



## Indian Society of Soil Salinity and Water Quality

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### **Proceedings of the General Body Meeting (GBM) of the ISSSWQ held on 16 January 2018 at ICAR-CSSRI Karnal**

A meeting of the General Body of the Indian Society of Soil Salinity & Water Quality (ISSSWQ) was held on 16 January 2018 at 4.00 PM in the Conference Hall of ICAR-CSSRI Karnal. The meeting was chaired by Dr. P.C. Sharma, Director, ICAR-CSSRI, Karnal and President of the society. The GBM was attended by more than 50 members. The General Secretary of the society welcomed the chairman, senior dignitaries, special invitees and all the members of the society in the meeting. President of the society also welcomed everyone. Following issues/points were presented, discussed and finalized in the General Body Meeting of the society.

1. Dr. R.K. Yadav, General Secretary, presented the account of all the activities and decisions taken by the executive committee since the previous year.
2. Dr. R.L. Meena, Joint Secretary, informed the members about the election process initiated for the election of the new executive of the society for the biennium 2018-2019. He informed about the applications received for different positions (Vice President -2, General Secretary -1, Joint Secretary – 1, Treasurer – 1 and Councillors – 8) of the executive committee, their screening and final election. The final list of the new executive committee was ratified by the general body of the society. The new elected executive committee list is attached.
3. Dr. Bhaskar Narjary, outgoing Treasurer of the society, presented the accounts statement of the society and it was ratified by all the members.
4. President of the society asked all the members to inform and spread awareness about the activities of the society among all the scientists working in the area of salinity management and submission of quality research articles in the journal of the society.
5. It was also decided to develop the dedicated website of the society and this task was assigned to Dr. Bhaskar Narjary, Scientist, in consultation with Dr. D.S. Bundela, Head, Div. of Irrigation and Drainage Engineering, CSSRI, Karnal.
6. All members were asked to disseminate the information among respective national and international contacts/scientific groups, about the organization of International Salinity Conference during 2019 at CSSRI Karnal.

The general body meeting ended with a vote of thanks to all the members for their active participation and suggestions to make the functioning of society more purposeful and transparent.

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(R. K. Yadav)  
General Secretary, ISSSWQ

*Encl: New Executive Committee list*