



## **Dr. AMBEDKAR INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY**

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BENGALURU - 560 056

### **Proceedings of the 17<sup>th</sup> Governing Body Meeting held on 17<sup>th</sup> March 2018, Saturday**

Proceedings of the Governing Body meeting held on Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> March 2018 at 11.00 a.m. in the Board Room of Dr. Ambedkar Institute of Technology, Bengaluru - 56, Karnataka.

#### **Members Present:**

<b>No.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Designation</b>
1	Sri. S. Mariswamy	Chairman
2	Sri. A. R. Krishnamurthy	Member
3	Sri. S. Shivamallu	Member
4	Dr. M. Mahadeva	Member
5	Prof. K. Ramamurthy Naidu	Member, UGC Nominee
6	Dr. N. H. Siddalinga Swamy	Member, AICTE Nominee
7	Prof. N. C. Shivaprakash	Member, Invitee
8	Dr. Siddaraju	Member
9	Dr. B. Ravindra	Member
10	Dr. G. Rajendra	Member
11	Dr. M. N. Hegde	Member
12	Dr. C. Nanjundaswamy	Member Secretary

#### **Leave of absence by members:**

1.	Prof. H. U. Talwar	Member, GOK Nominee
2.	Sri. P. L. Nanjundaswamy	Member
3.	Dr. Girish Chandra	Member, Invitee
4.	Dr. C. G. Krishnadas Nair	Member, Industrialist

The Chairman of the Governing Body, Sri. S. Mariswamy informed the Governing Body members about the sad demise of Dr. S. Chinnaswamy, Trustee, PVPWT on 17.03.2018. He expressed his deep condolences on this untimely death. He pointed out Dr. S. Chinnaswamy's deep interest in the development of Dr. Ambedkar Institute of Technology and other institutions

under Panchajanya Vidya Peeta and the vision he had for them. He also mentioned that Dr.S. Chinnaswamy's death is a great loss to the trust and the vacuum his death has caused is hard to be fill. The Chairman also informed the members that the Governing Body Meeting is adjourned as a mark of respect to Dr.S. Chinnaswamy and the next date of meeting will be informed to the members.

Prof. K. Ramamurthy Naidu, Member, (UGC Nominee) mentioned that Dr. Chinnaswamy, Former Chairman and Honourable Trustee of PVPWT was always discussing about the improvements to the institution and about getting NAAC accreditation with A+ grade. He also mentioned that Dr. S. Chinnaswamy was very sportive, dynamic and academic orientated person and was always thinking of academic and examination reforms at Dr. Ambedkar institute of Technology. Dr. Naidu remembered his ambition to make Dr. AIT a top class institution and he used to discuss about measures to be taken. His death is a great loss, felt sorry and he conveyed his condolences to his family members.

Prof. N. C. Shivaprakash, Member, (Invitee), mentioned Dr. S. Chinnaswamy was a very inspiring person and used to remember every detail of previous discussions. He was committed, dedicated and had great concern to the development of the institution. Though Dr. S. Chinnaswamy is not here physically with us, but we remember him for his thoughtful guidance. He conveyed his condolences to his family members.

Dr. N. H. Siddalinga Swamy, Member, (AICTE Nominee) mentioned that, it was very difficult to fill the loss caused by the death of Dr. S. Chinnaswamy. All his advice and vision are with us. His vision has to be fulfilled by following on his path. He prayed Almighty to give strength to his family members to bear the loss.

Sri. S. Shivamallu, Member said that it was a very sad day for all of us. There were six trustees and now we have become five. It is very difficult to fill the gap caused due to the sudden demise of Dr. S. Chinnaswamy. He mentioned that, he worked with him for two terms as Managing Trustee/ Secretary when Dr. S. Chinnaswamy was the Chairman. During that time though there were some misunderstandings, inspite of them they worked together in the interest




of the institution. We had the same opinion with regard to collection of donations at Dr. AIT for management quota admission through cheque or Demand Draft. He was a great man and he used to think of big achievements. He was very dynamic, curious and go getter. He recalled that when they met him on 13<sup>th</sup> March 2018 at Narayana Hrudayalaya he was telling, if more people come to see him, he would be cured. He wished Almighty to give strength to his family members to bear the sudden loss.

Dr. M. Mahadeva, Member said that he was unable to hear the shocking news and unable to come back to himself. He had the privilege of working with Dr. S. Chinnaswamy as the Managing Trustee when he was the Chairman. He was a very tough man on some issues and that was not for any personal gain, but for the welfare of the institute. He never used to discriminate against anyone. During his association with him of over 15 years, he had never called him by name. He used to respect the knowledge, he was very liberal and a model personality. It is a great loss to the society, trust and the institution. He conveyed his condolences and prayed God to give strength to bear the loss to his family members.

Dr. C. Nanjundaswamy, Member Secretary mentioned that during his association with Dr. S. Chinnaswamy he had observed two important things, time punctuality and dress code. During the visit to Nepal, he made it possible to meet the President of Nepal within 12 hrs. without any prior appointment through Dr. B.N. Umesh. He praised the way he worked, his alertness and style of life. He assured the Chairman that, they would follow all his good qualities and work for the development of the institution.

The Chairman expressed his gratitude to the members for their feelings and said that they would strive to fill the vacuum created due to the death of Dr. S. Chinnaswamy. The meeting concluded with vote of thanks to the chairman.

  
**Dr. C. Nanjundaswamy**  
Principal/Member Secretary  
**PRINCIPAL**  
**Dr. Ambedkar Institute of Technology**  
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**Sri. S. Mariswamy**  
Chairman