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Minutes of Annual General Meeting of Yoga Federation of India held on 25th October, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. at at HRIT College, Ghaziabad (Uttar Pradesh) at the 42nd of **National** Yoga **Sports** Championship, occasion chairmanship Sh. **Ashok** Kumar **Aggarwal** President, under the of Yoga Federation of India.

Following were present in the meeting.

S.No.	Name	State/ Unit	
1.	Shri Ashok Kumar Aggarwal, President, YFI	Haryana	
2.	Mrs.Indu Aggarwal, Sr. Vice President, YFI	Haryana	
3.	Shri Sanjay Jha, Secretary General, YFI, Secretary, JYA	Jharkhand	
4.	Dr. Anil Aggarwal, President, UP Yoga Association	Uttar Pradesh	
5.	Yogacharya Raman Kumar, Organising Secretary, YFI	Himachal Pradesh	
6.	Prof. Prabir Karmakar, Vice. President, YFI, President, JYA	Jharkhad	
7.	Acharya Mahendra Sharma, President, HP Yoga Association	Himachal Pradesh	
8.	Shri Gangadharappa, Vice President, YFI, President, KSAYSA	Karnataka	
9.	Shri K. Prabhu, Zonal Secretary, South Zone, YFI	Karnataka	
10.	Yogiraj N. Ramalingam, Sr. Vice President, YFI, Sec., TNYA	Tamil Nadu	
11.	Shri Navin Acharya, Sr. Vice President, YFI	Goa	
12.	Mrs. Hema Keni Randhawa, Secretary, Goa Yoga Association	Goa	
13.	Shri Gautam Sinha, Secretary, West Bengal Yoga Association	West Bengal	
14.	Shri Nirmal Chakraborty, Treasurer, WBYA	West Bengal	
15.	Shri Yash Parashar, Secretary, U.P. State Yoga Association	Uttar Pradesh	
16.	Shri Vikas Kashyap, Treasurer, UP State Yoga Association	Uttar Pradesh	
17.	Shri B. Balachandran, President, Yoga Association of Kerala	Kerala	
18.	Shri P Sasidharan Nair, Joint secretary, YFI	Kerala	
19.	Dr. E. Rajeev, Secretary, Yoga Association of Kerala	Kerala	
20.	Dr. C.K. Mishra, General Secretary, Punjab Yoga Association	Punjab	
21.	Shri Amit Bhatt, President, Yoga Association of Uttrakhand	Uttrakhand	
22.	Shri Arvind K. Kotnala, General Secretary, YAU	Uttrakhand	
23.	Dr. Krishna Kumar Bora, President, Assam Yoga Association	Assam	
24.	Shri Prabhat Chandra Bora, Secretary, Assam Yoga Association	Assam	
25.	Dr. Anita Satish Patil, Vice President, Maharashtra Yoga Asso.	Maharashtra	
26.	Shri Chandrakant S Pangare, General Secretary, Maharashtra Yoga Association	Maharashtra	

27.	Dr. Sher Singh, Secretary, Rajasthan State Yoga Association	Rajasthan
28.	Shri C.P. Purohit, Official, Rajasthan State Yoga Association	Rajasthan
29.	Shri Vivekanand, Joint Secretary, Bihar Yoga Association	Bihar
30.	Shri Gyan Prakash Sinha, V. President, Bihar Yoga Association	Bihar
31.	Shri Ajay Tiwari, President, MP Amateur Yoga Association	M.P.
32.	Shri Bhupendra Kant, Secretary, MP Amateur Yoga Association	M.P.
33.	Shri Sitaram Sharma, Secretary, Odisha Yoga Association	Odisha
34.	Shri V.V. Rama Rao, Secretary, A.P. Yoga Association	Andhra Pradesh
35.	Smt. Ratha, Official, Andaman Nicobar Yoga Association	Andaman Nicobar
36.	Shri Anil Gupta, Official, J&K Yoga Association	Jammu & Kashmir
37.	Shri Dayal Ram, Official, J& K Yoga Association	Jammu & Kashmir
38.	Dr. Rajiv Kumar Uppal, Secretary, Chandigarh Yoga Association	Chandigarh
39.	Ms. Satnam, Official, Chandigarh Yoga Association	Chandigarh
40.	Shri J. Manohar Kumar, Secretary, Telangana Yoga Association	Telangana
41.	Shri B. Kamalakar, Official, Telangana Yoga Association	Telangana
42.	Shri Jai Bhagwan Singh, Secretary, Delhi Yoga Association	Delhi
43.	Dr. S.P. Shokeen, Official, Delhi Yoga Association	Delhi
44.	Shri Divya Jyoti Deka, Secretary, Meghalaya Yoga Association	Meghalaya
45.	Dr. Shamsher Singh, Official, Haryana State Yoga Association	Haryana

First of all Shri Sanjay Jha, Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India, on behalf of the house requested Shri Ashok Kumar Aggarwal, President, Yoga Federation of India to Chair the meeting of Yoga Federation of India. Shri Ashok Kumar Aggarwal, President, Yoga Federation of India accepted the request. The house greeted this gesture.

Dr. Anil Aggarwal, President, Uttar Pradesh Yoga Association extended hearty welcome and thanks to the members of Yoga Federation of India and State Yoga Associations who have come from different states of India and assured all cooperation from his team to make their stay comfortable at Ghaziabad.

Shri Ashok Kumar Aggarwal, President, Yoga Federation of India, conveyed his sincere thanks to Dr Anil Aggawal, President and Shri Yash Parashar, Secretary, Uttar Pradesh Yoga Association & their dedicated team members for taking the responsibility of organizing 42nd National Yoga Sports Championship at HRIT College, Ghaziabad (Uttar Pradesh). He also extended welcome to the Office bearers of Yoga Federation of India and Presidents/Secretaries, State Yoga Associations or their representatives present in the meeting.

The meeting came into order as per agenda of the meeting.

1. <u>Confirmation of the minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting & Election meeting of Yoga Federation of India held on 12th November, 2016 at Ranchi (Jharkhand).</u>

The minutes of Annual General Meeting & Election meeting of Yoga Federation of India held on 12th November, 2016 at Ranchi (Jharkhand) were considered. Dr. K.K. Bora, President, Assam Yoga Association, Shri B. Balachandran, President Yoga Association of Kerala proposed and Shri K. Prabhu, Zonal Secretary, South Zone, (Karnataka), and Shri Yash Prashar, Secretary, Uttar Pradesh Yoga Association seconded and the house unanimously confirmed the minutes.

2. Annual report of Yoga Federation of India for the session 2016-17.

Shri Sanjay Kumar Jha, Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India, briefed the annual report of Yoga Federation of India for the session of 2016-17.

The achievements of Yoga Federation of India for the session 2016-17 is detailed below:-

A. 6th Asian Yoga Sports Championship from 3rd to 5th September, 2016 at Hanoi, Vietnam

The Indian Yoga Team of Yoga Federation of India comprising of 29 players and 9 officials won the overall General Championship of the 6^{th} Asian Yoga Sports Championship held from 3^{rd} to 5^{th} September, 2016 at Hanoi, Vietnam, by winning 25 Gold Medals, 28 Silver Medals and 16 Bronze Medals (Total 69 Medals).

Yoga Players and officials of Vietnam, Philippines, India, Hong Kong, Malaysia, Taiwan, Singapore, Thailand, Iran, Dubai, China, South Korea and Rest of Asian have participated in the 3 days 6th Asian Yoga Sports Championship.

B. 7th Asian Yoga Sports Championship from 28th to 30th July, 2017 at Singapore:

The Indian Yoga Team of Yoga Federation of India comprising of 53 players and officials (43 players & 10 officials) participated in the 7^{th} Asian Yoga Sports Championship held from 28^{th} to 30^{th} July, 2017 at Kallang Community Club, Singapore. The team won the Overall General Championship by winning 24 Gold Medals, 24 Silver Medals and 8 Bronze Medals (Total 56 Medals).

Yoga Players and officials of Vietnam, Philippines, India, Hong Kong, Malaysia, Taiwan, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Iran, Dubai, South Korea and host Singapore has participated in the 3 days 7th Asian Yoga Sports Championship.

C. National Yoga Coaching Camps for 7th Asian Yoga Sports Championship, Singapore.

The Yoga Federation of India organized National Yoga Coaching Camps from 19th to 26th July, 2017 for 43 Yoga Players at Kisan Bhawan, Sector 14, Panchkula (Haryana) for preparation of Indian Yoga Team to participate in the 7th Asian Yoga Sports Championship held from 28th to 30th July, 2017 at Kallang Community Club, Singapore.

D. <u>41st National Yoga Sports Championship</u>, 12th to 16th November, 2016 at Mega Sports Complex, Ranchi (Jharkhand).

The Yoga Federation of India organized 41st National Yoga Sports Championship held from 12th to 16th November, 2016 at Mega Sports Complex, Ranchi (Jharkhand) organized by Jharkhand Yoga Association under the auspices of Yoga Federation of India.

The Championship was organized in Six Events i.e. National Yogasana Sports Competition, National Artistic Yoga Sports Competition, National Artistic Pair Yoga Sports Competition, National Rhythmic Yoga Sports Competition, National Free Flow Yoga Dance Competition and Professional Yogasana Sports Competition in which 1165 players and 350 officials from 28 states/UT of India have participate as tabulated below:

1.	Sub Junior Group	:	131 Boys + 128 Girls	= 259
2.	Junior Group	:	143 Boys + 150 Girls	= 293
3.	Senior Group	:	313Men + 300 women	= 613
	Total Players	:	587 Male + 578 women	= 1165
	Total Officials	:		= 350
	Total Participation	:		= 1515

E. 1st Federation Yoga Sports Cup from 24th to 26th March, 2017 at Jimmy George Stadium, Thiruvananthapuram (Kerala).

The Yoga Federation of India organized 1st Federation Yoga Sports Cup from 24th to 26th March, 2017 at Jimmy George Stadium, Thiruvananthapuram (Kerala) hosted by Yoga

Association of Kerala in which first ten position holders of different events of 41st National Yoga Sports Championship held at Ranchi (Jharkhand) participated.

The championship was inaugurated by Shri Pinarayi Vijayan, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Kerala, whereas Shri A.C. Moideen, Hon'ble Sports Minister of Kerala was the Chief Guest of Prize Distribution Ceremony.

The Yoga Federation of India contributed a grant of Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only) to the Yoga Association of Kerala for smooth conduct of 1st Federation Yoga Sports Cup.

F. <u>1st Southern India Yoga Sports Championship, October 14-16, 2016 at Udupi (Karnataka).</u>

The 1st Southern India Yoga Sports Championship was organized by Karnataka State Amateur Yoga Sports Association from October 14-16, 2016 at Udupi, (Karnataka) under the auspices of Yoga Federation of India.

G. <u>13th Northern India Yoga Sports Championship, 21st to 23rd June, 2017 at Ghaziabad (Uttar Pradesh).</u>

The Yoga Federation of India organized 13th Northern India Yoga Sports Championship from 21st to 23rd June, 2017 at Ghaziabad (Uttar Pradesh) hosted by Uttar Pradesh Yoga Association.

H. All India Police Games Yoga Championship

The All India Police Sports Control Board has organised 1st All India Police Games Yoga Championship from 28th November to 2nd December, 2016 at Vishakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh & 2nd All India Police Games Yoga Championship from 10th to 14th October, 2017 at Ranchi (Jharkhand) with the technical assistance of Yoga Federation of India. The Yoga Federation of India has given the affiliation to All India Police Sports Control Board.

The All India Police Sports Control Board has sent their Yoga Team to participate in the 42nd National Yoga Sports Championship at Ghaziabad (Uttar Pradesh).

Shri J Manohar, General Secretary, Telangana Yoga Association and Shri Arvind K Kotnala, General Secretary, Yoga Association of Uttrakhand proposed and Shri Ramalingham, General Secretary, Tamilnadu Yogasana Association and Shri P Sasidharan (Kerala), Joint Secretary, Yoga Federation of India seconded and annual report of Yoga Federation of India for the session 2016-17 was passed.

3. <u>Approval of Audited Income & Expenditure Statement of Accounts for the session 2016-17.</u>

In the absence of Shri O.P. Malick, Treasurer, Yoga Federation of India, Shri Ashok Kumar Aggarwal, President, Yoga Federation of India, presented the audited income & expenditure statement of accounts of Yoga Federation of India for the session 2016-17.

Shri Gangadharappa, President, Karnataka State Amateur Yoga Sports Association, proposed and Acharya Mohinder Sharma, President, Himachal Pradesh Yoga Association seconded and the house unanimously approved the audited income & expenditure statement of accounts of Yoga Federation of India for the session 2016-17.

4. <u>Allotment of 43rd National Yoga Sports Championship, 3rd Federation Yoga Sports Cup & 8th Asian Yoga Sports Championship.</u>

- a) 43rd National Yoga Sports Championship: Dr C.K. Mishra, General Secretary, Punjab Yoga Association offered to host 43rd National Yoga Sports Championship at Patiala (Punjab), tentatively to be held from 23rd to 27th October 2018. The house cheerfully allotted the 43rd National Yoga Sports Championship to the Punjab Yoga Association
- b) <u>3rd Federation Yoga Sports Cup</u>: Acharya Mohinder Sharma, President, Himachal Pradesh Yoga Association offered to host 3rd Federation Yoga Sports Cup in Himachal Pradesh. The house gladly accepted this offer.

c) <u>8th Asian Yoga Sports Championship</u>: It was informed by Shri Ashok Kumar Aggarwal, President, Yoga Federation of India that the Asian Yoga Federation has entrusted the responsibility of organizing 8th Asian Yoga Sports Championship to Yoga Federation of India. The President Yoga Federation of India suggested the name of Goa Yoga Association to host this Championship at Goa. Shri Navin Acharya (Goa), Senior Vice-President, Yoga Federation of India accepted this proposal & the house passed the proposal unanimously.

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

- I. The President, Yoga Federation of India proposed that Dr. Anil Agarwal, President, Uttar Pradesh Yoga Association & Vice-President, Yoga Federation of India may be nominated as Senior Vice-President, Yoga Federation of India. The house gladly accepted the proposal. Dr Anil Agarwal greeted the house with thanks.
- II. The President, Yoga Federation of India informed the house that most of the states are not sending their Entry Performa well in time because of which the federation has to face lot of difficulties in conducting National Yoga Sports Championship in time. Therefore, he asked the State Secretaries to mail the entry Performa in the prescribed proforma to the office of Yoga Federation of India and to the host of National Yoga Sports Championship by the last date of entry positively.
- III. The President, Yoga Federation of India requested that the State Yoga Associations must conduct their State Yoga Sports Championships in the month of August / September before the Zonal / National Yoga Sports Championship and invite Zonal Secretaries of their respective Zones to witness the State Yoga Sports Championship as observer with an intimation to President / Secretary General / Organizing Secretary, Yoga Federation of India and send the report to the President / Secretary General, Yoga Federation of India along with the results of the State Yoga Sports Championship duly signed by the Zonal Secretary, Yoga Federation of India.
- IV. As already decided by the house in the AGM at Ranchi (Jharkhand) that the sequence of the presentation of State team in all event for the next year National Yoga Sports Championship will be decided by draws during the current National Yoga Sports Championship. Hence the sequence of the draws drawn during meeting of Yoga Federation of India to be followed in the 43rd National Yoga Sports Championship are as under:-
 - 1.Odisha, 2. Haryana, 3. Bihar, 4. Mijoram, 5. Rajasthan, 6. Arunachal Pradesh, 7.Karnataka, 8. Nagaland, 9. Delhi, 10. Telangana, 11. Sikkim, 12. All India Police, 13.Jammu & Kashmir, 14. Manipur, 15. Punjab, 16. West Bengal, 17. Uttar Pradesh, 18.Kerala, 19. Chattisgarh, 20. Andhra Pradesh, 21. Gujarat, 22. Uttarakhand, 23. Assam, 24. Jharkhand, 25. Meghalaya, 26. Tamilnadu, 27. Puducherry, 28. Himachal Pradesh, 29.Tripura, 30. Maharashtra, 31. Andaman & Nicobar, 32. Goa, 33. Chandigarh, 34. Madhya Pradesh
- V. The President, Yoga Federation of India informed that some State Yoga Associations were not functioning properly. Therefore to ensure the proper functioning of the State Yoga Associations he visited Kerala, Odisha & Maharashtra.

Following decisions were taken in that regard:-

- a) Yoga Association of Kerala: In the meeting of two factions of Yoga Associations of Kerala, held on 19th January 2017 at Kerala Govt. Guest House, Thycaud, Thiruvananthapuram, in the presence of Shri Gangadharappa (Karnataka), Vice-President, Yoga Federation of India & Shri K Prabhu, Zonal Secretary, South Zone, Yoga Federation of India, a resolution was passed that two factions of Kerala Yoga Association should be merged under the banner of Yoga Association of Kerala with Adv. B. Balachandran as its President & Dr. E. Rajeev as its Secretary. Subsequently affiliation was given to Yoga Association of Kerala by YFI.
- b) Odisha Yoga Association: In the meeting of two factions of Yoga Associations of Odisha held on 7th May, 2017 at Jain Dharmashala, Cuttack (Odisha), in the presence of Yoga Federation of India observer Dr. Asit Aich, Zonal Secretary, East Zone, Yoga Federation of India, a resolution was passed that the two factions of Orissa Yoga

Association should be merged under the banner of Orissa Yoga Association with Shri Bhakta Ballav Das as its President & Shri Sita Ram Sharma as its Secretary. Affiliation was given to Orissa Yoga Association by YFI.

Maharashtra Yoga Association: In the meeting of Brihan Maharashtra Yog Parishad held on 14th October, 2017 at Gurukul Bahu Uddeshiya Sanstha, Morshi, Distt. Amravati (Maharashtra), in the presence of Shri J. Manohar, Joint Secretary, Yoga Federation of India, as observer of Yoga Federation of India, it was decided in the meeting that the name of Brihan Maharashtra Yog Parishad should be changed as Maharashtra Yoga Association with Sant Parmanand Maharaj as its President, Shri Nandkumar P Suryawanshi as Working President and Shri Chandrakant S Pangare as General Secretary. Hence the affiliation was given to Maharashtra Yoga Association.

The house unanimously approved the decision taken by President, Yoga Federation of India.

Some more decisions were taken by the Yoga Federation of India in the Special meetings regarding future activities of Yoga Federation of India, which are as follows:

1) In the Special meeting of Yoga Federation of India held on 23rd March, 2017 at Jimmy George Stadium, Thiruvananthapuram (Kerala) at the occasion of 1st Federation Yoga Spots Cup, the President, Yoga Federation of India informed about the sad demise of Shri K.C. Sharma (IAS Retd.), Life Time Chairman of Yoga Federation of India. Two minute silence was observed by the members present in the meeting to pay tribute to the departed soul.

On the request of Dharmadhikari Dr.D.Veerendra Heggade, Shree Kshetra Dharmasthala to commemorate Silver Jubilee Year of Sri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara Yoga & Moral Education Project, It was decided in the meeting that the 2nd Federation Yoga Sports Cup & International Yoga Festival will be held from 21st to 24th November, 2017 at Shree Kshetra Dharmasthala, Karnataka (Kerala).

2) The 2nd Federation Yoga Sports Cup & International Yoga Festival was inaugurated by His Holiness Vishwaguru Mahamandaleshwar Paramhans Sri Swami Maheshwarananda Ji, Vienna (Austria), Presided by Dharmadhikar Dr. D. Veerandra Heggade, Sri. Shripad Yesso Naik, Hon'ble Minister of for AYUSH, Govt. of India was the Chief Guest.

In the meeting held on 20th November, 2017 at Shree Kshetra Dharmasthala at the occasion of 2nd Federation Yoga Sports Cup, following decisions were taken.

- a) It was suggested by the President, Yoga Federation of India that in future in the National Artistic Yoga Sports Competition, the pairing of a male & a female may not be allowed as practiced earlier, instead only two females or two males competitor be allowed to participate in National/State Artistic Pair Yoga Competition. The members appreciated and approved the same.
- b) After consulting the officials of Goa Yoga Association & Yoga Association of Kerala, it was decided that the 8th Asian Yoga Sports Championship will be held from 27th to 30th September, 2018 to be hosted by Yoga Association of Kerala at Thiruvananthpuram (Kerala).
- c) After consulting the officials of Himachal Pradesh Yoga Association & Assam Yoga Association, it was decided that the 3rd Federation Yoga Sports Cup will be held from 23rd to 25th December 2018 at Guwahati (Assam) to be hosted by Assam Yoga Association.
- d) It was informed by President, Yoga Federation of India that some officials of Yoga Federation of India as well as States Yoga Officials have been attending Yoga Championships not recognized by Yoga Federation of India. Therefore it was decided that such official should be disassociated from Yoga Federation of India as well as from their respective States Yoga Associations and the Federation should be intimated in this regard. In this connection the federation asked Mr. Niranjan Murthy of Karnataka not to use the name of Yoga Federation of India in any activity which is

- not recognized by Yoga Federation of India. Subsequently he resigned from the Yoga Federation of India. The federation accepted his resignation.
- e) Any registered player of Yoga Federation of India, if found participating from the state other than the State where the player is registered, the Yoga federation of India will debar that player from participation in the National Yoga Sports Championship. In case the player has shifted to some other state, then that player has to take the permission from the Yoga Federation of India.

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

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- 8. The President/Secretary General, Asian Yoga Federation.
- 9. The President/Secretary General, Indian Olympic Association, New Delhi.
- 10. The Secretary, Association of Indian Universities.
- 11. The President/Secretary, School Games Federation of India.
- 12. The President/Secretary, Central Board of Secondary Education.
- 13. The Presidents/Secretaries, All State/U.T. Yoga Associations affiliated with Yoga Federation of India.
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