

**Forum of Former Vice-Chancellors of Karnataka State Universities (FFVCKSU)**

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**Constitution**

Title: The Organization shall be called the Forum of Former Vice-Chancellor of the Karnataka State Universities (FFVCKSU)

<b>I. Objects: The objects of the Forum shall be:</b>			
	<b>Existing Bye law 2008</b>	<b>Proposed amendments 2015</b>	<b>Reasons for amendments</b>
1	To interact regularly and gain from the vast experience and expertise of the members.	No Change	
2	To deliberate on issues of education pertaining to Health, Agriculture, Technology and other relevant sectors in the state of Karnataka as well as in the Country.	To deliberate on issues <b>pertaining to all sectors</b> of education in general and Karnataka in particular.	To have a wider scope.
3	To organize conferences, seminars, symposia, workshops, trainings etc to disseminate knowledge on the important current issues and to help mould public opinion.	No Change	
4	To offer advice to institutions to enable them to become centres of excellence.	No Change	
5	To offer guidance to institutions in the process of evaluation, Assessment and accreditation.	No Change	
6	To create a Corpus Fund. Funds could also be raised by for conducting conferences, seminars, workshops, training programmes, symposia etc.	To create a Corpus Fund <b>for</b> conducting conferences, seminars, workshops, training programmes, symposia and <b>other academic activities.</b>	To provide a state of expansion.
7	To invite eminent persons to deliver endowment, commemorative and such other lectures.	No Change	
8	To promote research, application oriented activities through Information and Communication Technology (ICT).	<b>To promote academic research oriented activities.</b>	To achieve excellence,
9	To take initiative in the matters of strategic importance and provide the views of the Forum to State, Central Governments, Statutory and Professional bodies.		
<b>II. Membership:</b>			

	Existing	Suggested amendments	
1	The membership of the Forum is open to former Vice-Chancellors of Karnataka State Universities.	<p><b>I.</b> The membership of the Forum is open to former Vice-Chancellors of Karnataka State Universities. And other universities</p> <p><b>II.</b> Associate members  <b>A)</b> Academicians who are domicile of Karnataka and have worked as Vice-Chancellors in the Universities other than Karnataka State Universities are eligible for enrolment as Associate Members.  <b>B)</b> Present VCs of universities which are established under the state/central/under sec.3 of UGC Act.  <b>C)</b> Directors /VC of institutions of National importance in Karnataka.</p> <p><b>III.</b> The Associate Members will have all the privileges as enjoyed by other members except the right to vote in General Body and hold office in FVCK to encompass more number of academicians.  Institutional members: Institutions of National importance and Universities which are established in Karnataka under the state central /under sec 3 of UGC Act.</p>	Which are established under the state, central of UGC Acts.
2	Membership fee at the time of admission is Rs. 3000/-, in subsequent years Rs. 1000/- annually.	<b>Deleted</b>	
3	Life Membership fee Rs. 10000/- onetime payment.	Life membership fee <b>shall be</b> Rs. 10000/- <b>as</b> onetime payment.	
4		<b>Associate Membership fee shall be Rs. 7500/- as onetime payment.</b>	<b>To promote wide</b>
<b>III. Registration and Headquarters:</b>			
The Forum shall be registered under the Society's Registration Act 1960; the Headquarter of the Forum shall be located at Bangalore.		The Forum shall be registered under the <b>Karnataka State</b> Society's Registration Act 1960.The Headquarter of the Forum shall be located at Bangalore at No.1palace road,	
<b>IV. General Body:</b>			<b>V.</b>
The members of the Forum of former Vice-Chancellors of Karnataka State Universities shall constitute General Body.		<b>All</b> the Member/ <b>Associate members</b> of the Forum of former Vice-Chancellors of Karnataka State Universities shall constitute the	

	General Body.	
<b>VI. Executive Committee:</b>		<b>VII.</b>
<p>The Executive Committee shall consist of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>President</li> <li>Vice-President (Two)</li> <li>Secretary</li> <li>Joint Secretary</li> <li>Treasurer</li> <li>and nine other EC members</li> </ol>	<p>The Executive Committee shall consist of the following <b>elected by the General Body.</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>President</li> <li>Vice-Presidents (Two)</li> <li>Secretary</li> <li>Joint Secretary</li> <li>Treasurer</li> <li>Nine other members and</li> <li><b>Immediate past president (Ex Officio)</b></li> </ol>	
<p>The office bearers shall be elected by the General Body for a term of two years. The Quorum for the General Body Meetings shall be 15 and for the executive Body shall be seven. The President shall preside over the General Body and Executive Committee meetings. In the absence of the President one of the Vice-Presidents shall preside over the meetings.</p>	<p>The office bearers shall be elected by the General Body for a term of two years. The Quorum for the General Body Meetings shall be <b>1/3<sup>rd</sup> of the total life members</b> and for the executive <b>committee</b> shall be <b>five</b>. The President shall preside over the General Body and Executive Committee meetings. In the absence of the President one of the Vice-Presidents shall preside over the meetings.</p> <p><b>In the absence of quorum for General Body, the President shall adjourn the General Body meeting to be reconvened after 15 minutes. The executive committee shall meet at least 4 times in a year. The secretary shall be the custodian of all properties and records of the forum.</b></p>	
<b>VIII. Functions of Executive Committee:</b>		<b>IX.</b>
<p>The Executive Committee shall attend to the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To pursue and carryout the activities in fulfilment of the objectives of the Forum.</li> <li>To maintain the financial accounts of the Forum</li> <li>To meet once in a month</li> <li>To maintain records of all meetings</li> <li>To convene annual General Body meeting for the approval of the accounts and annual report</li> <li>To convene a special General Body meeting when requested by a minimum of</li> </ol>	<p>The Executive Committee shall attend to the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To pursue and carryout the activities in <b>consonance with</b> the objectives of the Forum</li> <li>No change.</li> <li><b>Deleted</b></li> <li>No change</li> <li>No change</li> <li>To convene a special General Body meeting when requested by a minimum of the <b>50per cent of total life</b></li> </ol>	

<p>the nine members in writings and to the President.</p> <p>vii. To keep all members informed about the activities conducted from time to time</p>	<p><b>members</b> in writing and to the President.</p> <p>vii. Deleted</p>	
<b>X. Notice:</b>		<b>XI.</b>
<p>a) A minimum of 21 days' notice is required to convene General Body/Special meetings.</p> <p>b) A minimum of seven days' notice is required to convene the meeting of executive committee.</p> <p>All notices are issued by the secretary and in his /her absence joint secretary with the approval of the president.</p>	<p><b>All notices are issued by the secretary and in his / her absence the Joint secretary shall issue with due approval of the president.</b></p> <p>a) A minimum of 21 days' notice is required to convene General Body/Special meetings.</p> <p>b) A minimum of seven days' notice is required to convene the meeting of executive committee.</p>	
<b>XII. Audit:</b>		<b>XIII.</b>
<p>The accounts shall be audited by a Chartered Accountant at the end of the financial year and placed before the General Body of the Forum for approval. The report of the Audit shall be placed first at the Executive Committee meeting.</p>	<p>The accounts shall be audited by a Chartered Accountant <b>within three months after the end of the financial year.</b> The report of the Audit shall be placed first at the Executive Committee meeting <b>and subsequently before the General Body for approval.</b></p>	
<b>XIV. Dissolution:</b>		
<p>The Forum may be dissolved through a resolution at a Special General Body meeting passed by 3/4<sup>th</sup> of the total membership of the Forum as on that day.</p>	<p>The Forum may be dissolved through a resolution at a Special General Body meeting convened <b>for that purpose only</b> passed by 3/4<sup>th</sup> of the total membership of the Forum as on that day.</p>	

Note: The amended portion is indicated in bold.

1) Prof. P. Venkataramaiah -Chairman

2) Prof. S. N. Hegde - Member.

3) Prof. S. Chandrashekara Shetty - Member.

4) Prof B.S. Sherigara –Member

P.G CHENGAPPA  
Secretary FVCK