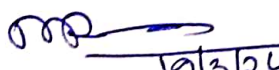


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**Proceedings of the 22nd General Body Meeting held during 54th AGM of AICRP Soybean at
UAS Dharwad on 14.3.2024 (4.00 PM) (Hybrid mode)**

Agenda items	Decisions/recommendations
Presentation of financial progress, audited account status (2022-23) and approval of the expenditure for 2023-24 and proposed expenditure during 2024-25.	Approved for recurring expenditure (renewal of SSRD website domain, printing of "Soybean Research" and miscellaneous items) of upto Rs 1.0 Lakhs excluding the expenditure to be incurred for organising national/international conference during 2024-25 and other expenses proposed for various awards.
Felicitation of Retiring Scientists and outgoing EC members	One SSRD life member Dr Amar Singh Soybean Pathologist, CSK-IIPKV, Palampur was felicitated on his superannuation.
Organization of national/international conference on soybean	All agreed to hold a national/international conference on soybean during this year end. It was also suggested to organize this event regularly once in every 3 years.
Fixing thirty print copies per issue of the journal "soybean research"	Following the provision of one print copy of the soybean journal issue to the corresponding author, the libraries of NAAS, ICAR, UK-CABI, and NISCAIR, all agreed to reduce the quantity of print copies from the existing fifty to thirty. However, soft copy of each volume/issue should be regularly uploaded on the website.
Other issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• It was suggested to explore options from CA by filing 12A and 36B forms in order to reduce the tax burden on SSRD.• SSRD should make efforts to get doi number for the articles published in Soybean Research.• Improve the NAAS Rating of journal by publishing at least two review articles per issue.• The President suggested to make corporate/industry members in the SSRD and suggested conducting EC meetings regularly in hybrid mode at least on quarterly basis.


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