

**MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE BODY MEETING OF THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
OF BERHAMPUR UNIVERSITY HELD AT 5.00 PM ON 21st NOVEMBER, 2020**

Members Present:

1. Prof. Govind J. Chakrapani	- Patron
2. Prof. (Retd.) Prakash Chandra Mishra	- President
3. Prof. Arundhati Rath	- Member
4. Prof. (Retd.) Bishnu Charan Choudhury	- Member
5. Prof. (Retd.) Gouri Sankar Tripathi	- Member
6. Prof. (Retd.) Bramha Bihari Panda	- Member
7. Prof. (Retd.) Ram Narayan Panda	- Member
8. Prof. Gitanjali Mishra	- Member
9. Prof. Manas Ranjan Patro	- Member
10. Dr. Ramakanta Bhuyan	- Member
11. Dr. (Retd.) Radha Govinda Padhi	- Member
12. Dr. Subhendra Dash	- Secretary
13. Dr. Narayan Sahoo	- Joint Secretary
14. Dr. Itishree Gita Kumari	

Business Transacted:

The second meeting of the Executive Body (EB) members of Berhampur University Alumni Association was held online at 5.00 PM on 21st November, 2020. The meeting was started with the welcome address by the president. The minutes of the meeting were :

1. Confirmed the resolutions taken by the Executive Body in its last meeting held on 12th December, 2019.
2. It was decided to collect Rs. 2000/- (two thousand) as the life membership fees instead of Rs. 1000/- (one thousand) decided in the last EB meeting.
3. The secretary presented the annual report of the association for the year 2019-20.
4. The members placed on record the initiatives taken so far by the President and the Secretary.
5. In view of the covid-19 pandemic situation it was decided that the same executive body and office bearers will continue till normalcy is restored.
6. The President and the Secretary are authorized to take necessary steps for the registration of the association under Society Act 1860.
7. The executive body members are requested to make special drive for mobilizing the members of the association.

8. The association is very much thankful and gratefully acknowledges the following alumni members (donors) for their contributions:
- Dr. Mrutunjay Mahapatra, former MD and CEO of syndicate bank (M.Sc. Physics, 1980-82) donated Rs. 5 Lac (corpus and interest thereof) on behalf of the Bank to award best students of some selective post graduate departments of BU every year.
 - Prof. Devi Prasana Patnaik (M.A. Odia, 1979-81) donated Rs. 2 Lac, the interest of which will be given every year as cash award to the best alumni of BU.
 - Sh. Santosh Panigrahy, CGM, RBI (M.Sc. Physics, 1983-85) donated 2 new desktops (Computers) to the University Higher Secondary School, Bhanja Bihar.

The above donation amount is in the University Bank accounts (SBI Bhanja Bihar) and not with the alumni funds.

9. It was decided to conduct a webinar on the topic "Implementation of New Education Policy – 2020: Issues and Challenges" by the association in the 3rd week of December, 2020.
10. The following speakers will be requested to grace the occasion as resource persons for the proposed webinar :
- Prof. Ivaturi Ramabhramam - Vice-Chancellor, Central University Koraput, Odisha
 - Prof. Arun K Pujari - Vice-Chancellor, Central University Rajasthan
 - Prof. Govind J. Chakrapani - Vice-Chancellor, Berhampur University, Odisha
 - Prof. Deepak Kumar Behera - Vice-Chancellor, Sambalpur University, Odisha
 - Prof. Hrushikesh Mohanty - Vice-Chancellor, KIIT University, Odisha
 - Prof. K. V. R. Chary - Director, IISER, Berhampur
 - Prof. M. K. Sridhar - Member, NEP – 2020, Bangalore University
11. It is proposed to bring out a quarterly e-Newsletter by the association which will be published in the university website.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to and from the chair.

Narayan Sahoo/21/11/2020
Secretary, AABU

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Bakshi Ch. Misra
President, AABU 21/11/2020

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