

PAKISTAN GEOTECHNICAL ENGINEERING SOCIETY

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Minutes of Executive Council Meeting

A meeting of the Executive Council (PGES) was held on 10th of May 2011, at the office of the President PGES at 14:30 Hrs.

The following were present.

1. Mr. Amjad Agha

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- 2. Mr. Khaliq Khan
- 3. Mr. Sohail Kibria
- 4. Dr. Aziz Akbar
- 5. Dr. Mubashir
- 6. Dr. Tahir Masood

The following issues were discussed and decisions were taken for further action.

Item No	Discussion / Decision Taken	Action by
1	Meeting of Member Societies of Asian Region during 14 th ARC at Hong Kong	Dr. Aziz Akbar Mr. Sohail Kibria
	Dr. Aziz Akbar will represent PGES during the meeting and participate in the voting.	
	PGES has decided to vote for Iranian Geotechnical Society for its Bid to hold 15 th ARC in Tehran in 2015.	
	PGES will start canvassing to hold 16 th ARC in Pakistan in 2019.	



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	Mr. Sohail Kibria shall be nominated by PGES for the post of Vice President Asia for the Term 2013 – 2017. (Detailed and a short CV shall be prepared by Mr. Sohail Kibria and provided to Dr. Aziz Akbar for presentation during the meeting)	
2	International Conference on Geotechnical Engineering 2012. (ICGE 2012, Pakistan)	Dr. Aziz Akbar Mr. Sohail Kibria Dr. Tahir Masood
	It was decided to hold the International Conference on Geotechnical Engineering 2012.	
	After discussing various options, it was decided to hold the ICGE 2012 in collaboration with the University of Engg. & Tech. Lahore.	
	Dr. Aziz Akbar was nominated as the Chairman Organizing Committee.	
	The conference shall be held on 16-17 th November 2012 at the UET.	
	Role of Nespak staff in the success of the previous International Conference was appreciated. And it was discussed to make efforts to make the upcoming event even more successful.	
	Mr. Sohail Kibria and Dr. Tahir will assist Dr. Aziz Akbar to form the Organizing Committee for the ICGE 2012, Pakistan.	
	The Organizing Committee shall immediately start the preparations of ICGE 2012, Pakistan.	
	An effort shall be made to involve other Engineering Universities in the Conference Activities specially UET Peshawar, NUST, UET Texla, Sir Syed UET, NED.	
3	PGES Website and News Letter:	
	The progress of reinstatement of the PGES website was	Mr. Sohail Kibria
	discussed. Mr. Sohail Kibria promised to look into the matter and report during next meeting.	Dr. Mubashar Aziz
	Dr. Mubashar was requested to start working on the News Letter of the PGES. The letter could be in the form of an E-Letter.	
	Dr. Mubashar was also asked to prepare complete list of	



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	e-mail address of all the PGES members so that they can be provided with all the technical information circulated by ISSMGE.	
4	Next Meeting: Next Meeting will be held on 12 th of July 2011 at 1430 Hrs. at the office of the President of PGES.	Dr. Tahir Masood and all EC Members
5	Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the President.	

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Dr. Tahir Masood Secretary General PGES

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