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DEAR ESTEEMED MEMBERS,

Greetings from Madurai.

i convey my heartfelt thanks for the faith you have reposed in me, as the president of TAPASU, I feel humbled and over helmed. It is my proud privilege to welcome you all to TAPASUCON 2018 the 23<sup>rd</sup> annual conference of the Tami nadu and Pondicherry association of urologists at kodaikannal on 5<sup>th</sup>, 6th 7<sup>th</sup> October 2018.

TAPASU is on a path of continuous growth since its inception in 1997. Association has now 400 members, we have conducted 23 annual annual conferences and 7 midterm cue programmes. I am glad to say that TAPASU has a website - [www.tapasu.in](http://www.tapasu.in).

It is a great honour bestowed to manus- Madurai to organise TAPASUCON 2018 at kodaikanal. Really this conference will be an academic feast, and social bonding at princess of hill stations and enjoy its serene environment.

On behalf of the organising committee and manus, I wish you a comfortable stay, great scientific feast and pleasant memories.

WITH BEST WISHES

DR.C.P.M.CHANDRASEKAR,

PRESIDENT TAPASU,

ORGANISING CHAIRMAN TAPASUCON 2018.



## SECRETARY MESSAGE

One fine afternoon in 1995 the founder members of our association thought why don't we have an association of our own. That led to the birth of our prestigious family which started its academic work by organizing the first conference in 1996. Our founders had a vision for the future. As any other professional organization we represent the interests of the members at the same time involved in the development and monitoring of educational programs and updating the skills of the individuals.

Ours is a charitable association involved in sponsoring fellowship to our members and keenly indebted to conducting academic activities for the post graduates and consultants. It's our pride to say Prof. Chinnaswamy the first MCh urologist in our country is one of our founder members. We also have four previous presidents of USI. We (TAPASU) give a prestigious UROTAN Gold medal for the urologist who has done outstanding work in our field. A good standing member with oration skills is endowed with the SB UMAPATHY oration. In 2005 the Kanyakumari Urology club guest lecture was started. We have a midterm CUE programme running successfully for six years. We also have a Vellore traveling fellowship for our members. We are the first to get CME accreditation points in south zone. A feather on the cap is the digitalisation of TAPASU with regularised member list, exclusive website and email. With already more than four hundred members we are the largest urological body in south India and we look forward not only to increase our members but also to set newer standards for the future. May we all rise together. We welcome you all for the forthcoming TAPASUCON 2018 at Kodaikanal.

Greetings

DR. G CHENGALVARAYAN

## **MID TERM CUE 2018 :**

TAPASU MID-TERM CUE 2018 HAD HELD ON 12 MAY 2018 AT MGMCRI. PROGRAMME WAS ON ENDOUROLOGY. IT ATTRACTED MORE THAN 85 DELIGATES. IT ALSO INCLUDED AN ASU QUIZOMANIA. A TEAM COMPIRISNG OF DR.ANU RAMESH, DR.FAROOQ MOHAMMED, DR.VENKATA BHARGAVA BOPANA FROM MADARAS MEDICAL COLLEGE WON THE QUIZOMANIA.



## **MINUTES OF ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING 2017.**

THE PRESIDENT REQUESTED ONE MINUTE SILENCE FOR DR.T.R.MURALI.THE PRESIDENT HAS HIS OPENING REMARKS ON THE EFFECTIVE FUNCTIONING OF THE COUNCIL AND EXPRESSED HIS SATISFACTION OVER THE LAST YEAR. THE SECRETARY DETAILED ON THE WORK DONE IN THE LAST YEAR AND THANKED THE PREVIOUS OFFICERS FOR HELPING HIM CARRY OUT HIS PRESENT JOB EFFECTIVELY. IT WAS PROPOSED THAT DR.N.KRISHNAMOORTHY PAPER PRIZE HAS 2 PRIZES AND ATLEAST ONE OF THEM SHOULD BE GIVEN TO A POST GRADUATE AND THE GENERAL BODY AGREED.

IT WSA DECIDED TO BE IMPLEMENTED FROM 2018 ONWARDS.THE SECRETARY REQUESTED THE GENERAL BODY TO ALLOW HIM BRING HIM MORE ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES LIKE WORKSHOPS, MOCK EXAMS FOR POST GRADUATES, TRAINING PROGRAMMES AND ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES AS REQUIRED THEN AND THE GENERAL BODY AGREED. IT WAS SUGGESTED BY MEMBERS THAT WE CAN HAVE A PRIZE AS WELL AS FREE PAPER SESSIONS TO ACCOMIDATE MORE PAPERS IF POSSIBLE AND THE GENERAL BODY AGREED TO THE SUGGESTION. THE SECRETARY ALSO READ THE TREASURER REPORT AND IT WAS PASSED BY THE GENERAL BODY. DR.JOSEPH PHILIPRAJ WHO WAS THE ELECTED TREASURER EXPRESSED HIS WITHDRAWAL AND COUNCIL HAD REQUESTED DR.MANIKANDAN THE PREVIOUS TREASURER TO CONTINUE THE WORK TILL THE PRESENT AGM.THE PRESENT AGM APPROVED IT AND ASKED DR.MANIKANDAN TO CONTINUE AS A TREASURER FOR ONE MORE TERM ENDING AGM 2018.

UROATAN GOLD MEDAL 2018 WAS DECIDED TO BE GIVEN TO DR.K.DHARMARAJAN.

PROF S.B.UMAPATHY ORATION 2018 WAS DECIDED TO BE GIVEN TO DR.KRISHNASWAMY KANNAN.

QUIZ MASTER 2018 WAS DECIDED TO BE GIVEN TO DR.C.RAMESH KUMAR.

VELLORE TRAVELLING FELLOWSHIP 2017 WAS DECIDED TO BE GIVEN TO DR.R.M.SATHISH KUMAR.

MID TERM CUE 2018 WAS AWARDED TO MAHATMA GANDHI MEDICAL COLLEGE AND RESEARCH INSTITUTE PONDICHERRY.

TAPASUCON 2018 WAS DECIDED TO BE ORGANISED BY MANUS-MADURAI.

KANYAKUMARI UROLOGY CLUB EXPRESSED THEIR WILLINGNESS TO CONDUCT TAPASUCON 2019.

THE AGM DECIDED TO FORWARD THE REPRESENTATION GIVEN BY COIMBATORE UROLOGY CLUB TO CONDUCT SZ USICON 2019.

DR.A.MOSADDEQ FROM PONDICHERRY WAS ELECTED AS THE NEW VICE PRESIDENT. 32 NEW MEMBERS WERE INCLUDED. THERE WAS A PROPOSAL REGARDING INDUCTION OF A ORATION ON THE NAME OF PROF.D.CHANRASEKARAN.THE GENERAL BODY AGREED ON IT AND REQUESTED THE PROPOSERS TO DONATE CORPUS FUND OF 3 LAKHS AND THAT THE ORATION WILL CONTINUE FOR A PERIOD OF 7 YEARS AFTER WHICH THE THEN GENERAL BODYCAN DECIDE ON THE STATUS OF THE ORATION.THE GENERAL BODY ALSO AGREED ON SETTLING THE OUTSTANDING AMOUNT FOR DR.C.GAUTHAMAN ON HIS PREVIOUS EXPENSES.

THE PRESIDENT THANKED EVERYONE AND DECLARED AGM OVER.

## **TAPASU NOMINATIONS**

NOMINATION FOR VARIOUS POSTS AND CUT OFF DATES FOR WITHDRAWAL WERE ANNOUNCED THROUGH THE WEBSITE AND FOLLOWING VALID NOMINATIONS WERE RECEIVED FOR

VICE PRESIDENT: DR.S.M.KANNAN.

SECRETARY: DR.G.CHENGALVARAYAN.

TREASURER: DR.S.VASUDEVAN.

COUNCIL MEMBER: DR.R.M.SATHISH KUMAR.

TAPASU PROFFIENCIES APPLICANTS TILL THIS PUBLICATION.

ASPIRANTS FOR VELLORE TRAVELLING FELLOWSHIP: DR.PAUL VINCENT.

ASPIRANTS FOR CONDUCTING MID TERM CUE 2019: VELAMMAL MEDICAL COLLEGE, MADURAI.

ASPIRANTS FOR QUIZ MASTER 2019: DR.R.M.SATHISH KUMAR.