

Minutes of the 10th Meeting of Advisory Council held at 13th July 2022

1. The 10th Meeting of the Advisory Council of International Sikh Confederation was held on 13th July 2022 at 11.00AM in the office of ISC, Plot No.1, Madhya Marg, Sector 28, Chandigarh. The following members attended the meeting:

S.No.	Name (Attended in Person)	S.No.	Name (Attended in Zoom)
1.	Col Jagtar Singh Multani	10	Dr Arvind Singh Bhalla
2.	Col AS Kandhari	11	S Sukhdev Singh Laaj
3.	Dr Birendra Kaur	12	S Lakhwinder Singh Mansa
4.	Dr Jaspal Kaur Kaang	13	S Jaswant Singh
5.	S N.P Singh	14	S Davinder Singh
6.	Col TBS Bedi		
7.	Col Brijinder Singh Randhawa		
8.	S Sarwan Singh		
9.	S Jagdeep Singh		

1. The meeting commenced with the recitation of 'Mool Mantra'.

2. **Confirmation of the last minutes of 10th meeting of Advisory Council:**The minutes of the 10th meeting of Advisory Council were circulated among all members for approval. No comments have been received from any of the member. Therefore, the minutes of the meeting stand confirmed.

3. Condolence: Before taking up the current agenda items for discussion, Col JS Multani, Secretary General, ISC informed all the members about the sad demise of Mrs Johl w/o S Sardara Singh Johl on 1st July 2022. He requested all the members to recite 'Mool Mantra' for the peace of the departed soul. All members recited 'Mool Mantra'.

4. It is informed to all the members that an RTI was filed with SGPC to obtain information regarding progress of the committee formed by SGPC to formulate the conditions for the post of Hon'ble Jathedar, Sri Akal Takhat Sahib. No information is received so far. Further action shall be initiated as per RTI Act provisions.

5. It is informed to all members that discussions and meetings were held with number of Intellectual to have their feedback on the working of the ISC and seeking their advice for further rise of ISC. The meeting was held with Dr. Balkar Singh, Dr. Sardara Singh Johl, Prof. Manjit Singh, Former

Jathedar, Takhat Sir Kesh Garh Sahib, Giani Kewal Singh, Bibi Kiranjot Kaur, Dr. Jaswinder Singh, Dr. Kanwaljit Kaur, Dr. Paramjit Singh, Dr. Gurcharan Singh Lamba and with Baba Gurmit Singh. All of them appreciated the work being undertaken by the ISC and desired that special effort and focus should be on SGPC elections.

5. The various activities and achievements of the ISC were informed to all the members by Col. J.S.Multani, Secretary General as detailed below:

a) Lease of Office Hall: The Secretary General informed all the members that to ensure permanent income to ISC. Office Hall on 1st Floor has been leased out to Bhai Jaita ji Foundation (BJF) students on a monthly rent of Rs 32,000/- per month.

(b) A Meeting with Baba Gurmit Singh Ji was held on _____ in regard to opening the Home Work Tuition Centre's. He agreed for opening of 2 HWTC at villages located in Distt. Moga.

(c) It was informed to all members that 2 HWTC shall be opened soon by ISC in collaboration with Jugraj Singh Gill Charitable Trust.

(d) The team of ISC visited the office of Tehsil, Moga and observed that General Public was facing problem in regard to having copy of farad and other land related documents and was also facing the basic amenities of water. The ISC in public interest installed inverter and RO at Office of Tehsil at Kot Ise Khan for Public Welfare.

(e) Purchase of Car for ISC - It was felt that one car is required for visiting the place where various social work/activities are being organised by the ISC and for the routine work of the ISC. It was also required for the meetings with various organisations. Therefore, one 2nd hand Swift Car was purchased at the cost of Rs 4.5 lakhs.

(f) **Minority Scholarship Preparation** - It was informed to all members that earlier visits to schools and colleges were organized and awareness program was held so that maximum minority students could take the benefits of scholarships. Further preparation for the current session have been made and students will be charged Rs 100 for facilitation charges. The work of Minority Scholarship will start from 15th August 2022.

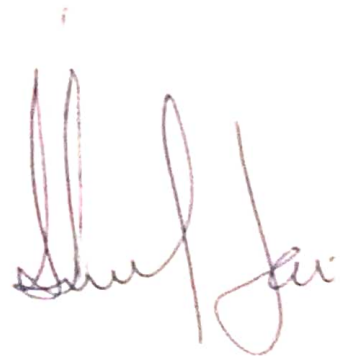
(g) **Non-Inscription of Gurbani on Buses** - Letter was written to Transport minister, Punjab that no Gurbani Quotes should be printed on buses which is dis-respectfully. The General Manager agreed to the

suggestion of ISC and has informed that they have notified the same to all the concerned.

(h) Tree plantation was also organized. Baba Sewa Singh of Khadoor Sahib donated 250 saplings.

6. On conclusion of meeting suggestion were invited from all the members. Col. Brijinder Singh Randhawa suggested that ISC should make its presence felt at International level by becoming members of International Organisations viz UNO, UNESCO etc. Dr. Jaspal Kaur Kaang suggested more work is required in the direction of election to SGPC.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

A handwritten signature in red ink, appearing to be 'Jaspal Kaur', is located in the lower right quadrant of the page.