

# The Indian Institute of Metals

## **Jamshedpur Chapter**

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## Minutes of Annual General Meeting of the Indian Institute of Metals Jamshedpur Chapter

**Venue:** Library Hall, Centre for Excellence **Date:** 21.06.2012 **Time:** 7:15 PM

#### **Present:**

Dr Soumitra Tarafder Chairman Dr Sandip Bhattacharyya Vice Chairman Dr M K Agarwal Vice Chairman Dr Monojit Dutta Secretary Dr K L Sahoo **Asst Secretary** Dr T Venugopalan EC Member Mr Nilotpal Dev EC Member Dr M D Maheshwari **EC** Member Dr S Mishra EC Member Dr (Ms) Mita Tarafder EC Member Dr Goutam Das EC Member Mr Dhirendra Prasad **EC** Member Dr Ashok Kumar EC Member Mr Arpan Das **EC** Member

Mr S K Roy Advisory Committee Member Mr A K Vais Advisory Committee Member

(plus other members)

- \* Ms Arthita Dey and Mr Tanmay Bhattacharyya could not attend
  - 1. Dr Soumitra Tarafder, the Chapter Chairman welcomed all the members present.
  - 2. Dr Monojit Dutta presented the Secretary's Report (copy attached) highlighting the activities organised during the last year.
  - 3. In absence of the Treasurer, Mr Nilotpol Dey presented the audited statement of accounts (a copy was circulated to all present prior to the meeting) and it was passed.
  - 4. During the Question-Answer session Dr MD Maheshwari proposed to change the Chapter bank account from 'Current a/c' to 'Savings a/c'. However, it was decided not to make any change for at least next one year.
  - 5. Mr SK Roy suggested that since this is the 50<sup>th</sup> NMD to be held in Jamshedpur this year, an appropriate gift may be given to all delegates. This is to be proposed to the NMD-ATM Core Committee by the Chairman.
  - 6. The issue on course material for IIM students was discussed and Dr Mita Tarafder volunteered to come up with a detailed proposal.
  - 7. It was passed in the meeting that the same Executive Committee (as mentioned in the left column) would continue for 2012-2013.
  - 8. The AGM was finished with a Vote of Thanks by Dr S Bhattacharyya and followed by a high tea.

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### Secretary's Report

(Presented at the AGM of IIM Jamshedpur Chapter on 21<sup>st</sup> June 2012)

Chapter Chairman, Dr Soumitra Tarafder, Vice Chairman, Dr Sandip Bhattacharyya and Dr MK Agarwal, members of the Executive Committee and all distinguished members – I am privileged to read out the Secretary's report before you.

You are aware that the Jamshedpur Chapter of IIM has always been one of the most active chapters in the country. As many as six NMD and IIM awards were won from Jamshedpur last year. A stream of activities happened last year involving national and international experts and young and energetic students. It started with the international conference on Coal and Coke in April 2011. Another international conference on Non-Destructive Evaluation for Steel and Allied Industries (NDESAI) was held in December. Both the conferences were international in true sense with respect to participation and quality of technical papers. A workshop on Thermal Barrier Coatings and two lectures by overseas professors were also arranged during the last year.

IIM, Jamshedpur Chapter always tries to promote student activities to attract them to the core metallurgical actions. An Inter-school quiz programme was held and the top two students were sponsored to take part in the National Level of "Prof. Brahm Prakash Memorial Materials Quiz" at Kalpakkam. The Dara P Antia Memorial Quiz and Technica was organised at NIT, Jamshedpur. The unique students' seminar "Behind the Teachers Desk" (BTTD-2012) was held for the second consecutive year with an objective to encourage and nurture budding metallurgical engineering students. 84 such students (B. Tech & M. Tech) from reputed engineering colleges across India participated in this event.

This year the mega event i.e. the NMD-ATM 2012 is going to take place at Jamshedpur and our members are already busy to make it a great success.

On behalf of the Executive Committee and on my behalf I would like to thank each one of you.

Monojit Dutta