

**Committee Report**  
**ICA Committee on Consumer Co-operation**  
**for Asia and Pacific**

**24<sup>th</sup> February 2021**

# 2019 Activities

January - July

## 1. Regional Workshop for Leaders on “Social Contribution of Consumer Co-op”

- Objective: Case study of leading Co-ops in AP region
- Date / Venue: 8<sup>th</sup> ~ 12<sup>th</sup> April, Guesan, Korea
- Participants: 8 countries, 11 member organizations, 58 delegates

## 2. Regional Workshop for Managers on “Management of Consumer Co-ops”

- Objective: Give an opportunity to learn leading Co-ops in AP region.
- Date / Venue: 24<sup>th</sup> ~ 28<sup>th</sup> June, Singapore
- Participants: 6 countries, 8 member Organizations, 21 delegates

## 3. Training Programs for Managers of Consumer Co-ops in Japan(Summer)

- Lectures, Study visit to Co-op stores, home delivery depot and other facilities.
- Date / Venue: 15<sup>th</sup> ~ 28<sup>th</sup> July, Tokyo & Miyagi, Japan
- Participants: 5 trainees(2 India, 1 Korea, 1 Mongolia, 1 Philippines)

# 2019 Activities

## August - December

### 4. **SDGs 2019 Seminar “SDG 8: Decent Work and Economic growth ”**

- Topic: "Decent Work and Economic growth " through our Consumer Co-op business for our sustainable society.
- Date / Venue: 4<sup>th</sup> ~ 5<sup>th</sup> Sep, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- Participants: 9 countries, 20 ICA member organizations, 70 delegates

### 5. **Regional Workshop for Managers on “Management of Consumer Co-ops”**

- Objective: Give an opportunity to learn leading Co-ops in AP region.
- Date / Venue: 4<sup>th</sup> ~ 6<sup>th</sup> Nov, Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam
- Participants: 7 countries, 33 delegates

### 6. **Training Programs for Managers of Consumer Co-ops in Japan(Winter)**

- Lectures, Study visit to Co-op stores, home delivery depot and other facilities.
- Date / Venue: 18<sup>th</sup> Nov ~1<sup>st</sup> Dec, Tokyo & Kobe, Japan
- Participants: 5 trainees(2 Vietnam, 2 Singapore, 1 Malaysia)

### 7. **The 53rd ICA-AP Consumer Committee Meeting and Seminar**

- Objective: Annual meeting, Seminar and Study visit
- Date / Venue: 19<sup>th</sup> ~ 20<sup>th</sup> Nov, Tokyo, Japan
- Participants: 4 countries, 8 member organizations, 14 delegates

# 2020 Activities

January - December

- 1. Regional Workshop for Leaders on “Social Contribution of Consumer Co-ops”**  
(Jun, 2020, Guesan, South Korea) → **Cancelled**
- 2. Training Programs for Managers of Consumer Co-ops in Japan(Summer / Winter)**  
(Jul, 2020, Tokyo & Miyagi / Nov, Tokyo & Kobe) → **Cancelled**
- 3. SDGs(Fair Trade) Seminar**  
(Aug, 2020, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia) → **Canceled**
- 4. Regional Workshop for Managers on “Management of Consumer Co-ops”**  
(Oct, 2020, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam) → **Canceled**
- 5. The 54th ICA-AP Consumer Committee Meeting**  
(Dec, 2020, Seoul, South Korea) → **Postponed**
- 6. An online exchange meeting between the staff of JCCU and iCOOP Korea**  
(9th Dec, 2020) → A total of 32 people(13 from iCOOP, 19 from JCCU) participated.

# Current Status of The Committee

## Balance

No.	Subject	USD	MYR	Currency MYR / USD	Remarks
1	Carried over Balance from 2019	37,004	151,216.68	MYR 4.086 (2 Jan,2020)	ICA-AP MBO Account
2	Carried over Balance until 2018	54,438	217,638.00	MYR 3.998 (17 Jan,2020)	Moved from ICA HQ Account to ICA-AP MBO Account
3	JCCU's Special Contribution in 2020	27,000	115,560.00	MYR 4.280 (24 Apr,2020)	
4	Utilization of Budget in 2020	396	1,641.24	MYR 4.146 (10 Feb,2020)	Staff participation, ICA GYF Kuching, 1 ~ 8 Feb, 2020
5	Balance as of 31 <sup>th</sup> Dec, 2020	119,056	482,773.44	MYR 4.055 (11 Dec,2020)	

## Members (13 countries, 19 Organizations)

Bangladesh	Bangladesh Jatiya Samabaya Union				Japanese Consumers' Co-operative Union(JCCU)
India	Delhi State Consumers Co-operative Federation(DSCCF)		Japan		National Federation of University Co-operative Associations (NFUCA)
	National Cooperative Development Corporation(NCDC)		Korea		iCOOP KOREA
	The Colaba Central Co-op(Sahakari Bhandar)				National Agriculture Co-operative Federation(NACF)
Indonesia	Indonesian Co-operative Council (DEKOPIN)				International Solidarity of Korea Cooperatives(ISKC)
Iran	Iran Chamber Of Cooperatives (ICC)				National Confederation of Cooperatives (NATCCO)
Malaysia	Malaysian National Cooperative Movement (ANGKASA)		Philippines		VICTO National Co-operative Federation
Mongolia	Central Union of Mongolian Traders and Consumers Co-operatives(CUMTCC)		Singapore		NTUC Fairprice
Myanmar	Central Cooperative Society Ltd. (CCS)		Sri Lanka		Sri Lanka Consumer Cooperative Societes Federation Limited(COOFED)
			Vietnam		Saigon Union of Trading Co-operatives (Saigon Co.op)

# 2021 Activities & Plan

January - December

## 1. Present Status of Consumer Co-operatives in Asia and Pacific

- Updating 13 countries of ICA-AP Consumer committee member organizations report on ICA-AP website.
- 8 country reports posted on ICA-AP website;  
India, Japan, Malaysia, Myanmar, Korea, Singapore, Sri Lanka and Vietnam

## 2. Webinar for Consumer Co-ops in AP (Tentative)

- Topics: Consumer co-op business operations, Sustainable production & consumption,
- Webinars will be held several times during 2021.

## 3. 54th ICA-AP Consumer Committee Meeting

(9:00AM~12:00AM, 29<sup>th</sup> Nov, 2021, Seoul, South Korea)

***Thank you for  
your kind attention!***