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Community Radio Association (CRA) Executive Body Meeting

MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 06/06/2023 THROUGH ZOOM ENDORSED BY THE EC MEMBERS OF COMMUNITY RADIO ASSOCIATION UNDER THEIR SIGNATURE

1. Dr. B.S. Panwar – President CRA
2. Dr. Priti Bhombe - Treasurer CRA
3. Sandeep Kulshreshtha – Vice President (Central)
4. Dr. Shisir Kumar Das – Vice President (East)
5. Viresh Singh – Joint Secretary
6. Kakunuri Venkat Reddy -Joint Secretary
7. Yusufi F Kapadiya– EC Member
8. Ashish Tandon-EC Member
9. Vinod Singh- EC Member
10. Fr. Xavier Kudiamssery- EC Member
11. Kimjanenge kipgen- EC Member
12. Sandeep Raha

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The meeting of the Executive Committee of the Community Radio Association held on June 6/06/23 through Zoom was attended by 12 members. The Agenda of the meeting was to discuss about the letters written by Mr Nihar Ranjan Panda, Director, Radio Gunjan, Odisha, one of the Life Member of CRA to the Chief Manager/Managing Director/CEO of United Bank of India, Gulmohar Park, New Delhi in which CRA has its account, levelling charges of misappropriation of funds against the three Office Bearers of CRA- President, Secretary General & Treasurer. Mr Panda also sent the copies of the letter to the Registrar of Societies and the Economic Offence Wing, Delhi Police. The President, CRA, Dr B.S.Panwar, shared all the information with the EC members. He informed them that Mr Panda wrote similar letters in the year 2022. The EC warned him not to indulge in such activities in future, but didn't take any action. He shared the information with the EC members that Mr Panda repeated the same activity of indiscipline, again, during the time when elections of CRA to elect the new EC of CRA was announced. The matter was discussed in the EC and all the members, unanimously, agreed that this act of indiscipline should be taken in all seriousness. The EC members felt that the CRA should issue a "SHOW CAUSE NOTICE" to Mr Nihar Ranjan Panda to explain his position, regarding his activity of gross indiscipline which amounts to lowering the image of CRA and its Office Bearers in the eyes of the bank and other officials. The EC members unanimously, passed a Resolution to send the "SHOW CAUSE NOTICE" to Mr Panda, providing him time of one week to explain his conduct, failing which strict action will be taken against him.

The following members approved of the Resolution passed during the EC meeting in the above context and authorised the President to serve the "SHOW CAUSE NOTICE" to Mr Panda. It was decided that another meeting of EC should be called to discuss the explanation given by Mr Panda at an appropriate time.

The following members passed the Resolution under their signature and approval:-

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