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The fourth meeting of the Board of Governors of the Indian Institute of Technology, Indore was held on FRIDAY, 08th July 2011 at 4.00 p.m at IIT Indore, Board Room. Following were present:

> Shri Ajay Piramal Chairman

Prof. Pradeep Mathur Member

Dr Harpal Singh Member

Shri Aman Singh Member

Dr. Sibaji Raha Member

Shri Sanjay Singh Member

Prof. Narendra Chaudhari Member

Prof. Neelesh Jain Member

Prof. K. K. Rao Special Invitee

Shri. A.K. Pandey Special Invitee

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(Project engineer cum Estate Officer)

Col. (Retd) G. Raja Sekhar: Secretary

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Leave of absence was granted to **Shri Ashok Thakur**, Special Secretary, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, and **Shri K. K. Singh.**

At the outset, the Chairman welcomed all the members present.

The Chairman thereafter took up for consideration the formal items of the Agenda.

ITEM NO.4.1

To consider report of the Director of the Institute.

4.1.1 The Board NOTED that Stage I approval was accorded by Government of India, Ministry of Environment and Forests vide letter no F.no 8-109/2010-FC dated 03rd June, 2011 for diversion of 80 ha forest land in Chaural Range of Indore Division in Indore District for construction of buildings and other Infrastructure of the Institute.

Stage II approval will be accorded by Ministry of Environment and Forests after receipt of report on compliance to the conditions stipulated in the Ministry of Environment and Forests letter.

The Board NOTED the Conservator of Forests letter no Kramank/ Ma. Chi./ 11 66770 dated 23rd June, 2011.

Director informed that the meeting of Master Plan Committee is scheduled on **27**th **July, 2011** for finalization of Master Plan.

Secretary, Technical Education, M.P. Govt informed that the issues pertaining to payment of Rs 10,70,27,644/-towards NPV of 80 ha forest land and *aforestation,

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exchange land of 40.28 acres and settlement of rights if any in terms of the Scheduled Tribes and Traditional Forest Dwellers Act 2006 will be completed by 8th August, 2011.

The Board RESOLVED following:

- i. An amount of Rs 5,00,80,000/- as NPV of 80 ha of forest land and an amount of Rs 5,69,47,644/- for aforestation amounting to Rs 10,70,27,644/- will be paid by the Government of Madhya Pradesh.
- ii. Land use plan will be prepared by IIT Indore.
- iii. Environmental clearance will be obtained by IIT Indore.
- iv. The demarcation of project area using four feet high RCC pillars to be done by IIT Indore, and the cost will be borne by the Government of Madhya Pradesh.
- v. The Government of Madhya Pradesh shall complete settlement of rights if any in terms of the Scheduled Tribes and Traditional Forest Dwellers Act 2006.
- vi. IIT Indore to be given possession of 40.28 acres of exchange land without any encumbrances.
- vii. The tender may be floated for construction activities; however, the actual construction should be started after obtaining the Stage II approval from Ministry of Environment and Forests.
- 4.1.2 Chairman complimented Director and other institute functionaries for the excellent job done in establishing the temporary campus at Pithampur Auto Cluster Ltd. and



providing accommodation for UG and Ph.D students at Silver Springs Township at a very competitive monthly rental.

- 4.1.3 Director informed that at IIT Indore the teaching and research component is given equal weightage. During his visit to US and Europe faculty members were identified with Microelectronics, Nanoelectronics and Bioscience as areas of specialization. There has been good response for faculty positions; candidates with 3 years' post doctoral research experience and with good publications have been shortlisted. The shortlisted candidates will have to present the seminar which will be followed by interview. The expert panel for each discipline are either Bhatnagar awardees, FNA, FASc or with other equivalent levels of recognition.
- 4.1.4 Director informed that initially there was lot of administrative load on faculty, but now with some administrative functionaries joining the Institute, faculty members have been submitting proposals for research projects.
- 4.1.5 Director informed the role of Women's Cell as under:-
 - To provide guidelines for prevention of acts of sexual harassment or any unwelcome sexually determined behavior.
 - b. To recommend procedures for prevention of loss of dignity to individuals arising out of cases of sexual harassment.



- c. To receive and deal with complaints, by the Cell or referred to the Cell by the institute, of any kind of harassment , including sexual harassment, to individuals living, studying or working in the institute and to submit the reports thereon to the Director for further action.
- d. To deal with such other matters and issues as may be considered connected with sexual harassment or any other kind of harassment or any such act as to cause loss of dignity to any individual living, working or studying in the institute.
- 4.1.6 Director informed that the orientation programme will be held for new UG batch on 25th July, 2011, students will be handed over booklets on anti-ragging and facilities at IIT Indore.
- 4.1.7 The Deputy Librarian was invited to make a presentation to the BoG about the improvements made in the library in terms of air-conditioned reading room facility and the purchase of books and e-resources.

4.1.8 The BoG NOTED the following

- i. Hiring of additional space at PACL.
- ii. Hiring of accommodation at Silver Springs Township.
- iii. Admission of PhD students for autumn semester 2011-12.
- iv. Advertisement for non-teaching posts.



- v. Advertisement for faculty posts.
- vi. Audit for the financial year 2009-2010.
- vii. Purchase order placed for Dual Ion Beam Sputtering Deposition (IBSD) System.
- viii. Research grants and research activities of the institute.
- ix. Instrumentation facilities at the institute.
- x. Agreement signed for outsourcing of services.
- xi. Tender floated for outsourcing of security services.

ITEM NO.4.2

To confirm the Minutes of the third meeting of the Board of Governors held on 14th March, 2011 at Piramal Tower, Mumbai.

- 4.2.1 The minutes of third meeting of the BOG have been confirmed.
- **ITEM NO. 4.3**

To confirm the Minutes of the third meeting of BWC held on 14th March, 2011 at IIT Bombay, Mumbai.

- 4.3.1 The minutes of the third meeting of BWC have been confirmed.
- Action taken on decisions made in the third meeting of BOG held on 14th March, 2011.
 - **4.4.1** The BoG **NOTED** the action taken report on decisions made in the third meeting of the BoG.

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ITEM NO. 4.5

To consider and approve Annual Accounts for the financial year 2010-2011.

- **4.5.1** The Board **NOTED** the Statement of Accounts for the financial year 2010-2011.
- 4.5.2 The Chairman directed that quarterly audit to be done in respect of accounts of the institute. The action plan on implementation of the suggestions given by the internal auditor to be initiated.
- **4.5.3** The Board **RESOLVED** to approve the Annual Accounts for the financial year 2010-2011.

ITEM NO.4.6

To consider Annual Report of the Institute for the year 2009-2010.

4.6.1 The Board RESOLVED to approve the Annual Report of the Institute for the year 2009-2010.

ITEM NO. 4.7

To consider establishment of one Science Magnet School in the vicinity of the Institute.

4.7.1 The Board NOTED the proposal of MHRD to launch a Central Sector Scheme i.e. "Science Magnet Schools" to enhance the quality of Science Education and research in the country by identifying and providing a conducive environment to talented and bright students in the country at Secondary School level. Residential Science Magnet

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schools are proposed to be set up where appropriate facilities and guidance would be provided to students with an inclination and aptitude for science. Each such school will have classes from IX to XII with two sections in each class. Each section will have 30 students. Thus, there will be 240 students in the school. The school will be located close to a reputed scientific and research institute with a proven track record of scientific research. To make this school functional, 10 acres of land is required either inside or adjacent to the scientific and research institute.

4.7.2 The Board RESOLVED that the proposal of establishment of Science Magnet School in the vicinity of the Institute is approved in principle. The Government of Madhya Pradesh to allocate 10 Acres of land in the vicinity of IIT campus to establish the Science Magnet School.

ITEM NO. 4.8

To consider grant of advance to employees.

- **4.8.1** The Board **NOTED** the grant of advance to regular employees for following purposes:
 - a) Festival Advance
 - b) Purchase of Motor Cycle/ Scooter
 - c) Purchase of Motor Car
 - d) House Building Advance



4.8.2 The Board RESOLVED to approve the grant of advance to regular employees as per terms and conditions specified in GFR and compendium on advances. The requirement of 10 years of continuous service has been waived off for being eligible for House Building Advance.

ITEM NO. 4.9

To consider Industrial Research & Consultancy Rules.

4.9.1 The Board RESOLVED to approve the Industrial Research & Consultancy Rules. The institute overheads will be 20% consistent with the guidelines of the Ministry of Science and Technology for sponsored research projects.

TEM NO. 4.10

To consider the daily allowance to faculty members for their participation in International Conferences/ Seminars.

4.10.1 The Board **NOTED** the proposal for daily allowance to faculty members and staff for their participation in international conferences/ seminars as under:-

Country/ Region	Per Diem (USD)	Hotel Charges per day (USD)
Outside India for		Up to \$135/-; amount
Conferences/	\$115	payable at actual
Seminars	Marchen of m	(with bills/ receipts)

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Outside India for	-21 Z. 11 Z. 10 E. 10 Z.	ated ear beginning,
Faculty/ Staff	as 68% James	Would be reimbursed
Members sent by		on actual
the Institute on	0445	expenditure incurred
Institute	\$115	(with bills/ receipts)
assignments/ as a		with special approval
part of delegation on		of the Director.
Government work.		

The above daily allowance rules are being followed by IIT Bombay.

4.10.2 The Board **RESOLVED** to approve the daily allowance to faculty members and staff for their participation in International Conferences/ Seminars

ITEM NO. 4.11

To consider purchase of consumable goods and non-consumable goods without tender enquiry up to Rs 50,000/-.

4.11.1 The Board RESOLVED that a comprehensive purchase policy should be drafted and put up to the BoG for approval

ITEM NO. 4.12

To consider relocation allowance for regular employees of the Institute.

4.12.1 The Board **NOTED** the provision of relocation allowance as stipulated in the Ministry of Finance, Government of India



letter no. F.No. 19030/3/2008-E.IV dated 23rd September, 2008 and even no. dated 08th June, 2010.

- 4.12.2 The Board RESOLVED to approve the relocation allowance as per Ministry of Finance, Government of India letter no. F.No. 19030/3/2008-E.IV dated 23rd September, 2008 and even no. dated 08th June, 2010 with following restrictions:
 - In respect of faculty from abroad.
 Single airfare for self and spouse and cost of transportation of household goods up to a maximum limit of Rs 1.00 Lac
 - In respect of faculty & non teaching staff joining within the country.

 Reimbursement as per entitlement for self and family and transport of goods at actuals with maximum limit of Rs 75,000/-.

To consider report of the admission of Ph. D. students for Autumn Semester, 2011-12.

4.13.1 The Board **NOTED** that for the academic year 2011-12 (Autumn semester), 32 students were admitted for pursuing PhD in various disciplines.

To consider report on various purchases made from time to time

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- **4.14.1** The Board **CONSIDERED** the report on the various purchases made from time to time by the Institute
- **4.14.2** The Board **RESOLVED** to approve and ratify the following purchases made by the Institute:

1. Furniture & Fixtures : Rs 139.62

2. Computer & Peripherals : Rs 175.00

3. False Roofs & Partitions, AC, etc. : Rs 200.00

4. Limited tender for purchase of Lab: Rs 200.00 equipment:-Mechanical Engineering discipline-

Machining Science Lab

Metrology Lab

Manufacturing Process Lab

5. Research Equipments- Electrical : Rs 400.00 Discipline-

 Dual Ion Beam Sputtering Deposition (DIBSD) System

6. Tender floated for Metallography & : Rs 100.00 Tribology Lab

7. Air conditioners : Rs 54.86

Total Rs 1269.50

TEM NO. 4.15 To consider Rate Contract for purchase of Furniture.

4.15.1 The Board **RESOLVED** that the matter should be discussed in BWC for approval.

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TEM NO. 4.16

To consider the appointment of Director of the Institute as Professor in the Discipline of Chemistry of School of Sciences.

4.16.1 The Board RESOLVED to approve the appointment of Director of the Institute as Professor in the Discipline of Chemistry of School of Sciences.

TEM NO. 4.17

To consider limited tender enquiry for purchases up to Rs 50 Lac.

4.17.1 The Board **RESOLVED** that a comprehensive purchase policy should be drafted and put up to the BoG for approval.

TEM NO. 4.18

To consider revision of rent payable for hiring of accommodation for Chief Executives of autonomous bodies.

- 4.18.1 The Board NOTED rent payable for hiring of accommodation for Chief Executives of autonomous bodies as per Ministry of Finance letter no. F. No 1(16)/ E.II (A)/ 2008 dated 8th May, 2009.
- 4.18.2 The Board RESOLVED to approve the revised rates for hiring of accommodation for Chief Executives of autonomous bodies in the pay scale of Rs 80,000/- from

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Rs 32000/- to Rs 50,000/- for 'Y' class cities. The enhancement will be restricted to 03% for each year.

TEW NO. 4.19

To consider proposal for Pre-Engineering Building at temporary campus of IIT Indore.

- 4.19.1 The Board NOTED the proposal for Pre-Engineering Building at temporary campus for 77,000 sq ft at an estimated cost of Rs 17 Crores.
- 4.19.2 The Board RESOLVED that the construction of Pre-Engineering Building in temporary campus is not required as the Stage I approval has been accorded by Ministry of Environment and Forests vide letter no F.No 8-109/2010-FC dated 03rd June, 2011 for construction of buildings and other infrastructure of the Institute.

TEM NO. 4.20

To consider payment of ESI subscription to temporary employees of the Institute.

- **4.20.1** The Board **NOTED** that 6.5% of the basic has to be paid towards ESIC contribution for medical facility in respect of temporary employees whose salary is below Rs 15,000.
- **4.20.2** The Board **RESOLVED** to approve the payment of ESI contribution to temporary employees of the Institute.

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- 4.21 (A) Visit of Prof. Pradeep Mathur to U.K, France and USA.
- **4.21.1** Director informed that visit to UK, France and USA could not be undertaken due to pre occupation.
- 4.21 (B) Appointment of Prof S.C Koria (IIT Kanpur) as visiting Professor.
- **4.21.2** The Board **RESOLVED** to approve the appointment of **Prof S.C Koria** (IIT Kanpur) as Visiting Professor.

TEM NO. 4.22

To consider items approved by the Director.

- 4.22 (A) To consider the official foreign visit of the faculty members.
- **4.22.1** The Board **NOTED** the foreign visit of the following faculty members for participation in International Conference
 - a) Dr. Abhinav Kranti
 - b) Dr. Pritee Sharma
 - c) Dr. C. Bharath Kumar
 - d) Dr. Sarika Jalan



TEN NO. 4.23

To consider nomination of Member for Finance Committee.

4.23.1 The Board **RESOLVED** to approve the nomination of **Prof. N.S. Punekar** as member of the Finance Committee

TEN NO. 4.24

To consider nomination of members for the Selection Committee for recruitment of regular non-teaching posts.

- **4.24.1** The Board **NOTED** the nomination of two members for the Selection Committee for recruitment of regular non-teaching posts.
- 4.24.2 The Board RESOLVED that the Director should take the approval of Chairman for nomination of members of the Selection Committee for recruitment of regular non-teaching posts.

TEM NO. 4.25

To consider beginning of construction activities for Campus development.

4.25.1 The Board **RESOLVED** that the tender could be floated for beginning the construction activities for campus development.



TEN NO. 4.26

To consider rate contract of IIT Bombay for purchase of goods and services.

- **4.26.1** The Board **NOTED** the rate contract of IIT Bombay for purchase of following goods and services:
 - i. Computers & Peripherals
 - ii. Air Conditioners
 - iii. Chemicals & Glassware
 - iv. Gas Cylinder refilling
 - v. Sanitary items
 - vi. Custom Clearance
- **4.26.2** The Board **RESOLVED** to approve the rate contract of IIT Bombay for purchase of above items.

meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

(Retd) G Raja Sekhar

Registrar (Secretary), IIT Indore

Pradeep Mathur)
Director, IIT Indore

Approved

(Ajay Piramal)

Chairman, Board of Governors

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