATE ON FIRST HYBRID AGBM OF ISA NATIONAL.

The secretary updated EC that the national ISA has convened FIRST HYBRID AGBM OF ISA NATIONAL on June 7th 2025 and the circular related has already been circulated in the whatsapp groups of ISA Karnataka and has been displayed on ISA Karnataka Website for information and requested all members to encourage maximum members to participate in the AGBM.

Agenda 4 . UPDATE ON PG EXCEL 2025

The secretary updated EC that PG Excel 2025 was hosted by MS Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore from March 7th to 9th 2025. At the outset ISA KARNATAKA congratulated the whole team of Ramaiah Medical College for successfully conducting PG EXCEL 2025. It was a well conducted annual academic programme of ISA Karnataka. The scientific programmes were curated to the needs of present day examinations requirements and was attended by 465 delegates and was well accepted by everyone. The organising committee of PG Excel 2025 has transferred ISA Karnataka share of 2% of the total delegate fee of 47700/- towards ISA Karnataka on 20.03.2025.

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Agenda 5 . UPDATE ON ISA KARNATAKA WEBINARS

The secretary brought to the notice of the members that ISA Karnataka has relaunched the webinar series of ISA Karnataka State branch from Feb 2025. The first webinar was conducted by the **Shivamogga Institute of Medical Sciences, Shivamogga on Physics behind anaesthesia machine** with **Dr Ashwini S and Dr Swathi Hegde as speakers and Dr Kumar A B as the moderator**. The meeting was attended by 106 participants on 22/02/2025 between 7pm – 8pm.

The march month webinar was conducted on 21/03/2025 by JJMMC , Davanagere with Dr Shilpashree A M and Dr Shobha K, professor and head, Department of Gynec oncology, KMIO as speakers on work-life balance overcoming challenges and women wellness - care for self respectively and Dr Anita Hanji as the moderator.

The April month webinar was conducted on 18/4/2025 by ISA , Raichur with Dr.Vishwanath and Dr.Ragahavendra, as speakers on Pharmacogenomics and drug metabolism and application of Pharmacogenomics in Anaesthesia respectively and Dr.Ramesh Babu as moderator.

The May month webinar was conducted on 16/5/2025 by ISA , Belagavi with Dr.Priyanka Gadvi and Dr.Meghana Hanagandi, as speakers on Challenges and Safety Guidelines of NORA and Perioperative Management and Site specific considerations of NORA respectively and Dr. Manjunath.C.Patil as moderator.

The Secretary requested the HOD's to actively participate and encourage fellow colleagues and post graduate students of the respective institutes and neighbouring institutes to participate. He also informed the HOD's that the allotment shall be district wise covering the entire state. The topic shall be finalised by the academic committee members in consultation with the host institutes HOD.

Agenda 6 .UPDATE ON ISACON SOUTHZONE CONFERENCE

The Secretary updated HOD's about the upcoming 40th ISA Annual South Zone conference hosted by ISA Andra pradesh State Branch and organised by ISA Visakhapatnam City Branch from 3rd July 2025 to 6th July 2025 at Vizag Conventions Visakhapatnam with preconference workshops on 3rd July 2025, CME on 4th July 2025 and conference on 5th and 6th July 2025.

He informed HOD's about the request by the organisers to promote maximum registrations from the state and circulate the brochures. He requested HOD's for the same.

He also informed that the organising committee has given opportunity for 15 speakers from Karnataka.

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Agenda 7 . DISCUSSION ON THE LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD, EMINENT ANAESTHESIA TEACHER AWARD, FREELANCER OF THE YEAR AWARDS OF ISA KARNATAKA

The Secretary informed the EC that ISA Karnataka shall be inviting applications for Eminent Anaesthesia Teacher award, and Freelancer of the year awards from ISA Karnataka. The eligibility criteria and applications forms shall be notified on ISA Karnataka Website and requested the EC members to widely publicize about the same among all the city branches so that opportunity is given to all eligible members of ISA Karnataka.

The lifetime achievement award of ISA Karnataka is a selection award of EC of ISA Karnataka and requested members to propose the suitable candidates.

Agenda 8 . REGISTRATION OF KARNATAKA ANAESTHESIA SOCIETY

The Secretary informed that the ISA Karnataka shall be registered in the name of Karnataka Anaesthesia Society (Karnataka State Branch of Indian Society of Anaesthesiologists) following approval in the upcoming AGBM.

Agenda 9 . APPROVAL FOR AUDITOR FEE FOR 2024-2025.

The Secretary informed that the ISA Karnataka needs to pay the auditor fee of Rupees of approximately 7,000/- for 2024-25 for auditing the ISA Karnataka accounts and filing Income tax reports and income tax on actual and requested EC approve the payment. The proposal was proposed by Dr.Satish Kumar.M.N and Seconded by Dr. Yathishkumar J K and the EC approved.

Agenda 10 . INAUGURATION OF ISA GADAG BRANCH.

The secretary informed that the ISA Gadag branch needs to be formally installed in consultation with ISA Karnataka State branch. The ISA Gadag branch has applied for the ISA National sponsored CME to be conducted during the installation programme and same will be updated once finalized.

Agenda 11 . REVIVAL OF ISA MANDYA BRANCH.

The secretary brought to the notice of EC that Dr Manjula B P and Dr Anil Kumar K R were entrusted the responsibility of initiating discussions with the members of ISA Mandya city branch and shall take necessary actions to activate it in consultation with the ISA Karnataka and the members are in the process of the same.

Agenda 12. ANY OTHER MATTER WITH PERMISSION OF THE CHAIRMAN

Dr. Chandrashekar S asked for clarification if AGBM and inaugural sessions during ISACON Karnataka can be rescheduled as per the local needs.

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It was informed as ISA Karnataka has adopted the constitution of ISA National and the rule book of ISA National in the AGBM held in august 2024, Bangalore, AGBM and inaugural sessions during ISACON Karnataka cannot be rescheduled as per the local needs until amended in the AGBM.

It was also informed that elections for 2025-26 of ISA Karnataka State Branch shall be notified as per the guidelines of ISA National and applications shall be invited for post of President, President Elect, Vice President and vacant posts of EC members.

Dr Chandrashekar S also requested the members to promote ISA Family Benevolent fund amongst ISA Karnataka members and suggested to make it compulsory for all office bearers of state and city branches of Karnataka. All the members endorsed his view and agreed for the same.

The meeting concluded with vote thanks.

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