

DEPARTMENT OF RUBBER & PLASTICS TECHNOLOGY MIT CAMPUS, ANNA UNIVERSITY CHROMEPET, CHENNAI – 600 044

MINUTES OF THE DEPARTMENT CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE (DCC) MEETING HELD ON 30.10.2018 at 2.30pm

The Department Consultative Committee was convened on 30th October at 2.30pm to discuss the following agenda:

- 1. Modernization of UG Labs
- 2. Enhancement of Research Facilities
- 3. Wi-Fi Facility
- 4. Internet Facility

The members present in the DCC meeting were

 Dr.B.Kothandaraman - Convener/Head Professor & Head, Dept. of Rubber & Plastics Technology MIT Campus

Dr.N.Selvakumar
 The Chairperson
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 Chairperson - could not attend due to prior commitments

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3. Dr. V.Subrahmanian - Member

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4. Dr. N.Natchimuthu - Member

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5. Dr. K.Ravichandran - Member

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6. Dr.L.S.Jayakumari - Member

Associate Professor
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7. Dr.K.Elangovan - Member

Asst. Professor
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8. Dr.J.Prakash - DCC Member
Professor & Head (Nominated by Chairperson of the Technology

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9. Dr.M.Kannan DCC Member

Associate Professor (Nominated by The Director, CAC)

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Summary

| 1. | New Equipment / Machinery Require | ed | Rs. | 96.00 Lakhs |
|------|--|---------------|------|---------------------|
| II. | Repairing the Existing Equipment | | Rs. | 8.00 Lakhs |
| III. | Facilities Required for Newly Constru Science Lab | ucted Polymer | Rs. | 8.75 Lakhs |
| IV. | Enhancement of Research facilities | | Rs. | 32.00 Lakhs |
| V. | Basic Infrastructural Needs | (To be | give | n by Estate Office) |
| VII. | Internet Connectivity | | Rs. | 10.00 Lakhs |
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| | | Total | Rs. | 154.75 Lakhs |
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(Rupees One Crore Fifty Four Lakhs Seventy Five Thousand only)

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1. **Modernization of UG Labs**: The members felt the need for the following equipment / machinery due to increase in intake

1. NEW EQUIPMENT / MACHINERY REQUIRED :

| SI.No. | ltem | Quantity | Tentative Cost Rs. | Justification |
|--------|--|-------------------------------|-----------------------|---|
| 1,8 | Mixing Mill | 2 Nos. | 8.00 lakhs each | Increase in intake from 30 to 60 recently |
| 2. | Laboratory Rubber Internal Mixer | 1 No. (1litre capacity) | 55.00 lakhs | Education in Rubber Science is complete only with this facility |
| 3. | Cold Feed Extruder for Rubber | 1 No. | 20.00 lakhs | Existing extruder is hot feed while cold feed extrusion is increasingly practiced in the industry |
| 4. | Compression Moulding Press | 2 Nos. | 3.00 lakhs each | Increase in intake from 30 to |
| 5. | Single Screw Extruder (Lab Size) for Plastics Processing | 2 Nos. | 10.00 lakhs each | 60 recently |

II. REPAIRING THE EXISTING EQUIPMENT:

| Equipment | Amount (Rs.) | Jusification |
|----------------------------------|---------------|--|
| Rubber Mixing Mills | Rs.3.00 Lakhs | Fundamental requirement for Teaching Learning process |
| L & T Injection Moulding Machine | Rs.5.00 Lakhs | The equipment was purchased in March 2005 and needs Upgradation of Control Panel |

III. FACILITIES REQUIRED FOR NEWLY CONSTRUCTED POLYMER SCIENCE LAB

| ITEM | Quantity | Amount (Rs.) | Jusification |
|----------------------------------|----------|-----------------------|---|
| Lab Table | 1 No. | Rs.3.50 Lakhs | Increase in intake from 30 to 60 recently |
| Fume Hood | 2 Nos. | Rs.3.25 Lakhs each | For the newly constructed |
| Demineralization Plant for water | 1 No. | Rs.2.00 Lakhs | Polymer Chemistry Lab |

IV. ENHANCEMENT OF RESEARCH FACILITIES

| ITEM | Quantity | Amount (Rs.) | Jusification |
|-----------------------------|----------|--------------|--|
| Thermogravimetric Analyser | 1 No. | Rs.30 Lakhs | Existing equipment is beyond servicing |
| Repair of FTIR Spectrometer | 1 No. | Rs.2.0 Lakhs | Basic facility needed for research |

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V. BASIC INFRASTRUCTURAL NEEDS

- one sump separately to be constructed for the new building
- Epoxy Flooring for Rubber Processing Lab
- Flooring for the room adjoining HoD's room (Meeting Room)
- one collapsible gate each for the first, second and third floor of the New Building as parts of the first and second floors are controlled by other Department/Division (namely Avionics and Electronics Engg.)
- Wash room Door Service

VI. STAFF REQUIREMENT

- > Two Technical staff to be appointed in place of the persons who went on transfer / promotion to CEG Campus.
- > One Assistant Professor to be appointed in place of the person who was promoted to Associate Professor Level in 2014-2015.

VII. INTERNET CONNECTIVITY

> Rs. 10.00 Lakhs for internet connectivity, Wi-fi and Telephone Connectivity to the New Building (Estimates enclosed)

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