Editorial

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Third issue of Indian Journal of Surgical Oncology was done in July, due to statutory commitments from concerned authorities. Once again this issue is dedicated to the Breast Cancer. As “Breast cancer awareness week” was celebrated in October. The purpose of this is to educate professionals and public on the awareness of breast cancer in major

metropolitan cities. The incidence now is nearly 90,000 cancer cases per year. By 2020 this may become number one cancer in Women in Indian subcontinent.

I appreciate all the authors who are contributed to this issue which reflects the concept of multi disciplinary team in management of Breast cancer. The articles on utility advanced radiation therapy, Endocrine and primary endocrine therapy have very well completed. The usefulness of mammography as screening tools is well described by the personal experiences.

I thank all authors who presented their individual and institutional work is highly appreciated. Reconstructive surgery experiences were very well brought out.

I appreciate the contributing authors for their valuable support in sending articles in time to acquire the knowledge and skill.

Thanking you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K. S. Gopinath', written in a cursive style.

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