DILIP ADAPPA BEST PAPER AWARD PROTOCOL

This annual competition is open to any member of the KUA, full or associate, and post graduates in Urology (M.Ch or Dip N B). The paper must be in the field of Urology or any ancillary discipline, contributing to the practice of Urology. The material being presented in the paper should not have been presented at any other forum, either in the form of a publication, paper, poster or video etc. The paper should preferably be the work of one author or department and written by him. In case of collaborative work, a certificate from the others, stating the author's major contribution should accompany the paper. All papers to be considered for the award, should specifically state that the paper is for the Dr.DilipAdappa Best Paper award. The abstracts of the paper, must reach the office of the Secretary of KUA, before the last date.

The selection for the podium presentation will be done based on a rank list after a preliminary screening process, where the papers will be sent by the Secretary to 4 independent reviewers, by a blinded process.

Evaluation sheets will be given to the 3 judges to select the winner based on objective criteria. No judge should be from the same institute as any of the candidate.

The secretary/Council member will total the evaluation sheets separately after the session to select the winner based on the maximum score from the 3 sheets.

The winner will be awarded a certificate and cash prize of Rs 5,000 during the inaugural ceremony of the next conference.

The winner's certificate and the 3 participants' certificate should be collected before the inaugural ceremony from the organizing secretary of the previous year KUACON.

Preliminary screening, marks 10-100

Abstract no.	Abstract title	Score

Judges sheet (10 marks for each criteria, maximum 50 marks)

Presenters name	Originality and creativity	Organisation of content, knowledge of material	Fluency and oral presentation	Completing within time allotted and overall presentation	Answering to questions if any	Total