

**Proceedings of the 9th General Body Meeting of the
Indian Society of Plant Genetic Resources, New Delhi**

March 13, 2018

The 9th General Body (GB) Meeting of the Indian Society of Plant Genetic Resources (ISPGR) was held on March 13, 2018 at ICAR-NBPGR, New Delhi, under the Chairmanship of Dr R.S. Paroda, President, ISPGR (Annexure 1). The meeting was attended by 33 members of ISPGR. The General Secretary (Interim), Dr J.C. Rana, welcomed the President, Members of the Executive Council and other esteemed members of ISPGR.

Report by the General Secretary

The GB was informed that the EC in its meeting held on October 17, 2017, had nominated Dr J.C. Rana (Joint Secretary) as interim General Secretary of ISPGR till next elections of ISPGR, consequent upon departure of Dr R.K. Tyagi (General Secretary) from India. Further, Dr D.B. Parakh (Councillor, North Zone) was nominated as interim Joint Secretary, ISPGR, also till next elections of ISPGR. Thereafter, Dr J.C. Rana presented General Secretary's Report which was approved by the GB (Annexure 2).

Report by the Editor-in-Chief

The GB was informed that the EC in its meeting held on October 17, 2017, had nominated Dr Sunil Archak as next Editor-in-Chief of IJPGR, after availing the services of Dr R.R. Hanchinal as Editor-in-Chief, 2016 to 2017. Dr Sunil Archak, presented the progress report regarding the progress of IJPGR (Annexure 3), which was approved by the GB.

Report by the Treasurer

Dr Anuradha Agrawal, Treasurer, presented the summary of audited report for ISPGR as well as IAC 2016 (Annexure 4), which was approved by the GB. A copy of the audited report for the FY 2016-17 is appended as Annexure 5. It was also informed to the GB that based on advice from EC, a new Chartered Accountant (M/S Dadu Dadoo and Associates, C-13 Mansarovar Garden, New Delhi - 110015) had been appointed w.e.f. Nov. 23, 2017, who were given the task to seek provision of income tax exemption for ISPGR, besides the routine auditing and ITR work. The GB was also apprised about the permanent assets acquired by the Society during this period, which included a computer, printer, furniture for office and air-conditioner. Dr Anuradha Agrawal placed on record great appreciation for Dr R.S. Paroda, President, ISPGR for his outstanding role in generating funds for IAC 2016, which led to an unprecedented saving for ISPGR (more than Rs 30 lakhs in the FY 2016-17), which was supported by the GB through a standing ovation.

The following agenda items were discussed :

Agenda No. 1: Confirmation of proceedings of last GB meeting held on March 5, 2015.

Proceedings were confirmed by the GB of the ISPGR. It was suggested that GB should be held every year, which was unanimously agreed upon.

(Action : General Secretary, ISPGR)

Agenda No. 2: National conference on agrobiodiversity related issues to be organised by ISPGR, ICAR and other stake holder including CG centres as pre-event to 2nd Agrobiodiversity Congress in 2018-19.

Members of the GB appreciated the efforts made by ISPGR in organization of the 1st International Agrobiodiversity Congress (IAC 2016), as well as the other meetings held before and after this mega-



event. It was suggested that tangible actions need to be taken as a follow-up for Delhi Declaration on Agrobiodiversity Management, by the concerned institutional stakeholders. Another issue was the concern to enhance utilization of PGR, and inclusion of other stakeholder besides ICAR/SAUs like CSIR, DRDO, DBT, DST for this purpose. Accordingly, ISPGR to consider hosting a national conference with the relevant players. GB members were invited to provide suitable topics for this conference to the EC. A meeting may be scheduled for planning such an event, at the earliest.

(Action : General Secretary, ISPGR & Director, NBPGR)

Agenda No. 3: Re-constitution of Editorial Board

The GB members expressed appreciation of the EIC and Editorial members of IJPGR, for the increase in NAAS rating of the journal (from 4.61 to 5.12), besides improvement in quality of papers, periodicity, look and feel of the journal. It was informed by EIC that Springer India was being approached for consider publishing the journal. However, Dr Sushil Kumar opined that it would be better if IJPGR was published by the society itself, as in his opinion, journals being published by big publication houses tended to become weak. It was agreed by the GB that IJPGR should expand its purview and publish reports, reviews, opinions, gene saviour awards etc., besides the research articles related to PGR. The GB also approved reconstitution of Editorial Board.

(Action: Editor-in-Chief, IJPGR)

Agenda No. 4 & 5: Enhancement of life membership fee of ISPGR and exploring the ways and means to enhance resource generation through institutional membership and other activities

It was agreed that subscription rates of the Society be enhanced, considering the escalating costs for routine activities. The following revised rates were agreed upon by the GB:

	Existing rates		Proposed new rates	
	Indian (₹)	Foreign (USD)	Indian (₹)	Foreign (USD)
Life member	4,000	1,000	5,000	1,500
Annual member	500	50	1,000	100
Institutional member (annual)	15,000	500	20,000	1,000
Institutional member (5 years)	75,000	2,400	90,000	4,500
Institutional member (10 years)	1,40,000	4,800	1,75,000	8,500
Student member (annual)	500	50	Discontinued	Discontinued
Admission Fee	100	15	Discontinued	Discontinued

Agenda No. 6: Elections of Executive Council (EC) of ISPGR

It was informed that tenure of the current EC of ISPGR was due up to May 2018. Accordingly, process of ISPGR elections to be initiated, latest by May 2018.

(Action: Joint Secretary & Treasurer, ISPGR)

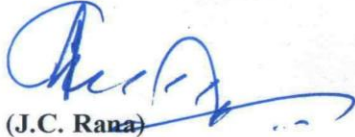
Remarks by the President

Dr R.S. Paroda thanked all the GB for their presence and said it was praiseworthy that ISPGR had emerged as a vibrant Society. He recalled the genesis of the Society under him in 1987, when other journals would not easily publish works related to PGR. He emphasized there was need for continuous nurturing of the Society, having come so far. He said that harmony was important for a Society to be functional, and frequent events need to be organized for greater interaction amongst the

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members. He informed that ISPGR website was regularly updated to record all events. He urged more events be organized for greater visibility and IJPGR should increase its coverage. He appreciated the efforts of all EC members in the functioning of the Society and the tremendous institutional support provided by Dr Kuldeep Singh, Director, NBPGR in all activities of the Society. He recorded his happiness at the financial position of the Society and thanked all those who had contributed in the funding as well as organization of the IAC 2016. He placed on record his appreciation for Dr P.N. Mathur, R.K. Tyagi, R.C. Agrawal, Anuradha Agrawal and Sunil Archak for their great contribution in IAC 2016. He thanked Dr R.K. Tyagi for his dedicated services to ISPGR for more than two decades in various capacities. He urged all members to actively participate in Society events with zeal and enthusiasm.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair and all the GB members, proposed by Dr D.B. Parakh, Joint Secretary (Interim).



(J.C. Rana)
General Secretary (Interim)



(R.S. Paroda)
President





Indian Society of Plant Genetic Resources

9th GENERAL BODY MEETING 2018

Date: March 13, 2018

Program

11.30 -11.40 a.m.	Welcome and Progress Report of ISPGR	Dr J.C. Rana, General Secretary (Interim), ISPGR
11.40 - 11.50 a.m.	Progress of IJPGR	Dr Sunil Archak, Editor-in-Chief, ISPGR
11.50 -12.00 p.m.	Financial Report of ISPGR	Dr Anuradha Agrawal, Treasurer, ISPGR
12.00 – 12.30 p.m.	Discussion of Agenda Items	
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. National conference on agrobiodiversity related issues to be organised by ISPGR, ICAR and other stake holder including CG centres as pre-event to 2nd Agrobiodiversity Congress in 2018-19. 2. Re-constitution of Editorial Board 3. Enhancement of life membership fee of ISPGR 4. Exploring the ways and means to enhance resource generation through institutional membership and other activities 5. Elections of Executive Council (EC) of ISPGR 	
12.30 – 12.50 p.m.	Remarks by President	Dr R.S. Paroda, President, ISPGR
12.50 - 13.00 p.m.	Vote of Thanks	Dr D.B. Parakh, Joint Secretary (interim), ISPGR
13.00 p.m.	Lunch	

Venue: Dr H.B. Singh Committee Room, ICAR-National Bureau of Plant Genetic Resources (NBPGR), Pusa Campus, New Delhi – 110 012

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Report by General Secretary, ISPGR

1. Details of Membership

Presently, a total 700 Life members (102 members added), 32 Annual/Institutional members are enrolled. These belong to 11 international and 120 national organizations. Efforts have been made to increase the members by approaching individuals and international and national institutions.

2. Executive Council (EC) meetings, events organised, new initiatives and decision taken

A total of nine meetings of EC were held to discuss and decide the various issues related to activities and growth of the society. Majority of the meetings were related to the organisation 1st International Agrobiodiversity Congress (IAC 2016), held during Nov. 6-9, 2016.

3. Organizing the 1st International Agrobiodiversity Congress (IAC 2016)

ISPGR, in collaboration with Bioversity International, with financial support from 21 organizations and supported by 7 knowledge/institutional partners organized a first-of-its-kind IAC 2016, which was inaugurated by Hon'ble Prime Minister of India Shri Narendra Modi. The IAC 2016 involved 13 international, 13 national agencies and 125 individuals as part of International Advisory Committee, National Steering Committee, Core Organizing Committee, Technical Program Committee and Local Organizing Committee. This event became a reality due to the personal interest and excellent guidance provided by Prof. M.S. Swaminathan, Chair of the International Advisory Committee; Dr R.S. Paroda, Co-Chair of the International Advisory Committee and Chair of the National Steering Committee and Dr T. Mohapatra, Secretary, Department of Agriculture Research and Education (DARE) & DG, Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) and Dr S. Ayyappan, his predecessor, for extending steadfast institutional support. The IAC 2016 provided an excellent opportunity for exchange of views among the 1,000 participants hailing from 60 countries. The goal was to formulate a road map for management of genetic resources in tune with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Accordingly, recommendations emerging on major issues have been synthesized in the Proceedings, which has been widely circulated and available on ISPGR web page. Prof. M.S. Swaminathan has written to Hon'ble PM to approach UN for declaring a 'Year of Agrobiodiversity'.

We place on record our gratitude to all who were directly or indirectly involved in successful organization of the IAC 2016. Specifically, we place on record thanks to Bioversity International, ICAR, Protection of Plant Varieties and Farmers Right Authority (PPV&FRA), National Biodiversity Authority (NBA), Trust for Advancement of Agricultural Sciences (TAAS), National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (NAAS), M.S. Swaminathan Research Foundation (MSSRF), Indian Society of Genetics and Plant Breeding (ISGPB), International Maize and Wheat Improvement Centre (CIMMYT), Borlaug Institute for South Asia (BISA), International Centre for Research in Semi-arid Tropics (ICRISAT), German Corporation for International Cooperation (GIZ), Asia-Pacific Association of Agricultural Research Institutes (APAARI), Global Crop Diversity Trust (GCDT), Japan International Research Centre for Agricultural Sciences (JIRCAS), Australian Centre for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR), International Centre for Research in Dryland Areas (ICARDA), Centre for Agriculture and Biosciences International (CABI), Kirkhouse Trust, Madhya Pradesh State Biodiversity Board (MPSBB), Maharashtra Hybrid Seeds Company Private Limited (MAHYCO), Association of Biotechnology-Led Enterprise-Agriculture Group (ABLE-AG), Rasi Seeds, Controlled Environment Limited (CONVIRON), Food and Agriculture Organization of United Nations (FAO), National Innovation Foundation (NIF), Anand and Anand and EcoAfrica for supporting in holding the IAC 2016.

I am happy to inform you that the specific recommendations under each of the Congress themes and overall recommendations as "Delhi Declaration on Agrobiodiversity Management" emerged as an

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outcome of the IAC 2016. Their systematic implementation will help both national and international organizations/agencies for effective conservation and use of agrobiodiversity for ensuring food and nutritional security and also to address the emerging challenges associated with climate change.

Bioversity International has assured and taking lead to work out the modalities for exploring the possibilities to organize the 2nd IAC. ISPGR may become co-sponsor/co-organizer for next IAC.

4. Awareness Seminar cum Brainstorming Meeting on 'Access and Benefit Sharing: Striking the Right Balance'

This meeting was organized jointly by the ISPGR and Anand and Anand, a leading full service intellectual property Law Firm. The Trust for Advancement of Agricultural Sciences (TAAS) and the Indian Society of International Law (ISIL) were the knowledge partners for organizing the twin event, held at India Habitat Centre, New Delhi, India on October 22, 2016. The main aim was to bring on board issues related to agrobiodiversity access and benefit sharing (ABS) based on considered views of various stakeholders. The event provided an excellent opportunity for exchange of views among participants concerning use of genetic resources. The Proceedings have been published and are available on the ISPGR website.

5. Brainstorming session on the strategies implementation of 'Delhi Declaration on Agrobiodiversity Management' and & 75th Birthday Celebrations of Dr R.S. Paroda on August 28, 2017

The ISPGR co-hosted a brainstorming session along with the ICAR, NBPGR, Bioversity International, TAAS, PPV&FRA and ISGPB to chalk out a plan for effective implementation of the 12-point Delhi Declaration on Agrobiodiversity Management. This brainstorming meeting had the objective to develop a roadmap for conservation and utilization of genetic resources in synchrony with the Sustainable Development Goal (SDGs), Aichi Targets and National Biodiversity Targets (NBTs). The brainstorming meeting was followed by celebration of the 75th birthday of Dr RS Paroda. A commemorative book was also released on this occasion. The proceedings of the meeting are to be released in the award function of ISPGR scheduled on March 13, 2018 (afternoon).

6. Awards and Recognitions

- ISPGR award functions were held on March 5, 2015, April 5, 2017 and next one is scheduled soon after the GBM (March 13, 2018). Thus, all the awards due to be given by the society up to 2017 have been awarded.
- The various awards given by the ISPGR were reviewed and award money were enhanced as follows:
 - Dr H.B. Singh Memorial Award increased from Rs. 25,000 to 1,00,000.
 - Dr R.S. Paroda Young Scientist Award from Rs. 10,000 to 20,000
 - Dr R.K. Arora Best Paper Award (IJPGR) from Rs. 5,000 to 10,000
 - Dr K.L. Mehra Best Student Award from Rs. 10,000 to 20,000
- A new award named after **Dr B.R. Barwale** has been instituted for 'Application/Excellence in PGR' to recognize the work of scientists/researchers who have significantly contributed in any area of PGR science or application, including collecting, characterization, evaluation, conservation, use (e.g. development of varieties) and other matters related to PGR management. The award is to encourage mid-level scientists (up to age of 55) working in the PGR domain. The first award will be given in the award function to be held on March 13, 2018 (afternoon).

7. Lecture Series



A new lecture series was initiated, named after Padma Bhusan 'Dr D.S. Athwal Memorial Lecture' to recognise his immense contribution to agriculture in general and development of National Genebank in India, being Vice-President, Winrock International (implementing agency of USAID Project in India) in particular. The first lecture will be delivered today afternoon by Padma Sri Dr Gurdev Singh Khush, World Food Prize Laureate and renowned rice breeder.

At the end I place thanks to all Executive Members and outstanding leadership of Dr R.S. Paroda, GB members, ICAR, ICAR-NBPGR and all other stake holders like TAAS, NAAS, PPVFRA, NBA, Bioversity International, etc. for their enormous support to ISPGR to achieve the goals. I place on record special thanks to my predecessor Dr R.K. Tyagi for nurturing the ISPGR for many years and at various capacities such as Vice President, Editor in Chief, General Secretary and Councillor.



Report by Editor-in-Chief

I am happy to present before you the EIC report for the period 2015-18.

The biennium 2016-2017 was an exceptional period for the Indian Journal of Plant Genetic resources (IJPGR). Thanks to the 1st International Agrobiodiversity Congress 2016 (IAC 2016), the IJPGR received greater attention in the international community by publishing a special agrobiodiversity issue (Volume 29, Issue 3, 2016). As a follow-up in 2017, 21 articles that were based on the presentations in IAC 2016, were published in volume 30 of IJPGR. In summary, we published 38 articles (eight by foreign authors) in the three issues of 2017. The journal received as many as 120 manuscript (ms) submissions in 2017.

The number of ms received, processed and published, along with timelines of IJPGR publication during 2015-18 are as follows:

Status of the manuscripts for the period under report					Publication status			
Year	Received	Rejected	Under review	Accepted	Vol	Issue	Due date	Publication date
2015	119	51 (43%)	11	57	28	1	1 Apr, 2015	20 June, 2015
						2	1 Aug, 2015	9 Sept, 2015
						3	1 Dec, 2015	19 Dec, 2015
2016	99	62 (63%)	12	25	29	1	1 Apr, 2016	4 May, 2016
						2	1 Aug, 2016	17 Sept, 2016
						3	1 Dec, 2016	6 Nov., 2016*
2017	121	42 (35%)	47	32	30	1	1 Apr, 2017	7 Apr, 2017
						2	1 Aug, 2017	9 Aug, 2017
						3	1 Dec, 2017	3 Jan, 2018 [#]
2018 (up to March 12, 2018)	20	1	19	0	31	1	1 Apr, 2018	6 Mar, 2018
						2	1 Aug, 2018	NA
						3	1 Dec, 2018	NA

* Special IAC.2016 issue (71 articles)

[#] 11 articles from IAC 2016 authors

- IAC2016 gave a huge fillip
- All the issues up to 2017 have been published almost on time
- The average time taken for processing of manuscripts was 6-7 months
- Current NAAS rating of IJPGR is 5.12 (2017)
- Indian Citation Index – Research Impact Indicator: 0.096
- Indexed/Abstracted on Google Scholar
- Online hosting is at <http://www.indianjournals.com/>
- PDF copies of all issues from 1988 till date are available at this site

I was given responsibility of EIC with effect from 17.10.2017.

I thank my predecessors Dr R.R. Hanchinal and Dr R.K. Tyagi for their immense contributions.



I acknowledge the contribution of my fellow editors (Drs Sudhir Kochhar, I.S. Bisht, Ruchira Pandey, Anjula Pandey, Kamala Venkateswaran, Mahesh Yadav, Celia Chalam V., Kavita Gupta, Mukesh Kumar Rana) and 50 reviewers who were instrumental in the peer review process.

I intend to take benefit of the foreign editors: Andriana Alercia, Ronnie Vernooy, Ehsan Dulloo, and Michael Halewood in the current year.

I place on record the contributions of Dr RK Tyagi who managed IJPGR impeccably for ~20 years establishing a benchmark.

Thank you one and all.



Report by Treasurer, ISPGR

The summary of status of finance of the Society (extracted from Auditor's Report 2014-15, 2015-16, 2016-17) is as follows:

Receipt and Payments

Particulars	March 31, 2015	March 31, 2016	March 31, 2017
Opening Balance (₹)	39,36,182	40,43,457	38,61,509
Receipts (₹)	7,72,100	7,24,741	41,87,312
Payments (₹)	6,65,139	9,06,689	24,16,094
Closing Balance (₹)	40,43,457	38,61,509	54,99,307

ISPGR Balance Sheet as on March 31, 2017

Item	Amount (₹)
Opening Balance	
Cash on Hand	615
Fixed Deposit	35,83,831
In Saving Account	2,77,064
Total	38,61,510
Receipts	41,87,311
Payments	24,16,093
Closing Balance	
Cash on Hand	23,838
Fixed Deposit	37,50,626
Savings	17,24,843
Total	54,99,307

During the organization of the IAC 2016 by ISPGR in collaboration with other organizations, expenditure was undertaken and audited separately, and summary is as below:

IAC Balance Sheet as on March 31, 2017

Item	Amount (₹)
Incomes	
Sponsorship received	1,78,17,908
Registration fee	61,45,964
Bank Interest	4,51,246
Total	2,44,15,118
Expenditure	
Travel Boarding and Lodging	1,03,26,506
Conference expenses	64,88,134
Printing, stationery, journal	24,77,829
Registration kit, mementoes etc.	17,03,206
Total	2,12,45,245
Surplus	31,69,873

The savings from IAC 2016 were transferred to ISPGR account.

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AUDITORS' REPORT

To The Members Of
INDIAN SOCIETY OF PLANT GENETIC RESOURCES
C/o N.B.P.G.R., Pusa Campus,
New Delhi

We have audited the attached Balance Sheet of INDIAN SOCIETY OF PLANT GENETIC RESOURCES as at March 31, 2017 and the Income & Expenditure Account for the year ended on that date annexed thereto.

These financial statements are the responsibility of the Society's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We have conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in India. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material mis-statements.

An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by the management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

We further state that:

- 1 we have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for the purpose of the audit;
- 2 In our opinion, proper books of account have been kept by the Society in so far as appears from our examination of the books;
- 3 the Balance Sheet and the Income & Expenditure Account referred to in this report are in agreement with the books of account of the Society;
- 4 In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the said Balance Sheet and the Income & Expenditure Account give a true and fair view in conformity with the accounting principles:
 - a insofar as it relates to the Balance Sheet, of the state of affairs of the Society as at March 31, 2017; and
 - b insofar as it relates to the Income & Expenditure Account, of the surplus during the year ended on that date.

for A.K.Sethi & Co.,
Chartered Accountants
Firm Regn. No.: 004656/N



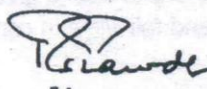
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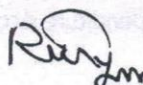
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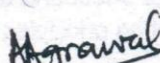
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**BALANCE SHEET AS AT
MARCH 31, 2017**

PARTICULARS		AMOUNT Rs.
LIABILITIES		
A	GENERAL RESERVE	
	Balance brought forward	42,48,047.11
	Add : Surplus during the year	17,71,218.00
		60,19,265.11
B	CURRENT LIABILITIES	
	Provision for Income Tax	9,79,757.00
	Expenses Payable	16,000.00
	Auditors' Remuneration Payable	17,250.00
		10,13,007.00
		70,32,272.11
ASSETS		
A	FIXED ASSETS	
	<u>Computers & Allied Accessories</u>	
	WDV Brought forward	4,847.00
	Add: Additions during the year	-
		4,847.00
	Less: Depreciation	2,908.00
		1,939.00
B	CURRENT ASSETS	
	International Agrobiodiversity Congress	14,77,674.79
	Tax Deducted at Source	53,351.03
		15,31,025.82
C	CASH & BANK BALANCES	
	Cash on hand	23,838.35
	In fixed deposits (incl. approx. accrued interest)	37,50,625.83
	In savings account	17,24,843.11
		54,99,307.29
		70,32,272.11


(President)


(Secretary)


(Treasurer)

AUDITORS' REPORT

"As per our separate report of even date attached"

for A.K.Sethi & Co.,
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(A.K.Sethi)
Partner



Mem.No.: 083795


New Delhi, dated

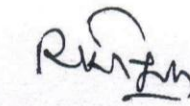
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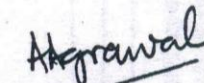
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**INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED
MARCH 31, 2017**

PARTICULARS	AMOUNT Rs.	
A INCOMES		
Subscription	3,37,908.30	
Grant/ Financial Assistance/ Donations	2,49,192.00	
Royalty on sale of books	73,302.00	
Bank Interest (Accrued/ Received)	3,57,036.51	
Surplus from Indian Agrobiodiversity Congress	<u>31,69,872.79</u>	41,87,311.60
B EXPENDITURES		
Journal publication expenses	1,48,771.00	
Contributions/ Donations made	10,00,000.00	
Computer Maintenance	6,770.00	
Printing & Stationery	4,430.00	
Bank Charges	325.50	
Travelling & Conveyance	3,700.00	
Repairs & Maintenance	3,388.75	
Auditors' Remuneration	17,250.00	
Professional Charges	5,750.00	
Postage & Stamps	40,442.00	
Members' Meeting Expenses	19,861.00	
Secretarial Expenses/ Honorarium	1,76,555.00	
Depreciation	<u>2,908.00</u>	14,30,151.25
C Surplus/ (Deficit) before tax		27,57,160.35
D Provision for Income Tax		
Current Year	9,79,757.00	
Earlier Years	<u>6,185.35</u>	9,85,942.35
E Surplus/ (Deficit) after tax		<u>17,71,218.00</u>


(President)

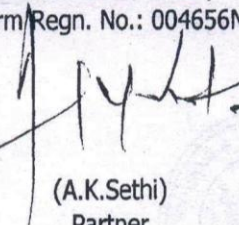

(Secretary)


(Treasurer)

AUDITORS' REPORT

"As per our separate report of even date attached"

for A.K.Sethi & Co.,
Firm/Regn. No.: 004656N


(A.K.Sethi)
Partner

Mem.No.: 083795



New Delhi, dated

May 3, 2017

SCHEDULE OF FIXED ASSETS**INDIAN SOCIETY OF PLANT GENETIC RESOURCES**

Sl. No.	Particulars	W.D.V. brought forward	Additions/ (Disposals) during the year	W.D.V. at the end of the year	Rate of depreciation	Depreciation	W.D.V. carried forward
1	Computers & Accessories	4,847.00	-	4,847.00	60%	2,908.00	1,939.00
	Total	4,847.00	-	4,847.00		2,908.00	1,939.00

