



Pakistan Psychological Association

Minutes of the PPA Executive body meeting held on Friday, 02 July 2021 at 04:30 pm

PPA Executive Body meeting was held on 02nd July 2021 at 04:30pm in the Department of Psychology (Male) International Islamic University Islamabad (IIUI) H-10 Islamabad under the Chairmanship of Prof. Muhammad Jahanzeb Khan (PhD), President Pakistan Psychological Association. The following attended the meeting:

1. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Jahanzeb Khan	President
2. Prof. Dr. Rukhsana Kausar	Senior Vice-President
3. Dr. Iffat Batool	Acting General Secretary
4. Prof. Dr. Sarwat Sultan	Vice-President (Punjab)
5. Dr. Sadiq Hussain	Vice-President (Gilgit-Baltistan)
6. Dr. Shazia Qayyum	Secretary Information
7. Mr. Jamil Asghar Bhatti	Additional Secretary (Islamabad)
8. Prof. Dr. Farah Malik	Executive Member
9. Dr. Kashif Fida	Executive Member
10. Dr. Rizwana Amin	Executive Member
11. Dr. Shahnaila Tariq	Executive Member
12. Dr. Mussaffa Butt	Executive Member
13. Dr. Muhammad Hayat Bangash	Executive Member
14. Ms. Shukriya Bangash	on Special invitation
15. Mr. Mian Aftab	on Special invitation
16. Mr. Basharat Hussain	Office Secretary

Prof. Dr. Muhammad Tahir Khalily (Treasurer) could not attend the meeting due to health issues.

The meeting started with the recitation of the Holy Quran. President, PPA welcomed the Executive Members and prayed Fatiha for the departed souls during this pandemic situation. Thereafter, the agenda of the meeting was started with the permission of the chair.

Agenda Item # 01: Previous meeting minutes held online

Resolution No. 1.1: The chair presented minutes of the previous meeting held on 18th June 2020 (online meeting) which was unanimously endorsed by the house without any observation.

Agenda Item # 02 PPA Policy on environmental issues

Resolution No. 2.1: The chair briefed the members about the PPA environment policy. He also invited Ms. Shukriya Qasim Khan (Life Member of PPA), who is working

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with American Psychological Association on the psychological impact of environmental changes. Ms. Shukriya briefed the house that APA is interested to know the ongoing activities of PPA with reference to environmental changes. A committee comprising Prof. Dr. Rukhsana Kausar, Mr. Jamil Asghar Bhatti and Dr. Sadiq Hussain was made to look into the issue.

Agenda Item # 03 PPA Constitutional Approved Amendment

Resolution No. 3.1: The chair brief the house that amendment in the constitution of the PPA is already passed by the executive in its meeting in Bara Gali. However, PPA office will circulate with its members for endorsement before the next elections.

Agenda Item # 06: PPA Annual Conference & Election 2020-21

Resolution No. 6.1: After assessing the ongoing geopolitical situation in Pakistan, the executive body suggested to organize the PPA Annual Conference (both online and face to face) and Elections at Islamabad, Peshawar, or Kohat and in this regard a long debate took place and it was agreed to allow the President and Treasurer to decide by keeping in view the pandemic situation.

Agenda Item # 05 Suggestion on PPC Bill by Group of Psychologists

Resolution No. 5.1: President briefed the house that PPA office has received some suggestions from the renowned Pakistani psychologist, regarding the Pakistan Psychological Council bill. House unanimously decided that the bill is pending at the National Assembly of Pakistan so at this stage we cannot recommend any change. However, we will consider this once we come at discussion stage.

Agenda Item # 04 PPA Life members' number and status

Resolution No. 4.1: Mr. Bashart Hussain briefed the house that Life membership of PPA office has reached 852. He further informed the house that in June 2015 there were a total of 647 members on PPA account. However, during the years June 2015 to June 2021, after registration of 255 members, the above figures were achieved. The committee appreciated this contribution.

Agenda Item # 05 PPA account details/status

Resolution No. 5.1: Mr. Basharat Hussain presented to the house the account status to the PPA. He explained to the members about the year wise income and expenditure statement of the PPA. He concluded that to date there is Rs. 342399/- (Rupees three hundred forty two thousand three hundred ninety nine) in the PPA account which is maintained under GAAP for the first time.

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Resolution No. 5.2: The chair advised to the PPA office Islamabad to make necessary arrangements of the Audit of PPA account/s.

Thereafter, meeting ended with a vote of thanks from the chair.

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