

**JAMIA TEACHERS ASSOCIATION
JAMIA MILLIA ISLAMIA**

Minutes of GENERAL BODY MEETING dated March 23, 2022

A General Body Meeting of -JTA was held on Wednesday March 23, 2022 in the Auditorium, Faculty of Engineering & Technology, JMI at 12.30 pm. Around 180 members attended the meeting.

The meeting begun with the tribute to the deceased souls of the faculty members who passed away to heavenly abode in during the Pandemic Covid19 Wave-II. The all members observed a silence for 2 minutes and prayed for the serenity of deceased.

Following Agenda items were discussed and resolved:

1. The minutes of the last GBM dated March 24, 2021 were confirmed.
2. Secretary, JTA presented his report to all the JTA members. The formal note begun with placing the credits to all the faculty members in order to achieve the prestigious A⁺⁺ Grade in the peer evaluation of NAAC during Dec 2021.
 - A report on the CAS promotion was presented, for which JTA has been pursuing continuously.
 - Secretary reported that the matter of Counting of Past Services was pursued continuously by JTA as a result a total 28 faculty members had been benefitted till date.
 - The restoration of the date of eligibility for CAS promotion due to not fulfilling the refresher/ orientation program eligibility has also been revised. Total 17 faculty members whose date of eligibility has been revised and restored the actual date of promotion.
 - It was informed that during pandemic the arrangements of the oxygen cylinders, concentrators and other mandatory requirements were managed by JTA and offered their services to all without any discrimination. The arrangements of filling of gas cylinders from BHEL were put on record. The tireless efforts made by Prof. Majid Jamil, Prof. Nafis Ahmad, Dr. M. Irfan Qureshi, Dr. Mohsin Ali and were appreciated by the house. Further, support extended by Jamia alumni and Mr. Sahil Khan were also noted.
 - Secretary reported that on persuasion of JTA, a house allotment committee meeting was held and as per criteria, vacant houses were allotted to the faculty members. Due to paucity of funds maintenance work was delayed however property department is asked to handover the keys of the allotted flats after repairing without further delay.

- About the online interviews and distribution of JTA scholarship was briefed. An amount of ~16 lakhs INR would be transferred directly to the needy students of JMI.
 - The JTA calendar 2022 was printed and dedicated to the Women's of Jamia. The Team led by Dr. Seeme Murtaza was placed for appreciation. Efforts of Prof. Sabiha Anjum Zaidi were also appreciated.
 - A report on the Annual Lunch held in Dec 2021 and its budget was presented. The arrangements of the lunch were appreciated by the house.
 - Secretary also briefed the house about the teacher's day celebration held on Sep 05, 2021 and the felicitation of the retired teachers on this occasion.
 - Rectification in the Office Orders issued by the Administration, JMI was pursued by JTA and done as per Ordinance, JMI in regard to Leave orders.
 - It was also informed that JTA is continuously pursuing for the restoration of BE (Evening) Program and it is likely to be on roll with next academic session.
 - The notification for Ph.D. admissions was also followed by JTA which has already been notified for the current academic session.
3. The annual budget was presented by Treasurer Dr. Arif Mohammad. A comparative of the already approved 2020-21 and to be approved 2021-22 was displayed. Following major changes were approved
 - The increase in the GBM budget from Rs. 50,000/ to Rs. 70,000/- The contribution for the JTA scholarship has also been increased to Rs.300 per month instead of prior Rs.200 per month.
 4. Regarding the CGHS card and implementation of the same scheme, Dr Amit Tamrakar presented a report. A new committee had been constituted to seek the pros and cons towards the implementation of CGHS/ Cashless/ Referral with following members: Prof. Zeeshan H Khan, Dr. Anugyan Nag, Dr. Amit K. Tamrakar, and Prof. Bindulika Sharma. It is requested to newly constituted committee to submit its report within 2 months towards the persuasion with Administration, JMI.
 5. The pending salaries issue for the faculty members of the centers was discussed. It was briefed by the Secretary, JTA that entire JTA EC has protested in person at the Office of Administration, JMI multiple times. One month salary had been released after the efforts. The following had been resolved in order to organize "Dharna/ Protest"
 - Pending Salary issue of the faculty members from centers
 - Resolution of the reinstatement of SNCWS, JMI faculties from the date of their appointment as regular employee
 - Promotion of Fine Arts faculty members from Associate to Professor grade
 6. The matter of the availing of the summer vacations in ongoing academic calendar was placed. It was resolved to demand the same as per rule. The lapsed summer/winter vacations to be converted to one third EL was also approved to write to Administration to adapt earliest.

7. A proposal to establish the quick transparent EMR project clearance office was approved to pursue with the Administration, JMI
8. An establishment of Patent Cell was also approved to be pursued with Admin, JMI
9. The release of pending medical bills/ promotional arrears/LTC was discussed and approved and secretary, JTA was authorized to do the needful
10. Any other item:
 - It was resolved that the representation of JTA must be included in the HEFA
 - The basic facilities like coolers/ACs/ proper sitting space was discussed. Secretary, JTA was authorized to write to Admin, JMI for the redressal.
 - As per the objection raised by Dr. Saurabh Ray, it was resolved to write to Admin, JMI to increase the admission seats for the students with disabilities from the presently 45 to 100.
 - The matter of the in service Ph.D. program was discussed. It was decided to write to Controller of Examination, JMI to review the current changes in the Ph.D Ordinances 2022 for the staff pursuing in service Ph.D. within university.

The meeting ended with the thanks to chair at 2:30PM

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Secretary, JTA
