

**Minutes of the 20th General Body Meeting (20th Annual Meet) of
Government Polytechnic Vijayawada Alumni Association, Hyderabad (GPVAAH)**

20th General Meeting of GPVAAH was held at IIT, Kandi, Hyderabad on 29th January 2023 from 10.30 hrs to 17.00 hrs. The following members were present:

1.	Professor B.S. Murty	President
2.	Sri K. Veerabhadr Rao	Vice President
3.	Sri N. Ranga Rao	Chairman, Advisory Committee
4.	Sri M. Anjaneya Raju	Patron
5.	Sri K. Rangayyappa Rao	Patron
6.	Sri J. Sanjeeva Rao	Adviser
7.	Sri S.L.N. Sastry	Adviser
8.	Dr. N. Venkateswara Rao	Secretary
9.	Sri S.S.K. Tulasi Rao	Organizing Secretary
10.	Sri Y. Balaji	Treasurer
11.	Sri S.B. Malleswara Rao	EC Member
12.	Sri K Durga Nageswara Rao	EC Member
13.	Sri M.N.V. Viswanath	EC Member
14.	Sri M. Maruti Vara Prasad	EC Member
15.	Sri K. Jagan Mohan	EC Member
16.	Sri A. Suresh	EC Member
17.	Dr. A. Sambasiva Rao	EC Member
18.	Sri S.K. Madar Saheb	EC Member
19.	Sri NNR Pawan Babu	EC Member

The General Body Meeting (GBM) was conducted as per the program sheet (Annexure-1). 156 Members attended the GBM against nearly 580 registered members of the Association. Details of the members attended the GBM are enclosed at Annexure-2. The program was started with lighting of the inaugural lamp by the dignitaries on the dais.

1)	<p>Welcome address by President</p> <p>Professor BS Murty welcomed the teachers who graced the occasion, Sri T. Krishna Murthy, Ex-HOD (Met), Sri BV Krishna Rao, Ex-Lecturer (Met) & Ex-Principal, Sri GV Narasimha Murthy, Ex-Lecturer (Mech) and all the members to the GBM. He expressed his happiness to see all the seniors who passed out of the college in 1960s & 1970s and welcomed all other members to the Indian Institute of Technology Hyderabad (IITH) campus as the Director of IITH. In his inaugural address he presented the details of various academic and research innovations at IITH. He informed that interested persons can do online MTech or external PhD without physically coming to the IITH.</p>
2)	<p>Condolences to diseased members</p> <p>It is customary to pay homage to the deceased members of the Association in every GBM. From the previous GBM (Jan 2020) to this GBM, as per the information received from various members of our Association, about 17 members expired. The Secretary presented the details of the expired members and the GB paid homage to the deceased members.</p>
3)	<p>Secretary Report</p> <p>After introducing the EC members (Annexure-3) to the GB, the Secretary presented the details of the activities carried out by the Association since previous GBM held in Jan 2020. From Feb. 2020 to Jan 2023, five EC meetings were held, and the following points were discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Membership Cards • IT Exemption for Donors • Felicitation to 1967, 1968 & 1969 Batches

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Membership Drive • Cash Awards to Merit Students at GPV • Donation of Old Furniture to GPV • Interaction with GPV for any Help • Opening of Facebook Page • Printing of New Year Calenders • Preparation of GPVVH Handbook-2023 • Conduct of 20th Annual Meet • Updating of our Website with Photos & Biodata <p>All the above points were explained by the Secretary in detail and all of them were completed on-time. The GB appreciated the efforts of the EC for completing the above jobs.</p>																											
4)	<p>Treasurer Report The previous GBM was conducted on 5th Jan 2020 and due to COVID-19 GBMs were not conducted in the years 2021 and 2022. Therefore, the treasurer presented the accounts for the financial years 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23 (up to Dec 2022). Present financial status of the Association is presented below:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="279 779 1409 1031"> <thead> <tr> <th colspan="3" style="text-align: center;">Financial status as on 26-11-2022</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">1.</td> <td>FDs 6 Nos.</td> <td style="text-align: right;">5,00,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">2.</td> <td>Cash in Bank</td> <td style="text-align: right;">36,897</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">3.</td> <td>Cash in Hand</td> <td style="text-align: right;">23,279</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">Total</td> <td style="text-align: right;">5,60,176</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">Un-realized interest on FDs as on date</td> <td style="text-align: right;">1,87,043</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: center;">Grand Total</td> <td style="text-align: right;">7,47,219</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Financial status as on 26-11-2022			1.	FDs 6 Nos.	5,00,000	2.	Cash in Bank	36,897	3.	Cash in Hand	23,279	Total		5,60,176	Un-realized interest on FDs as on date		1,87,043	Grand Total		7,47,219						
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5)	<p>Points for GB approval The following points were put up to GB by the Secretary for its approval:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Formation of Advisory Committee (AC) • Change of President, EC and Chairman, AC • Election of EC Members • Change of Convener, Advisor and Treasurer • Revision of Membership Fees <p>Advisory Committee was formed on 14-07-2020 with the following senior members:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="418 1381 1040 1707"> <tbody> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">1.</td> <td>Professor B.S. Murty</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Chairman</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">2.</td> <td>Sri M. A. Raju</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Member</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">3.</td> <td>Sri K. Rangayappa Rao</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Member</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">4.</td> <td>Sri J. Sanjeeva Rao</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Member</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">5.</td> <td>Sri SLN Sastry</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Member</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">6.</td> <td>Sri K. Veerabhadra Rao</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Member</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">7.</td> <td>Dr. N. Venkateswara Rao</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Member</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">8.</td> <td>Sri Y. Balaji</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Member</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">9.</td> <td>Sri M.S. Naidu</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Convener</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>The terms of reference for the AC are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The AC will meet once or twice in a year and review the activities being conducted by the EC. 2. The AC will discuss and advise the EC about the welfare/ activities to be taken up at GPV. 	1.	Professor B.S. Murty	Chairman	2.	Sri M. A. Raju	Member	3.	Sri K. Rangayappa Rao	Member	4.	Sri J. Sanjeeva Rao	Member	5.	Sri SLN Sastry	Member	6.	Sri K. Veerabhadra Rao	Member	7.	Dr. N. Venkateswara Rao	Member	8.	Sri Y. Balaji	Member	9.	Sri M.S. Naidu	Convener
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3. All the amendments to bye-laws will be cleared by AC before putting up to GB.
4. The Chairman may co-opt any member of GPVAAH on need basis.

The GB approved the Advisory Committee with the above terms of reference.

In the 2nd EC meeting held on 04-09-2022, Sri N. Ranga Rao, President of the Association expressed that he is not able to spare his time to the Association because of his busy professional schedules and requested the EC & AC to relieve him. Members of the AC accepted the request of Sri Ranga Rao and Prof. Murty has agreed to take the responsibility of President for a period of two years. In turn, Prof. Murty requested Sri Ranga Rao to take the responsibility of Chairman, Advisory Committee for which Sri Ranga Rao kindly agreed. Both these changes were approved by the GB on 29-01-2023.

In the year 2022, following new EC members were elected by the Association in its EC meetings:

- Dr. A. Sambasiva Rao, 1983 Met in place of Sri M. Janaki Sudhakar, 1974 (Met)
- SK. Madar Saheb, 1983 Met in place of Sri V Benerjee, 1974 (M))
- NNR Pavan Babu, 1997M in place of Sri K. Thyagaraju, 1974 (Met)

The General Body approved the election of the above 3 EC members.

For the last 2 years Sri MS Naidu is facing health issues and hence the following changes are proposed and approved by the GB:

- Sri K. Rangayyappa Rao as Convener in place of Sri MS Naidu.
- Sri MS Naidu as Advisor

Sri Y Balaji, Treasurer requested the GB to relieve him for his personal reasons. Hence, the following proposal was made and approved by the GB:

Sri K. Durga Nageswara Rao, EC member as Treasurer in place of Sri Y. Balaji.

Prevailing fee for different category of Memberships was almost 6 to 7 years old. Therefore, it was proposed to revise the Memberships fee as under:


Sl. No	Category of Membership	Present Fee (Rs.)	Proposed Fee (Rs.)
1.	Ordinary Member	1,000	2,000
2.	Life Member	5,000	10,000
3.	Silver Member	10,000	20,000
4.	Gold Member	20,000	30,000
5.	Platinum Member	30,000	40,000
6.	Patron	50,000	70,000
7.	Senior Patron	-	80,000
8.	Chief Patron	1,00,000	1,00,000

The GB approved the above revision.

The following **special points** raised by Sri K.R. Rao in the 3rd EC meeting on 26-11-2022 were put up in GB meeting for discussion:

Motivational Lectures: Many members are having 30 to 40 years of experience. Sri K.R. Rao is having 58 years of experience. To share our lifetime experience with students, it was proposed to give biweekly lectures at GPV physically (not through online).

Helping our poor Alumni: It is learnt that some of our Alumni are suffering due to lack of financial resources. If we can do small financial help, it will be at least useful for their medicines at their old age. Therefore, identify the beneficiaries by announcement in GB

	<p>meeting, establish the genuinity and try to help by any of the following methods: Personal adoption such as Sri KR Rao will adopt one beneficiary. All EC members will contribute Rs.250/- pm for the Welfare Fund and this will be sufficient @Rs.3000/- pm for one beneficiary. There are lot of industrialists in our Association. Each industrialist can adopt one or two persons. There are 160 members in our Association having age above 75 years.</p> <p>Office Building for GPVAAH: At present we do not have any office building for our Association and it is running in Secretary's house. We should try one of the following options to establish office building:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Purchase 500 Sq.Yds land and construct building & shed to conduct Annual Meets. This may need few crores of fund. 2. Take some unused/excess accommodation of any industry on rent. 3. Try to develop one hall in Govt. Polytechnic, Masab Tank on multi-purpose basis i.e., we use the hall whenever our work is there and at other times, the college will utilize it for their meetings/classes etc. <p>The GB agreed for the above proposals. Efforts need to be made for implementation.</p>
6)	<p>Address by the Chief Guest Sri Kotagiri Murali (1968 M), Managing Director of Devi Hitech Engineers Pvt. Ltd., Cherlapally, Hyderabad was invited as Chief Guest for the 20th Annual Meet. In his address Sri Murali shared his experiences prior to setting up of his own firm. After completing his diploma from GPV, Sri Murali started his career in "Andhra Pradesh State Electricity Board" as Trainee Engineer. After 2 years, he joined as a Design Engineer in the year 1970 in "Kakati Karshak Industries Limited", manufacturers of Liquid Ring Vacuum Pumps and Systems. After serving for nearly 20 years, he started his own Company named "Devi Hitech Engineers Private Limited" in the year 1989 and the Commercial Production started from 1991. He is manufacturing Liquid Ring compressors and systems for Chlor-Alkali and Allied Industry. As on date, his company supplied many Compressors / Systems in India and abroad including the countries Germany, Thailand, Brazil, Kenya, Saudi Arabia, Bangladesh, Malaysia, Indonesia, Iran, Paraguay, Sri Lanka, Kazakhstan etc.</p>
7)	<p>Felicitation to Senior Members We have 46 Senior Members from 1967, 1968 and 1969 pass out batches in our Hand Book-2018. Out of 46, only 15 senior members turned up for their felicitation program in the 18th Annual Meet held in January 2019. Felicitation program was taken up in this Annual Meet for the remaining 31 members in the post lunch session. Only 7 senior members attended the GBM against 31 invited.</p>
<p>After self introduction of few new members (who attended the Annual Meets for the 1st time), the GB meeting ended with Vote of thanks by Sri K. Jagan Mohan, EC Member.</p>	
Date:06-01-2023	<p style="text-align: right;">  (Dr. N. VENKATESWARA RAO) Secretary </p>

**Programme on 29-01-2023 for the 20th Annual Meet (GBM) of GPVAAH
at IIT Hyderabad Auditorium**

1. Registration from 10.30 – 14.00 hrs
2. Inviting guests to Dias at 11.30 hrs, Lighting of lamp, Prayer.
3. Welcome address by President
4. Condolences to diseased members: 16 Nos.
5. Introduction of EC members to the GB by Secretary
6. Secretary Report
7. Treasurer Report
8. Points for GB approval
9. Inauguration of New Year Calendar by Chief Guest
10. Distribution of Membership cards
11. Inauguration of GPVAA Hand Book-2023 by Chairman AC.
12. Introduction of Chief Guest by the Secretary
13. Address by Chief Guest Sri Kotagiri Murali (1968 M), Managing Director, Devi Hitech Engineers Pvt. Ltd., Cherlapally, Hyderabad.

----- Lunch Break (14.00 to 15.00 hrs) -----

14. Felicitation to Senior Members from 1967, 1968 and 1969 pass out batches.
15. Self Introduction of New Members (attending 1st time)
16. Vote of thanks & Tea at 17.00 hrs.

N. Venkateswara Rao

Date: 28-01-2023

(Dr. N.VENKATESWARA RAO)
Secretary

Details of the members attended the GB Meeting on 29-01-2023

Dear Sir,

All the members attended the Annual Meet have written their details and signed in the Minutes Book which is maintained by Sri Balaji. Xerox copy of these pages (A3 size) forms the Annexure-2 and Sri Balaji will be giving this to me in a day or two.

List of EC Members as on 31-12-2022

CATEGORY	NAME, BATCH & BRANCH	PHONE NO.
Chairman, Advisory Committee	Sri. N. Ranga Rao, 1973 Met	93910 23886
Patrons:	1. M. A. Raju, 63 E	9866053335, 040-23001944
	2. K. Rangayyappa Rao, 63 M	9701454159, 9900523440
Advisers	3. J. Sanjeeva Rao, 63 M	9704488882, 040-23304128
	4. SLN Sastry, 67C	9948307879
President	5. Professor BS Murty, 83 Met	9444077006, 8331036001
Vice-President	6. K. Veerabhadra Rao, 67 M	9490421634, 040-23044868
Secretary	7. Dr. N. Venkateswara Rao, 81Met	9392508181, 040-24348181
Joint Secretary	8. E. Madhava Rao, 78 Met	9849334507, 040-24345121
Organising Secretary	9. SSK Tulasi Rao, 69 M	9440918337
Treasurer	10. Y. Balaji, 93 Met	9441928234, 040-24006613
Convener	11. M.S. Naidu, 63 M	9440522542, 040-27942277
EC Members:	12. SB. Malleswara Rao, 66 E	8985300864, 040-24091723
	13. KD Nageswara Rao, 75 E	9989626720
	14. MNV Viswanath, 78 Met	9866371423
	15. K. Jagan Mohan, 97M	78932 05792
	16. M Maruti Vara Prasad, 97M	95029 95468
	17. A. Suresh, 80 M	94404 00444
	18. Dr. A. Sambasiva Rao, 83 Met	9866106144
	19. SK. Madar Saheb, 83 Met	9396233303
	20. NNR Pavan Babu, 97M	9010052399

N. Venkateswara Rao

Date: 31-12-2022

(Dr. N.VENKATESWARA RAO)
Secretary