International Society for Noni Science Established-2010

Introduction

International Society for Noni Science (ISNS) was established on 1st October 2010. It is very unique and was created by World Noni Research Foundation (WNRF), Chennai and registered as per Tamil Nadu Societies Registration Act, 1975 (Tamil Nadu Act 27 of 1975). The Head quarter of the Society is located at 12, Rajiv Gandhi Road, Perungudi, Chennai – 600 096, India [Phone No:(Treasurer): 076679 23344 / E-mail: intl.sns2010@gmail.com / jdwnrf2010@gmail.com / www.isns.in]

Aims and Objectives

- 1. To cultivate and promote research education and development of Noni.
- 2. To recognize and support excellence achieved in scientific research and development in the field of Noni by individual scientists, inter disciplinary teams, recognized institutions, learned societies, industries, progressive farmers and others interested on any aspect of the plant.
- 3. To promote contact and cooperation among R & D personnel working on Noni at National and International Institutions.
- 4. To bring out regularly the International Journal of Noni Research and other publications.
- 5. To disseminate the knowledge on all aspects of Noni *viz.*, biodiversity, crop improvement, production, processing, value addition, pharmacological and clinical research by organizing workshops, group discussions, symposia, Conferences and publishing their proceedings.
- 6. To promote, collaborate, coordinate, network and formulate inter country research programme by seeking funds from National and International donor agencies.
- 7. To undertake the other activities like human resource development, men and materials, relevant to accomplish the objectives of the society.

Fellowships

The Society will also recognize the contribution of its Life Members by awarding fellowships every year from among the scientists / development officers / promoters / farmers associated with Noni. The award of fellowship is based on nomination received from the Life members and through a process of selection approved by Executive Council.

Honorary fellowship will also be awarded to individuals in public life who have directly or indirectly contributed to the promotion of Noni.

Membership

All individuals / organizations interested in teaching, research, development, cultivation and trade of Noni including users of Noni products are eligible to become a Member.

Life Member: One time payment of "5,000/- or US\$ 250/- including admission fee

Institutional Member: Renewable- "3,000 or US\$ 150/- including admission fee

Sustaining Member: One time payment of "25,000/- or US\$ 1250/- including admission fee

Corporate Member: Membership is open to industries / companies and organizations engaged in promotion of Noni.

One time payment of " 1,00,000/- or US\$ 3000/- including admission fee

Corporate Fellow: It is open to industries/companies and organizations engaged in promotion of Noni. One time

payment of "2,00,000/- or US\$ 6000/- including admission fee.