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held on 3rd December, 2010 at 6.00 P.M. at Ravindra Bhawan, Margaon, Goa at occasion of 35th National Yoga Championship at

Goa.

Following were present in the meeting.

S. No.	Name	State/ Unit
01.	Shri Deo Datta, IAS (Retd.) Sr. Vice President YFI	Uttar Pradesh.
02.	Shri M.S. Viswanath, Sr. Vice President YFI	Karnataka
03.	Dr. S.P. Shokeen, Sr. Vice President, YFI	Delhi
04.	Shri Ashok Kumar Aggarwal, Secy. General, YFI	Haryana
05.	Shri K. Prabhu, Zonal Secretary, South Zone, YFI	Karnataka
06.	Dr. Asit Kumar Aich, Zonal Secretary East Zone, YFI	West Bengal
07.	Mrs.Indu Aggarwal, Zonal Secretary, North Zone, YFI	Haryana
08.	Shri Lokanath Panigrahi	Orrisa
09.	Shri Yash Parashar	Uttar Pradesh.
10.	Yogi N. Ramalingam	Tamil Nadu
11.	Mrs. C. Rukkumani Ramalingam	Tamil Nadu
12.	Shri S.N. Reddy	Andhra Pradesh
13.	Shri J.Manohar	Andhra Pradesh
14.	Shri Amit Bhatt	Uttarakhand
15.	Shri Arvind K. Kotnala	Uttarakhand
16.	Mrs. Rekha Rani Lall	Chhattisgarh
17.	Shri Nalin Kumar Nath	Assam
18.	Shri Dhiren Sarmah	Assam
19.	Dr. Arun Khodaskar	Maharashtra
20.	Shri C.S. Pangare	Maharashtra

21.	Shri S.L. Mohagaonkar	Maharashtra
22.	Shri Soumen Mitra	West Bengal
23.	Shri Nirmal Chakroborty	West Bengal
24.	Shri Mohit D.Dave	Gujarat
25.	Shri Paresh D. Bhatt	Gujarat
26.	Shir Neeraj Sondhi	Haryana
27.	Shri D.C. Sharma	Chandigarh
28.	Shri Somesh Chander Aggarwal	Chandigarh
29.	Acharya Mohinder Sharma	Himachal
30.	Yogacharya Raman	Himachal
31.	Miss Rajender Kaur	Punjab
32.	Dr. Ashok Yadav	Rajasthan
33.	Shri G.N. Krishnamurthy	Karnataka
34.	Shri Jai Bhagwan Singh	Delhi
35.	Shri Vijaymal Kumar	Delhi
36.	Shri Surinder Kumar	J&K
37.	Th. Banata Kumar	Manipur
38.	L.Kiranmala	Manipur
39.	Naveen Acharya	Goa
40.	Shri Nagaraj Chakvasli	Goa
41	Shri Shashi Kanth, Representative, Shri Kshetra Dharamsthala	Karnataka

First of all Shri Ashok Kumar Aggarwal, Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India, while extending welcome to the members present in the meeting informed the house that due to sudden illness, Shri K.C. Sharma, President, Yoga Federation of India, was unable to come to Goa to attend the 35th National Yoga Championship, and he proposed the name of Shri Deo Datta, IAS (Retd.) Sr. Vice President, Yoga Federation of India, to preside over the meeting, Shri Asit Aich, Zonal Secretary, East Zone and Shri K.Prabhu, Zonal Secretary, South Zone, seconded and the house unanimously approved and requested Shri Deo Datta, to preside over the Annual General Meeting of Yoga Federation of India.

Shri Deo Datta, accepted the request and extended hearty welcome to the members of Yoga Federation of India and officials of different State Yoga Associations. He also conveyed his sincere thanks to Shri Subash Naik, President, Shri Naveen Acharya, Secretary & members of Goa Yoga Association for taking the arduous task of organizing 35th National Yoga Championship at Goa.

Mr. Naven Acharya, Secretary, Goa Yoga Association, extended hearty & warm welcome to the members present in the meeting and also felicitated the office

bearers, Yoga Federation of India and Presidents/Secretaries, State Yoga Associations, on behalf of Goa Yoga Association.

The Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India, expressed his gratitude to the President, Secretary & Members of Goa Yoga Association for making suitable arrangements for the successful organization of 35th National Yoga Championship.

Following points were taken according to the agenda of the meeting.

Confirmation of the minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting of Yoga Federation of India held on 3rd February, 2010 at Yamuna Nagar (Haryana).

The minutes of Annual General Meeting of Yoga Federation of India held on 3rd February, 2010 at Yamuna Nagar were considered. Mr. N. Ramalingam of Tamilnadu proposed and Shri S.N. Reddy of Andhra Pradesh seconded and the house unanimously confirmed the minutes.

2. Annual report of Yoga Federation of India for the session 2009-10.

The Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India, while presenting the annual report of Yoga Federation of India, informed the house that 34th National Yoga Championship was successfully organized by Haryana State Yoga Association from February, 04 to 07, 2010 at Yamuna Nagar (Haryana). The Yoga Federation of India contributed `50,000/- to the Haryana State Yoga Association for the organization of 34th National Yoga Championship at Yamuna Nagar (Haryana)

He also informed that 11 Members team of Yoga Federation of India participated in World Yoga Championship held from September 25 to 26, 2010 at Rosario City, Santa Fe province, Argentina. The Indian team won the overall World Yoga Championship by winning total 28 Gold, Silver and Bronze medals.

Shri J. Manohar, Andhra Pradesh proposed and Shri Lokanath Panigrahi of Orissa seconded and the house unanimously approved the annual report for the session 2009-10.

3 Allotment of 36th National Yoga Championship.

The Karnataka State Amateur Yoga Sports Association offered to host 36th National Yoga Championship at Shri Kshetra Dharamsthala (Karnataka). Shri Shashi Kanth, the

representative from Shri Kshetra Dharamsthala Institution, was also present in the meeting to offer their request. They assured the house to provide all type of facilities to the Yoga participants during the 36th National Yoga Championship. Although offer from Rajasthan and Uttar Pradesh was also available to host 36th National Yoga Championship in their respective states but it was proposed by Shri N.Ramalingam, Tamil Nadu that the 36th National Yoga Championship may be allotted to the Karnataka State Amateur Yoga Sports Association, and it was seconded by Shri Paresh Bhatt of Gujarat and the house unanimously allotted the 36th National Yoga Championship to Karnataka State Amateur Yoga Sports Association to be hosted at Shri Kshetra Dharamsthala (Karnataka), which is about 55 Km. away from Mangalore and about 300 Km. from Bangalore. Shri M.S. Viswanath, President, Karnataka State Amateur Yoga Sports Association expressed his thanks to the house for allotting the 36th National Yoga Championship to the Karnataka State Amateur Yoga Sports Association. The tentative dates for the 36th National Yoga Championship are from November, 15 to 18, 2011. The Annual General Meeting of Yoga Federation of India will be held on November 14, 2011 at Shri Kshetra Dharamsthala (Karnataka).

4. Approval of Audited Income & Expenditure Statement of Accounts for the session 2009-10.

In the absence of Shri O.P. Malick, Treasurer, Yoga Federation of India, the audited income & expenditure statement of accounts of Yoga Federation of India for the session 2009-10 was presented before the house by Shri. Ashok Kumar Aggarwal, Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India. Shri G.N. Krishanamurthy of Karnataka proposed, Shri Neeraj Sondhi of Haryana and Dr. Ashok Yadav of Rajasthan seconded and the house approved the audited income & expenditure statement of accounts of Yoga Federation of India for the session 2009-10.

5. Any other point to be discussed with the permission of chair.

The Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India informed the house that there were two factions of Haryana State Yoga Association, one headed by Shri K.C. Sharma, IAS (Retd.) and another by Shri Dharam Vir, IAS (Retd.) and there was litigation pending for long, both the factions arrived at an amicable settlement and both the factions of the Haryana State Yoga Association have been merged, with Shri K.C. Sharma, IAS (Retd.), as

its Chairman with right to vote in the meeting of Yoga Federation of India on behalf of Haryana State Yoga Association and Shri Dharam Vir, IAS (Retd.) as the President of Haryana State Yoga Association. He proposed before the house that Shri Dharam Vir who has also been the President of Indian Yoga Federation may be associated with the Yoga Federation of India as its Chairman. Shri M.S. Viswanath, Sr. Vice President, Yoga Federation of India, while agreeing to the proposal of Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India, suggested that Shri Dharam Vir may be associated with Yoga Federation of India as Chairman, subject to the condition that he should resign as President of Indian Yoga Federation. The house agreed to the suggestion of Shri M.S. Viswanath and unanimously approved to associate Shri Dharam Vir as Chairman of Yoga Federation of India.

The Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India requested all the State Units to make effort to merge different parallel State Units working in their respective States with their State Yoga Associations. He also informed the house that in this connection, he has already sent the request letters to State Presidents/Secretaries to do the needful done.

Some of the members present in the meeting requested before the house that the Yoga Federation of India should once again request the Association of Indian Universities to reintroduce All India Inter University Yoga Competition, to which the Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India assured the house to pursue.

Shri Arun Khadoskar, Secretary, Maharashtra State Yoga Association suggested that the State Referees, who appear for National Referees examination, must get the recommendation from their State Secretaries, which the Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India assured to implement in future.

The Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India informed the house that some of the State Units have not brought medical fitness certificates of their Yoga Competitors. He suggested the house to permit them to participate in the Yoga Competition only this year, but in future no Yoga Competitor will be allowed to participate in yoga competition without submitting medical fitness certificate from at least M.B.B.S. doctor, which the house approved.

The Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India requested the office bearers of Yoga Federation of India to pay their contribution of `5000/- as their membership, those who have not yet paid.

He requested the State Yoga Associations to send the complete address of their state bodies, with copy of registration certificate, affiliation certificate with their State Olympic Association, and also names & addresses of affiliated District Units by 30th March, 2011 positively. He also requested that the State Yoga Associations must conduct their State Yoga Championships at least 1½ month before the National Yoga Championship, invite zonal secretaries of their respective zones to witness the State Yoga Championship and send the report to the Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India. They should mail the copy of the Entry Performa duly filled to the Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India and to the host of National Yoga Championship, at least one month before the National Yoga Championship, so that the necessary arrangements for the comfortable stay of the yoga participant can be made by the host.

As there was no other business to transact, the meeting ended with vote of thanks to the chair.

(Ashok Kumar Aggarwal) Secretary General

Yoga Federation of India

(K.C. Sharma)

President

Yoga Federation of India

A copy is forwarded to the following for information please.

- 1. The Hon'ble Minister, Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, Govt. of India.
- 2. The Secretary, Deptt., of Youth Affairs & Sports, Govt. of India.
- 3. The Secretary, Sports Authority of India.
- 4. The President/Secretary, International Yoga Federation.
- 5. The President/Secretary, International Federation of Yoga Sports.
- 6. The President/Secretary General, Asian Yoga Federation.
- 7. The President/Secretary General, Indian Olympic Association.
- 8. The Secretary, Association of Indian Universities.
- 9. The Director, AYUSH.
- 10. The President/Secretaries, All State Yoga Associations.
- 11. The Office Bearers, Yoga Federation of India.

(Ashok Kumar Aggarwal) Secretary General

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(K.C. Sharma)

President

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