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Dear Member,

We are happy to inform you that our newsletter has been approved and registered with the Govt. of India. We are on the way to bring out this newsletter on regular quarterly basis. We solicit your full co-operation and request you to send the news for publication, to the IASTAM-India office at Bombay.

IASTAM The second International Congress on Traditional Asian Medicine to be held at Surabaya between 2-7th September, 1984 is receiving good response. To facilitate the members we have organised a group travel through our official travel agent M/s. Sound Travel Corporation, 3, Tulsiani Chambers, Nariman Point, Bombay-400 021. The proposed details of tour No. 1 including Japan and Hongkong in the itinerary and tour No. 2 without Japan and Hongkong are enclosed herewith. The half day site-seeing at important cities like Bangkok, Kuala Lumpur, Denpasar, Singapore, Hongkong could be arranged for the delegates at the extra cost of

Rs. 975/- per person for tour No. 2 and Rs. 1450/- per person for Tour No. 1. The optional tour hand-out is also enclosed herewith.

Delegates are requested to send their registration fees of US \$ 50/- directly to the "Organising Committee ICTAM II" C/o School of Pharmacy, Airlangga University, J1 Darmahusada No. 47 (Surabaya (Indonesia) before 1st of July, 1984.

Those who are desirous of joining group travel as per the above said tours should remit Rs. 100/- being the deposit for the registration of tour, to IASTAM-India, C/o Zandu Pharmaceutical Works Ltd., Gokhale Road South, Bombay-400 025, before 30th of June 1984. For Passport, Visa and other assistance delegates are requested to contact our travel agent M/s. Sound Travel Corporation, Bombay. We are sure you will take advantage of this tour and make the Congress a grand success.

Yours truly,
R. K. Mutakkar

NEWS

1. The International Congress on Traditional Asian Medicine will be held at the Hyatt Bumi Hotel in Surabaya, from September 2 to 7, 1984. Arriving delegates on September 2, can check in at registration tables for the congress in the hotel to get Programs Abstracts, and other information. A welcoming party will be held in the hotel ballroom that evening.

The congress will begin at 9 a.m. on September 3, and the Scientific Program will continue until noon on the 7th, with Wednesday reserved for free time or optional tours of Java and field-trips to observe Indonesian medical institutions. A cultural performance is scheduled on Wednesday evening.

2. **Government Sponsored Research in India :**

Councils for research on the traditional systems of Asian medicine are funded by the Central Government in India and have established 117 research units throughout the country. The Councils have Scientific Advisory Commit-

tees, with the Committee for Ayurveda chaired by Dr. S. T. Gujar, Director of the Maharashtra Arogya Mandal, Hadasar, Poona 28. and several other enterprises. The Advisory Committee for Siddha medicine is chaired by Dr. V. Raghupathy and Hakim S. Khalutathullah, 49 Bharathi Sali, Madras-600 005 who is the chairman of the Scientific Advisory Committee for Unani Medicine.

3. China Medical College to give Symposium in Surabaya :

The President of the China Medical College, Jung-chao Kuo, has formed a committee of the faculty to organize a day long symposium for the Second International Congress on Traditional Asian Medicine in September 1984. Prof. T. H. Chan, IASTAM Council Member, is a member of the faculty.

The symposium will include both Scientific papers and posters. For more information write to President Jung-chao Kuo, China Medical College, Taichung, Taiwan, 400, Republic of China.

(Courtesy: IASTAM News Letter February, 1984)

4. The Western Region Committee of IASTAM-India and

participants in tours will meet on 4th July 1984 at 3.30 p.m. at Canteen Premises of the Zandu Pharmaceutical Works Ltd., Gokhale Road South, Bombay-400 025. Delegates intending to take part in the Second International Congress on Traditional Asian Medicine at Surayaba are also invited to attend this meeting. Dr. K. N. Udupa, President of IASTAM-India will preside the meeting. Executive Committee will also meet on the same day.

5. Scholars/Scientists desirous of the financial support for attending this International Congress may approach the following authorities.

- (1) Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India, Technology Bhavan, New Mthrali Road, New Delhi-110 016.
- (2) Indian National Science Academy, Bhader Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi-110 002.
- (3) Central Scientific and Industrial Research, Rafy Market, New De lhi-110 001.

We understand that the above said bodies entertain application for the financial support for travel to foreign countries for attending International Scientific Seminars.

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