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MINUTES

Pursuant to the Agenda Notice dt 18/06/2026, the 8TH Executive Body Meeting (2025 – 27) of The Surgical Manufacturers & Traders Association was held on Wednesday, the 24th JUNE, 2026 at 5.00 PM at The Association office 60 , Darya Ganj , New Delhi – 110 002.

The Following members were present.

1 : Mr. Puneet Bhasin (in the chair)

2: Mr. Kapil Sareen

10: Mr. Pradeep Chawla

3: Mr. Harpreet Singh

11: Mr. R.C.Gupta

4: Mr. Summit Narula

12: Mr. Ramesh Bhasin

5: Mr. Rajesh Narula

13 : Mr. S.K.Narula

6 : Mr. Jasmeet Singh

7 : Mr. Rakesh Arora

8: Mr. Rajesh Sawhney

9: Dr.Bobin Saluja

Regrets : Mr. Anurag Seth , Mr. Rakesh Sawhney, Mr. Saurabh Sharma , Mr. Arun Sharma , Mr . Adarsh Garg , Mr. Amit Sareen and Mr. Ashu Sareen

AGENDA ITEM 1 : Welcome Address by the President

The President Mr. Puneet Bhasin welcomed all the members present .

Obituary :

The President with a heavy heart informed the house about the sad demise of Smt. Sudesh Rani Chopra W/o Late Shri Rajender Nath Chopra of M/s Rex Surgico , Bhagirath Palace , New Delhi

The members present paid homage to and prayed for the rest in peace for the departed soul.

He then requested the Secretary to start the meeting as per agenda

AGENDA ITEM 2 : Confirmation of Minutes of Previous Executive Body Meeting

The Minutes of the 7th Executive Body meeting held on 29th May, 2026 were circulated vide circular No. SMTA/MAY2026/EBM/Min-07 dt. 30-05-2026 and the same were read by the secretary , there being no objection raised and none on record, the minutes were confirmed and adopted.

AGENDA ITEM 3 : To discuss the issue of GST

It was informed to the house that many members had complained of harassment by GST teams visiting their premises on the pretext of verification while verification had already taken place earlier at the time of GST enrolment . The matter was immediately brought to the attention of Commissioner GST Delhi as it was observed that on many occasions even the GST team visiting was a fake one . During the meeting of SMTA team with the GST commissioner it was requested to not to undertake verification drives of those dealers who have been previously verified and of those who have migrated from the sales tax / VAT regime and further that GST department should issue proper SOP for any verification drive and upload the details of all GST officers ward wise on their website so that the dealer can also verify the genuineness of the officer visiting his premises . GST Commissioner however declined to upload the details citing that it is very “unreasonable” but agreed to issue a SOP for verification drives which would include mandatory showing of the official ID by the officer to the dealer before entering his premises . Further it was informed to the house that many fictitious notices were being issued to the dealers by the department for which many dealers were being made to suffer for no fault of theirs as the process is the punishment . It was discussed to keep raising these problems to CBIC / FM through letters and social media to highlight these issues . It was also suggested that SMTA should send another letter to GST commissioner thanking him for his time and to confirm the points discussed in the meeting as a ready reference for future discussions. Also it was informed to the house that some members had requested representation against the new proposed rule of closure of Eway Bill as it shall entail further compliance burden and is full of impracticalities and grossly unreasonable. It was discussed to send the representation for the same to our local MP Shri Praveen Khandelwal also apart from CM / FM / GST council.

It was also brought to the attention of the house that our member M/s Glomaxes Gloves (I) Pvt. Ltd has sent an email about the sale of **Non Medical Examination Nitrile Gloves** by some Glove Manufacturers in India as **Medical Examination Nitrile Gloves** by charging **5 % GST** whereas Non medical Examination gloves ought to be charged at **18% GST** . It was requested by them to send the detailed representation to the GST authorities on this matter, however some members objected and were of the opinion that sending complaints about indian manufacturer would not be in the right spirit especially in the light of Make in India drive for medical devices. It was then suggested that the overseas factory should flag this issue to their concerned trade council to rake up the issue with their Indian counterpart to bring in trade parity as this unhealthy situation was acting like a trade barrier for the overseas factories .

AGENDA ITEM 4 : To discuss the issue of MD 42

It was informed to the house that many members have raised the issue of difficulty in getting a MD 42 for their godowns as the department is asking for separate competent person for the godown which is not possible for micro enterprises having a shop in one building and a godown in adjacent building to have separate personnel in the godown as it is only for keeping stocks and not sales . It was also informed to the house that a meeting had previously been held with DDC CDSCO in this regard and they were requested to issue a single MD 42 with all office and godown premise details in single registration similar to GST registration certificate which has Principal place of business and additional places mentioned in single certificate . The matter however needs to be pushed with the department through CDSCO and MOHFW as it may cause some coercive action due to some godown not having MD 42 but having stocks of medical devices.

AGENDA ITEM 5 : To Discuss the road map of 75th SMTA Anniversary Celebrations

The house applauded the assiduous efforts of the Publications Sub Committee team working on to bring the 75th anniversary souvenir book in record time. The team presented the proposed tariff structure for the souvenir which was discussed and some suggestions were made and the Sub Committee informed to reframe them and get back on the tariff circular issue to the house. The matter of GST applicability was also discussed and it was decided to consult with the CA and if need be to obtain the GST registration. It was also clarified that the proposed tariff shall be inclusive of GST if GST would be applicable / chargeable on it. It was also discussed to hold the AGM and the 75th anniversary celebrations between 13 Dec to 24 Dec as per availability of suitable venue.

AGENDA ITEM 6 : To discuss latest update on SMTA Medical Device Park

Mr Jasmeet Singh was requested by the Chairman Sub Committee Shri Ramesh Bhasin ji to brief the house about the latest developments on this matter . It was informed by Mr Jasmeet Ji that simulateneous discussions at a very advanced stage are taking place with both YEIDA and Haryana Govt / HSIDC and talks have been very encouraging and extremely positive . It was also informed that a dual use proposal of commercial shops and factories in Rai has also been submitted that may be of great benefit for the traders as well . It was also informed that an invitation has been received to attend meeting with senior officials of Yeida at YEIDA Medtech meet next month. The house appreciated the consistent dogged efforts of the team in making this SMTA medical device Park an impending reality.

AGENDA ITEM 7 : Any other matter with the permission of the chair

SUB AGENDA ITEM 1 : Membership fees for PHDCCI, Mr Kapil Sareen Treasurer informed the house that a invoice for renewal of membership subscription has been received which was approved by the house for sending the payment

SUB AGENDA ITEM 2: Change in Address : It was informed to the house that the following member has informed of their new address as below

1: **M/s R K Enterprises,** E-49 , 1st Floor , Office No. 103-A & 104 Jawaher Park, Vikas marg , Laxmi Nagar , New Delhi-110092.

Members are requested to kindly note the same for their records.

There being no other matter, the meeting came to an end with thanks to the chair and special appreciation to Dr Bobin Saluja for his gracious hospitality in providing the delicious sandwiches, savouries and mouth watering desserts for the meeting.

For The Surgical Manufacturers & Traders Association,



(Harpreet Singh)
Secretary