

## ASSOCIATION OF INDIAN ZOO & WILDLIFE VETERINARIANS (AIZWV)

## **TECHNICAL SESSION AWARD**

(For Best Oral/Poster Presentation during the Technical Session)

- 1. There will be single technical session award which will be given in each session for best oral/ poster presentation.
- 2. Certificate and Medal to be awarded to the presenting author of the paper adjudged first in each technical session.

## **GENERAL**

- The candidate shall be a life member of AIZWV.
- 2. The work presented should be of clinical/ basic/ applied in nature related to a Specific Theme.
- 3. Application for presentation should be submitted in the prescribed format (available on the conference website) on or before 30<sup>th</sup> March 2025.
- 4. He/ She should present the paper (Oral/ Poster) in person at the time of the conference.
- 5. The work presented for the award should not have been presented for any other award or certificate in AIZWV or any other forum.
- 6. The awardee (judged 1st in each technical session) needs to submit full length paper for publication in the AIZWV Association's publication within three months of declaration of award. Submission is to be made to the chief editor AIZWV with information to General Secretary of the AIZWV through Email.
- 7. The award shall be presented at the time of annual conference of AIZWV.
- 8. The presentation of paper should be completed in 5 minutes
- Number of authors should not exceed 6 for a single article to honour the ethical scientific justifiability of the presented work.

## **JUDGING**

- 1. The General Secretary/ Joint Secretaries shall appoint a committee of three judges, a chairman and two members (eminent professionals who are life members of AlZWV) to determine the best paper (Oral/ Poster) presented in each technical session. The judging committee members should preferably not be from the same Institution/ College/University/ State. The General Secretary/ Joint Secretary shall act as Member Secretary to the committee but he/ she will not have any voting power.
- 2. The majority decision of the selection committee shall be final. In case all three judges differ, the final verdict shall be with the President of the AIZWV and cannot be challenged.
- 3. An undertaking has to be submitted by the authors that he/she has no objection for publishing the presented paper(s) adjudged 1st in the AIZWV publication
- 4. The judges will have to sign the oath of integrity to ensure and exercise righteousness, transparency and rectitude.