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SUB. : 27TH ISSCT CONGRESS AT VERACRUZ, MEXICO FROM 7TH–11TH MARCH 2010.

Dear Member,

This is in continuation to our circular dt. 30th Sept. '09 regarding participation in the 27th ISSCT Congress which will take place at World Trade Centre (WTC), Veracruz, Mexico, from 7th–11th March 2010. This is an important international technical conference and is attended by around 700–800 delegates from 53 countries.

We are pleased to inform you that STAI is taking a delegation from India to the above Congress. For the benefit of the members, we have worked out an economical package cost and members can take advantage of that. Members can remit their individual ISSCT membership fee, ISSCT Congress registration fee, hotel accommodation charges, accompanying persons fee **either to STAI or they can pay the same to ISSCT directly. The details of the same are given in the Option I and Option II in the circular.**

To attend the ISSCT Congress, it is important to first register with the ISSCT Secretariat by paying the individual membership fee of USD100 (if paid by 31st Dec. '09) and USD 110 from 1st January 2010.

REGISTRATION FEES FOR THE CONGRESS FOR DELEGATES

Early Member Registration	–	USD 1350 if paid & received by ISSCT – 31 st Dec. '09
Late Member Registration	–	USD 1750 if paid & received by ISSCT – 31 st Jan. '10
On-Site Registration	–	USD 1900 paid after 1 st Feb. '10

The registration fee includes – Congress materials, morning & afternoon coffee, lunch each day, one ticket for the carnival night, one ticket for gala dinner, airport transfer in-out, shuttle service between official hotels and WTC. Registration fees and costs are all payable in US Dollars. The applicable registration fee will be determined by the date that the full registration fee is received.

REGISTRATION FEES FOR ACCOMPANYING PERSON

Late Registration Fee	–	USD 450 if paid & received by ISSCT – 31 st Dec. '09
On-Site Member Registration	–	USD 500 paid after 1 st Jan. '10

The registration fee includes – Congress materials, trolley tour, city tour, official opening ceremony, carnival night, gala dinner, airport transfer in-out, shuttle service between official hotels and WTC.

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CANCELLATION POLICY OF REGISTRATION

There will be no refund for cancellations made, however, the registration may be transferred to another delegate at a 10% substitution fee.

Option I (Directly to ISSCT)

The members willing to attend the ISSCT Congress can send their delegation form alongwith fee directly to ISSCT Congress Secretariat Office at Mexico at their following address with a copy to STAI :

Asociacion de Tecnicos Azucareros de Mexico, A.C. (ATAM), Rio Niagara No.11, Colonia Cuauhtémoc C.P. 06500 Mexico, D.F. MEXICO, Tel: +52 55 5514 2567; +52 55 5514 5121, Fax: +52 55 5062 1380, E-mail: cmartinezdv@atamexico.com.mx

Members can send the desired fees like delegation fee, accompanying persons fee etc., as per requirement by Wire Transfer, the details of which are given below :

Wire Transfer Details :

ATAM ACCOUNT BBVA

ASOCIACION DE TECNICOS AZUCAREROS DE MEXICO, A.C.

Banco / Bank Name: BANCOMER

No. cuenta / Account: 0163482510

Tipo moneda / Currency: U.S. Dollars

No. sucursal / Bank office number: 3571

A/c CLABE: 012180001634825102

SWIFT: BCMRMXMM

OPTION – II (with STAI's Delegation)

We have blocked rooms for the STAI delegates with hotel Holiday Inn Veracruz Boca del Río. The hotel is located to the Ocean in front of Playa las Americas and just a couple of meters away from the World Trade Centre (Convention Centre).

**Room Tariff : USD 600/per room (for 6 nights & 7 days) for Standard Room
Single or Double at Hotel Holiday Inn Boca del Rio**

The above charges include Shuttle Bus to Convention Centre. This includes 6 Nights Accommodation & all applicable taxes. However, there will be a mandatory Porterage & maid charges of USD 30/person.

NOTE : The breakfast charges shall be USD 20/per person/per day extra.

ITINERARY FOR 27TH ISSCT CONGRESS

Day-1	06 Mar	Delhi	Departure from Delhi by BA-142 at 0330 hrs.
		London	Arrival London at 0710hrs. Departure by connecting flight BA-207 at 0940hrs to Miami.

		Miami	Arrival Miami at 1425hrs. Departure by connecting flight AM-413 at 1740hrs to Mexico City.
		Mexico City	Arrival at Mexico City at 2015hrs. Departure to Veracruz by AM-2090 at 2140hrs.
		Veracruz	Arrival at Veracruz at 2235hrs. Transfer to Hotel.
Day-2	07–11 Mar	Veracruz	ISSCT Congress as per programme.
Day-7	12 Mar	Veracruz	Departure from Veracruz by AM-2087 at 0920hrs.
		Mexico City	Arrival at Mexico City at 1020hrs for connecting flight AM-422 at 1230hrs for Miami.
		Miami	Arrival at Miami at 1625hrs. Departure from Miami by BA-208 at 2045hrs.
Day-8	13 Mar	London	Arrival at London at 1005hrs. Departure from London by BA-143 at 1150hrs.
Day-9	14 Mar	Delhi	Arrival at Delhi at 0125hrs.

CURRENCY: 1 Mexica Peso = INR 3.70

TEMPERATURE:

City	Max.	Min.
Mexico	24° C	10° C
Veracruz	26° C	21° C

BAGGAGE ALLOWANCE: 2 pieces allowed for economy class passengers. Security regulation allows only 1 piece of hand baggage (size – 158 cm) for which cabin tag must be obtained.

OVERSEAS MEDICAL INSURANCE: Overseas medical insurance policy, which provides for expenses incurred for the medical treatment, which is primarily in the nature of emergency.

Package Cost

- Air fare by **economy class by British Airways** (Delhi/London/Miami/Mexico/Veracruz / Mexico/Miami/London/Delhi) – Rs. 81450.00
- USD 600 for Standard Room single or double **accommodation** – Rs. 30000.00
- USD 30 mandatory portorage & maid charges – Rs. 1500.00
- USD 100 for ISSCT Individual Membership Fee (if paid by 31st Dec. '09) – Rs. 5000.00
- USD 1350 for Registration Fee for the ISSCT Congress (if paid by 31st December '09) – Rs. 67500.00

- Facilitation charges – Rs. 5000.00
- Total** – **Rs. 190450.00**
- USD 450 for Registration Fee for the accompanying person (if paid by 31st Dec. '09) – Rs. 22500.00

The package cost and registration charges are in INR & include bank & wire transfer charges.

The members interested in taking the above package tour are requested to please send us the airfare, room tariff, mandatory portorage & maid charges, ISSCT Congress Fee, ISSCT Individual Membership Fee & the facilitation fee, **totalling Rs.1,90,450/-** through demand draft in favour of **“The Sugar Technologists Association of India”** payable at New Delhi. **Please note that the ISSCT Individual membership fee is to be sent to Permanent ISSCT Secretariat, Mauritius and the registration fee is to be sent to ISSCT Congress Secretariat at Mexico.**

VISA - The Indian nationals are required to take the Mexican & US visa. The visa formalities, visa fee, Congress registration forms & ISSCT membership form shall be sent to members only who are interested to participate in the above Congress.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,


P.K.N. SINGH
SECRETARY