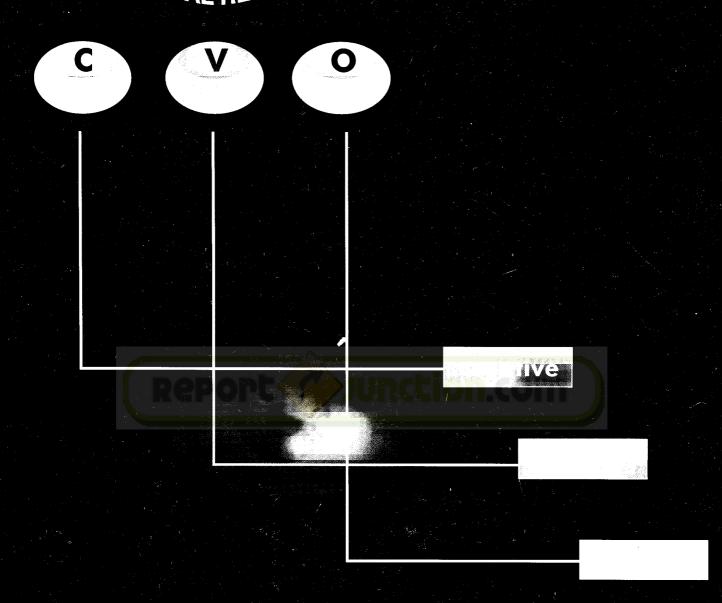
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# 23rd ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Day & Date: Saturday 20th August, 2005

Time: 3:30 p.m.

#### Venue

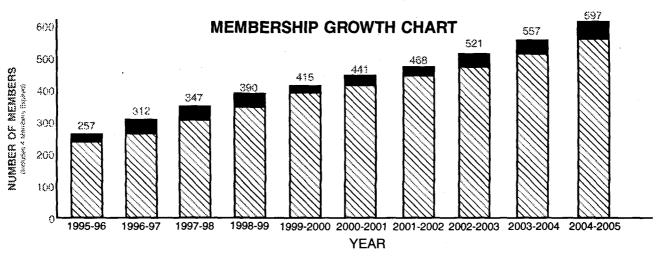
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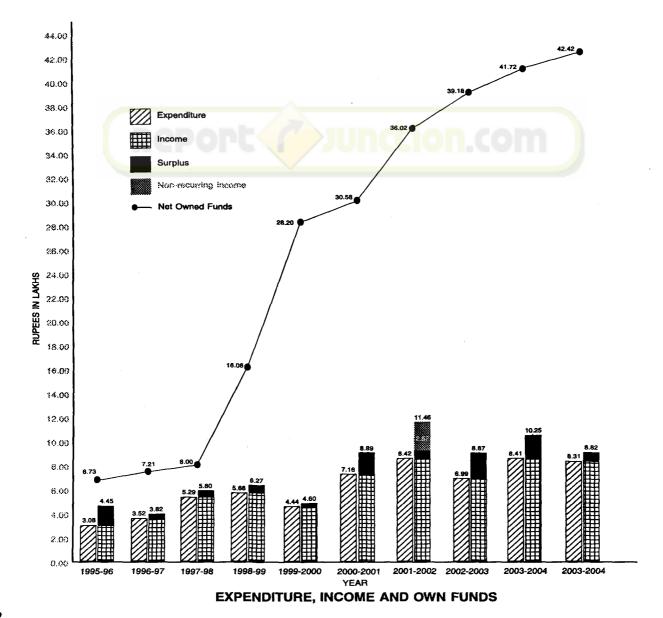
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## **DECADE AT A GLANCE**





## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The 23rd Annual General Meeting of the Association will be held on Saturday, 20th August, 2005 at 3:30 p.m. at Shri Napoo Hall, Telang Road, Matunga (C.R.), Mumbai - 400 019 to transact the following business:

- 1. To adopt the minutes of the 22nd Annual General Meeting of the Association held on 28th August, 2004.
- 2. To receive and adopt the Audited Balance Sheet as at 31st March, 2005 and Income & Expenditure Account for the year ended on that date.
- 3. To receive and adopt the Annual Report of the Managing Committee for the year 2004-2005.
- 4. To re-appoint M/s. T. S. Gada & Co., Chartered Accountants as the Honorary Auditors of the Association for the year 2005-2006.
- 5. (i) To distribute Late Shri D.R. Ghalla and M/s. Damji Merchant & Co. Prizes.
  - (ii) To honour the students who have passed both the groups together in first attempt at Intermediate/Final examination of C. A., I.C.W.A and / or C. S. courses and to felicitate students who have passed Final exams of the said courses as also merit rank holders in Entrance (or PE-I) of said courses, results of which have been declared during 28th August, 2004 to 20th August, 2005.
  - (iii) To present prize to the contributors of the Best Article in the News Bulletin of the Association for the year September, 2004 to August, 2005.
- 6. Any other matters with the permission of the Chair.

For C. V. O. Chartered & Cost Accountants' Association

Place: Mumbai

Date: 19th July, 2005

(Hasmukh B. Dedhia)

Secretary

#### NOTES

- 1. In the absence of quorum at the appointed time, the meeting shall be adjourned and such adjourned meeting will be convened after half an hour at the same place and the business transacted thereat shall be deemed to be in order.
- 2. The meeting shall be followed by self-contributory dinner, charges of which are Rs. 100/- per person for members, their spouce and children above the age of 12 years and Rs. 50/- per student associate and children between the age of 5 and 12 years. There is no charge for children below 5 years.
- 3. Books of Account for F.Y. 2004-2005 shall be available for inspection by members from 16th August, 2005 to 18th August, 2005 between 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at Association's Office.
- 4. TENTATIVE PROGRAMME
  - 3:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Fellowship over Tea & Coffee
  - 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Annual General Meeting
  - 6.00 p.m. to 7.30 p.m. Entertainment Programme
  - 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Dinner
- 5. The games and entertainment programme will be organized by K.V.O.C.A. Wives Forum for their members and children between 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the adjoining venue.



## MINUTES OF THE 22nd ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING HELD ON 28th AUGUST, 2004 AT SHRI NARANJI SHAMJI MAHAJAN WADI, MATUNGA

In all 223 members and 14 Student Associates attended the Annual General Meeting.

#### 1. WELCOME BY CHAIRMAN

Shri. Rajesh R. Shah, President of the Association welcomed the members. In his welcome speech, he said that throughout the year he received immense support from the members and past presidents of the association. The post of President commands respect in the community and recognition from other professional bodies. As association touches new heights every year, the expectation of people also rises and we strive to fulfil the expectations. During last couple of years the focus of the practice is changing and accordingly we are trying to organize programmes in such new avenues. He also said that opportunities are all around us and one who can expand horizons, can fly higher and higher. He congratulated all young members who have passed CA / CS / ICWA exams. He also recognized efforts put in by Shri Chetan Kakka, Shri Paras Savla and Mrs. Priti Savla in updating members through yahoo group on various legal amendments etc. He cautioned members that one needs to be more vigilant and careful in one's approach while doing the attestation and let choice and not chance determine our destiny. He also reposed faith in the new team, which will carry the association to new heights.

#### 2. MINUTES OF THE LAST ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Shri. Ketan S. Rambhia, Secretary of the Association then read the minutes of the 21st Annual General Meeting held on 9th August 2003. He, then invited suggestions / modifications, if any therein, or else it may be approved.

Shri Dhiraj L. Gala, past president (PP), proposed the confirmation of the minutes, Shri Navin C. Shah (PP) seconded it and the same were adopted unanimously.

#### 3. AUDITED ACCOUNTS AND AUDITORS REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH 2004.

Shri. Hasmukh Dedhia, the treasurer of the Association, then presented the audited accounts for the year ended 31st March 2004 along with the auditor's report thereon. He narrated the financial highlights for the year and asked members if any clarifications were required on the said audited accounts.

Shri Dhirendra P. Sangoi (PP) proposed to approve and adopt said accounts to which Shri Nitin M. Maru (PP) seconded. The audited accounts and the auditor's report were then adopted by the members by their unanimous consent.

#### 4. ANNUAL ACTIVITY REPORT OF THE MANAGING COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 2003-04.

Shri Ketan S. Rambhia, Secretary of the Association, presented the highlights of the activities carried out during the year 2003-04. He informed the house about various activities organized by all the 9 subcommittees of the Association and said that each committee works hand-in-hand towards achieving goal of professional excellence.

Shri Navin L. Pasad (PP) proposed for approval of the said activity report and Shri Atul C. Bheda (PP) seconded it. The activity report was then unanimously approved.

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#### 5. APPOINTMENT OF AUDITORS

The name of the retiring auditors, M/s. T. S. Gada & Co., Chartered Accountants, being eligible for reappointment as Auditors, was proposed by Shri Haresh K. Chheda for reappointment. Shri Raichand Gogri seconded it and members unanimously approved the name of M/s. T. S. Gada & Co., Chartered Accountants, to be appointed as Honorary Auditors of the Association for the year 2004-05.

# 6. TO ELECT 13 MEMBERS OF THE MANAGING COMMITTEE For the PERIOD 2004-06 AND TO DECLARE ITS RESULTS

Shri Dhiraj Gala (PP), Election Officer informed the house that 13 nominations were received for electing 13 members to the Managing Committee. As all the forms were in order hence the following 13 members were declared elected.

The names of the 13 elected members of managing committee are:

S/Shri Mehendra B. Gala, Ketan S. Rambhia, Hasmukh B. Dedhia, Dinesh N. Shah, Mulesh M. Savla, Sanjeev D Lalan, Vasant M. Gala, Hiren D. Shah, Jayesh K. Salia, Champak K Dedhia, Ketan D Saiya, Paresh K Vora and Anish V Pasad.

President Shri Rajesh R Shah congratulated the newly elected members of the managing committee.

# 7. TO DISTRIBUTE LATE SHRI D. R. GHALLA AND M/S. DAMJI MERCHANT & CO. PRIZES AND FELICITATION OF STUDENTS

Thereafter, students who had passed Inter and Final Examinations at First attempt were honoured. Shri Dinesh D. Ghalla (PP) gave Late Shri. D. R. Ghalla Prize, a silver coin, cash Rs.300/- and a certificate of appreciation to Mr. Amit Hemchand Gada (Shah) for securing highest marks (462) with 19th rank in Final C.A. examination held in November, 2003 and to Shri Herin Girish Shah for securing highest marks (468) with 48th rank in Final C.A. Examination in May 2004.

Then at the hands of Shri Damji Merchant (PP), M/s. Damji Merchant & Ço. prize, a silver coin, cash Rs.300/- and a certificate of appreciation was given to Shri Jigar Hasmukh Savla for securing highest marks (370) in Inter C.A. Examination held in November, 2003 and Shri Sachin Pranjivan Dedhia for securing highest marks in CS Inter exams in June 2004 at first attempt.

The following students were given silver coins and a certificate of appreciation:

For passing in Final CA / CS / ICWA Examination in May 2004 at First Attempt.

1	Mr	Bhavesh Pravin Dedhia	CA
2	Mr	Bhavik Harish Savla	CA
3	Mr	Chirag Nanji Saiya	CA
4	Mr	Kamal Narendra Gada	CA
5	Ms	Kanan Vasant Vora	CA
6	Mr	Kunal Pravin Vora	CA
7	Mr	Mitul Shantilal Rambhia	CA
8	Mr	Satish Chapshi Nagda	CA

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For passing Inter CA / CS / ICWA Examination in Nov'2003 at first Attempt.

1 Mr Tejash Vasant Shah

CA



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1	Mrs	Bhavna Viral Dedhia	ICWA	Final	Jun-03
2	Mr	Amit Manilal Haria	CA	Final	Nov-03
3	Mr	Darshan Pravin Gada	CA	Final	Nov-03
4	Mr	Hitesh Mulchand Devji Shah	CA	Final	Nov-03
5	Mr	Jayesh Vallabhji Nagda	CA	Final	Nov-03
6	Mr	Jignesh Shantilal Lalan	CA	Final	Nov-03
7	Mr	Kalpesh Thakershi Gosar	CA	Final	Nov-03
8	Mr	Kirit Bhawanji Gada	CA	Final	Nov-03
9	Mr	Pratik Chandrakant Gala	CA	Final	Nov-03
10	Ms	Reshma Ramesh Gala (W/o Kapil Chheda)	CA	Final	Nov-03
11	Mr	Ritesh Mahendra Dedhia	CA	Final	Nov-03
12	$\mathbf{Mr}$	Herin Girish Shah	CS	Final	Dec-03
13	Ms	Anju Kheraj Dedhia	CA	Final	May-04
14	Ms	Hemal Tarachand Gala	CA	Final	May-04
15	$\mathbf{Mr}$	Ketan Manilal Kenia	CA	Final	May-04
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2	Ms	Ridhi Zaveri Gangar	$\mathbf{C}\mathbf{A}$	Entrance May-04

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article among articles from the members who have contributed for the first time. Accordingly an article on "Information System Audit of bank – A Bird's Eye View" was adjudged the best article written by Shri Kiran B. Chheda. He also appreciated the efforts of S/Shri Praful Poladia, Haresh Kenia, Rajesh P Chheda, Bharat Gosar, Nitin Kenia, Manoj C Shah, Tansukh Chheda, and Jayesh Gogri for regularly contributing to News & Views by way of updating the various laws.

#### 9. ANY OTHER MATTER WITH THE PERMISSION OF THE CHAIR

) FELICITATION OF AUDITORS AND OFFICE IN CHARGE

President Shri. Rajesh R Shah appreciated the honorary services rendered by M/s. T. S. Gada & Co., Chartered Accountant, auditors of our Association. At the request of the President, Shri Shantilal K Rambhia (PP) handed over a memento to Shri T. S. Gada as a mark of love and respect towards him. Thereafter President called upon the office in charge Shri. Nanjibhai Dedhia to accept a memento at the hands of our senior member Shri Vasant Bheda as a token of appreciation for his dedicated services to the Association's Office.

#### ii) SUGGESTIONS FROM MEMBERS

On Invitation from President, following Past Presidents, members and students gave their suggestions as noted below:

1. Vishal V Gada

He said that the Association is of great help to members and plays crucial role by giving platform to members. Showing concern about future role of the association in view of the new members opting for industry rather than traditional practice and also due to CPE requirement and change in profession as a whole, he stated a lot of interaction, brain storming is required to determine the future needs of members.

2. Dinesh D Ghalla

He complimented Shri Rajesh R Shah for his efforts throughout the year. He reiterated the views of Vishal Gada and said that looking at the trend, fewer students are opting for CA profession and accordingly role of Students Committee may have to be altered. He showed concern that for the first time three members of Managing Committee (due to their personal reason) not continuing in the Committee.

3. Atul C Bheda

He said that due to new members opting for industry, bondage of members of the association is reducing. He suggested that more and more efforts are required to see that more CAs become members of the Association. He also suggested to form study group on ISA as this is new area of practice having lot of scope and beneficial to all members in practice as well as industry.

4. Sanjeev D Lalan

He said that the traditional area of practice is not drying up as thought but only approach of the members needs to be changed so as to become overall business consultant rather than just tax consultant. Also it is needed to have pragmatic approach in interpreting laws. He said that Association has to do perspective planning keeping in mind WTO commitments and other developments.

5. Haresh K Chheda

He congratulated Rajesh Shah for a successful term. He suggested that Association needs to form a Vision Committee to discuss future course and focus area of Association considering CPE requirement etc.