

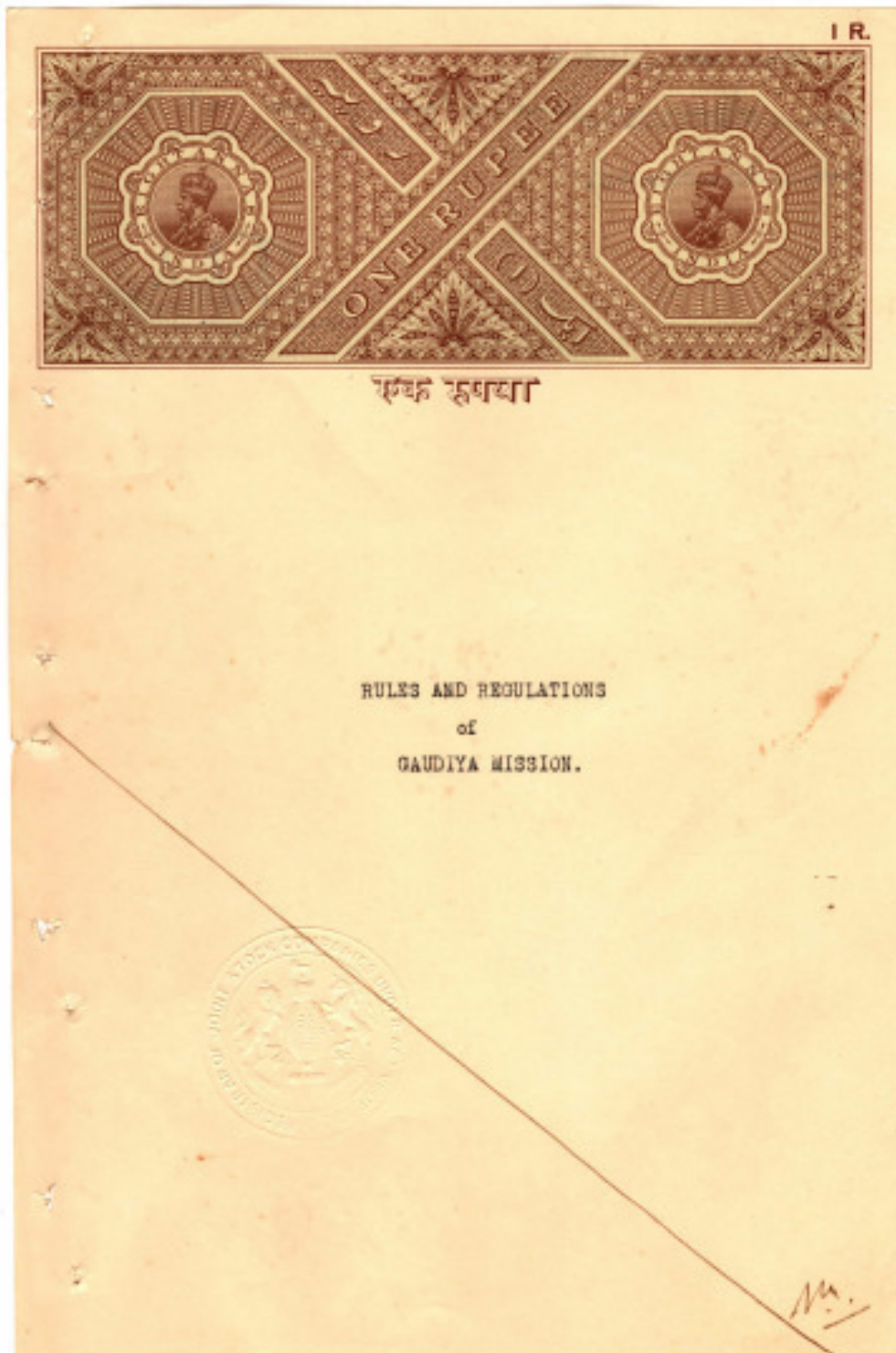
**MEMORANDUM AND ARTICLES  
OF  
ASSOCIATION  
OF  
*GAUDIYA MISSION***



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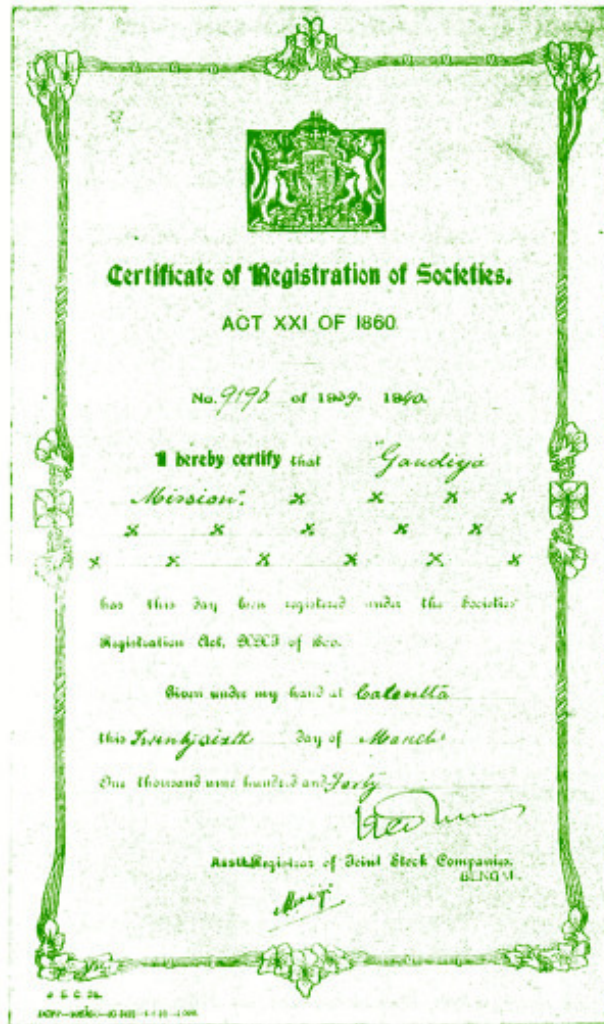
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No. 9197

In the Office of the Registrar of Companies under Act VII of 1913.

In the Matter of "Gandhiji Mission."

I do hereby certify that pursuant to Act XXI of 1909 of the Legislative Council of India,

*Memorandum of Association with  
Certified copy of rules and bye-laws  
& situation of the registered office  
of the society at 16A, Kabi Road,  
Chankinividy Street, Calcutta.*

has been this day duly filed and registered in my Office.

Dated this *twenty-sixth* day of *March*,

One Thousand Nine Hundred and *forty*.



Registrar of Companies under  
Act VII of 1913.

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Office of the Registrar of Firms, Societies & Non-Trading Corporations,  
West Bengal, P-15 India Exchange Place Extension,  
Todi-Mansion, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor, Kolkata – 700 073.

Memo No. 21 7/19

Date. 19/4/19

### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

This is to certify that the Society Named Gaudiya Mission of 15A, Kail Prasad Chakraborty Street, Bagbazar, Kolkata – 700 003 is a Registered Society under the Societies Registration Act, 1950 (Central Act XXI of 1950), bearing Registration No. 10086 dated 28-03-1940.



*[Signature]*  
19/4/19  
Registrar of Firms, Societies &  
Non-Trading Corporations,  
West Bengal.

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# Memorandum of Association Of **GAUDIYA MISSION**

### OBJECTS

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| 1.  | The name of the Society is “ <b>GAUDIYA MISSION</b> ”   | Name              |
| 2.  | The registered office of the Society shall be Situated in the State of West Bengal, now at Sri Gaudiya Math, being premises No. 16A, Kaliprasad Chakraborty Street, Baghbazar, Kolkata-700 003.   | Registered Office |
| 3.  | The objects of the Society are :-   |                   |
| (A) | To spread the doctrines and philosophy enunciated in Vaishnava Faith as preached and propounded by Lord Sri Chaitanya Mahaprabhu for the uplift, development and fulfilment of the mankind at large through the preaching of the doctrines with—<br>(a) Spread of education,<br>(b) Medical Relief,<br>(c) Relief and rehabilitation for poor & senior citizens.<br>(d) Advancement of any other objects of general public utility, not involving the carrying on of any activity for profit.   | Objects           |
| (B) | For attainment of and in carrying out the above objects the Society shall have—<br>(i) To declare and acclaim the Acharyya.<br>(ii) To initiate, teach, train and minister to persons desiring to qualify themselves as true followers of the Society through education.<br>(iii) To revive in the minds of sincere souls the eternal spirit of unalloyed love and devotion as preached by Sri Chaitanya Mahaprabhu and to encourage the study of pure Vaishnava Faith, its philosophy, doctrines, rituals and also the comparative study of and research into other systems of faiths, tenets, doctrines and school of philosophy and ethics with a view to bring about universal harmony and brotherhood on a plane of Transcendence. |                   |

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- Taking charge of the Institution and Foundation
- (iv) To maintain and protect the character, status and interest of the pure Vaishnava Faith as manifested in a pure life of constant selfless devotion to the Absolute Person and His Counterwhole associates and in the acts, speeches and writings of Acharyyas through spread of education.
- (v) To take charge of, control and conduct the following Maths, Ashramas, Institutions, foundations, publications, educational and medical institutions, printing press and printing and publishing concerns relating to the activities of the Society not for any profit, viz-

<b>3B. (a) Names of present Institutions / Preaching Centres</b>	<b>Members-in-charge</b>
1. Sri Gaudiya Math Regd. Head Office, Gaudiya Mission 16A, Kaliprasad Chakraborty Street, P. O. Bagbazar, Kolkata-700003	Sri Bhakta Das Brahmachari
2. Srimad Bhakti Siddhanta Saraswati Gaudiya Math Godrum, P. O. : Swarupganj, Dist. Nadia, W. B. Pin-741104	Tridandi Swami Bhakti Ashay Ashram Maharaj
3. Sri Kunja Kutir P. O. : Krishnanagar, Dist. Nadia, W. B. Pin-741104	Tridandi Swami Bhakti Swarup Narayan Maharaj
4. Sri Prapannashram Math Vill. & P. O. Amlajora, Dist. Burdwan, W. B. Pin-713212	Tridandi Swami Bhakti Nistha Nimi Maharaj
5. Sri Bhagavat-Janananda Math Chirulia, P. O. : Mahespur, Dist. Midnapur, W. B.	Sri Bhuban Mohan Das Brahmachary
6. Sri Purusottam Math Chatak Parvat, Goubatsahi, P. O. : Puri, Dist. Puri, Orissa, Pin-752001	Tridandiswami Bhakti Surango Shanta Maharaj.

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| 7. Sri Brahma Gaudiya Math<br>Alalnath, P. O. : Brahmagiri,<br>Dist. Puri, Orissa, Pin-752011,          | Tridandiswami Bhakti Prasun<br>Sadhu Maharaj      |
| 8. Sri Satchidananda Math<br>Oriya Bazar, P. O. : Cuttack,<br>Orissa, Pin-753001                        | Tridandiswami Bhakti Ashay<br>Akinchan Maharaj    |
| 9. Sri Madhavendra Gaudiya Math<br>P. O. : Remuna, Dist. Balasore,<br>Orissa, Pin-756019                | Tridandiswami Bhakti Baibhav<br>Bodhyan Maharaj   |
| 10. Sri Gaudiya Math<br>Mithapur, P. O. : Patna,<br>Bihar, Pin-800001                                   | Tridandiswami Bhakti Rasamoy<br>Bhaktisar Maharaj |
| 11. Sri Gaudiya Math<br>G. B. Road, P.O.- Gaya,<br>Bihar, Pin-823001                                    | Tridandiswami B. H.<br>Udasin Maharaj             |
| 12. Sri Gaudiya Math<br>Motinagar, Lucknow, U. P.<br>Pin-226004   | Tridandiswami Bhakti Sulabh<br>Shromon Maharaj    |
| 13. Sri Rupa Gaudiya Math<br>77, Tularam Bagh,<br>Allahabad, U. P.<br>Pin-211006                        | Tridandiswami Bhakti Achar<br>Abadhut Maharaj     |
| 14. Sri Sanatan Gaudiya Math<br>B8/1, Baragambhir Singh,<br>Varanasi, U. P., Pin-221001                 | Tridandiswami Bhakti Charu<br>Gobinda Maharaj     |
| 15. Sri Bhakti Keval Audulomi Gaudiya Math<br>Netaji Marg, Bechupur,<br>Mughalsarai, U. P., Pin-232101  | Sri Krishnadas Das<br>Brahmachary.                |
| 16. Sri Krishna Chaitanya Math<br>Kishorepura, P. O. : Vrindaban,<br>Dist. Mathura, U. P.<br>Pin-281128 | Tridandiswami Bhakti Sudhir<br>Sant Maharaj       |
| 17. Sri Vyas Gaudiya Math<br>P. O. : Kurukshetra<br>Dist. Kurukshetra, Haryana, Pin-132118              | Tridandiswami Bhakti Gaurav<br>Giri Maharaj       |

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| 18. Sri Gaudiya Math,<br>F/1/1, Hauz Khas Enclave,<br>New Delhi, Pin-110016                                | Tridandiswami Bhakti Deepak<br>Sridhar Maharaj    |
| 19. Sri Gaudiya Math<br>Sri Chaitanya Mahaprabhu Museum,<br>Sri Gaudiya Math, Bagbazar,<br>Kolkata-700 003 | Tridandiswami Bhakti Nistha<br>Madhusudan Maharaj |
| 20. Sri Gaudiya Math<br>Gandhi Nagar,<br>Bandra (East). Mumbai,<br>Maharashtra, Pin-400051                 | Tridandiswami Bhakti Baibhav<br>Paryatak Maharaj  |
| 21. Sri Vasudev Gaudiya Math,<br>27. Cranhurst Road. Cricklewood<br>London, N.W.-2                         | Tridandiswami Bhakti Deepak<br>Damodar Maharaj    |
| 22. Sri Chaitanya Padapith<br>Mandar Hills, P.O. Mandar,<br>Dist-Bhagalpur, Bihar                          | Tridandiswami B. T. Tapaswi<br>Maharaj            |
| 23. Sri Chaitanya Padapith<br>Jajpur, P.O. Jajpur,<br>Dist. Cuttack, Orissa                                | Tridandiswami Bhakti Chayi<br>Vishnu Maharaj      |
| 24. Sri Radha Gobinda Gaudiya Math<br>P.O. Lala, Dist - Cachar, Assam<br>Pin-788163                        | Tridandiswami Bhakti Swarup<br>Shrouti Maharaj    |
| 25. Sri Radhakunj Gaudiya Math,<br>Konai Road, Radhakund, Mathura, U.P.<br>Pin-281504.                     | Tridandiswami Bhakti Baibhav<br>Bon Maharaj.      |
| 26. Sri Bhakti Srirup Bhagbat Gaudiya Math.<br>180, Fulton Avenue, Rochester, U.S.A                        | Sri Dharma Das<br>Brahmachary.                    |
| 27. Sri Gaur Govinda Gaudiya Math,<br>Basudevpur, Khanjanchak,<br>Haldia, Midnapur ( E )                   | Tridandiswami Bhakti Sundar<br>Sagar Maharaj      |
| 28. Gaudiya Mission<br>Rodali Path, Sector-B, Lalganesh, Kamrup,<br>Guwahati-781034, Assam.                | Sri Haripada Das.                                 |

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| 29. Sri Gaudiya Math<br>Hemanta Mukherjee Sarani<br>Ward No. 30, Deshbandhu Para<br>Siliguri-734 004. | Tridandiswami B. S.<br>Swami Maharaj     |
| 30. Sri Gaudiya Math<br>Vill. Singpur,<br>P.O. Badalpur,<br>Dist. Midnapur (E)                        | Sri Nabin Madhab Brahmachari             |
| 31. Sri Bhagabat Ashram,<br>Kulusirsha, Kurmitha, Birbhum   | Sri Dulal Chandra Garai                  |
| 32. Gaudiya Mission Vidya Mandir<br>Sri B.S.S. Gaudiya Math<br>Swarupganj, Nadia                      | Tridandi Swami B. J. Janardan<br>Maharaj |

### Educational Institutions

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| 33. Gaudiya Mission Paravidyapith<br>Research Institute Sri Gaudiya Math,<br>P.O. Bagbazar. Kolkata-700 003 | Tridandiswami Bhakti Hari<br>Harijan Maharaj        |
| 34. Gaudiya Mission Grantha Mandir (Library)<br>Sri Gaudiya Math,<br>P.O. Bagbazar, Kolkata-700 003.        | Sri Achintya Das<br>Brahmachary                     |
| 35. Sri Bhaktipatra<br>Sri Gaudiya Math, P.O. Bagbazar,<br>Kolkata-700 003.                                 | Sri Dukhaharan Das<br>Brahmachary.                  |
| 36. Gaudiya Mission Publication Department,<br>Sri Gaudiya Math, P.O.- Bagbazar, Kol-3.                     | Tridandi Swami Bhakti Rakshak<br>Hrishikesh Maharaj |
| 37. Srimad Bhaktisiddhanta Saraswati<br>Sri B. S. Grantha Mandir, Godrum,<br>P.O. Swarupganj, Nadia.        | Sri Ardhendu Das                                    |
| 38. Gaudiya Mission Library<br>Sri Gaudiya Math , Motinagar,<br>Lucknow, U.P.                               | Sri Ramji Das                                       |
| 39. Sri Gaudiya Math Library,<br>F-1/1, Hauz Khas Enclave,<br>New Delhi-16,                                 | Sri Rajkishore Das<br>Brahmachari                   |

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| 40. Sri Gaudiya Math Library,<br>Mumbai, Maharashtra.  | Sri Dayal Krishna Das<br>Brahmachary |
| 41. Sri Sanatan Gaudiya Math Library,<br>Varanasi, U. P.   | Sri Tarunkrishna Das<br>Brahmachary  |
| 42. Sadhu Nivas, Sri Gaudiya Math<br>16/A, Kaliprasad Chakravarty Street.<br>Baghbazar, Kolkata-700 003                        | Sri Santa Krishna Das<br>Brahmachary |
| 43. Sri Paramartha Printing Press,<br>Sri Satchidananda Math,<br>Oriya Bazar, Cuttack-1, Orissa.                               | Sri Anadinidhan Das<br>Brahmachary   |
| 44. Sri Bhaktikeval Gouranga Lila Mandir,<br>Srimad Bhakti Siddhanta Saraswati<br>Gaudiya Math, P. O. Swarupganj, Dist. Nadia. | Sri Baladev Das<br>Brahmachary       |
| 45. Sri Krishna Chaitanya Math Library,<br>Kishorepura, Vrindaban, U.P.  | Sri Uddhab Das<br>Brahmachary        |
| 46. Sri Bhagavat Press,<br>Sri Gaudiya Math, Baghbazar, Kolkata-3  | Sri Nilmadhab Das Brahmachary        |

### Medical Institutions:

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| 47. Gaudiya Mission Medical Dispensary,<br>Sri Gaudiya Math,<br>P. O. Baghbazar, Kolkatta-700 003     | Sri Chinmayananda Das                 |
| 48. Sri Bhaktisiddhanta Saraswati<br>Charitable Dispensary, Godrum,<br>P. O. Swarupganj, Nadia.       | Sri Sabyasachi Das                    |
| 49. Sri Gaudiya Math,<br>Homeo Charitable Dispensary,<br>Motinagar, Lucknow, U. P.                    | Sri Krishna Gopal Das                 |
| 50. Gaudiya Mission Charitable Dispensary,<br>Sri Sanatan Gaudiya Math, Varanasi, U. P.               | Smt. Rekha Pal                        |
| 51. Gaudiya Mission Medical Camp,<br>Sri Gaudiya Math, Baghbazar,<br>Kolkata-700 003                  | Tridandiswamy B. M.<br>Madhab Maharaj |
| 52. Gaudiya Mission Charitable Dispensary,<br>Sri Chaitanya Mahaprabhu Path Mithapur,<br>Patna, Bihar | Smt. Kamala Pandey                    |

### Members-in-charge

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| 53. Gaudiya Mission Charitable Dispensary<br>Sri Satchidananda Math,<br>Oriyabazar, P. O. Cuttack, Orissa | Sri Ritu Das                       |
| 54. Artashram ( Leper Asylum )<br>Alalnath, P. O. Brahmagiri,<br>Dist. Puri, Orissa                       | Sri Braja Gopal Das<br>Brahmachary |
| 55. Gaudiya Mission Charitable Dispensary,<br>Sri Vyas Gaudiya Math,<br>P.O. - Kurukshetra. Hariyana.     | Sri Gajanan Das<br>Brahmachary     |
| 56. Sri Radhakunda Old Age Home<br>Sri Radhakunda Gaudiya Math,<br>P.O. - Radhakunda. Dist. Mathura       | Sri Govinda Das<br>Brahmachary     |

### 3B. (b) Name of Journals:

### Editor-in-charge

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| 1. Sri Bhaktipatra ( Monthly ) | Tridandiswami Bhakti Baibhav<br>Paryatak Maharaj |
| 2. Paramartha ( Monthly )      | Tridandiswami Bhakti Prasun<br>Sadhu Maharaj     |
| 3. Baikuntha Varta (Quarterly) | Miss Santi Roy.                                  |

### 3B. (c) Books and Publications :-

Srimad Bhagavatam, Sri Chaitanya Bhagavata, Sri Chaitanya Charitamrita, Saraswati Jayasri, Srila Prabhupader Vaktritavali, Srila Prabhupader Patravali, Sri Chaitanya Mangal, Sri Chaitanyadeva, Satkriyasardipika, Jaiva Dharma, Sri Chaitanya Shikshamrita, Gaudiya Kanthahar, Sriman Mahaprabhur Shiksha, Harinam Chintamani, Sadhak Kanthamala, Vaishnav Sahitya Virahattva, Brahman-O-Vaishnava, Chaitanya Upanishad, Dvadash Alvar, Tattva Vivek, Gaudiya Gaurab, Gaudiya Sahitya, Bhajan Rahasya, Sri Chaitanya Chandramritam and Sri Nabadwipasatakam, Gita (Baladev), Gita (Viswanath), Gita (Madhava), Yuktimalika, Vedanta, Tattvasara, Premavivarta, Dwipadigadarsan, Sadhanapatha, Goswami Raghunath Das, Nabadwipdham Granthamala, Bhaktiratnakar, Nabadwip Parikrama, Gitamala, Gitavali, Saranagati, Prembhakti-Chandrika, Kalyankalpataru, Nabadwip Shatak, Sadachar-Smriti, Nabadwip Mahatmya, Sri Nabadwipbhavataranga, Sri Gaudamandala Parikrama, Sri Brajamandal Parikrama, Sadhantattva, Arthapanchaka, Archankana, Vaishnava-Manjusha-Samahriti, Brahma-Samhita, Manimanjuri, Gour-Krishnodaya, Purusartha Vinirnaya, Tattvamuktavali, Bharatvarsha O Bhaktipatha, Isopanisad, Sri Bhubaneswar, Siddhantadarpan,

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Taking charge of  
other auxiliary  
Properties and  
Institutions

Sankhyavani, Siddhanta Saraswati Digvijaya, Satik Siksha, Dasamula Tattvasutram, Sanubad Sikshastakam, Gaudiya Mathasya Parichayah, Saramsavarnanam, Sri Brahmasamhita ( English ), Relative worlds, A few words on Vedanta, Life and precepts of Sri Chaitanya Mahaprabhu, What Gaudiya Math is doing? Erotic Principle and Unalloyed Devotion, The Bhagabat Its Philosophy etc. Rai Ramananda, The Vedanta : Its morphology and ontology. Nambhajan, Sri Krishna Chaitanya (Vol-1), Sri Bhakti Rasamrita-Sindhu, Archanpaddhati, Sri Harinam Chintamani (Oriya), Gitavali (Oriya), Saranagati (Oriya), Sri Chaitanya Sikshamritam (Telegu), Saranagati (Tamil), Srila Prabhupader Prabandhavali, Param Guru Gaur Kishore, Thakur Bhakti Vinode, Sadhan Path (Oriya), Kalyan Kalpataru (Oriya), Sri Sri Saraswati Samlap, Anubhashyam, Gaudiya Darshan, Sri Chaitanyer Prem, Tattva Sutra, Nabadwipdham Mahatmya (1st. Part). Promeya Ratnavali, Bhaktivivek Kusumanjali, Bhakti Sandarva, Sadhan Nirnaya, Sri Harinamamrita Vyakaranam, Vaishnavism-Real and Apparent (Eng.) Padma Puram, Chaitanya Lilamrita Saramu (Telegu), Srikshetra, Avatar-O-Avatari, Acharyya Parichaya, Acharyya Samlap (Sri Srimad), Upakhyane Upadesh, Upadeshamrita, Kathopodesh, Gaudabirudhabali, Giti Shahitye Sri Bhaktivinode, Gaudiya Vani (Oriya), Gaudiya Matha-Charita, Sri Chaitanyadever Baishishtya, Sri Chaitanya-Mathasrita Grihastha, Chhatrader, Bhaktivinode, Thakur Bhakti Vinode, Dutta Kaustuvam, Sri Dasmul Siksha, Sri Nabadwip Panjika, Padya Prasunmala (Srila Prabhupader). Vaishnavacharya Sri Madhava, Bhaktyalok, Sri Bhakti Vinode Bani-Baibhava, Sri Sri Bhaktivinode Prasanga, Bhakti Sudhakar (Mahamohopodeshak Srila), Sri Mahajan Geeti Mahotsab, Mather Parichaya, Sri Mahaprabhur Siksha, Sikshadasakamulam, Sri Sikshastakam, Sri Krishna Bhajanamritam, Shankalpa-Kalpadruma, Satchidananda Vani (Oriya), Sharansavarnanam, Stabaratnomala, Stotra Kaustubham, Sri Sri Harinam, Stutiratnamala, Shampradayikata Samannai, Sri Haribhakti Kalpalatika, Sri Sri Guru Maharajer Hari Katha (Vol. I to VIII). Acharyya Leelabali, Upadeshavali (Vol. I and II), Sri Krishnaprem Tarangini, Sri Bhagabat Samlap, Srila Sarswati Thakur, The Teachings and Philosophy of Lord



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Chaitanya, Map of India showing places visited by Sri Chaitanya Mahaprabhu, The Vedanta, Sayings of Vaishnva Saints, Divine Discourses, A Lecture on the Bhagabatam, Sri Sri Stavavali, Sri Bhaktivinode Giti, Harikatha (Hindi), Sri Chaitanya Vani, Sri Gaudiya Vani, The sermons of Sri Chaitanya Dev, Upakhyane Upadesh (Part I & II), Srila Acharyyapader Vaktritabali (Bengali) (Vol. I to IV), Stabamala, Gour Prasad Charitabali, Beacon Light of Transcendence, Blissful Gospels of Vaishnab Philosophy, Krishna Leela-Stab, Bhakti Siddhanta Ratnamala, Gaudiyar Thakur, Prabhupad Srila Bhakti Siddhanta Saraswati Thakur, Damodarastakam, etc, etc.

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| (vi)   | To take charge of, control and conduct other properties, and institutions now existing or that may be acquired or established as branches or as auxiliary or affiliated institutions to any of the above for carrying out all or any of the objects to the Society.  | Management & Control  |
| (vii)  | To own, hold, possess, manage, conduct or control the said Institutions and the lands, building, furniture and fittings, accessories and appurtenances thereto, printing presses, books, periodicals or other publications and the copyright thereof, motor-cars, carriages, boats, carts and livestock as also such other lands, buildings, furniture, fittings, appurtenances, and paraphernalia as they appertain to the said institutions, in particular the immovable and movable properties mentioned in schedule attached hereto and to take over, continue and maintain for ever the Seva and Services in connection there with or that may hereafter be given to acquired by or belong to this society or to any trust, affiliated or auxiliary institutions. | Construction or repair  |
| (viii) | To construct, erect new buildings, maintain, alter, extend, repair, improve and manage the buildings, and the properties movable or immovable, belonging to or in the charge, custody or control of the society.   | Encouragement of Study.   |
| (ix)   | To promote the study of Faith and research in Vaishnava literature, grant certificate of proficiency in studies and to hold examinations in such manner as the society may from time to time determine.  | Maintenance of Mathavasins  |
| (x)    | To maintain, accomodate and support with food and clothing and other necessary requisitions to those initiated persons who are or may from time to time be approved by this Society for  | Establishment and maintenance of allied institutions or Paraphernalia |

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admission as Mathavasins devoting their whole time and energy for the service of this Society and also to so maintain, accommodate and support members of the Society as and when occasion may require.

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| Establishment of Printing & Publication       | (xi) To establish, take charge of, maintain, improve and develop Chatuspathi, Tols, Vidyalyayas, Schools, Colleges, Libraries, Museums, Medical Dispensaries, Hospitals, Dharmasalas, Rest Houses, Guest Houses and buildings required for any of the purposes of this Society, or to open construct and maintain roadways, ridges, culverts, tanks and wells, means of conveyance or transport that may be required for any of the institutions or establishments of this Society or for the carrying out of any of its purposes. |
| Sending of Preachers                          | (xii) To establish, maintain and work Printing presses and to edit, compile, annotate, translate and publish books, bulletins, pamphlets, newspapers magazines, and periodicals in any language and in any part of the world not for profit but for furthering the objects of the Society and to distribute and circulate the same for promulgating and advancing the teachings of this Society.   |
| Circumambulation                              | (xiii) To send Emissaries, Scholars, Students and other suitable persons to different part of the world and bear all expenses of such tours and stay and education.  |
| Discovery of Places of Importance             | (xiv) To undertake, conduct, finance, direct regular visits, excursions, expeditions, sight-seeing tours, circumambulations of and to places relating to or connected with historical association, Great Personages, cultural heritage, social value and educational importance and the like nature in India and / or abroad.  |
| Management of Sri Visva Vaishnava Raj Sabha.  | (xv) To discover, develop and proclaim before the world, places which are or may be held Sacred by the Society and restore develop and improve the places and objects so held sacred.  |
| Management of Nabadwip Dham Pracharini Sabha. | (xvi) To carry on the work of the Association known as the Sri Viswa Vaishnava Raj Sabha with headquarter at Sri Gaudiya Math, Baghbazar, Kolkata and receive contributions, donations, subscriptions, gifts, and alms etc, belonging to or meant for Sri Visva Vaishnava Raj Sabha, the management of which is vested in the Society, the aims and objects of both being similar and to disburse, spend or in any way deal with the contributions etc. received for the purposes of the said Sabha.                               |

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- (xvii) To carry on the work of the Association known as the Sri Nabadwipdham Pracharini Sabha, the office of which is situated at Nadia, the management of which shall remain vested in this Society.
- Maintenance and improvement of the Missionaries activities.
- (xviii) To maintain and improve so far as possible the missionary propaganda and activities that are being at present carried on by the Society and to take every step to ensure that the objects of this Society may not fail or deviate in any way from the standard set up by the Acharyyas.
- (xix) To take over all the assets of the Society consisting of cash, securities, stock-in-trade, outstanding lands, gardens, tanks, temples, houses, buildings, furniture, fittings, carts, carriages, boats, cars, livestock, cultivated lands, printing presses, books and periodicals, publications and other belongings whether held by Om Vishnupada Paramahansa Sri Srimad Bhakti Siddhanta Saraswati Goswami Prabhupada of revered memory in His personal capacity or in His capacity as trustee or Acharyya held or acquired or endowed or gifted in his name or in the name of any of the succeeding Acharyyas of Gaudiya Mission in the Amnaya line or in the name of any one or more of his disciples or of any such succeeding Acharyyas in their personal capacities or in their capacities as trustees, sebaits or secretary or in the name of presiding Deities of Sri Chaitanya Math or of Sri Gaudiya Math or any branch Math of Gaudiya Mission or in any way appertaining to this society or collected by any members of the Mission in the name of Gaudiya Mission and / or Gaudiya Math. To receive and preserve articles in use by Srila Prabhupada and by any of the succeeding Acharyyas and maintain them as relics held in veneration by the Society.
- Taking over charge of all assets and properties
- (xx) To invest the money of the society that may not for the time being be required for the purposes of the Society and to transpose and vary any investment in such manner as may from time to time be determined by the rules and constitution of the society and to dispose of the same or any part thereof as may be deemed expedient and necessary by the Society.
- Investment
- (xxi) To purchase, hire or otherwise acquire, receive or hold property donated or given to the Society for all or any of its purpose and to collect money through alms, subscriptions and donations, to accept gifts and grants-in-aid on such terms as the Society may consider reasonable and to borrow or raise money upon or by the issue of bonds, debentures, bills of exchange,
- Purchasing Receiving gifts and borrowing

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Sale or lease	<p>promissory notes or other obligations or securities of the Society or by mortgage, hypothecation, charge or transfer of sale any part of the property of the society for the benefit, up-keep and advancement of the purposes of the Society.</p> <p>(xxii) To sell, exchange, improve, grant or take lease, dispose of or to otherwise deal with any part of the properties of the Society for the purposes of Society or for advancement of the cause of the Society.</p> <p>(xxiii) To apply all offerings, subscriptions, donations, profits, incomes, rents, rights, interests, privileges arising from the properties of this Society or otherwise solely for the promotion of the objects of this Society so that no portion thereof shall be paid or transferred directly or indirectly by way of honorarium, remuneration, gratification, allowance, dividends, bonuses or otherwise how-soever by way of profits to any member or ex-member of this Society or any other person claiming through or under any of them. Provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent payment in good faith of remuneration to any officer, servant or employee of this Society or other persons for any services actually rendered to the Society on such condition as may be duly stipulated with the Society.</p>
Application of Income	
Acceptance of Trust or Endowment	<p>(xxiv) To accept, undertake and carry out the execution of any trusts or endowments which this Society may deem to be directly and indirectly conducive to its interests.</p>
Maintenance of accounts and records	<p>(xxv) To maintain records, books and accounts etc. and compile and issue reports of work done and transactions and proceeding of this Society and to publish them from time to time in such manner as may be prescribed and required by this Society and under the law.</p>
Rules & Regulations	<p>(xxvi) To frame rules and regulations and by-laws in connection with the management, control and attainment of the objects of the society as may be required from time to time and law down rules for qualification of its membership and classification of its members and their privileges.</p>
Doing things useful or beneficial to the Society	<p>(xxvii) To do all such other things as may be incidental or conducive to the attainment of the aims and objects of the Society or any of them or to the carrying out of any purpose deemed useful or beneficial to the interest of this Society.</p>

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**4(a). NAMES, ADDRESSES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF THE  
PRESENT MEMBERS OF GOVERNING BODY  
as on 16th September, 2020.**

Sl. No.	Name	Address	Description
1.	His Divine Grace Om Vishnupada Paramahansa (108) Sri Srimad Bhakti Sundar Sanyasi Maharaj.	Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kaliprasad Chakrabarty Street. Kolkata-700 003.	President & Acharyya.
2.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Promod Puri Maharaj.	Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kaliprasad Chakrabarty Street. Kolkata-700 003.	Secretary, Chief Executive Officer.
3.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Nistha Nyasi Maharaj.	Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kaliprasad Chakrabarty Street. Kolkata-700 003.	Addl. Secretary.
4.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Charu Govinda Maharaj.	Sri Sanatan Gaudiya Math, Varanasi, U.P.	Asst. Secretary & Superintendent.
5.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Deepak Sridhar Maharaj.	Sri Gaudiya Math, F1/1, Hauz Khas, New Delhi-110016.	Asst. Secretary & Superintendent.
6.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Ashay Ashram Maharaj.	Sri Bhakti Siddhanta Saraswati Gaudiya Math, Swarupganj, Nadia.	Superintendent.
7.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami Bhakti Baibhav Paryatak Maharaj.	Sri Gaudiya Math, Gandhi Nagar, Bandra (E), Mumbai.	Preacher & Superintendent.
8.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami Bhakti Bandhab Baishnab Maharaj.	Sri Gaudiya Math, Bagbazar, Kolkata-3	Preacher.

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**NAMES, ADDRESSES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF THE  
PRESENT MEMBERS OF GOVERNING BODY  
as on 16th September, 2020.**

Sl. No.	Name	Address	Description
9.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Achar Abadhoot Maharaj.	Sri Rupa Gaudiya Math, Allahabad-6, U.P.	Preacher & Superintendent.
10.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Prasun Sadhu Maharaj.	Sri Brahma Gaudiya Math, Alalnath, Puri.	Preacher & Superintendent.
11.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Sudhir Sant Maharaj.	Sri Krishna Chaitanya Math, Vrindaban, Mathura.	Preacher & Superintendent.
12.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Nistha Nimi Maharaj.	Sri Prapannashram, Amlajora, Burdwan	Superintendent.

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**4(b). NAMES, ADDRESSES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF THE  
PRESENT MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL  
as on 16th September, 2020.**

Sl. No.	Name	Address	Description
1.	His Divine Grace Om Vishnupada Paramahansa (108) Sri Srimad Bhakti Sundar Sanyasi Maharaj.	Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kaliprasad Chakrabarty Street. Kolkata-700 003.	President & Acharyya.
2.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami Bhakti Promod Puri Maharaj.	Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kaliprasad Chakrabarty Street. Kolkata-700 003.	Secretary, Chief Executive Officer.
3.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Nistha Nyasi Maharaj.	Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kaliprasad Chakrabarty Street. Kolkata-700 003.	Addl. Secretary.
4.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Ashay Ashram Maharaj.	Sri Bhakti Siddhanta Saraswati Gaudiya Math, Swarupganj, Nadia.	Superintendent.
5.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Baibhav Paryatak Maharaj.	Sri Gaudiya Math, Gandhi Nagar, Bandra (E), Mumbai.	Preacher & Superintendent.
6.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Bandhab Baishnab Maharaj.	Sri Gaudiya Math, Bagbazar, Kolkata-3	Preacher.
7.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Achar Abadhoot Maharaj.	Sri Rupa Gaudiya Math, Allahabad-6, U.P.	Preacher & Superintendent.
8.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Charu Govinda Maharaj.	Sri Sanatan Gaudiya Math, Varanasi, U.P.	Asst. Secretary & Superintendent.

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**NAMES, ADDRESSES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF THE  
PRESENT MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL  
as on 16th September, 2020.**

Sl. No.	Name	Address	Description
9.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Prasun Sadhu Maharaj.	Sri Brahma Gaudiya Math, Alalnath, Puri.	Preacher & Superintendent.
10.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Sudhir Sant Maharaj.	Sri Krishna Chaitanya Math, Vrindaban, Mathura.	Preacher & Superintendent.
11.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Deepak Sridhar Maharaj.	Sri Gaudiya Math, F1/1, Hauz Khas, New Delhi-110016.	Asst. Secretary & Superintendent.
12.	His Holiness Tridandiswami Bhakti Nistha Nimi Maharaj.	Sri Prapannashram, Amlajora, Burdwan.	Superintendent.
13.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. H. Harijan Maharaj	Sri Gaudiya Math, Bagbazar, Kolkata-3	In-charge, Para- Vidyapeeth & Research Institute
14.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. S. Shrouti Maharaj	Sri Radha Gobinda Gaudiya Math, Lala Cachar, Assam	Preacher & In-charge
15.	Sri Haripada Das	Sri Gaudiya Mission, Rodali Path, Sector-B, Lalganesh, Dist. Kamrup, Guwahati- 781034, Assam	Math-In-charge,
16.	Sri Baladev Das Brahmachari	Sri B. S. S. Gaudiya Math, Sri Godrum, Nadia	In-charge, Sri Bhakti Keval Leela Mandir
17.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. B. Bon Maharaj	Sri Radhakunj Gaudiya Math, Konai Road Radhakunda, Mathura	Preacher & Math-In- charge



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**NAMES, ADDRESSES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF THE  
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Sl. No.	Name	Address	Description
18.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami Bhakti Sar Maharaj	Sri Gaudiya Math, Mithapur Patna	Math-In-charge
19.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. N. Madhusudan Maharaj	Bagbazar, Kolkata-700 003	In-charge Sri Chaitanya Mahaprabhu Museum
20.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. S. Swami Maharaj	Sri Gaudiya Math, Hemanta Mukherjee Sarani, Deshbandhu para, Siliguri	Math-In-charge
21.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. T. Tapaswi Maharaj	Sri Purushottom Math, Chatak Parbat, Puri, Odisha	In-charge, Sri Chaitanya Padapeeth, Mandar Hill, Judgepur, Dist. Cuttack, Odisha
22.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami, B. C. Vishnu Maharaj	Sri Gaudiya Math, Bagbazar, Kolkata-700 003	In-charge Sri Chaitanya Padapeeth, P.O. Jajpur, Dist. Cuttack
23.	Sri Bhakti Swarup Narayan Maharaj	Sri Kunja Kuthir Math, Krishnagar, Nadia	Math-In-charge
24.	Sri Ardhendu Das	Purandarpur, Birbhum	In-charge, B. S. Saraswati Gaudiya Grantha Mandir
25.	Sri Dukhaharan Das	Sri Gaudiya Math, Bagbazar, Kolkata-700 003	In-charge, Bhaktipatra
26.	Sri Ramji Das	13, Murtaza Hussain Road, Lucknow	In-charge, Gaudiya Math Library, Lucknow
27.	Sri Uddhab Das	Sri Krishna Chaitanya Math, Kishorapura, Vrindaban	In-charge Library, Vrindavan

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**NAMES, ADDRESSES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF THE  
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Sl. No.	Name	Address	Description
28.	Sri Dulal Garai	33/11, Beharilal Ghosh Road, Rathtala, Kolkata-700 037	In-charge, Sri Bhagwat Ashram, Birbhum
29.	Sri Tarun Krishna Das	Sri Sanatan Gaudiya Math, 8/17, Baragambhir, Varanasi	In-charge, Library, Varanasi
30.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. G. Giri Maharaj	Sri Vyas Gaudiya Math, Kurukshetra, Hariyana	Math In-charge
31.	Sri Dayal Krishna Das Brahmachari	Sri Gaudiya Math, Bandra (East), Mumbai	In-charge , Gaudiya Math Library, Mumbai
32.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. H. Udasin Maharaj	Sri Gaudiya Math, Gautam Buddha Road, Gaya	Math-In-charge
33.	Sri Gobinda Das Brahmachari	Sri Radha Kunja Gaudiya Math, Radhakunda, Mathura	In-charge, Radhakunda Old-Age-Home
34.	Sri Chinmoyananda Das	Sri Gaudiya Math, Bagbazar, Kolkata-3	In-charge, Charitable Dispensary
35.	Sri Sabyasachi Das	Sri B. S. Saraswati Gaudiya Math, Swarupganj, Nadia	In-charge, B.S.S. Gaudiya Math Charitable Dispensary
36.	Sri Bhuban Mohan Das Brahmachari	Sri Bhagabat Janananda Math, Chirulia, Midnapur	Math-In-charge
37.	Sri Krishna Gopal Das	13, Murtaza Hussain Road, Lucknow, U.P.	In-charge, Sri Gaudiya Math, Charitable Dispensary, Lucknow
38.	Sri Bhakta Das Brahmachari	Sri Gaudiya Math, Bagbazar, Kolkata-700 003	Math In-charge

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**NAMES, ADDRESSES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF THE  
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Sl. No.	Name	Address	Description
39.	Sri Nilmadhab Das Brahmachari	Sri Bhagabat Gaudiya Math, Rochester, U.S.A.	In-charge, Bhagwat Press, Bagbazar, Kolkata.
40.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. M. Madhab Maharaj	Sri Gaudiya Math, Bagbazar, Kolkata-700 003	In-charge of Medical Camp of West Bengal
41.	Sri Gajanan Das Brahmachari	Sri Vyas Gaudiya Math, Kurukshetra, Hariyana	In-charge, Charitable Dispensary, Kurukshetra
42.	Sri Dharma A. Das, Dharmadas Brahmachari	Sri Bhagabat Gaudiya Math, Rochester, U.S.A.	Math-In-charge
43.	His Holiness B. A. Akinchan Maharaj	Sri Satchidananda Math, Cuttack, Odisha	Math-In-charge
44.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. D. Damodar Maharaj	Sri Basudev Gaudiya Math, 27, Cranhurst Road, London, U.K.	Math-In-charge
45.	Smt. Rekha Pal	8/21, Baragambhirsing, Sonarpura, Varanasi	In-charge, Sri Sanatan Gaudiya Math Charitable Dispensary, Varanasi
46.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. S. Shraman Maharaj	Sri Gaudiya Math, Motinagar, Lucknow, U. P.	Math-In-charge
47.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. S. Santa Maharaj	Sri Purushottam Math, Chatak Parbat, Puri, Odisha	Math-In-charge
48.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. S. Sagar Maharaj	Sri Gaurgobinda Gaudiya Math, Vasudevpur, Haldia, Midnapur (E)	Math-In-charge
49.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. B. Bodhayan Maharaj	Sri Madhabendra Gaudiya Math, Remuna, Balasore, Odisha	In-charge

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**NAMES, ADDRESSES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF THE  
PRESENT MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL  
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Sl. No.	Name	Address	Description
50.	Smt. Kamala Pandey	House No. 3, Road no. 10, Patel Nagar, Patna-3	In-charge, Gaudiya Math Charitable Dispensary, Patna
51.	ri Braja Gopal Das Brahmachari	Sri Brahma Gaudiya Math, Alalnath, Puri	In-charge, Artashram Alalnath
52.	Sri Krishna Das Brahmachari	Sri Bhakti Keval Audulomi Gaudiya Math, Mughalsarai, U. P.	Math-In-charge
53.	Sri Raj Kishore Das	Sri Gaudiya Math, F-1/1, Hauz Khas Enclave, New Delhi-100 016	In-charge, Library, Gaudiya Math, New Delhi
54.	Sri Ritu Das	Sri Satchidananda Math, Oriya Bazar, Cuttack	In-charge, Charitable Dispensary, Cuttack
55.	His Holiness Tridandi Swami B. R. Hrishikesh Maharaj	Sri Gaudiya Math, Bagbazar, Kolkata-00 003	In-charge, Gaudiya Mission. Publication Department, Kolkata.
56.	Sri Anadi Nidhan Das Brahmachari	Sri Gaudiya Math, Bagbazar, Kolkata-700 003	Sri Paramartha Printing Work, Satchidananda Math, Cuttack
57.	Sri Santa Krishna Das	Sri Gaudiya Math, Bagbazar, Kokata-700 003.	In-charge, Guest House Sri Gaudiya Math, Kolkata
58.	Sri Achintya Madhab Das Brahmachari	Sri Gaudiya Math, Bagbazar, Kolkata	In-charge, Gaudiya Mission Grantha Mandir (Library)
59.	Sri Nabin Madhab Das	Sri Gaudiya Math, Vill. Singpur, P.O. Badalpur, P.S. Sabang, Dist. Midnapur (W), Pin-721 166	In-charge, Sri Gaudiya Math, Singpur, Sabang, Midnapur (W)
60.	H.H.T.S. B. J. Janardan Maharaj	Sri B. S. S. Gaudiya Math, Swarupganj, Nabadwip	In-charge, Gaudiya Mission Vidya Mandir

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**4(c). NOMINEES OF SRILA ACHARYADEBA  
IN THE COUNCIL  
as on 16th September, 2020.**

Sl. No.	Name	Address	Description
1.	Miss Kamala Das	5B,541/A, Rabindra Sarani, Kol-3.	House holder Devotee
2.	Satya Narayan Goel Alias Sri Satyabrata Das Adhikari.	5A, 541/A, Rabindra Sarani, Kol-3.	—do—
3.	Anil Pal Alias Sri Atul Krishna Das Adhikari.	Deshbandhu Para, Siliguri, North Bengal.	—do—
4.	Smt. Annapurna Dasgupta.	Sri Sanatan Gaudiya Math, B8/17, Baragambhir Singh, Sonarpura, Varanasi, U. P.	Retired school Mistress.
5.	Smt. Abantika Garai	5B, 541/A, Rabindra Sarani, Kolkata-03	House holder Devotee
6.	Sri Madhabendra Das Brahmachari	Sri B. S. S. Gaudiya Math, Swarupganj, Dist-Nadia.	Mathvasin

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**4(d). MEMBERS ELECTED BY THE DISCIPLES  
IN THE COUNCIL  
as on 16th September, 2020.**

Sl. No.	Name	Address	Description
1.	Jagannath Bhakat	AK-49, Sector-II, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700 091	House Holder, Devotee
2.	Sri Thakur Das Ghose.	Vill & Post – Itinda 24 Paraganas (North)	Teacher.
3.	Sri Radhakanta Das Brahmachary.	Sri Gaudiya Math Bagbazar, Kolkata-3	Mathvashin.
4.	Sri Lakshmipati Das Brahmachary.	Sri Basudev Gaudiya Math, 27, Cranhurst Road, London, U. K.	Mathvashin.
5.	Sri Dulal Garai.	33/11, Beharilal Ghosh Road, Rathtala, Kol-57.	Retired.
6.	Kumari Mani Manjuri Dasi.	5B, 541/A, Rabindra Sarani, Kol-3.	Disciple.

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**We, the following persons whose names and addresses are subscribed hereto are desirous of being formed into a Society in pursuance of the above Memorandum of the Association under the Societies Registration Act ( Act xxi of 1860).**

Sl. No.	Signature	Address & Description of Signatory	Name, Addresses and Description of witnesses
1.	Sd. Sundarananda Vidyavinode.	Dacca, Narinda Editor, Gaudiya.	Sd. J. Prasad, Dy. Magistrate, Purnea.
2.	" Amritananda Sevabilas.	Sri Kunjakutir, Krishnanagar, Nadia.	– do –
3.	" Aghadaman Brahmachary.	Sri Chaitanya Math, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –
4.	" Lala Madan Mohan Roy.	Baripada, Mayurbhanj State Acct. Settlement.	– do –
5.	" Jatindra Kumar Ghosh.	Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kali Prasad Chakrabarty St. Kol-3. Asst. Secretary.	– do –
6.	" Bhujanga Bhushan Sarkar.	Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kali Prasad Chakrabarty St. Kol-3.	– do –
7.	" Aprameya Das Adhikary.	Preacher, Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kali Prasad Chakrabarty Street. Kolkata-700 003.	– do –
8.	" Mahapurush Das Adhikary.	Preacher, Darjeeling Gaudiya Math.	– do –
9.	" Netrananda Brahmachary.	Preacher, Sri Sanatan Gaudiya Math, Benaras.	– do –

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Sl. No.	Signature	Address & Description of Signatory	Name, Addresses and Description of witnesses
10.	" Anadi Krishna Brahmachary.	Preacher, Sri Bidyanidhi Gaudiya Math, Chittagang.	Sd. Manmatha Nath Sen, 32, Lansdown Rd. Kolkata.
11.	" Kishori Mahan Pal.	Headmaster, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –
12.	" Nandalal Roy.	Mathuri, Tamluk, Midnapur, Service.	– do –
13.	" Raghunath Mahapatra.	Retired Seristadar, Baripada, Mayurbhanj State.	– do –
14.	" Nagendra Gopal Biswas, M. B.	Doctor, P. O. Bagerhat, Dist. Khulna.	– do –
15.	" Kshiroda Chandra Sen.	Retired Supdg. Engr, R. B. Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kali Prasad Chakrabarty Street, Baghbazar, Kol-3.	– do –
16.	" Nanda Gopal Brahmachary.	Preacher, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –
17.	" Bilas Bigraha Das Adhikary.	Govt. Accountant, Sri Satchidananda Math, Cuttack, Orissa.	– do –
18.	" Hridayananda Das Adhikary.	Talukdar, Jangalbari, Mymensingh.	– do –
19.	" Girindra Gobardhan Brahmachary.	Preacher, Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kali Prasad Chakrabarty Street. Baghbazar, Kol-3.	– do –



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Sl. No.	Signature	Address & Description of Signatory	Name, Addresses and Description of witnesses
20.	” Sridham Das.	Preacher, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –
21.	” Joti Sekhar Brahmachary.	Preacher, Ganjam, Berhampur.	– do –
22.	” Nilmanidas Brahmachary.	Bhagabat Press, Krishnanagar, Nadia.	– do –
23.	” Hari Kishore Das.	Preacher, Chakdaha, P.O. Nadia	– do –
24.	” Supati Ranjan Nag.	Pleader, Judges Court, Dacca. Govt. Auditor, Patna.	– do –
25.	” Madhusudan Chatterjee.	Preacher, Model House, Lucknow.	– do –
26.	” Jadabananda Das Brahmachary.	Religious Preacher, Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kali Prasad Chakraborty St, Baghbazar, Kol-3.	– do –
27.	” Bhakti Pradip Tirtha.	Religious Preacher, Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kali Prasad Chakraborty St, Baghbazar, Kol-3.	– do –
28.	” Nripanchasa Brahmachary.	Preacher, Sri Chaitanya Math, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –
29.	” Shyam Sundar Brahmachary.	Doctor, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –
30.	” Motilal Ghosh.	10, Aush Bazar Road, P.O.-Bishnupur, Dist.-Bankura. Preacher, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –

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Sl. No.	Signature	Address & Description of Signatory	Name, Addresses and Description of witnesses
31.	” Subhavilas Das Adhikary.		– do –
32.	” Rupavilas Brahmachary.	Preacher, Sri Rupa Gaudiya Math, Allahabad.	– do –
33.	” Bhakti Sambal Bhagabat.	Religious Preacher, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –
34.	” Bhakti Baibhav Sagar.	Religious Preacher, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –
35.	” Joytiravyantarrup Brahmachary.	Preacher, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –
36.	” Jagamohan Das Brahmachary.	Preacher, Nimser, U. P.	– do –
37.	” Bhabataran Das Brahmachary.	Preacher, Dumarkunda, Manbhumi.	– do –
38.	” Anadi Govinda Brahmachary.	Preacher, Barsana, Muttra, U.P.	– do –
39.	” Gour Chanda Banerjee.	Service, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –
40.	” Anantaram Brahmachary.	Preacher, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –
41.	” Adhiyajna Purushottam Das Brahmachary.	Preacher, Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kali Prasad Chakrabarty Street, Kol-3 Preacher,	– do –

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Sl. No.	Signature	Address & Description of Signatory	Name, Addresses and Description of witnesses
42.	” Pashupal pankajadrik Das.	Mithapur, Patna.  Preacher, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –  – do –
43.	” Harivinode Dasadhikary.	Preacher, Russulkanda, Ganjam.	– do –
44.	” Tribhuban Mohan Das Brahmachary.	Preacher, Sri Mayapur, Nadia.	– do –
45.	” Ujjvala Nilmani Das Adhikary.	Preacher, Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kali Prasad Chakrabarty Street, Kol-3.	– do –
46.	” Kabi Bhushan Brahmachary.	Merchant, 16, Bhagaban Banerjee Lane, Kolkata.	– do –
47.	” Nitya Gopal Ghosh.	Zamindar, Sri Gaudiya Math, 16A, Kali Prasad Chakrabarty Street, Kolkata-3.	– do –
48.	” Sachinath Roy Chaudhury.		

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**RULES AND REGULATIONS  
OF**

**GAUDIYA MISSION**

(Registered under Act XXI of 1860 on 26.3.1940)

**Preliminary Definitions**

1. (a) The “Society” or “Mission” shall mean “GAUDIYA MISSION” ( Regtd.) with all its branches in India and abroad.
- (b) “Registered Office” shall mean the registered office of the Society or Mission at 16A, Kaliprasad Chakraborty Street, Baghbazar, Kolkata.
- (c) Congregation shall mean assembly of Disciples of Gaudiya Mission, General Meeting / Extra ordinary general Meeting shall mean General Meeting / Extra ordinary General Meeting of the Members of the society.
- (d) “Governing Body” shall mean the Governing Body of Society.
- (e) “Council” shall mean the Council of the Society.
- (f) “Year” and “Month” shall mean the English Calendar year and month respectively.
- (g) “Member” shall mean registered member of the Society, ordinary or special, as the case may be.
- (h) ‘Math member’ shall mean a registered member of the Society, who has espoused and adopted life, practices and rules of Math under the society and has fully and whole heartedly devoted himself to the service of the Math where he resides, also known as “Mathavasin”.
- (i) ‘President’, ‘Acharyya’, ‘Secretary’, ‘Additional Secretary’, ‘Special Officer’, shall respectively mean President, Acharyya, Secretary, Additional Secretary, special officer of the Society.
- (j) ‘Rules and Regulations’ shall mean the Rules and Regulations of the Society.
- (k) “Register” shall mean the Register or Registers of members of the Society, Ordinary or special.
- (l) Words denoting singular number shall include the plural number and vice versa and words denoting masculine gender shall include feminine gender.

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- (m) Words not defined in the Rules and Regulations shall have the meaning assigned to them under the General Clauses Act, 1897.

### Members

2. Adherents of the Line of the Apostolic order of the Acharyyas commencing from Sri Swarupa-Rupa Goswamins to Srila Prabhupada, Srimad Bhakti Siddhanta Saraswati Goswami and upon His lamented demise to the Acharyya at the time of the incorporation of this society and his successors, initiated in Harinam or Diksha by any of the Holy Acharyya succeeding the said Prabhupada, and having shown active interest in the objects and work of the Society to the satisfaction of the Governing Body shall be eligible to be admitted as ordinary member of the Society. No one shall be admitted as a member of the Society without the previous approval of the Governing Body of the Society. Before admission as a member with such approval all such persons will be regarded as disciples.

Ordinary  
Members

#### 2 A. Functions and duties of a member :-

- (i) He / She shall lead him / her as a strict adherent to ideals and tenets preached by Swarupa - Rupa Goswamins to Srila Prabhupad Bhakti Siddhanta Saraswati Goswami and the Acharyyas succeeding him.
- (ii) He / She shall participate in daily Puja, Seba, Arati and Sankirtan.
- (iii) He / She shall render relentless services and / or perform all jobs allocated and / or entrusted with for Seba etc. always name of Bhagaban Sri Krishan Chaitanya Mahaprabhu. Such jobs may be allocated by the Secretary of the Mission in General and Math-in-charge in particular.
- (iv) He / She shall maintain strict discipline of Vaishnav order in general and be a true devotee and be ever sincere in keeping with Vaishnav Culture.
- (v) He / She shall see that no harm or loss is caused to the property, assets of any kind and / or tarnish the good and divine name of the Gaudiya Mission by any of his or her direct and / or indirect activities.

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- (vi) He / She shall not do any act, deed or thing which may effect physically and / or mentally any Mathvasin and / or Brahmachary and / or Sannyasi and / or a devotee.
- (vii) He / She shall not censure and / or speak ill of others in general, the Mathvasins in particular. He / She shall be ardently an honest person.

### SPECIAL MEMBER

Special  
Members

3. Members who have rendered meritorious service towards the furtherance of the aims and objects of the Society and / or whose character and conduct are marked by spiritual and moral eminence and / or who are possessed of deep devotion and unshakable faith thereto may be designated by the Governing Body with the approval of the Acharyya as special members.
4. By virtue of and as a condition of any person being initiated and admitted as a Math Member (Mathavasin), he doth hereby empower and authorize the Secretary or the additional Secretary or the Assistant Secretary of the Mission to represent him as his authorized and legal agent in any suit or proceedings including appeal, revision etc, civil, criminal, revenue or otherwise by or against singly or jointly, and to represent him before any tribunal Board, Office, officers, local or Tax authority, Banks or Post Offices.
5. By virtue of and as a condition of any person being initiated and admitted as "Math Member" (Mathavasin) whatever properties movable or immovable including money he may acquire, secure or collect in his name, jointly or singly, during Math life, shall be deemed to have been aquired, secured or collected for and on behalf of the society and "shall belong wholly and exclusively to the society i.e. Gaudiya Mission and none else".
6. As one renounces the world on becoming a "Math Member" (Mathavasin), the Mission shall be deemed and regarded as his sole heir and legal representative in repect of all his earthly possession, movable, immovable, money etc. acquired by him singly or jointly during the Math life by him, including right of property in suit and proceedings accruing from or arising out of his death.

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7. On becoming a "Math Member" (Mathavasin), if he leaves the said Mission at any time, hereafter, the properties acquired by him during Math life, shall always be deemed to belong to the said Mission, which alone shall be entitled to deal exclusively with such properties and take, defend or prosecute all actions and proceedings relating thereto or arising therefrom.
8. The Secretary shall maintain separate registers before the Governing Body at its meeting once in every year before the end of August. The Governing Body shall have the right to add to, alter, modify or cancel or to rectify any entry in the Register of ordinary members and also, with the approval of the Acharyya, in the Register of special members.
9. Registers approved by the Governing Body shall be regarded as the final and authentic register of the member and shall not be questioned and any extract therefrom certified by the Secretary as true copy shall be conclusive proof thereof.
10. The Registers shall be open for inspection by any member on written application to the Secretary at least seven days prior to such inspection. Such inspection shall only take place between 3 and 4 P. M. on any week-day excepting holidays, and objections, if any, to any entry in the register may be filed before the end of the month of June. All such objections shall be considered by the Governing Body before the end of August every year and its decision shall be final.
11. Adherents of the line of Apostolic order of Acharyyas shall be eligible to be admitted as members of the Society under provision of Article 2 & 2A of the constitution, shall be called and classified as Disciples".

### DISCIPLE MEETING

12. Disciples will assemble every year in a congregation to be held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of Shri Krishna-Jayanti-Utsab at Sri Gaudiya Math, 16/A, Kaliprasad Chakraborty Street, Baghbazar, Kolkata or on the third day of Shri Gour-Jayanti-Utsab at Srimad Bhakti Siddhanta Saraswati Gaudiya Math, Swarupganj, Nadia, at a time fixed and notified by the Secretary on the notice board of the said Math on the first day of the Utsab for consideration of the following matters :-
  - (i) Allegiance and Homage to the Acharyya.
  - (ii) Confirmation of proceedings of last congregation.
  - (iii) Discussion about working of the Mission and suggestions thereon.
  - (iv) Inspection of the Register of members of the Mission and consideration thereof.
  - (v) Any other matter that may be raised with the consent of the congregation.
13. A chairman of the meeting will be elected by the Disciples present, in the event the president and Acharyya is unable to attend such congregation.

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14. Matters will be decided “by majority members and by show of hands.”
15. Minutes of the meeting will be maintained by the Secretary or any of his assistants.

### **The Acharyya**

16. Gaudiya Mission will practise and preach the doctrines and Philosophy of pure Vaishnava faith as described in Srimad Bhagbatam and propounded by Sri Krishna Chaitanya Mahaprabhu and practised and taught by Gaudiya Vaishnava Acharyya in Amnaya Line from Sri Swarup Damodar Goswami, Sri Sanatan-Rupa-Raghunatha-Jiva Goswamins down to Srila Thakur Bhakti Vinode and Om Vishnupada Paramhansa (108) Sri Srimad Bhakti Siddhanta Saraswati Goswami Prabhupada of revered memory.

On the departure of Prabhupada on 1.1.1937, his disciple Om Vishnupada Paramahansa Parivrajakacharyyavaryya (108) Sri Srimad Bhakti Prasad Puri Goswami Thakur was duly declared and acclaimed as Acharyya on the 26th March, 1937. On his retirement Srila Bhakti Pradip Tirtha Goswami Maharaj was duly declared and acclaimed as Acharyya in 1950 on the same Amnaya line. On His departure on 20.12.1953, Srimad Bhakti Keval Audulomi Maharaj was duly declared and acclaimed on 16.2.1954 as the succeeding Acharyya on the same Amnaya Line. On His ascension on 6.1.82 Srimad Bhakti Srirup Bhagabat Goswami Maharaj was duly declared and acclaimed on 14.2.1982 as the succeeding Acharyya on the same Amnaya Line. On His ascension from this mundame world on 13.2.93, the present Acharyya Srimad Bhakti Suhrid Paribrajak Maharaj was duly nominated by His predecessor declared and acclaimed on 18.11.2018, as the succeeding Acharyya on the same Amnaya Line.

17. The Acharyya must be a Tyagi Vaishnava. He shall exercise supreme and exclusive control over the spiritual and religious functions of the Society and all its affiliated institutions and over the spiritual and devotional writings of the society, and He shall have the right, power and privilege of initiating any person into spiritual life of Harinama, Diksha, Sannyas or Babajibesh who in his opinion has, by his character and spiritual attainment, proved himself worthy of such initiation.
18. The Acharyya shall be the Ex-officio President of the Society as well as the Governing Body, the Council and the Visva Vaishnava Raj-Sabha (Patra-Raj) and also the Ex-officio Karyyapati of the Navadwipdham Pracharini Sabha.
19. The Acharyya shall not be removable either by the Governing Body or the Council or the General meeting of members.



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20. The Acharyya shall exercise a visitatorial supervision over all the affairs of the society but He shall have no liability for accounts nor shall He have any direct responsibility for the administrative or day to day work of the Society.
20. (a) In the event the society faces unsurmountable difficulties or any crisis in any sphere of the society, then on the prayer of the Governing Body the Acharyya may intervene and cause Himself involved.
21. The Acharyya shall have full authority to appoint or remove Editors of Journals and Periodicals.
22. The Acharyya will have the liberty to withdraw and retire whenever He feels by intuitive Divine call to do so from the administration of the society and all functions associated therewith.
23. The Acharyya shall be entitled to nominate in writing His Successor Acharyya. But if he does not so nominate, He shall be entitled to vest five members of the Council to be named by Him in writing with the power of nominating and declaring His successor within a month upon His demise, withdrawal or retirement. The successor so nominated and declared shall be final and binding on the society and shall be announced before the Congregation within three weeks from the date of such nomination for the acclamation as the Acharyya of the Mission subject to acceptance of three-fourth members of the congregation.
24. In case the Acharyya departs from this life, withdraws or retires without Himself making any nomination or without naming five nominees of the Council or if the said five nominees fail to make the declaration in writing within a month of His demise, withdrawal or retirement, the Governing Body shall within 4 weeks there from convene a special meeting of its own for nominating the Successor Acharyya, and such nomination shall be placed before the Council within 3 weeks of such nomination and thereafter within 4 weeks of the date of meeting of the Council before the congregation at their respective special meetings to be convened for the purpose. In case either three-fourths of the members present in the Council or four-fifths of the members present in the Congregation do not accept the nomination, the Governing Body shall have the exclusive right to declare and acclaim the Successor within 3 weeks of the non-acceptance of the nomination by either of the two aforesaid bodies and the Acharyya so declared by the Governing Body shall be final and binding on all and be accepted as the Successor Acharyya of the Mission.
25. All meetings of the Governing Body, Council or Congregation for nomination, acceptance and / or declaration of Successor Acharyya under Rules 14 and 15 shall be called by the Secretary. For such meetings of the Governing Body and the Council, the secretary shall give 7 clear days' notice to each member concerned and in case of the meeting of the Congregation, the Secretary shall give 10 clear days' notice by publication in five newspapers of India of which two must be in

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Kolkata and also by hanging such notice in the Notice Board or office of each Math or Institution of the Mission. In case the Secretary defaults in convening meetings of the Governing Body, the Council or the Congregations as required by this rule, an Extra-ordinary meeting of each, as the case may be, shall be convened, notwithstanding anything in any other rule in case of the Governing Body by 3 members thereof, in case of the Council by 5 members thereof, and in case of the Congregation by ten members thereof of whom five must be special members, by issue of notices as stated in this rule. All such meetings shall be held at the registered office of the mission. All the above shall ordinarily be completed within eight months from the date of demise, withdrawal and retirement of the Acharyya.

26. During the interval between the demise, withdrawal or retirement of the Acharyya and the declaration and acclamation of His successor, the Secretary shall in addition to his own duties, discharge the functions of the Acharyya except that of initiation with Harinama or Diksha or Sanyas.
27. Without prejudice to the generality of said powers, privileges and rights vested in the Acharyya as aforesaid, He shall have the following powers :-
  - (a) To convene a meeting of the Governing Body, the council and the society and also of the Visva Vaishnava Raj sabha and Navadwipdham Pracharini Sabha.
  - (b) To propose any resolution at a General meeting without previous notice.
28. The Acharyya shall preside over all meetings of the Society, the Council and Governing Body, the General meeting, extra ordinary General meeting and the meeting of the disciples and in the event of his absence, the members present shall elect a Chairman from amongst the members of the Governing Body to preside over the meeting.

### The Governing Body

29. The Governing Body of the society shall consist of 12 special members including the following office bearers :-
  1. President,
  2. Secretary,
  3. Additional Secretary,
  4. Treasurer,
  5. Assistant Secretaries.

The Governing Body may direct the Secretary to function as Treasurer.

- 29A. All assets and properties, movable and immovable and things belonging or appertaining to the society or its affiliated maths or institutions shall be deemed to vest in the Governing Body for all purposes and the same shall be referred as property of the society.

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30. The Acharyya and the secretary shall and also the Additional Secretary and the Special Officer, if any, be Ex-officio members of the Governing Body.
31. The term of the Governing Body as also of the Secretary, Additional Secretary and special officer, if any, shall be three years but they shall continue to function until the first meeting of the next Governing Body.
32. At the end of each term of 3 years, the Secretary, Additional Secretary and Special officer, if any, shall be elected by the Council and the remaining members of the Governing Body (Except the Acharyya) i.e. nine members shall be elected by the members at the Annual General Meeting to be held by June 30th of the year when such election shall become due from amongst the members of the Governing Body.
33. **Functions of the Governing Body**
  - (a) The Governing Body may admit an adherent to the line of Apostolic order of the Acharyya of the past and present, initiated in Harinam or Diksha by Acharyya of the mission as an ordinary member.
  - (b) They may admit a person rendering meritorious service marked by spiritual and moral eminence and a great devotee possessed of deep devotion and unshakable faith as a special member of the mission with approval of the Acharyya.
  - (c) They may admit a person as a Mathabasin and / or as a Sebak on the proposal of the Secretary or the Additional Secretary for his gradual and special spiritual elevation on being fit for initiation with Harinam and Diksha, then to Brahmcharya, and then a Sannyasi.
  - (d) They may add to, alter, modify, cancel or ratify an entry in the Register of ordinary members with the approval of the Acharyya. The Register of the Special members containing such change or amendment of the register and approved by the Governing Body shall be final and shall not be questioned and any extract therefrom certified by the Secretary or Additional Secretary as true copy shall be conclusive proof thereof.
  - (e) They may co-opt any special member to fill a vacancy arising on death or resignation or removal of any member of the Governing Body subject to approval of the Acharyya and such co-opted member shall continue his office till the end of that of the member in whose place co-option has been made.
  - (f) They may authorise the Secretary or Additional Secretary and any other member of the Governing Body to keep the money of the society in any account and / or in the Fixed Deposit with any nationalised bank (s). Deposit with any nationalised

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bank (s) or investment in the Government Securities or Certificates as have been permitted and also in the securities of the Joint Stock Companies of great and good standing and in the Post Office, all in the name of "GAUDIYA MISSION". All these shall need ratification by the Council after the Governing Body to operate on that account and authorise either of them as survivor or to endorse or negotiate any cheque, draft or hundi or any negotiable instrument.

- (g) They may also authorise the Superintendent of any branch or Math-in-Charge or any in charge of the Institution to open any account with any scheduled bank or post office approved by the council and the Governing Body and shall authorise the Superintendent or Math-In-Charge to operate such account and to endorse or negotiate any cheque, draft, hundi or negotiable instruments. All bank(s) or post office(s) accounts in the branch area shall be at behest and control of the Governing Body of the Society.
- (h) For and on behalf of the society the Governing Body may accept gifts, endowments or donations or transfer of any movable and / or immovable property on behalf of the Society.
- (i) They may also sell, mortgage, encumber, exchange, lease or, transfer or dispose of any property not exceeding Rs. 25,00,000/- (Twenty five lakh) in value of such movable and immovable property and when exceeds Rs. 25,00,000/- (Twenty five lakh), it shall obtain the approval of the members of the Council.
- (j) They may acquire, purchase or acquiring on mortgage or lease any property as they would think fit for and on behalf of the society.
- (k) The Governing Body may with approval of the Acharyya remove any member or special member from the register on grounds of misconduct or anti-devotional conduct or any conspiratorial and anti-society activity or conduct detrimental to the interest of the Society.
- (l) The Governing Body shall appoint the Assistant Secretaries from the members of the Council. Each Assistant Secretary shall be subordinate to and be subject to the control or direction and supervision of the Secretary, Additional Secretary or the Special Officer to whom he may be attached in relation to any job or activity entrusted to the former.
- (m) The Governing Body shall fix and determine duties, powers and functions and also terms & conditions of the appointment and the duration of the office of the Assistant Secretary.
- (n) The Governing Body may at any time ask the Secretary to convene an Extra Ordinary General Meeting and / or Special Congregation.
- (o) The Governing Body may frame rules as to when and in what circumstances the Seal shall be used.

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- (p) They shall have keen watch over the behavior and activities of the Brahmacharies Sannyasis and Mathavasins.
  - (q) The Governing Body may, whenever it thinks necessary, delegate to the additional Secretary or Special Officer such powers and / or functions of the Secretary for such time and in such manner as it may deem fit and also from time to time may withdraw, add to, alter, modify, cancel those or any of those powers and functions and when powers and / or functions are so delegated, the Secretary shall not be entitled to exercise them.
34. Five members of the Governing Body shall form the Quorum.
35. Any two members of the Governing Body of whom one must be the Secretary or Additional Secretary or the Special Officer shall have authority to execute any document for and on behalf of the Society and use the seal of the Society. The Governing Body, however, may relax the rule and authorise any one member of the Governing Body to execute any document for and on behalf of the Society and use the Seal of the Society.
36. No resolution passed by the Governing Body shall be deemed in-operative by reason only of any vacancy therein or of accidental non-receipt of notice by any member or accidental omission to issue notice to any member.
37. On requisition in writing to the Secretary by three members of the Governing Body an extra ordinary meeting of the Governing Body shall be called upon five days' notice within a week of such requisition failing which the requisitionists themselves may call a meeting of the Governing Body and transact such business only as is stated in the requisition notice but, if no quorum be present within half an hour, the meeting shall stand dissolved.
38. **Functions of the Secretary**
- (i) The Secretary shall carry on and be responsible for the day to day administration of the Society including Maths and Institution affiliated thereto and in all matters inclusive of the daily Seba, Puja, Periodic Ceremonies and Utsava of Sri bighrahas.
  - (ii) The Secretary shall be in charge of all Functions, Ceremonies, Utsabas, Festivites etc. to be held from time to time in accordnce with the practice and usage of the Mission.
  - (iii) The Secretary shall have control over the servants, staffs, sebakas, Brahmcharies and employees of the society / Mission.
  - (iv) The Secretary shall be responsible for repairs, upkeep, developments and maintenance of all buildings, structures, properties etc of the society / Mission as also for new construction.

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- (v) The Secretary shall also be in charge and responsible for all receipts and expenditures and for the maintenance of accounts.
- (vi) The Secretary shall be in charge of all publications and propaganda.
- (vii) The Secretary shall be responsible for regulations and discipline amongst the inmates of Maths, and branches of the Society/Mission and for the transfer of the Sebakas of Maths interstices but he shall not be entitled to interfere in any spiritual, religious or other matters vested in the Acharyya or those within His functions and duties.
- (viii) The Secretary shall have the power to form a sub-committee for each of the said two sabhas, namely, Viswa Vaishnab Rajsabha and Nabadwip Dham Pracharini Sabha, consisting of five members of the society and the same shall be approved by the Governing Body for and shall be helping him in the administration of those two Sabhas.
- (ix) The Secretary, in collaboration with the sub-committee shall frame such bye-laws consistent with the Rules and Regulations as may be necessary for the conduct of the business of those sabhas. Such bye-laws shall not be valid or operative until approved by the council.
- (x) The Secretary / Additional Secretary shall sign on behalf of the society all receipts for all sums received as subscriptions / donations centrally.
- (xi) The Secretary shall decide in relation to any steps to be taken for safe-guarding and or protecting the interest of the Society and may bring to notice of the Governing Body about any matter requiring legal action.
- (xii) The Secretary / Additional Secretary or the Special Officer, if any, shall be responsible to the Governing Body for discharge of their respective duties.
- (xiii) Whenever necessary, the Secretary may cause preparation of bye-laws and regulations and place them before General Meeting or extra Ordinary General Meeting for their approval and shall be the custodian of all documents, seal, books, records and things of the Society.
- (xiv) The Secretary shall in consultation with the Governing Body and with the approval of the Acharyya, appoint a special member to hold charge of each one of the institutions of the Society. In any exigency and in the interest of the Society the Secretary shall be entitled to relieve or remove any in charge of the branch from his office and make provisional appointment in his place but the special member so appointed shall be permanent only if his appointment be sanctioned by the Governing Body and approved by the Acharyya, such sanction and

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approval must be obtained within three months of such provisional appointment, otherwise such appointment shall stand revoked.

- (xv) In the event of no such sanction or approval is made the Governing Body may remove him and appoint some other suitable Special member in his place to suit the purpose of the Society and till such removal the Secretary may assume the responsibility of running the administration of such institution and / or Math.
- (xvi) The Secretary shall convene the meeting of the Governing Body after giving three clear days' notice in writing to the members thereof but in case of emergency, it may be convened by the Secretary or the Acharyya on notice of 24 hours.
- (xvii) (a) The Secretary shall upon requisition by three members of the Governing Body, shall call an Extra Ordinary Meeting of the Governing Body upon five days' notice within a week of such requisition, failing which the requisitionists themselves may call a meeting of such Governing Body and transact such Business only as is stated in the notice of requisition but if Quoram fails to be present within half an hour, the meeting shall stand dissolved. All such requisition meetings shall be held in the Registered office of the Mission.  
  
(b) The Secretary shall upon receiving a requisition signed by twelve members of the Council and specifying the nature of the business required to be transacted to convene a special meeting of the council to be held within three weeks from the receipt of such requisition, in case the secretary does not comply with the requisitionists, may themselves convene the meeting of the Council on giving a fortnight's notice specifying the nature of business, the date and the hour of the meeting, if Quoram be not present within half an hour, the meeting shall stand dissolved. All such meetings shall be held at the registered office of the Mission.
- (xviii) The Secretary on behalf of the Governing Body, shall issue charge sheet containing the charge on anti-mission, anti-devotional and conspirational activities of any delinquent member of any group whatsoever.
- (xix) The Secretary will maintain a Register of the disciples containing the following particulars :
  - (a) The name and address of the disciple,
  - (b) The date on which the disciple is / was initiated in harinam and / or with Diksha,
  - (c) Any change of address or the event of death to be noted.
- (xx) The Secretary shall be in charge of all legal matters of or in relation to the Society and of all foundations and chairs. All legal proceedings shall be in the name of the Secretary and in the name of others as may be decided by the

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Governing Body. Whenever necessary, the Secretary shall prepare bye-laws and regulations, and amendment thereof and he has to place it before the members at a General Meeting for their approval after the same being approved by the Governing Body.

- (xxi) The Secretary shall be the custodian of all properties, papers, book, records and things of the Society.
  - (xxii) The Secretary or Additional Secretary along with any other member of Governing Body on being Authorised by the Governing Body shall keep the money of the Society in any account and / or in fixed deposits or invest in Governing Securities or Bond (s) or Certificate (s) or in issues by the reputed Joint Stock Company (ies) or with any Scheduled Bank (s), Post Office (s), all in the name of the GAUDIYA MISSION, which shall be ratified by the Governing Body and / or Council.
  - (xxiii) The Secretary / Additional Secretary and / or any person authorised by any of them shall issue receipts under the signature for subscription / donation received centrally.
  - (xxiv) The Secretary shall issue notices in the name of the Mission.
  - (xxv) Notices of all meetings shall be issued by the Secretary in his name.
  - (xxvi) Seal shall be used by the Secretary on all important documents of the Society.
39. Any member of the Governing Body or of the Council other than the Acharyya shall vacate his office upon conviction for any offence which in the opinion of the Governing Body involves moral turpitude.
40. The Council may remove any member of the Governing Body except the Acharyya for breach of trust, misappropriation, gross misconduct or any anti-devotional conduct.
41. Any member of the Governing Body may resign by giving at least 30 days' notice in writing to the Secretary.

### **THE SECRETARIES AND THE SPECIAL OFFICER**

- 42. The Secretary as also the Additional Secretary and / or Special Officer, if any, shall be elected by the Council from amongst themselves and the term of office of each shall be 3 years or until their successors are appointed.
- 43. The Secretary shall be the Ex-officio Secretary of the Society, the Visva Vaishnava Rajsabha and the Navadwipdham Pracharini Sabha and shall be the Chief Executive Officer of each of those bodies.



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44. REMOVAL & EXPULSION OF A MEMBER, SPECIAL MEMBER, MEMBER OF THE GOVERNING BODY, MATHABASIN OF THE SOCIETY / MISSION

- (a) The Governing Body, in its meeting by majorities' votes may remove or expel any member, member of the Governing Body or Mathabasin of the Society / Mission who would be found grossly anti-mission, anti-devotional if found to be continuously negligent of his duties, frequent actions of any member of any group if found by the Governing Body is grossly detrimental to the interest of the Society and is found that they are acting in violation of the rules and regulations of the Mission, he / she may be after due enquiry, censured, suspended, or expelled from membership he / she may hold in the society. The Governing Body may ask the Secretary to issue charge sheet against the delinquent member or members.
- (b) The Secretary on behalf of the Governing Body shall issue charge sheet, containing the charge for mal-activities designed against the Mission and / or for anti-devotional activities and / or for acting in violations of the Rules 7 of the Society and / or defalcating / misappropriating Mission's fund asking for showing cause and to submit his statement of defence on the charges against such delinquent within a month in writing.
- (c) The Governing Body, in case of General members and / or in case of the special members and / or members of the Council and / or Governing Body including math-in-Charge / in charges of the different Institutions, Editors of Journals of the Society, shall examine and consider the answer and / or the statement of defence of the delinquent members.

In the event the Governing Body is dissatisfied with respective delinquent member's answer or in the event such member has not cared to answer to the show cause notice to the Governing Body, may remove or expel delinquent members in the interest of the Society on a decision by majority votes of the respective bodies.

- (d) Any decision of the Governing Body removing and / or expelling the member of the Governing Body need be approved by the Council and the Acharyya.

### **MATH-IN-CHARGE**

- 45. (a) The Governing Body shall select from amongst the Special members the math-in-charge / Superintendent of all the Maths in India and outside India. They will be ex-officio Council Members.
- (b) A Math-in-Charge shall be appointed by the Secretary with the approval of the Governing Body and the Acharyya.

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- (c) The Math-in-Charge shall be under direct administration and control of the Secretary.
- (d) The Math-in-Charge will be appointed by the Secretary in exigencies shall remain temporary or provisional only for three months. Such Math-in-Charge will be permanent only after the approval of the Governing Body.
- (e) A Math-in-Charge may be removed in exigencies by the Secretary with the approval of the Governing Body.

### **ASSISTANT SECRETARY**

48. The Assistant Secretary or Assistant Secretaries shall be appointed by the Governing Body from amongst the Special members. The number of Assistant Secretaries to be appointed shall be fixed by the Governing Body.
- (i) He / They shall be subordinate and be subject to the control, direction and supervision of the Secretary / Additional Secretary and / or Special Officer, if any, to whom he may be attached on the basis of job or activity of the Mission.
  - (ii) The Assistant Secretaries shall assist the Secretary / Additional Secretary / Special Officer, if any, as and when necessary and / or called for.

### **REMOVAL OF THE SECRETARY/ADDITIONAL SECRETARY/SPECIAL OFFICER, IF ANY, ON RESIGNATION OR OTHERWISE.**

47. The Governing Body may resolve in its meeting to propose for removal or expulsion of the Secretary, Additional Secretary and / or Special Officer on the grounds and in the manner stated below :
- (a) The Secretary / Additional Secretary / Special Officer, if any, be found has grossly acted quite against order and discipline of Vaishnabism enunciated by this society and appears to be disrespectful to the causes of the Mission and the Acharyya.
  - (b) He is found to be morally degraded and cannot carry respect of the members, disciples and / or devotees.
  - (c) He has acted against the society perpetrating wrong and proved himself by his acts and deeds not befitting his position.
  - (d) He has been convicted for moral turpitude.
  - (e) He is found to have misappropriated the mission's fund.
  - (f) He has resigned from the post of Secretary / Additional Secretary / Special Officer, if any, for reasons to be accepted by the Council.

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- (g) Provided further that he shall be asked to show cause on allegation he would be charged with.
- (h) In the event the explanations given by him in the answer to show cause notice is not satisfactory and in the event he fails to answer to the show cause notice within the time mentioned in the notice, the council may take any action as they would deem fit by majority of votes of members of the council present in the meeting thereof. Provided further such decision is to be approved by the Acharyya.
- (i) Such removal shall be subjected to approval by majority members of the council in their meeting called for the purpose and by the Acharyya.

### REMOVAL OF ASSISTANT SECRETARIES

- 48. The Governing Body may, by votes of the majority members present in their meeting remove an Assistant Secretary from his position in the manner it is applicable for such action against the Secretary as provided in the rules herein above.

### COUNCIL

- 49. The Council shall consist of members of the Governing Body, Superintendents or members-in-charge of all Maths and Institutions, Editors of Journals of the Society, Heads of preaching parties, six members elected by the disciples from among themselves and six special members nominated by the Acharyya. The nominees shall ordinarily hold office for three years but shall continue until fresh nominees are made. Whoever ceases to be a special member shall cease to be a member of the Council. Members elected by the Disciples for the Council shall hold office for three years or until such time as their successors are elected.
- 50. The Council shall meet twice every year within a month of Sri Krishna Jayanti day and of Sri Gour Jayanti Day. The Governing Body shall fix the date of each meeting.
- 51. A week's notice in writing shall be given to the members of the Council for the meeting.
- 52. Fifteen members of the Council shall form the Quorum.
- 53. In case there be no Quorum for any meeting of the Council within half an hour of the appointed time, such meeting shall stand adjourned till the third day to same hour and place. No Quorum shall be necessary for the adjourned meeting.

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54. No proceedings of the council shall be invalid only by reason of there being any vacancy or of any accidental omission in issuing notice or of any accidental non-receipt of any notice by any member.
55. The funds, assets and money of the Society shall be invested in Government Securities or Certificates or kept in Post Offices and Scheduled banks in the manner and to the extent as may be determined by the Council.
56. The Secretary shall, upon receiving a requisition signed by twelve members of the council and specifying the nature of the business required to be transacted, convene a special meeting of the council to be held within 3 weeks from the receipt of such requisition; in case the secretary does not comply with the requisition, the requisitionists may themselves convene a meeting of the Council on giving a fortnight's notice specifying the nature of the business, the date and the hour of meeting. If Quorum be not present within half an hour of the meeting, the meeting shall stand dissolved. All such requisition meetings must be held at the registered office.
57. All meeting of the council shall be held either at the registered office or at Sri Bhakti Siddhanta Saraswati Gaudiya Math premises at Godrum (Gadiagachha), Dist. Nadia.

### **ACCOUNTING YEAR**

58. The accounting year of the Society shall run from 1<sup>st</sup> day of April to 31<sup>st</sup> day of March of the English Calendar.

### **SAFE CUSTODY OF FUNDS & PROPERTIES**

59. The Governing Body of the Society shall be responsible for the safe custody of the funds and assets of the Society. The Secretary as fund-in-charge shall be responsible to the Governing Body.
60. In the event of the removal of the Secretary / Additional Secretary the Council shall reelect the Secretary / Additional Secretary from amongst the members of the council for the tenure of erstwhile Secretary or Additional Secretary.

### **GENERAL MEETING**

61. Every Annual General meeting of the members shall be held within June 30<sup>th</sup> every year unless circumstances prevailing does not prevent in any way to hold such meeting by June 30 every year. The Governing Body may defer holding Annual General meeting not later than September 30 in any year. The time and date shall be determined by the Governing Body. Any other General meeting shall be called

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Extra-ordinary General meeting and shall be held at the registered office or in any other place other than registered office in the exigencies.

62. Fourteen days' clear notice shall be given of every General Meeting, annual or extra ordinary or on requisition, by publication in two daily news papers, one of which must be in Kolkata edition. Notice of such meeting shall be hung up in the notice board of each math or Institution of the Society.
63. Quorum for any general meeting shall be one tenth of the total number of members of the society. If there be no Quorum within half an hour of the time fixed for the meeting, the meeting shall stand adjourned to the same day, hour and place next week and no Quorum shall be necessary at such adjourned meeting.
64. 30 members of which 15 shall be special members may give requisition to the Secretary to call an extra-ordinary general meeting specifying the business of the meeting, whereupon the Secretary shall call the same within 3 weeks thereof, failing which the requisitionists themselves may convene the meeting specifying the subject as also the time and date of the meeting. If the Quorum be not present within half an hour of the time fixed for the meeting, the meeting shall stand dissolved. All such requisition meetings must be held at the registered office.
65. The Business to be transacted at the Annual General Meeting of the society shall be :-
  - (a) To proclaim allegiance and pay homage to the Acharyya..
  - (b) To confirm the Minutes of the last Annual General Meeting and / or Extra Ordinary General Meeting, if any.
  - (c) Submission of annual report by the Secretary of the working of the Society in the preceding year.
  - (d) To adopt with or without modification the report of the Society of the previous year placed by the Secretary with the suggestion for better working of the Society by the general members present for consideration.
  - (e) To receive and pass the audited balance sheet and Accounts of the preceding English year ending on 31<sup>st</sup> March.
  - (f) To appoint auditors and fix their remuneration.
  - (g) To transact such other business as may be fixed by the Governing Body.
  - (h) To elect members of the Governing Body as provided under Rule 32.
  - (i) To transact such other business which in terms of Rules and Regulations may be transacted at an Annual General meeting and of which five days' notice has been given by any member to the Secretary.

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- (j) Any other subject that may be raised with the consent of all the members present.

### General

- 66. The society shall have a Seal intituled "Gaudiya Mission" and the Secretary shall be the keeper thereof.
- 67. The society shall sue and be sued in its name or in the name of its Secretary.

### OPERATION OF BANK ACCOUNTS

- 68. The Governing Body may authorise the Secretary or the Additional Secretary and any other member of the Governing Body to operate the Bank Account (s) controlled by the Head Office at 16A. Kali Prasad Chakraborty Street, Baghbazar, Kolkata – 700 003 and to endorse or and to endorse or negotiate any cheque, draft or any negotiable instrument.
- 69. The register of members shall contain the following particulars :
  - (a) Name, father's name, occupation address and age of each member with his academic and other distinctions, if any, and the name after initiation.
  - (b) The date of commencement of membership and also of termination of membership with reason thereof. Members may inspect the Register on requisition.
- 70. Every member shall forthwith give notice in writing to the Secretary of any change of address and of other particulars mentioned in Article 68.
- 71. All matters of which due notice had been given, shall be considered and decided at the general meeting. The Extra-ordinary general meeting shall not consider or entertain any business other than for which it has been called.
- 72. Every member, ordinary or special, duly registered in the Registers shall have only one vote at the General meeting. No voting by proxy shall be allowed unless specially sanctioned by the Council and in the manner, if any, sanctioned by it. None can be a proxy unless he is a member.
- 73. All matters shall be decided by majority and voting shall ordinarily be by show of hands but any 10 members may demand ballot; votes shall then be taken by ballot and the chairman shall appoint two scrutineers. The result of the ballot shall be the decision of the meeting.
- 74. Any member of the Governing Body other than the Ex-officio members, may also be removed by votes of three-fourths of the members present in any extra-ordinary

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general meeting duly convened for the purpose and any vacancy caused thereby may be filled in at the said meeting by an ordinary resolution.

75. No resolution passed at a meeting of the Governing Body or council shall be reconsidered within six months thereof unless 6 members desire such reconsideration in writing.
76. Minutes of all meetings of the society shall be maintained by the Secretary in bound books.
77. The Society reserves to itself the rights to impose and / or realise fees and subscription from other members and to fix the rate of such fees and subscription and to grant exemptions in case of Sannyasis, Brahmacharies and persons engaged in religious administration or preaching.

### THE FOLLOWING IS THE SUBSCRIPTION AT THE TIME OF INCORPORATION OF THE SOCIETY.

We, the undersigned members of the Governing Body of the GAUDIYA MISSION, do hereby certify that the above is a correct copy of the Rules and Regulation of the GAUDIYA MISSION.

Signature	Address and Description of Signatory	Name, Address and Description of witnesses
1. Sd. Jatinadra Kumar Ghosh, B. A.	16A, Kali Prasad Chakraborty Street, Kolkata-700 003. Member of the Governing Body.	Sd. Manamatha Nath Sen. 32, Lansdown Road. At present Sri Mayapur, Nadia. Business etc.
2. Sd. Bhujanga Bhusan Sarkar, B. L.	Sri Gaudiya Math, Kolkata. Member of the Governing Body.	– do –
3. Sd. Kishori Mohan Pal, B. L.	Headmaster, Sri Mayapur, Nadia. Member of the Governing Body.	– do –

Dated this 26th day of March One thousand nine hundred and forty.

Amended and revised by resolution No. 1 of the extra-ordinary General Meeting held on the 21st May, 2017.

**Sd. B. S. Paribrajak.**  
16.09.2020.

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