

PROCEEDING OF THE Vth GENERAL BODY MEETING OF  
U. P. CHAPTER OF INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF PREVENTIVE  
AND SOCIAL MEDICINE HELD AT L. L. R. M. MEDICAL  
COLLEGE, MEERUT ON 11-4-1987, AT 2.00 P. M.

The Vth General Body meeting of UP Chapter of IAPSM was held on 11.4.1987 under the Chairmanship of Dr. S.K. Mehrotra. The following decisions were taken:—

1. It was resolved that in order to print the constitution of UP chapter of Indian Association of Preventive and Social Medicine, the Secretary General should be sent Rs. 500/- by Organising Secretary of Vth UP Chapter Conference of IAPSM and Rs. 500/- by Prof. S.K. Mehrotra, to enable the constitution to be available with all its members.

2. It was resolved to enlarge the scope of U.P. Chapter of IAPSM to make it a regional chapter by involving the neighbouring States. Himachal Pradesh and Haryana have already been co-opted to be members for the region. It was further resolved that a letter should be written to other neighbouring states also to join the regional Chapter.

3. The report of Secretary General for 1987 was accepted and approved. The General Body observed with regret that the Secretary General IAPSM (All India) has not sent the State Contribution to the Sec. General UP Chapter IAPSM which has caused hindrance for smooth functioning of UP Chapter.

4. Prof. J S. Mathur was elected to deliver Dr. B. G. Prasad oration 1987 unanimously.

5. The organising committee of Vth UP Chapter Annual Conference announced the award for the best paper sent by UG/Interns for this year. It was further resolved that the best paper award shall be given each year for the best paper published in the Indian Journal of Community Health.

6. The following office bearers were elected by the General Body for 1987.

President	Dr. V. N. Mishra
Vice President	Dr. J. V. Singh
Secretary General	Dr. B. Raj (Second year of 3 year term).
Joint Secretary	Dr. P. L. Joshi
Treasurer	Dr. (Mrs.) M. Bhattacharya

**Executive Members**

Dr. S. N. Sinha  
Dr. Arun Kumar  
Dr. Gopal Krishna  
Dr. V. K. Srivastava  
Dr. Bhakt Prakash  
Dr. Sanjai Chaturvedi  
Dr. P. K. Sen

7. Prof. J. S. Mathur briefed the General body of IAPSM with the details of the talks held in Delhi regarding the Publication of the Journal of IAPSM from UP with Dr. L. M. Nath, Dr. M. C. Mittal, Dr. M. P. Dwivedi, Dr. Harcharan Singh, Dr. A. K. Govila and Dr. I. C. Tewari. It was informed that the assurance was given to hand over the Journal to UP in the next All India Conference of IAPSM. It was further resolved that the implementation of resolution No. 5 and 6 of IV UP Chapter IAPSM regarding dissociation from All India body should be postponed in the light of assurance given in the meeting

8. It was resolved that the Indian Journal of Community Health shall continue to be published as an Official Publication of UP Chapter of IAPSM.

9. The proposal of holding next Conference at Allahabad was accepted with great enthusiasm.

10. It was emphasised that M. C. I. has categorised S. P. M as a Clinical subject & as such, S. P. M. is a clinical subject. A letter should be sent to the D.M.E. Lucknow to clarify this point.

11. It was also decided to write to D. M. E. regarding abolition of dual nomenclature of lecturer/MOH cum lecturer and Reader/Reader in Community Medicine. They should be designated as Lecturer and Reader in S. P. M. only.

12. The house was adjourned by passing vote of thanks to the Organising Committee of the Conference.