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Dear Members,

As per the Hon'ble Delhi High Court's Order dated 02.04.2024 in the FAO(OS) 120/2023 titled "SIRAJUDDIN QURESHI Versus MATLOOB AHMAD & OTHERS" the AGBM of IICC for the years 2021-22 & 2022-23 IS to be held on Sunday, the 2nd June, 2024 at IICC. We are enclosing herewith the Minutes of Meetings of the AGBMs of IICC for the years 2019-20 & 2020-21.

Thanks & regards,

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Advocate Pradeep Kumar Asst. to Court Observer, Justice Talwant Singh (Retd.)

Encl: As above

MINUTES OF ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING 2019-20 OF INDIA ISLAMIC CULTURAL CENTRE, HELD ON SATURDAY, 4TH JUNE, 2022 AT 3.30 PM AT B.S. ABDUR RAHMAN AUDITORIUM, LODHI ROAD, NEW DELHI – 110 003

President/Vice President/Board of Trustees/Executive Committee

S. No.	Name	Designation
1.	Mr. Sirajuddin Qureshi	President
2.	Mr. S.M. Khan	Vice President
3.	Mr. Abrar Ahmed, IRS (r)	Secretary, Member BOT
4.	Mr. Ahmed Raza	Member, BOT, Treasurer
5.	Mr. Qamar Ahmed	Member, BOT
6.	Mr. Sharafat Ullah	Member, BOT
7.	Mr. Mohd. Shamim	Member, BOT
8.	Mr. Jamshed Zaidi	Member, BOT
9.	Mr. Bahar U Barqi	Member, EC
10.	Mr. Abuzar Hussain Khan	Member, BOT
11.	Mr. Sikandar Hayat	Member, EC

Members Present :189

Mr. Abrar Ahmed, Secretary commenced the proceedings with the permission of the chair. He welcomed the members present for the meeting and then ascertained the quorum <u>from</u> <u>the attendance register</u> and declared that the AGBM was in order.

Thereafter, the Secretary requested the Members of the BOT/EC to come on the stage.

Mr. Abrar Ahmed, Secretary requested the Hon'ble President, Mr. Sirajuddin Qureshi, to chair the meeting. The President took the chair and welcomed the members present in the House. He also informed the house that the quorum was in order. He requested Maulana Hifzur Rahman to recite the verses of he glorious Holy Quran before starting the meeting.

1) Item No. 1 :Address of the President:-

The President started his presidential address/speech and welcomed the BOT/EC Members by name and informed the house the Agenda along with the annual report which has already been sent to every Member through SMS or, whatsApp and the report was also uploaded on the Website of the Centre. Subsequently, the President made a formal address at the AGBM for the year 2019-20.

The President further informed the Members that due to Covid 19 epidemic we had made up our mind to hold online AGBM, the board was in two minds whether it should be virtually or physically, but after few deliberations it was decided to hold both the meetings physically.

He thanked all the members for their full support during the last 2 years. He informed the members that the Centre is taking all steps to keep it as a World Class Centre. People get impressed to see the positive environment and cleanliness of the building. We shall try our best to keep it in future also.

Hon'ble President expressed his condolences to the families of Members (near about 55) who left us during the last one year.

At the request of Hon'ble President, the entire House observed a two-minutes silence in memory of the departed souls.

Hon'ble President informed the House that the present status of the life membership of IICC is 3366, Associate members 443 and 4 corporates & 5 institutional, totaling to 3818. The President also condoled the founding fathers of IICC namely S/Sh. Ahmed Syed, Justice Mohd. Hidaytullah, Hakim Abdul Hamid, Sb. Janab Mufti Atiqur Rehman Usmani, Badruddin Tayabji, Begum Abida Ahmed, Syed S. Shafi, G Nakshbandh, Ch. Mohd. Arif etc. whose efforts cannot be ignored by the Centre. We pay tribute to the Founding fathers of the Centre.

While discussing about the Finance and Accounts of IICC, the Hon'ble President was happy to inform about the overall performance of the Centre and further said that the current financial position is Rs.5,49,61,306/- Surplus funds and according to our promise we also have over Rs.1.0 crore corpus funds to help students for Scholarship & Educational purposes. The house applauded the efforts of the President.

Due to Corona disease when there was no income to the Centre, we tried to minimize our expenditure. During 2019-20, he explained the current status of the financials as under:

- a) The Receipt as on 31st March 2020:-**Rs.3,69,56,740/-**
- **b**) The Expenditure as on 31st March, 2020: **Rs. 3,91,18,475**/-(Excluding Depreciation)
- c) Cash and Bank Balance as on 31st March, 2020: **Rs.5,49,61,306/-**

He further stated that as per our promise, we started coaching of Civil Services under the guidance of Vice President, Mr. S. M. Khan. The Centre enrolled 28 students for the Civil Services out of which 4 students qualified their preliminary exam and one student cleared the final exam of the State.

President also stated that the Centre organizes Educational, Cultural and integratory literature, cultural & secular programmes every year. In this connection Centre organizes Personality Development, Memory Development, Staff Selection exams, Quran workshop, Arabic Urdu classes are one of the programmes which are appreciated by the Students, Teachers, Members, Intellectuals, Scholars & general public. Everyone from every religion participate in these programmes and we are open for all. The President happily announced that not only Muslim students, others also got

Educational training from our Centre, who have become Ambassadors of the Centre, by which misunderstanding among the society towards minority section get cleared. In addition, Memorial Development Workshops were organized successfully during 2019-20 and more than 500 teachers got training of Memorial Development. The Community got benefits from all these programmes. Due to Covid we had to cancel all the programmes which was a big set back to the performance of IICC.

The President informed that some cultural programmes such as Eid Milan, Diwali Festival, Christmas Celebration, Guru Nanak Birthday, Independence Day, Republic Day, Jalsa-E-Seerat-Un-Nabi, Hussain Day, Ali Day, Health Check up Camps, Qissa-Goi etc. were organized by IICC with great enthusiasm during the year.

He further stated that a number of Educational and Personality Development Programmes including Memory Development Programmes, Preparation for the examinations of Staff Selection Commission were also organized by the Centre free of cost.

President also informed the house about the expansion of the building of IICC. He stated that the different Govt. departments are involved from whom sanction is awaited in this regard. As soon as we get approval from them we shall start expansion with full force and by getting the advise from all members of IICC. He also assured the house that he will complete this assignment at every cost. The full house applauded on this point of the Hon'ble President. He again welcomed the house and thanked all the members for listening to him patiently.

2) Item No. 2 :Confirmation of the Minutes of the last Annual General Body Meeting of the year 2019-20 held on 9th November, 2019 :

The President requested the house that we have already sent Minutes of the last AGBM 2018-19held on 9.11.2019 through SMS. He has also requested the members that if there is any query from their side, they should send the same 4 days in advance from the date of the AGBM. He asked the members if the minutes of the last AGBM are O.K. from their side and all the members present gave their consent in a positive manner. But Mr. YaminQureshi raised the question of not including his dissent note regarding Accounts of IICC in that meeting. He further stated that he had also sent his letter dated 13.09.2019 regarding this issue. The Hon'ble President invited Mr. Yamin Qureshi on some other date to sort out this issue.

Minutes of the last AGBM 2018-19held on Nov. 09, 2019 were also confirmed by all the members by Voice vote.

3) Item No. 3: Confirmation of the Audited Financial Statements for the Financial year 2019-20 :

The President presented the Audited Financial Statements for the year 2019-20 for approval and also explained the same in detail. After few deliberations & discussions, <u>the</u> Financial Statements were approved by Voice vote.

Mr. S. M. Yamin Qureshi, Member of IICC raised some questions regarding the Financial Statements for the year 2019-20. The President explained it

in detail and invited Mr. S. M. Yamin Qureshi in the Centre to check the records and sortout the issues raised by him.

The President proposed the appointment of the Auditors for 2020-21 which was approved by the members unanimously. Accordingly the following Resolution was carried out :

"That M/s. Kamil & Company, Chartered Accountants (firm registration No.010185N) be and is hereby appointed as the Auditors of IICC until the conclusion of the next AGBM to audit the financial statements of the Centre for the Finance Year 2020-21".

Thereafter the President requested the Secretary of IICC Mr. Abrar Ahmed to present the Annual Report for the Financial Year 2019-20.

4) Item No. 4: Annual Report by Secretary :

Mr. Abrar Ahmed, Secretary thanked the Hon'ble President and presented the Annual Report 2019-20 before the House. He also read out the main points of the Report, but Members told him that they have already received the Annual Report and there is no need to read the Report in detail again and confirmed the Annual Report by Voice Vote.

The Hon'ble President invited the attention of the house towards constituting some important Sub-Committees for smooth functioning of the Centre. He also suggested to constitute a Finance Committee comprising 3 members and a Grievances Redressal Committee should also be constituted. In these Committees nobody should be from the Board, rather he invited the names from the other members of the house. He also asked the house to propose the names of members for such Committees for the welfare of the Community/Centre.

The President opened the House for Discussion/Suggestions.

Mr. Athar Alam. L M No 873:-

- 1. The President read out the questions received from Mr. Athar Alam.L M No 873:-
- 2. \mathbf{Q} : EC should issue the Life membership certificate to all its life members?

Reply: The President replied that he has noted down this question.

3. Q: After the death of any of the Life member of IICC, the membership should be transferred to the spouse and their children.?

Reply: In reply the President stated that it is not possible to transfer the membership to the children but it can be transferred in the name of the spouse by paying the fee of Rs.20,000/-.

4. Q: The SMS/ whatsApp message should be sent to all members with regard to any program organised by IICC?

Reply: The President informed that we are sending the messages to all the members through SMS.

5. Q: The members of IICC must be informed about the Progress of coaching of IAS and other allied services provided by the Executive Committee of IICC and yearly expenditure?

Reply: The President already mentioned in his Presidential address.

- 6. Q: IICC has created many committees from its own members and their role and responsibilities should be put up to GBM when AGM is called annually.? A separate Portal of IICC be created with all annual activities on it like Instagram, facebook, Twitter etc.? The President informed that we have already taken steps in this regard.
- 7. Q: IICC must organize Seminar, Symposium, discussion and brain storming session on various minorities issues and legal issues affecting the larger interest of the Muslim community?The Hon'ble President advised the Advocates & intellectuals who are members of IICC to constitute a Committee for all the above minorities/legal issues.
- 8. The President and other BOT/EC members should be made accountable for all the activities of the IICC.

The Hon'ble President stated that I am standing before you and I am accountable for all the activities of IICC.

9. The consent of 1/4th members of IICC be taken into consideration while taking decision with regard to expansion of the Building, Parking space, Auditorium and other expansion programme in future.

The President informed the members that many approvals are to be taken from Govt. Deptts. As soon as we receive their approval, I would request all the members to donate generously for expansion of IICC building as the cost of expansion will be many crores.

10. Q: IICC should also intervene in all important minorities issues pending before Supreme court of India and Delhi High Court. A legal committee be constituted for this Purpose to follow all such cases and day to day report or monthly report be made through IICC monthly Journal or fortnightly Journal. The President informed the house that a Legal Committee has already been constituted in this regard.

11. I thank to the President Jb Serajuddin Qureshi Sb. who has served more than 2 decades for uplifting the glory of IICC and organises many programmes like Holi, Diwali, Eid Milan, Guru Gobind Singh Jayanti and many other programmes for Hindu-Muslim Brotherhood. Wishing him happy and healthy life for him.

The President also thanked Mr. Athar Alam L M No 873:-for his valuable suggestions.

Mr. Athar Alam appreciated the efforts done by the Hon'ble President for its smooth functioning & organizing some important and valuable programmes for new generation, teachers etc.

Mr. Athar Alam further raised the issue of non-communication of some important programmes and other activities of IICC.

The Hon'ble President thanked Mr. Athar Alam for his suggestions.

<u>Mr. Saba Israr LM No-3532</u> raised the issue of entry of non-members of IICC in the programmes being organized by the Centre.

Mr._Saba Israr L M No.-3532 -raised the issue of parking of their vehicle. He further thanked the President for organizing the programme in a good gesture.

Mr. Matloob Karim L M No.1575 & Mr. Athar Zia L M No-2046 suggested that the Coffee Shop should run by Centre properly.

The President informed the house that earlier Centre used to run the Coffee Shop but there were so many difficulties in it and we had to incur heavy losses. Then we decided to give the Coffee Shop to some other outsource party and we searched 3-4 parties out of which we finalized the offer of M/s. Chona's Food Plaza, who later on violated the Agreement made between IICC & M/s. Chona's Food Plaza and did not pay the dues of Rs.28 lakhs (approx.).

Thereafter, we have already sent legal notices to M/s. Chona's Food Plaza but they did not take it seriously and ignored it repeatedly.

The President stated that he is also not happy with the atmosphere of M/s. Chona's and we should take some more strict actions against them.

Mr. Firoz Bakht L M No-2561:- appreciated the service of the President towards the Centre and wished that till the Hon'ble President is physically fit, he should remain the President of IICC. He further raised the issue relating to removal of membership of Mr. Badruddin Khan, but President stated that this is the right stand of IICC. Almost all members have appreciated his stand and supported him.

Mr. Yusuf Qureshi L M No-1942 appreciated the programmes being organized by the Centre but he further wished that the Centre should also organize some programmes for the benefit of the community. He also congratulated the President/BOT Members for smooth functioning of the AGBM.

Mr. Irshad Ahmed L M No-2572 appreciated the Two decades contribution of the President towards the Centre which should be written in the history of the Islamic Centre.

Mr. Irshad Ahmed asked the President the reasons of removal of Mr. Badruddin Khan from Secretaryship/membership of IICC.

Hon'ble President has explained numerous reasons for taking such a strong action by the Executive Committee. The explanation given by Hon'ble President convinced each and every member of General Body. Needless to say that there was not a single member in the house who could have expressed his dissent against the decision taken by the Executive Committee.

Adv. Ejaz Maqbool L M No-401 gave two suggestions, one of India International Centre & other Habitat Centre who are doing certain things for its members. He suggested that if any member of the Centre books a room for himself/herself, the rates should be minimized, but if he books the same for his friends etc., the rates may be increased accordingly. He further suggested that both the above

organizations are giving subsidized rates to its members and we should also run the Coffee shop likewise.

In this regard, Hon'ble President, IICC stated that we have already offered subsidized rates to our members in comparison of the above organizations. He further stated that the Centre would consider in this regard sympathetically.

Hon'ble President during the Annual General Body Meeting has expressed his soft corner for Mr. Badruddin Khan and for some solution, but the special majority of the Hon'ble Members of AGBM present in the General Body Meeting has also disapproved any soft corner and reconsideration its decision.

Dr. Nazar Abbas L M No-2560 expressed his views about the Hon'ble President of IICC who has provided his services whole heartedly and lost his wealth for the sake of IICC. He also stated that the action taken by the Board in connection with removal of Ex-Secretary is fully justified. Dr. Nazar Abbas requested the General Body for all time Presidentship for Mr. Sirajuddin Qureshi and there should be no age bar in this regard.

After this, Hon'ble President invited Mr. Qamar Ahmed on the dais for his views.

Mr. Qamar Ahmed, Hon'ble Member of BOT took his turn and expressed his apprehension on the misuse of provisions contained in Section 20 (c) of the MOU. According to him Section 20 (c) of the MOU is against principle of natural justice.& it should be amended accordingly. He stated that according to Section 20 (c) of MOU, if any member does not pay his annual subscription fee, he/she may be removed by the Board after giving a notice.

On this issue, Mr. Arif Hussain L M No1858- and Mr Adil interrupted Mr. Qamar Ahmed and questioned him of raising issue of removal of Ex-Secretary while the Board has already taken right decision in this regard.

Thereafter, Mr. Salamatullah, LM 3735 his son & real brother Mr. Kifaitullah L M No. 3740& his son raised their voice and started shouting and stated that how few members can take any decision whereas the real strength of the Centre is 4000.

Then they aggressively advanced towards Mr. Arif Hussain to stop them from interfering the talk Mr Ahmed, in the meanwhile Shri Asif Zaidi, L M No.1568:-Mr Akhtar Adil L M No-791 and Dr. Nazar Abbas intervened and tried to diffuse the situation.

Seeing the situation of the Auditorium, Hon'ble President tried to handle it politely by requesting all members present in the house, but when he felt that the situation is going out of control, he asked the GM to call the Police.

After that, Mr. Qamar Ahmed continued his speech and advised the House to constitute a Committee who will decide code of conduct for all members while entering the Centre, Coffee Shop.

According to Mr. Qamar Ahmed, there is no provision in Section 20 (c) of MOU of IICC on appeal/ review of the decision of Executive Committee. According to him, there should be a Grievances Redressal Committee to sort out the issues of Members who are not satisfied with the decision of the Executive Committee/management/Board of Trustees.

He also stated that there is division in the Board because some decisions have been taken by not taking other members of the Board in confidence.

To clarify this issue, Mr. Abrar Ahmed, Secretary IICC stated that some actions are to be taken immediately and there is no time of intimating other Members of BOT. He gave example of lodging a complaint by Mr. Badruddin Khan in the Police Station, Kotla Mubarakpur, New Delhi stating that he has received a letter of threatening to kill him and his family if he does not stop lodging his complaint against active members of BOT of IICC. He further stated that as we had no time at all to intimate all members of BOT, we requested Mr. Bahar U Barqi, Member EC to draft a suitable reply to the complaint of Mr. Badruddin Khan, Ex-Secretary, IICC and file in the concerned Police Station.

5) Item No. 5: Any other matter with the Permission of the Chair :

It was suggested by the President, IICC to form following Sub-Committees, as under :-

 Finance Committee comprising of qualified CA, to fulfill the requirement of preparing Financial Statements and get it audited/approved from a Chartered Accountant & to prepare Annual Budget for the upcoming years.

- Grievance Redressal Committee for those who wants to give any type of complaint against the Institution.
- iii) IICC Think Tank Committee comprising of experts in the field of Education, Health, Finance and Social Service to discuss and advise the Government on Socio-economic, Educational and Health issues of the Society.
- iv) Disciplinary Action Committee and Legal Cell Committee.

6) Vote of Thanks :

The Vice President, IICC Mr. S. M. Khan delivered vote of thanks and requested the Members to have refreshments at the Banquet Hall at basement.

Sd/-Abrar Ahmed, IRS (r) Secretary, IICC

MINUTES OF ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING 2020-21 OF INDIA ISLAMIC CULTURAL CENTRE, HELD ON SATURDAY, 4TH JUNE, 2022 AT 5.30 PM AT B.S. ABDUR RAHMAN AUDITORIUM, LODHI ROAD, NEW DELHI – 110 003

S. No.	Name	Designation
1.	Mr. Sirajuddin Qureshi	President
2.	Mr. S.M. Khan	Vice President
3.	Mr. Abrar Ahmed, IRS (r)	Secretary, Member BOT
4.	Mr. Ahmed Raza	Member, BOT, Treasurer
5.	Mr. Qamar Ahmed	Member, BOT
6.	Mr. Sharafat Ullah	Member, BOT
7.	Mr. Mohd. Shamim	Member, BOT
8.	Mr. Jamshed Zaidi	Member, BOT
9.	Mr. Bahar U Barqi	Member, EC
10.	Mr. Abuzar Hussain Khan	Member, BOT
11.	Mr. Sikandar Hayat	Member, EC

President/Vice President/Board of Trustees/Executive Committee

Members Present :224

Mr. Abrar Ahmed, Secretary commenced the proceedings with the permission of the chair. He welcomed the members present for the meeting and then ascertained the quorum <u>from</u> the attendance register and declared that the AGBM was in order.

Thereafter, the Secretary requested the Members of the BOT/EC to come on the stage.

President, IICC, Mr. Sirajuddin Qureshi started the AGBM 2020-21 after the gap of one hour. The President welcomed the members present in the House and informed that the qorum was in order. He requested Maulana Hifzur Rahman to recite the verses of the glorious Holy Quran before starting the meeting.

1) Item No. 1 :Address of the President :

The President started his presidential address/speech and informed the house the Agenda alongwith the annual report which have already been sent to every Member through WhatsApp/SMS and the report was also uploaded on the Website of the Centre. Subsequently, the President made a formal address at the AGBM for the year 2020-21.

2) Item No. 2 : Annual Report by Secretary :

Mr. Abrar Ahmed, Secretary thanked the Hon'ble President and presented the Annual Report for 2020-21 before the House. He also read out the main points of the Report, but Members told him that they have already received & gone through the Annual Report and there is no need to read the Report in detail again and confirmed the Annual Report by Voice Vote.

3) Item No. 3 : Proposed Future Programmes :

The Hon'ble President informed the House that due to Covid 2019 we could not organise the Productive Programmes, so now we are planning to organize National/International Competitive Programmes for meritorious students.

the Centre is planning to help those poor, needy & brilliant students for UPSC exams, who have completed their Preliminary qualifications.

4) Item No. 4: Confirmation of the Audited Financial Statements for the Financial year 2020-21 :

The Hon'ble President presented the Audited Financial Statements for the year 2020-21 for approval and also explained the same in detail. After few discussions, <u>the Financial Statements were approved by Voice vote.</u>

5) Item No. 5: Any other matter with the Permission of the Chair :

Since there was no other business to transact, the meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

6) Item No. 6: Vote of Thanks :

The Vice President, IICC Mr. S. M. Khan delivered vote of thanks and requested the Members to have refreshments at the Banquet Hall at basement.

Sd/-Abrar Ahmed, IRS (r) Secretary, IICC