

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETNG OF LODGE ASOKA NO.93 HELD ON 24.05.2025.

Item #1 To open the Lodge.

The Lodge was opened at 6.15 PM with the following brethren present as stated below:

01.	W.Bro.	ARUN KANNAN	W.M
02.	W.Bro.	B. RAMESH	I.P.M - opening
03.	Bro.	RAVEENDRAN P	S.W
04.	Bro.	SHANKAR NARAYAN S	J.W
05.	Bro.	S NARAYANAN	Secretary
06	W.Bro	K S SANTHANAM	Treasurer
07	W.Bro	D VINOD KUMAR	As D o C/ Asst Secretary
08	W.Bro	RAJ TILAK V K	As Jr Deacon/ Asst D O C
09	W.Bro	D VINOD KUMAR	As Jr Deacon / Asst Secretary
10	Bro.	JAGADEESH	Sr.Deacon
11	V.W.Bro.	MANOHARAN L	Almoner
12	Bro.	K SUBARAMANI	Chaplin
12	Bro.	ANAND JEEVANANDAM	I.G
13.	Bro	KRISHNA BHATT	TYLER
14.	W.Bro	S SRINIVASAN	As IPM - Closing
15	W. Bro	Lalit Nangia	

Item #2 To salute the Worshipful Master

Bro. D of C requested the brethren to salute W.M as FM. In return WM reciprocated the same.

Item #3 To read the Summons convening the Regular Meeting

Bro. Secretary read the Summons Convening the Regular Meeting held on 24 May 2025.

Item #4 To read and if approved, confirm the Minutes of the Regular Meeting held on 26.04.25,

Bro. Secretary informed that the minutes has already been sent to members by E- mail, W Master announced that can be taken has read and the same was put to vote and approved in the usual Masonic manner.

Item #5 To report on the significant matters arising out of the Proceedings of the Permanent Committee held on 15th May 2025 and to vote severely on any recommendations Arising there from

Bro. Secretary read the minutes of the Permanent Committee Meeting held on 15th May 2025 and has been circulated by email to the all the brethren, hence it may be taken as read and adopted.

Item #6 The Treasurer Report

Bro Treasurer reported the status of the financial position of the lodge, and requested the members who have not yet paid till the day to pay at the earliest, which will help the lodge to run smoothly.

Further, Bro Treasurer informed that Bro I.M Rao has already submitted his resignation and has to be removed from the Members List before June to avoid paying subscription to GLI and the same was approved and W.M. advised to remove Bro I M Rao from the Members List.

There is a report: V.W Bro S Srinivasan admitted.

Item #7. To admit as a rejoining member - Bro Sundararajan Iyer residing at 17/3, 1ST Floor, Shree Nivas Apartment, 7th Main Road, Kasthuriba Nagar, Near Prashant Apartment, Chennai 600020 duly proposed by Bro Anand Jeevanandam and seconded by W.Bro P S Praveen, which was approved at the regular meeting held on 26th April 2025

This item maybe passed to the next meeting as Brother Sundararajan Iyer was absent.

Item #8. To test for proficiency in the first degree – Bro. Paul Prasanna initiated on 25th January 2025

This item may be passed to the next meeting as Bro Paul Prasanna is out of station.

Item #9 To open the Lodge in the Second Degree.

Worshipful Master requested brethren below the rank of Fellow Craft Masons to retire from the Lodge for a short while and then the Lodge was opened in Second Degree in due form.

V.W.Bro D Kumar requested for pass out for a short while.

Item #10 To pass to the degree of Fellow Craft Freemason of the brother listed in Item #8

D of C informed the Worshipful Master, this item may be passed to the future meeting.

Item # 11 To test for the proficiency in the second degree – Bro Arul Murugan passed second degree on 28.09.2024

D of C informed the Worshipful Master Br Arul Murugan was present for the third degree ceremony.

Item # 12. To open the Lodge in the Third Degree.

Worshipful Master requested brethren below the rank of Master Masons to retire from the lodge for a short while and then the Lodge was opened in Third Degree in due form.

Item #13 To raise to the sublime degree of a Master Mason – Bro Arul Murugan listed in

Item # 11

Worshipful Master conducted the question answers and pass grip password to Bro Arul Murugan and the raising ceremony was completed.

There is a report: - Bro Vinod George admitted.

The following Brethren gave the portions as mentioned below:

W.Bro S. Srinivasan - Traditional History Part one

Bro. Vinod George = Traditional History Part Two

R.W,Bro L Manoharan, Tracing Board

W.Bro. B Ramesh, Further Entrustment

W.Bro Lalit Nangia, Entrustment

W.Bro Raj Tilak Working Tools

W.Bro S Srinivasan- Final Charge

Item # 14 To close the Lodge in the Third Degree

The Lodge was closed in the Third Degree.

Worshipful Master informed Inner Guard to allow the below the rank of Master Masons.

Item #15 To close the Lodge in the Second Degree

Worshipful Master informed the Inner Guard to allow all Freemasons.

Item #16 To Read the Bye Laws.

Secretary read the Bye Law No.5 regarding Rejoining Member towards the Lodge.

Item #17 To extend Birthday Greetings to Brethren in the month of May / June 2025.

V.W.Bro S Srinivasan, acted as Almoner read the names of the brethren of LA93 who celebrated their birthdays in May and June 2025 and wished them well.

Item #18 Masonic Education

V. W.Bro Srinivasan explained about duties of all 3 degrees in freemasonry.

Item #19 To transact any other business that may be regularly brought before the Lodge.

Secretary informed that there is no other business brought before the lodge at this stage.

Item #20 To honor the cause of charity.

Charity Box was circulated and a sum of Rs.990/- was contributed by members and the same was thankfully accepted and acknowledged by the WM.

Item #21 To close the Lodge.

On the first raising of W.Master, Bro.Secretary informed that there was no communication from GLI.

On the second raising of W.Master, Bro.Secretary informed that there was a communication from RGL

On the third raising Worshipful Master informed about the charity of educational assistance to Single Parent of Rs.28000/-, Worshipful Master contributed Rs.5000/- and requested Masons to contribute liberally. The Balance will be borne by the Charity Fund after contribution verified. Further, Worshipful Master approved the proposal for donating Rs.10000/- for Tamil Nadu Blind School, near Salem.

The Lodge was closed in due form at 9.05 pm in due form and Brethren dispersed after dinner and fellowship in peace, love and harmony.

READ IN THE OPEN LODGE ON 26.04.2025.

Sd By

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Secretary

Worshipful Master.

