SPORTS AUTHORITY OF INDIA (TEAMS Division)

New Delhi, dated 20th November, 2020

Minutes of meeting held through zoom on 17th November, 2020 under the Chairmanship of Secretary (Sports) to consider the proposal of ACTC for the discipline of Bridge for the year 2020-21.

The ACTC meeting was held under the Chairmanship of Secretary (Sports) to consider the proposal of ACTC 2020-21 and budget request for Bridge Federation of India (BFI).

List of members present in the meeting is at the end.

2. Mr. S Sundareshan, President, Bridge Federation of India briefly explained the current ranking and performance of the Indian Bridge players at Asia level as well as at the World. He also informed the members regarding the Key Result Areas and Milestones set for the Indian Bridge players up to 2028, which are given below:

		Senior		
Competition	Year	Participation	Top 8	Medal
World Championship	2021	Men / Women /Mixed/ Seniors	To Finish in Top 4 in World	2
Asian Games	2022	Men / Women /Mixed	To Finish in Top 4 in Asia	
		Junior		
Competition	Year	Participation	Top 8	Medal
Jr. World Championship		U 25, U 21, Girls	U 25, U 21, Girls	1

- 3. Secretary (Sports) inquired about the steps that may be taken to bring the ranking of Indian Bridge players in top 04 at Asia level. Mr. S Sundareshan, President, Bridge Federation of India informed that the Federation is aiming to bring the ranking of Indian team under top 08 at Asia level by the end of 2024.
- 4. D.G, SAI suggested that the Federation should lay more emphasis on Junior Talent Development program and also to explore the possibility to start leagues on local level.
- 5. BFI would make its best efforts to increase the number of exposures for Junior players and also identify a well equipped training centre abroad so that the Indian players can be trained with better teams and improve their skills.
- 6. BFI would formulate a concrete plan for junior players so as to ensure the ranking of Indian Bridge players comes in top 03 at Asia level and submit the plan to Secretary (Sports) within a month.

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7. Subject to above, total budget of **Rs. 0.49 Cr.** was approved for BFI up to March, 2021:

S.N	Purpose	Amount (In Rupees)	
1.	National Coaching Camp for Senior Men & Women (Annexure 'A')	Rs. 11,30,000/-	
2.	Remuneration for Indian coaches and support staff (Annexure 'B')	Rs. 4,65,000/-	
3.	Equipment and consumables (Annexure 'C')	Rs. 33,00,000/-	
	TOTAL	Rs. 48,95,000/-	
	TOTAL (Approx. In Crore)	Rs. 0.49 Crore	

- 8. SAI may make minor modifications as per actual request within the approved budget.
- 9. The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

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Executive Director (TEAMS)

LIST OF ATTENDEES

- 1. Mr. Sandip Pradhan- D.G, SAI
- 2. Mr. L. S. Singh- Joint Secretary (Development), MYA&S
- 3. Ms. Radhica Sreeman, E.D (TEAMS), SAI
- 4. Mr. S.P.S Tomar, Deputy Secretary (Sports), MYA&S
- 5. Mr. Veerindar Pratap Project Officer (TEAMS), SAI

Representative of Bridge Federation of India present in the meeting:-

1. Mr. S Sundareshan, President, BFI

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2. Mr. Anand Samant - Secretary General, BFI

S.N	Purpose of the coaching camp	Composition of the campers	Period	Total days	Venue	Estimated expenditure
1.	World Teams Championships 2021 (Seniors Category)	40 Players + 2 Coaches +2 Support Staff	20 th - 26 th March, 2021	07	Mumbai/Delhi	Rs.11,30,000/-
Total					Rs. 11,30,000/-	

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	Salary to Coaches and Support Staff					
India	n Coaches:					
S. N	Name & Designation	Category	Department/ State	Monthly Salary	Total (03 Months	
1.	04 Coaches	Senior	TBD	20,000 per head	Rs. 2,40,000	
	Total					
Supp	ort Staff:					
S. N.	Name & Designation	Category	Department/State	Monthly Salary	Total (30 days)	
1.	03 Support Staff	Senior	TBD	2500 per day per head	Rs. 2,25,000	
		Tota	1		Rs. 2,25,000/-	
Grand Total					Rs. 4,65,000/-	

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Equipment/Consumables					
S. No.	Technical Equipment	Quantity	Rate @	Total	
1	Bridgemates (Wireless Scoring Input Devices)	50	Rs 12,000/-	Rs 6,00,000/-	
2	Bridge Tables with Screens and Trays as recommended by World Bridge Federation to prevent immediate contact among players as per COVID 19 guidelines	60	Rs 25,000/-	Rs 20,00,000/- (Including import duty)	
3	LED 55 inch TV Projectors for Display of Scores as per international standards	5	Rs 80,000/-	Rs 4,00,000/-	
4	Dealing Machine	1	Rs 3,00,000/-	Rs 3,00,000/-	
	Grand Total				

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