

# ANNOUNCEMENT

The membership fees of the Indian Society of Agricultural Statistics as well as subscription rates of its Journal have been revised w.e.f. January, 1986, in view of the increase in publication cost and establishment charges. The members of the Society and the subscribers to the Journal will bear with us for this moderate increase and continue to extend their cooperation. The revised rates are as follows :-

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PREM NARAIN  
Secretary, ISAS.

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The objectives of the Association shall be to promote the understanding and advancement of official statistics and related subjects, and to foster the development of effective and efficient official statistical services through international contacts among individuals and organizations including users of official statistics as well as research institutes.

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The annual membership dues for 1986 and 1987 are fixed at 35 Swiss francs. Those enlisted as members and having paid the 1986 dues before June 1, 1986, will be designated as IAOS Founder Members. UNESCO coupons may be used for dues payments.

Further information and application forms may be obtained from the ISI Permanent Office, 428 Prinses Beatrixlaan, P. O. Box 950, 2270 AZ Voorburg, The Netherlands.

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