

## **View Point of Central Office on Expenditures**

Members might have seen some posts in Social Media about the expenditure done by Present ARTEE Central Office alleging that it is huge and wastage of Money. These posts are full of lies and with an effort to create a bad image not only about the present Central Office but also to create a bad image about ARTEE as a whole. We want to clarify the following points in this matter:

[1]. As per clause 29 (ix), CWC Meeting has to be conducted once in an year. Since the time of Sh. P.N.Kohli, Sh. Bachchu Singh Meena, Sh. R. Dagupta, Sh. Anilkumar S, every year one CWC Meeting is being organized. So CWC Meeting for 2015 was conducted in Mathura when East Zone body expressed its inability to organize it in Kolkata or elsewhere. If this would have not done same people would have been blamed us that present Central Office cannot even organize a CWC Meeting. The expenditure done with utmost financial discipline.

[2]. Some Members are calling the CWC Amendments undemocratic, since it does not suite them. Please note that CWC Lucknow has formed a Byelaws Amendment Committee and we invited suggestions from members all over the country. None of the members now raising questions about the Amendments passed by the Mathura CWC, sent any suggestions to the Byelaws Amendment Committee. And the Bylaws are passed in Mathura unanimously. Those who resigned from CWC and hence not participated in Mathura CWC Meeting have no right to criticize the Amendments passed in Mathura CWC. The resigned CWC members betrayed members by resigning from CWC and thereby rejected the mandate of our members to work for the welfare of our members. If they are sincere to ARTEE and to its members they should have taken back their resignations and should have participated in CWC Mathura to register their opinion about Amendments proposed by the Byelaws Amendment committee. Instead of that they preferred to question the Amendments unanimously passed by the CWC Meeting of Mathura in Court of Law using their supporters.

[3]. All the Amendments like sending Ballots by Speed Post, creating email ID by R.O. etc are done to make the elections more free and fair which these people were demanding.

[4]. The same members, who have been in total control of ARTEE and who were not interested to introduce Electronic/Digital Voting system are now demanding the same. Why they not did it when they were in total control of ARTEE ?. Does it means that when you win it is OK and when you are defeated you abuse election process and demand Digital Voting? The issue Digital Voting was also discussed in CWC Mathura, but it was not found feasible by the members of the CWC.

[5]. The National Convention Allahabad was Organized as per the direction of the Hon'ble High Court Delhi in Civil suit CS(OS) 2052/2015. There was no escape

route. We were compelled to do that and the members who approached the Court of Law and the resigned CWC members who did not participated in the Mathura CWC ( in which the Amendments passed unanimously) and are behind the civil suit are solely responsible for this. It may be noted that all the Amendments proposed are passed unanimously by the National Convention.

**In this also a figure is being wrongly propagated which is totally fictitious. As per the final settlement bill sent by Convener of National Convention, the expenditure of National Convention is Rs. 4,39,924/-. We have paid Rs. 4,00,000 from Central Office and the Registration fee Received is 40,800/- So the balance is Rs. 876/-. Apart from this some expenditure is done from Delhi for ticket bookings, Bags, Folders, Mementos etc. This Amount is yet to be settled.**

It is pertinent to mention that 16<sup>th</sup> National Convention was organized in Trivandrum with almost seven time expenditure (as per one estimate it was around Rs. 28 lakhs).

[6]. All the expenditures are done with the consent and signature of Treasurer.

[7]. To gain sympathy, some people are propagating that they were restricted from filing the Nomination for Elections. We have clarified this ample times that there was no restriction for anybody to file Nomination, since the Bylaws Amendments had to be implemented prospectively as it happened in the past. We had even informed this fact in writing to the Plaintiff of CS(OS) 2052/2015 .

Now the matter has been transferred to District Court, Patiala House and will be heard there. We are open for any solution/ Consensus, but for that the two Civil Suits filed against ARTEE should be withdrawn first.

It also worthy to mention that due to CS(OS) 2052/2015, the money (which is around 2.5 lakhs) spent for the ongoing election process which is stayed by Hon'ble High Court Delhi may go waste. Who is responsible for that?

We want to assure that ARTEE's money is totally safe and present ARTEE Central Office is totally concentrated on the work of Member's welfare in a focused manner.

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**Central Office**