

**BUREAU OF INDIAN STANDARDS**  
**MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AND HOSPITAL PLANNING DEPARTMENT (MHD)**

**MINUTES**

<b>Sectional Committee</b>		<b>Meeting No:</b>	<b>Date, Day &amp; Time</b>
Anatomy and Forensic Sciences Sectional Committee (MHD 23 )		12 <sup>th</sup>	26 November, 2024 Tuesday 11:00 AM
<b>Chairperson</b>	<b>Chairperson</b> Dr. Sabita Mishra Head of Anatomy Department Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi		
<b>Member Secretary</b>	<b>Member Secretary</b> Mr. Satyam Rathore Scientist B/ Assistant Director, Bureau of Indian Standards, New Delhi		

The list of attendees is given at [ANNEXURE-A](#).

**ITEM 0 GENERAL**

**0.1** Satyam Rathore, Scientist-B, welcomed the members to 12<sup>th</sup> meeting of Anatomy and Forensic Sciences Equipment Sectional Committee, MHD 23. He appreciated the members present for sparing their valuable time to participate in this meeting. He emphasized on personal involvement and contribution to all the members, experts and interested stakeholders in formulating Indian Standards and solicited the co-operation of all the members to deliberate on each agenda item to reach at a fruitful decision.

**0.2** Dr. Sabita Mishra, Chairperson, welcomed the members present in the 12<sup>th</sup> meeting of Anatomy and Forensic Sciences Equipment Sectional Committee, MHD 23. She brought out the importance of standardization in the progress of nation. She requested the members for active deliberations for making the meeting successful. She conveyed the necessity for more members to attend the upcoming meetings physically.

She requested Member Secretary to take up the agenda items for discussion.

**ITEM 1 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING**

**1.1** The committee confirmed the minutes of the last meeting (11<sup>th</sup>) of Anatomy and Forensic Sciences Equipment Sectional Committee, MHD 23 held on 27 August 2024 in hybrid mode.

**ITEM 2 SCOPE AND COMPOSITION OF SECTIONAL COMMITTEE**

**2.1** The committee noted the scope of the committee of Item 2.1 of the Agenda.

**2.2** The committee noted the contents of Item 2.2 of the Agenda.

**2.2.1** The committee approved the following nomination for becoming a member in MHD 23 and requested to share the details of both principal and Alternate Members in the prescribed format.

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Member Name</b>	<b>Organization</b>
1	Dr. Arun Anirudhan	Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Trivandrum

**2.3** The committee noted the contents of Item 2.3 of the Agenda.

### **ITEM 3 DRAFT STANDARDS / AMENDMENTS FOR FINALIZATION**

**3.1** The committee noted the contents of Item 3.1 of the Agenda.

### **ITEM 4 DRAFT STANDARDS/AMENDMENTS FOR APPROVAL FOR WIDE CIRCULATION**

**4.1** The committee noted the contents of Item 4.1 of the Agenda.

### **ITEM 5 DRAFT UNDER PREPARATION**

**5.1** The following drafts are under preparation:

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Panel</b>	<b>Working Group Created</b>	<b>Subjects</b>	<b>Experts</b>	<b>Committee Decision</b>
1	P1: Anatomy and Forensic Sciences Equipment	WG 1	1) Body Storage tank 2) Cold Storage chambers	1) Dr. Dinesh Kumar, Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi (Convenor) 2) Dr. Swati Tiwari, Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi 3) Dr. Sneha S., Sri Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education and Research, Chennai	Working drafts of “Body storage tank and Cold storage chambers” to be shared by the Experts of WG1.
		WG 2	1) Autopsy Saw 2) Autopsy Table	1) Dr. Sneha S., Sri Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education and Research, Chennai 2) Dr. Manish Kumath, Vardhman Mahavir Medical College and Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi	Working drafts of “Autopsy Saw and Autopsy Table” to be shared by the Experts of WG2.

		WG 3	1) Dissection Hall Layout Specifications	1) Dr. Dinesh Kumar, Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi 2) Dr. Shuvojit Sarkar, School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi	Working draft of “Dissection Hall Layout Specifications” to be shared by the Experts of WG3.
		WG 4	1) Body Bags	1) Dr. Sunil Naagar, Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi	The experts from manufacturers need to be identified for the standard development of “Body Bags”
		WG 5	1) Grossing Station with Imaging and Documentation	-	The experts need to be identified for the standard development of “Grossing Station with Imaging and Documentation”

## **ITEM 6 COMMENTS ON PUBLISHED STANDARDS**

**6.1** The committee noted the contents of Item 6.1 of the Agenda.

## **ITEM 7 NEW SUBJECTS**

**7.1** The committee noted the contents of Item 7.1 of the Agenda.

## **ITEM 8 TECHNICAL ISSUES**

**8.1** The committee noted the contents of Item 8.1 of the Agenda.

## **ITEM 9 INTERNATIONAL ACTIVITIES**

### **9.1 Participating (P) Membership in ISO/IEC**

**9.1.1** The committee noted the contents of Item 9.1.1 of the Agenda.

**9.1.2** The committee noted the contents of Item 9.1.2 of the Agenda.

### **9.2 Harmonization of Indian Standards with International Standards**

**9.2.1** The committee noted the contents of Item 9.2.1 of the Agenda.

**9.2.2** The committee noted the contents of Item 9.2.2 of the Agenda.

## **ITEM 10. PROGRAMME OF WORK**

**10.1** The committee noted the contents of Item 10.1 of the Agenda.

**ITEM 11. REVIEW OF INDIAN STANDARDS**

**11.2 Review of Standards as per 5-year cycle**

**11.2.1** The committee noted the contents of Item 11.2.1 of the Agenda.

**11.2.2** The committee noted the contents of Item 11.2.2 of the Agenda.

**ITEM 12 ISSUES ARISING OUT OF THE PREVIOUS MEETINGS**

**12.1** The committee noted the contents of Item 12.1 of the Agenda.

**ITEM 13 DATE AND PLACE OF NEXT MEETING**

**13.1** The committee decided to conduct the next meeting of MHD 23 at Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Trivandrum on 25 February, 2025.

**ITEM 14 ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

There being no other business.

The meeting ended with hearty thanks to the chair and all the members present.

**ANNEXURE – A**

**LIST OF ATTENDEES**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Member</b>	<b>Organization</b>
1.	Dr. Sabita Mishra ( <i>Chairperson</i> )	Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi
2.	Dr. Dinesh Kumar	Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi
3.	Dr. Swati Tiwari	Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi
4.	Dr. Sunil Naagar ( <i>Physically</i> )	Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi
5.	Mrs. Lalita Khatri	Association of Indian Medical Device Industry, New Delhi
6.	Mr. Aseem Sahu	Central Drugs Standard Control Organization, New Delhi
7.	Mr. Ajai Basil	Central Drugs Standard Control Organization, New Delhi
8.	Mr. Soumyaranjan Sahoo	Central Drugs Standard Control Organization, New Delhi
9.	Mr. Manoj Kumar Wahi	Lady Hardinge Medical College, New Delhi
10.	Dr. Tanya Chauhan	L.N.J.N. National Institute of Criminology and Forensic Science, New Delhi
11.	Dr. Aanjaney Shahi ( <i>Representative</i> )	National Health Systems Resource Centre, New Delhi
12.	Dr. Sneha S.	Sri Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education and Research, Chennai
13.	Dr. Manish Kumath	Vardhman Mahavir Medical College and Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi
14.	Dr. K. P. S. Kushwaha ( <i>Physically</i> )	In Personal Capacity
15.	Dr. Satish Verma	In Personal Capacity
16.	Dr. Arun Anirudhan ( <i>Invitee</i> )	Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences and Technology, Trivandrum (SCTIMST)

**BIS Directorate General:**

1.	Mr. Satyam Rathore (Member Secretary)	Scientist 'B'/Assistant Director, MHD, Bureau of Indian Standards
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