INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY PALAKKAD

MINUTES SOCIETY/BOARD OF GOVERNORS 1st Meeting

Conference Hall, Room No. 112, C-Wing, ShastriBhawan
New Delhi
12th January 2016 – 1500 hours

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY PALAKKAD PALAKKAD – 678557

Minutes of the first meeting of the Society/the Board of Governors of Indian Institute of Technology Palakkad held on 12th January, 2016 at 15.30 hours in the Conference Hall, Room No. 112, C-Wing, ShastriBhavan, New Delhi.

The following were present

1	Sh. VinaySheelOberoi, Secretary, DHE, MHRD	Chairman
2	Sh. R. Subrahmanyam, Add. Secretary (TE), MHRD	Member
3	Prof. BhaskarRamamurthi, Director, IIT Madras	Member
4	Smt. Darshana MomayaDabral, Jt. Sec & FA, MHRD	Member
5	Smt. TriptiGurha, Director (IITs), MHRD	Member
6	Prof. P.B. Sunil Kumar, Prof. In-charge, IIT Palakkad	Member

Invitee

1. Smt P Marykutti, District Collector, Palakkad, Kerala.

Leave of absence was granted to Sh. B. Srinivas whohad intimated his inability to attend the meeting due to pre-occupation.

The agenda items were taken up for consideration:

PROCEDURAL ITEM

Item No. BoG: 1.1	Welcome by the Chairman

The Chairman extended warm welcome to all the members and invitees to the first meeting of Society/Board of Governors of IIT Palakkad. Chairman has introduced the other Board Members.

Thereafter, the Director has stated that IIT Palakkad is one of the five IITs announced by the Central Government during Budget Session in July 2014. Pending amendment of the Institute of Technology Act, 1961 for incorporation of the new IITs, the IIT Palakkad Society was registered on 30th December, 2015. The academic activities at IIT Palakkad started on 3rd August 2015 in the temporary campus hired from Ahalia international foundation with an intake of 120 students in four disciplines viz; Civil Engineering, Computer Science, Electrical Engineering and Mechanical Engineering. The Professor in caharge briefed the Board on academic progress of the Institute. The Board Members, satisfied with the progress, and appreciated the efforts made by the Director and Professor In-charge to bring the Institute to this level within a short period.

The District Collector, Palakkad, appraised the board on the progress of land acquisition by Kerala Government for IIT Palakkad. The Collector informed the members that private land aquisiion process will be completed by 15th of February 2016. She also informed the board that the

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proposal for alternate land, to be given to the forest department, will be submitted in two weeks time. The board appreciated the efforts made by the state governments in completing the land acquisition. The state government is requested to send a letter with the hand over date for the land and request for foundation stone laying function.

ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION AND APPROVAL

Item No. BoG: 1.2 To consider appointment of Board of Governors to the IIT Palakkad Society consisting of: a. The Chairman to be nominated by the Visitor b. The Director, ex-officio; c. One person to be nominated by the Government of Kerala in which the IIT is located, from among persons who, in the opinion of that Government, are technologists or industrialists of repute; d. Four persons having special knowledge or practical experience in respect of education, engineering or science, to be nominated by the Council; and e. Two Professors of the Institute, to be nominated by the Senate. The Board may recommend/approve; - Panel of the names for Chairman; - Panel of names to nominate four persons having special knowledge or practical experience in respect of education, Engg or Science as Members. - To seek nomination from Govt of Kerala as Member Senate to propose two nominees

RESOLUTION: After discussions the Board resolved to request the Director to submit the panel of names for Chairman to be nominated by the Visitor. The Government of Kerala may be requested to nominate one member to the Board.

Item No. BoG: 1.3	To consider appointment of 1 st Finance Committee with the following composition:
	Chairman, Ex-Officio, Chairman Director/Mentor Director, IIT Palakkad, Member
	3. Two persons nominated by the Central Government one of whom will the Financial Advisor, Dept. of Higher Education representing the Ministry of Finance;
	a. Joint Secretary & Financial Advisor, HRD, Member b. Director (IITs), MHRD, Member

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The Board considered and Resolved the appointment of First Finance Committee in terms of para 19 of Rules of the Society be approved. The representatives from MHRD will be Jt. Sec & FA, MHRD/representative and Bureau head, Technical education / representative.

Item No. BoG: 1.4	To consider for adoption of the Statutes, Ordinances, Rules &
	Regulations, Recruitment & Promotion Norms; Accounting
	Manual; and Procedures related to Academics, Fee Structure for
	AY 2015-16, Purchase, Works, Tender process, Service
	Conditions, Medical facilities etc. of IIT Madras.

The Board after deliberations approved that as an interim measure, the Statutes, Ordinances, Rules & Regulations, Recruitment & Promotion norms; Accounting Manual; and Procedures related to Academics, Fee Structure for AY 2015-16, Purchase, Works, Tender process, Service Conditions, Medical facilities etc of IIT Madras would mutatis mutandis apply to the IIT Palakkad.

Item No. BoG: 1.5	To consider and approve the proposal for initiating action to complete all formalities pertaining to the following:
	Income Tax Account Number (TAN)/ Permanent Account Number (PAN)
	2. Income Tax Exemption Certificate
	3. Service Tax Registration
	4. Professional Tax Registration
	5. Notification under PF Act
	6. Registration under FCRA (Foreign Contribution Regulation Act)
	7. Customs Duty and Central Excise (CDCE) Exemption Certificate
	8. Registration under SIRO (Scientific & Industrial Research Organization)
	9. Introduction of New Pension Scheme
	10. Any other Statutory Provisions

The Board considered and resolvedthat the proposal for initiating action to complete all the above formalities, be approved.

Item No. BoG: 1.6 To consider and approve opening of Bank Accounts as below:

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Name of the Account	Purpose
Institute Main Account with SBI, Kanjikode	To record all transactions relating to Institute Plan/Non-Plan account/Various Institute Income/etc.
Institute Corpus with Canara Bank, IIT Branch Palakkad	Mainly to account transfer of amount to Institute Corpus from Industrial Consultancy, Sponsored Research, Continuing Education earnings and Donations to corpus account directly received from outsiders.
Students Fees Account with SBI, Kanikode	This account is opened to enable students to remit their semester fees through on-line. No withdrawal is permitted except transfer of amount wrongly remitted by students instead of Hostel account and the total amount is later-on transferred to Institute Main account and accounted as semester fees
Projects Account with Canara Bank, IIT Branch Palakkad Hostel account with	To record all transactions relating to Research/Development/Consultancy Projects undertaken by the Institute To credit the fees received from students towards mess and
Canara Bank, IIT Branch Palakkad	establishment charges

The Board considered and resolvedopening of Institute Bank accounts as detailed in the Agenda Item BoG 1.6 be approved.

Item No. BoG: 1.7	To consider and approve o by the following Officials:	peration of the Institute Bank Accounts
	1. Less than Rs. 5 Lakhs:	Professor In-charge
	2. Rs. 5 Lakhs to 10 Lakhs:	Professor In-charge and Registrar
	3. Above Rs. 10 Lakhs:	Professor In-charge and Director

The Board considered and resolved the operation of the Institute Bank Accounts by the Officials indicated in the Agenda Item No. BoG 1.7 be approved,

Item No. BoG: 1.8	To consider appointment of Registrar In-charge

The Board considered and approved appointment of Prof. Job Kurian as Registrar In-charge with immediate effect and until further orders.

Item No. BoG: 1.9	To consider and accord approval for engaging and incurring of expenditure of Consultants/Service providers for carrying out the following studies which will be required for the Master Plan preparation of permanent campus:
	 Boundary and contour survey of the site; Geotechnical investigations for foundations; and Ecology study of the site

The Board considered and after detailed discussions resolved engaging Consultants/Service Providers for carrying out the (1) Boundary and contour survey of the site (2) Geotechnical investigations for foundations (3) Ecology study of the site for preparation of Master Plan of permanent campus be approved.

Item No. BoG: 1.10	the fo	llowing composited Plan Architect	or to constitute Committee consisting of ion to finalise terms of reference for and selection of the Master Plan
	1	Chairman	An Eminent Architect/Engineer/ Academic
	2	Members	Two Senior Architects/ Master Planners – Academic or Practising
			Two Senior Engineers
			Professor, Civil EnggDept, IIT Madras
	3	Member-Sec	Engineer/Advisor/Consultant employed by IIT Palakkad
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The Board considered and RESOLVED to approve authorising the Director to constitute Committee to finalise terms of reference for Master Plan Architect and selection of the Master Plan Architect with the composition as indicated in Agenda Item No. BoG 1.10.

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em No. BoG: 1.11	To co Palaki is app	nsider and approve the current academic cou kad as the Senate of IIT Palakkad, till the Director II pointed and the Senate is constituted. The acade	T Palakkad mic council
	is:	Prof. K Ramamurthy, Dean (Acad. Courses), IITM	Chairman
	1	Prof. K Ramamurthy, Dean (Acadi South Stry, IITM	Members
	2	Prof. G Ranga Rao, Dept of Chemistry, IITM	
P	3	Prof. M Thamban Nair, Dept of Mathematics,	
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	1	Prof. P Sreenivasa Rumar, Dept of EE, Prof. Harishankar Ramachandran, Dept of EE,	
	8	HTRA	
	9	Prof. T Sundararajan, Dept of ME IITM	-
	10	Prof. K Krishnaiah, Dept of Chemical Lings, Harve	
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W		3 All Professors appointed by IIT Palakkad	

The Board considered and approved the proposal for constitution of Senate of IIT Palakkad with the above composition.

Item No. BoG: 1.12	To consider and approve Building and Works Comr following composition	millee with the
80G; 1.12	1. Director 2. Chief Engr, CPWD, Trivandrum 3. Chief Engr, CPWD, IISER, Tvm 4. Chairman, Engg Unit, IITM 5. Professor In-charge, IIT Palakkad 6. Mr.Ramanujam, Former Chief Engineer, DAE	Chairman Member Member Member Member Member Member Sec.

The Board after due consideration approved the constitution of Building and Works Committee as proposed

	To consider and approve payment of Honorarium/Sitting Fees for the Members of BoG, FC, BWC and Members of Selection Committees etc., as resolved by the IIT Madras Board in its meeting held on 24.07.2015.
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The Board resolved to approve payment of Honorarium/Sitting Fees for the Members of BoG, FC, BWC and Members of Selection Committees etc as proposed. Members of IIT Madas and Palakkad, and MHRD are not eligible for Honorarium.

ITEMS FOR NOTING

Item No. BoG: 1.14	To consider and take a note of the Institute Website with a
ν	domain name www.iitpkd.ac.in, which has been registered and is
	in operation.

The Board noted the Institute Website with a domain name www.iitpkd.ac.in

Item No. BoG: 1.15	IIT Palakkad h	as bee	n regi	stered	d unde	r the	Malabar !	Societies
	Registration							
	PKD/CA/593/2	015 of	015 o	n 30-1	2-2015	5.		

The Board noted the registration of IIT Palakkad under Malabar Societies Registration Act No. 21 of 1860 vide Registration No. PKD/CA/593/2015 of 2015 on 30-12-2015.

Item No. BoG: 1.16	Additional Secretary, MHRD vide eMaildt 07.12.2015 has communicated the sanction of Funds by the Cabinet for IIT Palakkad as detailed below: Annexure-BOG1-04 at pages 25 (01 page)						
	Subject	1 st year	2 nd year	3 rd year	Total		
	Recurring Cost	19.48	45.87	57.89	123.24		
	Non-recurring cost	57.44	32.78	04.54	094.76		
	Contingency Exp.	06.10	06.20	05.00	017.30		
	Total	83.02	84.85	67.43	235.30		

The Board noted the funds allocation by the Cabinet for the next three years.

Item No. BoG: 1.17	The Board is requested to take a note of Rs. 15.00Crores grant released by MHRD during December 2015 against allocated grant
	for the Financial Year 2015-16

The Board noted the release of partial grant of Rs.15.00 crores by MHRD for the financial year 2015-16.

Item No. BoG: 1.18	MHRD vide letter F.No. 5-20/2015-TS.1(Sectt.) dated 14-12-2015 has communicated the approval for re-appointment of Prof. M.S.
	Mathews and Prof Job Kurian by IIT Madras for mentoring of IIT Palakkad. They have been re-employed by IITM for mentoring of IIT Palakkad.

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The Board noted the re-appointment of Prof M.S. Mathews and Prof. Job Kurian by IIT Madras for mentoring IIT Palakkad.

Item No. BoG: 1.19	97.81% of private land survey has been completed, as per the Survey & Boundaries Act 6 (1) Notification had been given by GoK					
	on 29.06.2015(No.1570)					
	On 22.09.2015 Government order regarding the conversion of					
	paddy & wet land was Passed GO(Ms) No.166/15/Agri. On 28.11.2015 Government Letter regarding finding out of					
	alternate land of 86 acres for the compensating 43 acres of forest					
	land (Lr.No.60G2/15/H.Edn.)					
	On 10.12.2015 State Level Empowered Committee conducted by					
	the Chief Secretary at Trivandrum approved the compensation for private land.					
	Smt. P. Marykutty, District collector Palakkad, informed the committee that					
	a) Acquisition/registration of 70 acres of private land was completed on 10-1-16.					
	b) Acquisition of 180 acres of private land is expected to be					
	completed by 15-1-16.					
	c) The panchayath and revenue land transfer will be					
	completed by 15-2-16					
	d) The proposal for alternate forest land will be send to the					
11.00	department of environment and forests/ GoK by 15-2-16					

The Board noted the progress of land acquisition by Kerala Government.

ITEMS FOR RATIFICATION

	To ratify the decision of the Director for the constitution of
	Academic Council for IIT Palakkad, vide Office Order dated March
	18, 2015.

The Board considered and ratified the decision of the Director for constitution of Academic Council for IIT Palakkad vide Office Order dated March 18, 2015.

Item No. BoG: 1.21	To ratify the approval accorded by the Director, IIT Madras for
	hiring of Buildings as shown below:
	1. The Site Selection Committee constituted by MHRD has
	selected the Buildings owned by Ahalia international
	foundation for Academic complex, hostel complex, and

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residences. The Director IIT Madras (Mentor Institute) has appointed Rent Negotiation Committee and based on their recommendations Director has approved payment of rental of Rs. 15.56 Lakhs per month with 7.5% increase every year.

The Board considered and ratified as proposed.

Item No. BoG: 1.22	The Board is requested to approve adoption of IC&SR, IIT Madras Norms for appointment of staff/faculty on contract basis and continuation of the same norms till IIT Palakkad frames its own
	Norms. To ratify the appointment of staff/faculty on contract basis by IC&SR, IIT Madras to meet the requirement of the IIT Palakkad at the initial stage of its functioning based on the IC&SR Norms of IIT Madras.

The Board after due consideration approved adoption of IC&SR, IIT Madras norms for appointment of staff/faculty on contract basis and continuation of the same till IIT Palakkad frames its own norms. The Board further noted and ratified the engagement of staff/faculty on contract basis by IC&SR, IIT Madras to meet the requirement at initial stage and to continue these staff on need basis.

Item No. BoG: 1.23	To ratify and accord post-facto approval for crinfrastructure in the Buildings by carrying out up-gradation of facilities etc to the Acad Hostels through CPWD, Palakkad, as deposit the cost of Rs. 170.02 Lakhs, the defurnished below:	modification works, demic Building and sit works with an
	Work	Rs in lakhs
	Street Light From Hostel to Academic Block	8.10
	Installation of LIFT	26.00
	Interior works	30.17
	Civil Works	15.75

The Board considered and ratified the expenditure incurred for creation of additional infrastructure in the buildings hired by IIT Palakkad.

Electrical Work

250 KV DG Set

Item No. BoG: 1.24		d accord	post-facto	approval	of a	dditional
	infrastructure i					
	Conference eq	uipment, C	hemistry La	b, Physics	Lab, C	omputer

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Lab, networking with an estimated cost of Rs. 174.62 lakhs the details of which are furnished below:

Setting up of Chemistry Lab & 50.44 lakhs
Physics Lab
Video Conferencing facility 77.18 lakhs
Air conditioning 47.00 Lakhs

The Board ratified the expenditure incurred for creating the additional academic infrastructure in the Academic Building.

Item No. BoG: 1.25	To ratify and approve creation of Guest-House facility to cater to	
	the needs of the visiting faculty from IIT Madras in the absence of regular faculty and treat the entire expenditure towards their stay and boarding as official.	

The Board considered and ratified as proposed.

Item No. BoG: 1.26	To ratify and accord approval for engaging faculty and other supporting technical staff from IIT Madras/other Institutions for
	teaching during the Academic Year 2015-16 and payment of remuneration and their travel expenses as approved by IIT Madras Board in its meeting held on 24.7.2015 (P. No. 2.18 (Annexure III).

The Board considered and ratified as proposed.

Item No. BoG: 1.27	To ratify and accord post-facto approval for hiring of transport
	facilities (Buses & Cars) for the students, Professor In-charge,
	Visiting Faculty, Institute general purpose and also outsourcing
	the auxiliary services such as Housekeeping, Security, Gardening,
	Day-to-day Civil/Electrical maintenance of the hired Buildings etc.

The Board considered and ratified as proposed.

Item No. BoG: 1.28	To consider and ratify the total expenditure (Rs.956.05 lakhs)
	incurred upto 31.12.2015 from IIT Madras, on behalf of IIT Palakkad and to refund the same to IIT Madras from the grant
	now received from MHRD.

The Board considered and ratified as proposed.

Item No. BoG: 1.29	To have continuity, accord approval to incur further expenditure
	by IIT Madras till 31.3.2016 on reimbursable basis, so that total

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records for the first Financial Year would be at one place to facilitate auditing

The Board considered and approved for incurring expenditure by IIT Madras till 31-03-2016 on reimbursable basis.

Item No. BoG: 1.30	To ratify procurement of UPS, Personal Computers, Plain Paper
	Copiers, Printers, LCD Projectors, Chemicals, Glassware, Lab equipments, Networking and other Office equipment through Rate Contracts entered by IIT Madras till IIT Palakkad finalises its
	rate contracts. The Board is requested to approve the continuation of the above proposal.

The Board considered and ratified as proposed.

Item No. BoG: 1.31	To ratify leasing of Internet leased line 100 mbps and Primary	
	Rate Interface (PRI) on ISDN for Telephones from BSNL, Mobil	
	Sim cards from BSNL for Institute exclusive use.	

The Board considered and ratified as proposed.

Item No. BoG: 1.32	Sanction of permanent Faculty and staff posts by MHRD

The permanent posts of faculty and staff will be sanctioned by MHRD shortly as per the standard procedure adopted in respect of newer IITs.

Item No. BoG: 1.33	Any other item with the prior permission of the Chairman

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to all the Member of the Society/Board of Governors.

(R Subrahmanyam Member

(Prof BhaskarRamamurthi)

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(B Srinivas)

Member Secretary

(TriptiGurha) Member (Prof. P.B Sunilkumar)

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दिनांक Date: 27 सितंबर September 2016

CORRIGENDUM

The following corrections are issued to the minutes of the 1st BoG meeting held on 12-01-2016.

S.No	As per the minutes already approved	To be read as
1	Item No BoG: 1.3	Item No BoG: 1.3
	To consider the appointment of 1 st Finance Committee with the following composition:	To consider the appointment of 1 st Finance Committee with the following composition:
	1. Chairman, Ex-Officio, Chairman	1. Chairman, <u>BoG</u> , Ex-Officio, Chairman
2	Item No BoG: 1.9	Item No BoG: 1.9
	To consider and accord approval for engaging and incurring of expenditure of Consultants/Service providers for carrying out the following studies which will be required for the Master Plan preparation of permanent campus:	To consider and accord approval for engaging and incurring of expenditure of Consultants/Service providers for carrying out the following studies which will be required for the Master Plan preparation of permanent campus:
	 Boundary and contour survey of the site; Geotechnical investigations for foundations; and Ecology study of the site 	Boundary and contour survey of the site; Geotechnical investigations for foundations; and Ecology study of the site
	The Board considered and after detailed discussions RESOLVED engaging Consultants/Service Providers for carrying out the (1) Boundary and contour survey of the site (2) Geotechnical investigations for foundations (3) Ecology study of the site for preparation of Master Plan of permanent campus be approved.	the site (2) Geotechnical investigations for foundations (3) Ecology study of the site for

3 Item No BoG : 1.18

MHRD vide letter F.No. 5-20/2015-TS.1(Sectt.) dated 14-12-2015 has communicated the approval for reappointment of Prof. M.S. Mathews and Prof Job Kurian by IIT Madras for mentoring of IIT Palakkad. They have been re-employed by IITM for mentoring of IIT Palakkad.

The Board NOTED the reappointment of Prof M.S. Mathews and Prof. Job Kurian by IIT Madras for mentoring IIT Palakkad.

Item No BoG: 1.18

MHRD vide letter F.No. 5-20/2015-TS.1(Sectt.) dated 14-12-2015 has communicated the approval for reemployment of Prof. M.S. Mathews and Prof Job Kurian by HT Madras for teaching and other related activities in HT Palakkad.

The Board noted the re-employment of Prof M.S. Mathews and Prof. Job Kurian by IIT Madras for teaching and other related activities in IIT Palakkad.

The above corrections are issued with the approval of the Chairman, BoG.

Prof. P. B. Sunilkumar

Member-BoG

Professor in Charge, IIT Palakkad.

To

The Chairman and Members of BoG, IIT Palakkad

Cc: Ms. Prisca Mathew, Under Secretary to Govt of India, MHRD, Technical- Section, New Delhi