

A. New Members:

Ms. Venkatalakshmi Gorthi, Home Maker, Visakhapatnam, joined as an Ordinary Member on 15-11-16, courtesy Sri P.Raghuramaiah, Vice-President.

B. Members who opted to be Permanent Members

Sri V. Venkateswara Rao, Member, Visakhapatnam, opted to be a Permanent Member from this month and paid the 1st installment of Rs.4,000/- on 25-11-16.

We now have 28 Permanent Members.

C. Financial assistance for educational purpose

Cheques for a total amount of Rs.39,908/- were issued towards part tuition fees. (details sent vide my mail of 30-11-16)

D. Financial assistance to Old Age Home

Continued our financial assistance of Rs.9,000/- p.m. to Vijaya Sai Yoga Charitable Trust, Visakhapatnam, towards the up keep of 3 senior citizens at their free Old Age Home at Nerellavalasa, Visakhapatnam District. (NEFT vide cheque No. 211642, dated 1-11-16.

E. Website

Our Website is back, courtesy, Sri M. Gurunatha Rao, Life Member, U.S, who volunteered to donate \$169.80 towards charges for 2 years.

Please visit the site at <http://aassraa.org>

F. Amendments to our bye-laws taken on record

The amendments to our bye-laws increasing the Ordinary Membership fee to Rs.300/- p.m. and the Permanent Membership fee to Rs.30,000/- payable in not more than 15 consecutive monthly installments that were approved at our last Annual General Body Meeting held on 30-4-16, were taken on record by the District Registrar of Societies, Visakhapatnam, on 18-11-16.

G. Response to our appeal for voluntary service and/or financial support if we start a Home for the aged/aged and destitute children

G.1 Following have offered to financially support the Home:

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| 1. Sri Haranath Pindiprolu | Life Member, Australia | Rs.5,000/- p.m. |
| 2. Ms. P. Balatripurasundari
and Sri M. Rama Rao | Life Members, Visakhapatnam | Rs.5,000/- p.m. |
| 3. Sri P. Raghuramiah | Permanent Member, Visakhapatnam | Rs.2,000/- p.m. |

G.2 Following offered to provide voluntary service at the Home:.

1. Sri M. Rama Rao Life Members, Visakhapatnam
2. Sri P. Raghuramiah Permanent Member, Visakhapatnam

H. Application for exemption under Income Tax Act.

In connection with the application for exemption of our Society under Income Tax Act, filed on 18.08.2016, we were given an opportunity of personal hearing before the Commissioner of Income Tax 1 (Exemptions), Hyderabad, on 21-12-16.