



**BRIDGE FEDERATION OF INDIA**  
**ANNUAL GENERAL BODY MEETING MINUTES**

**Date:** 03rd August 2025

**Time:** 8:00 PM

**Venue:** URSU Gymkhana Club, Mysuru

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## **1. Call to Order**

The AGM was called to order by the **President of BFI, Mr. Prasad Keni**.

## **2. Confirmation of Previous Minutes**

The minutes of the last AGM were confirmed and passed.

**Proposed by:** Hatinder Pawar

**Seconded by:** Hemant Pande

## **3. Audited Financials**

The audited financial statements of BFI for FY 2024-25 were presented and approved.

**Proposed by:** Hemant Pande

**Seconded by:** Kunal Jaiswal

## **4. ASIA Cup Announcement**

It was announced that the **ASIA Cup** will be held in **Goa @ TAJ Citadel** from **21st to 27th June 2026**, open for Zone 4, 6, and 7.

## **5. Technical Development & National Law Commission**

The need for technical development and the formation of a National Law Commission was discussed. Volunteers from state representatives and eminent sportspersons were invited. It was **unanimously decided** to appoint:

- **Mr. S. Sunderram** – Technical Development Chairman
- **Mr. Sudhir Aggarwal** – National Law Committee Chairman

## **6. Auditor Reappointment**

The reappointment of **M/s HSK & Co LLP** as auditors for FY 2025-26 was passed. The Executive Committee is authorized to fix suitable remuneration in consultation with auditors for statutory and tax audits.

## **7. Affiliation of Non-Member PSU Units**

Discussion on PSU unit affiliations was held. **Coal India Ltd** was approved for affiliation along with existing PSU members (CSRCB, PSPB, Indian Railways, DAE), **subject to payment of the affiliation fee**. Revamping of affiliated bodies was discussed to strengthen the game in these sectors.

## **8. Minimum Membership Criteria**

A minimum quota of **30 members** is required for state associations to retain permanent membership. States including Punjab, Chandigarh, Jharkhand, Haryana, and Puducherry were requested to increase membership by 10%.

Free membership for student MP registration was proposed to boost membership in states not meeting the minimum requirement.

## 9. Reactivation Fees for Inactive Players

For players failing to subscribe to the annual masterpoint renewal fee by 30th September, reactivation will be subject to the following penalties:

- **First instance:** Rs. 1,000/-
  - **Subsequent instances:** Rs. 2,000/-
- The last date for payment of fees is **before the HCL International annual tournament or 30th September** each year.

## 10. Ownership of Assets

Details of **BFI assets as on 31st March 2025** were presented, as included in the statutory audit report for FY 2024-25.

## 11. Changes to BFI MOA

Amendment regarding **change of Court Jurisdiction to New Delhi** was discussed and passed unanimously for all legal cases involving BFI.

## 12. Junior & National Tournaments

- **Junior Nationals:** Proposed to be held in **December 2025** to prepare for the next World Juniors.
- **Junior Camp:** Proposed in **2 phases**, with the final phase in **May/June 2026** (or as deemed fit), including online training.
- Expressions of interest invited for **2026 Summer, Interstate, and Winter Nationals** from state members with an outlay sponsorship explained for each event.
- Telangana approved to conduct **Interstate Nationals in Hyderabad**, August 2026.

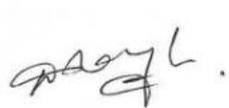
## 13. Annual Report

The annual report for FY 2024-25, as presented by the Secretary BFI, was adopted **unanimously**.

## 14. Any Other Matters

- **Inter University Championship:** A request from Haryana State Secretary **Vinod Kumar** was accepted to inspect the venue and invite northern universities to participate.

With regards,



Debasish Ray  
**Hon. Secretary**