

**MINUTES OF THE 48<sup>th</sup>MEETING OF THE GOVERNING COUNCIL OF THE NATIONAL  
INSTITUTE FOR LOCOMOTOR DISABILITIES(DIVYANGIAN),KOLKATA HELD ON  
02<sup>nd</sup>February,2026HELD THROUGH HYBRID MODE AT DEPwD,New Delhi.**

The 48<sup>th</sup>Meeting of the Governing Council of NILD, Kolkata was held on 02<sup>nd</sup> February,2026 at 12.00 noon through hybrid mode at DEPwD, New Delhi. The Secretary, Dept.of Empowerment of PwDs, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, GOI and Chairperson of the Governing Council, NILD presided over the meeting.

Following Members were present:-

1. **Ms. V.Vidyavathi** -President  
Secretary to GOI & Chairperson, G.C, NILD  
Dept. of Empowerment of PwDs  
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment
2. **Shri. Rajeev Sharma** -Member  
Joint Secretary, Dept. of Empowerment of PwDs  
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, GOI
3. **Shri Subhabrata Karmakar,** -Member  
Deputy Secretary  
Representative of Additional Secretary & Financial Advisor  
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment,  
Shastri Bhawan, A wing, New Delhi-110001
4. **Shri Vivek Dwivedi**(Representative of -Member  
Chairman cum Managing Director  
ALIMCO, Kanpur)
5. Representative of The Director General of Employment -Member  
& Training Government of India, Ministry of Labour,  
Govt. of India, New Delhi
6. Dr.Vinod Aggarwal, -Member  
New Delhi
7. Shri Anikh Banerjee -Member  
West Bengal
8. Shri Bhuwan Chander Gunwant -Member  
Nainital,
9. Shri Prashant Mishra, -Member  
Kanpur

10. Dr. Pradeep Dubey, Jabalpur -Member
11. Dr. Jitendra Kumar Jain, Allahabad -Member
12. **Dr. Lalit Narayan**  
Director, NILD, Kolkata -Member Secretary

**Special Invitee**

13. Smt. Manmeet Kaur Meena, Additional Secretary, DEPwD
14. Shri Asish Thakare, Director NI, DEPwD
15. Sri Sougato Banerjee, Dy. Director (Admn), NILD, Kolkata

At the outset the Chairperson welcomed the Members of the Governing Council present in the meeting. Director, NILD, Kolkata briefed the Agenda items for the 48<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the GC of the Institute.

The following agenda items were discussed and the resolutions taken thereafter are as follows:

**48.01. To read and confirm the Minutes of 47<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Governing Council, held on 28<sup>th</sup> November, 2024**

**Decision:** As no comments have been received from any of the members, the GC confirmed the minutes of the 47<sup>th</sup> meeting.

**48.02. To consider action taken report on the minutes of 47<sup>th</sup> meeting of Governing Council held on 28<sup>th</sup> November, 2024.**

**Decision:** The Governing Council noted the action taken report on the minutes of 47<sup>th</sup> meeting of GC.

**48.03. To consider and approve the Annual Report of the Institute for 2024-2025.**

**Decision:** The Council considered and approved the Annual Report of the Institute for the year 2024-2025.

**48.04. To consider and adopt Annual Accounts and Audit Report of the Institute for the year 2024-25.**

**Decision:** The Council considered and adopted the Annual Accounts and Audit Report of the Institute for the year 2024-2025.

**48.05.To consider and approve the with Revised Estimate (RE) FY 2025-26& Budget Estimate(BE) FY 2026-27 for NILD along with CRCs Patna/Tripura/Sikkim.**

GC noted the RE of the institute and its CRCs for 2025-26. The Budget Allocation of the institute and CRCs has been shared by the Department vide letter no. N-2206/22/2020-NI dated 10.03.2026.

**48.06. To consider Report (2025-2026) of current activities of the Institute, RCs and CRCs(up to December, 2025).**

**Decision:** The Governing Council noted the report on the current activities of the Institute, RCs, and CRCs for the year 2025-2026 (up to December 2025).

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- The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the chair.

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