A&TT Minutes 20 March 2018, 1.30pm

Attendees: Tessa Meek, Susie Lever, Rosie Holland, Jo Peden

Apologies: Clare Davenport

Minutes from 28 February passed by Susie and Jo

1. Paul's exemption letter

A&TT considered Paul's letter requesting a dispensation to assess despite not having been to Pune in recent years (although he has spent a significant amount of time in Pune in earlier years).

A&TT agreed to give dispensation to assess this year if required. The Committee discussed not giving a blanket dispensation but rather work year by year to meet the Association's needs.

Action Point:

- Tessa to coordinate with JI1 Moderator to check panel.
- Tessa to let Paul know A&TT have given dispensation for one year only and if he is required to assess (once/if Melodie confirms the panel).

2. Discuss 2018 Assessments

All venues are finalised. The panels are almost finalised – JI1 to be confirmed. Discussed costs for food for assessors. A&TT wish to keep the costs of assessments reasonable, however, food is a necessity for assessments. Susie is planning to use Ripe for the Introductory assessment (and check costs with Jyoteeka). Note Gaynor has moved to Tauranga.

Discussed how we need to get our assessors more experienced. Noted that perhaps only one observer at JI1.

Action Point:

- Susie to let Moni know she is using Ripe for Introductory and JI3.
- Rosie to check how much observing Suzi has done.
- Tessa to confirm if Suzi can observe JI1 and Cornelia JI2.
- Jo to put request for voluntary students in Link.
- Jo/Tessa to check with Introductory Trainees if they are interested.
- Jo to sort Introductory volunteer students.
- Jo to check other yoga studios are available for assessments.

3. Other Business

Started to discuss our assessors observing assessments in Australia.

Action Point: The A&TT will continue this discussion next meeting.

Next meeting: Tuesday 24 April 1.30pm.