

Retired College Principals & Teachers Federation, Haryana

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Minutes of the Executive Committee Meeting of Retired College Principals and Teachers' Federation, Haryana 2nd July 2017

- A meeting of the Executive Committee of RCPTF, Haryana, was held at Jat College, Rohtak on 2nd July, 2017.
- At the outset, Prof. BR Gulati, General Secretary, gave the introductory lecture and informed about the development of the Federation since its inception.
- The members present in the meeting were introduced to one another.
- The minutes of the last meeting held at Kurukshetra were confirmed by the members in the meeting.
- Prof I J Bharti, President, shared various pieces of information with the members. He discussed the items of the agenda as under :
 - (1) He discussed the issue of timely payment of pension and told that a delegation of the Federation met the DHE, and the problem of the irregular and untimely payment of pension was discussed. The DHE assured the deligation that he would look into the mater and get the needful done. He pointed out that a number of college Principals do not submit pension bills well in time, and presently 27 colleges fall into this category. The pensioners should contact their respective Principals and insist that the bills be submitted in time.
 - (2) Prof. Bharti informed that the Federation discussed the matter of discrimination in implementing the 7th Pay Commission Recommendations with the DHE who has assured an early action towards it.
 - (3) The issue of the arrears of Pre-2006 pensioners w.e.f. 1.1.2006 was taken up with the Commissioner, Higher Education, and it was resolved that the pensioners concerned would get arrears from 1.1.2006.
 - (4) Prof. Bharti also discussed the issue of Self-attested Alive Certificate with the DHE who agreed to change the existing trend.
 - (5) He informed the members that the delegation of the Federation also insisted upon releasing 7% DA from July 2016 and 4% DA from January 2017 without delay. He asked the DHE to release the increased DA in future alongwith the govt. pensioners.

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- (6) The issue of pension to the Disabled Children for life was also taken up with the DHE, and impressed upon him to implement it without delay.
- (7) Prof Bharti informed that the delegation also highlighted the case of giving complete retiral benefits to the teachers after 20 years of years, which has been hanging for the last three years.
- (8) He told that the matter of Honorarium to the retirees who retired between May 1988 to 1998 has been in progress in the DHE office.
- (9) He further said that the facility of On-line pension to the retired teachers will be implemented in letter and spirit as per discussion with the DHE.
- (10) He further told that the Leave Encashment case has been won and the govt. has been requested to pay the due amount to the beneficiaries without delay.
- (11) President Prof Bharti appealed to the members to make the proposed demonstration organised by AIFRUCTO and AIFUCTO to be held on 24 July 2017 at 10 a.m. at Jantar Mantar in New Delhi a grand success by reaching there in large numbers. Prof Subhash Vohra from YamunaNagar was nominated the Convener for organising the event.

Court Cases :

- (1) Prof A S Malhotra gave the updates regarding the status of the Court cases that are pending in the Court. He told that three advocates have been engaged for the Medical Facility Case. The writ petition has been filed vide CWP No. 11507/2017 and the next hearing falls on 9th October 2017.
 - (2) Prof Malhotra further informed that the four groups have been formed for Leave Encashment case. New cases have been taken up through Mr K R Bhardwaj vide CWP No. 9251-9255 and 9257 and the hearing of the case will be held on 12th October, 2017.
 - (3) He mentioned that the case relating to Timely Payment of Pension is already in the Court, and the next date of hearing is 21st July, 2017. The date of case relating to the retiral benefits after 28 years of service is pending in the Court and the next date of hearing is 10th July, 2017.
 - (4) The next date of hearing of the case of including probation period into total service is 6th Nov, 2017 vide CWP No. 3953/2017.
 - (5) Prof Malhotra informed the members that the Website of the Federation may be launched shortly as the work is in progress at a rapid pace. The members can visit the website at www.rcptf.com
- (1) The Cashier of the Federation presented the details of the accounts of the year 2016-2017 and the same was approved.
 - (2) The Cashier suggested to fix-up the rates of travelling by taxi, and it was resolved to be Rs. 8/- per km.

- (3) Besides, it was also resolved to hire one car from one zonal area for attending the Executive Committee meetings of the Federation.

Condolences :

The condolences were observed and prayers were held to grant peace to the departed souls who were the members of the Federation namely Prof Inder Singh Anand of Charkhi Dadri, Prof Y.K. Kahl of Dyal Singh College, Karnal, and Prof K C Jain.

Complaint :

President Prof Bharti placed in the meeting the complaint made by Prof K V Sharma against Prof B R Gulati, the General Secy, who also happens to be the General Manager of Dyal Singh Trust Society, Karnal for discussion by the members who opined that the Federation has nothing to do with this complaint as it does not affect the functioning of the Federation; and besides it happens to be a personal matter that should be resolved outside the Federation.

Suggestions :

- (1) It was suggested by a member that the membership fee, court fee for filing the cases in the courts should not be charged from the widows of those members who have expired. The President agreed to this suggestion, but said that it is however, optional.
- (2) Prof. Sharma from DAV College, Naneola suggested that the office-bearers should meet the political leaders for the solution of the problems. He also gave a suggestion for group insurance for the members.
- (3) (a) Prof. Rai Singh from CRA College, Sonapat highlighted the need for press coverage of the meetings.
(b) He suggested to ensure the availability of the officials in the DHE office on the dates already fixed for the purpose.
- (4) It was suggested by the members that a Press Secretary should be nominated. Prof Suresh Singhal of Rohtak was unanimously nominated as Press Secretary of the Federation. Principal K. C. Kaushik concluded the meeting by giving his remarks. Prof. Y.R. Bhatia gave vote of thanks.

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