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Dated: 11-7-23

To

All Members of
the Academic Council,
Kurukshetra University.

Subject: Agenda of the 125th meeting of the Academic Council.

Sir/Madam,

In continuation of this office letter No. ACS-V/2023/8542-8742 dated 07.07.2023, it is directed to enclose herewith a copy of the Agenda (excluding Annexure) for the 125th meeting of the Academic Council to be held on 19.07.2023 at 3.30 p.m. in the Senate Hall, Shrimad Bhagvadgita Sadan, K.U., Kurukshetra. Agenda is also available on University website and the same has also been e-mailed to the members whose e-mail addresses are available with the office.

It is further informed that as per Academic Council Res. No. 65(8) dated 26.11.2010 and Res. No. 89(1) dated 22.12.2022, Annexure to the Items are not being supplied with the Agenda but the same have been made available on the University website www.kuk.ac.in.

You are requested kindly to attend the meeting.

D.A.: As above

Yours faithfully,


Assistant Registrar (Academic)
for Registrar

Endst. No. ACS-V/2023/ 9146-9149

Dated: 11-7-23

Copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:

1. O.S.D. to the Vice-Chancellor, K.U.K.
2. P.S./Assistant Registrar to the Vice-Chancellor/Registrar, K.U.K. (for kind information of the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor and Registrar).
3. Superintendent of Academic and Syllabus Section, K.U.K.


Assistant Registrar (Academic)
for Registrar

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Agenda for the 125th meeting of the Academic Council of the Kurukshetra to be held on Wednesday, the 19th July, 2023 at 03:30 p.m. in the Senate Hall, Shrimad Bhagvadgita Sadan, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra.

1. To confirm the minutes of the last meeting of the Academic Council held on 22.12.2022 and to note the follow up action as per **Annexure Pages 1(1-8)**.

2. To consider the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in anticipation of the approval of the Academic Council in allowing admission to Ms. Neha Makkar in M.A. Economics (Final) in the Directorate of Distance Education to appear in M.A. Economics (Final) examination to be held in July 2023 to complete her M.A. Economics degree as a Special Case with extra fee of Rs. 7000/- in addition to normal fee/late fee etc. for permitting her extension **One year** beyond 4 years which is stipulated period for passing M.A. Economics degree course.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

As per Clause 8.3 of the Ordinance for M.A. Economics (Final) Examinations, appearing at page 328 of K.U. Calendar Vol.-II Part-B 2014, a candidate who fails to pass M.A. Economics Examination within a period of four years of his/her admission to the course shall be deemed to be unfit for the course.

In the instant case Ms. Neha Makkar took admission in M.A. Economics (Previous) first time during the session (2018-19) but could not complete the course within stipulated period i.e. 2021-22. Now she has requested to allow her M.A. Economics (Final) in the Directorate to complete her M.A. Economics degree course during the session July, 2022. The Vice-Chancellor in anticipation of the approval of the Academic Council allowed admission to her in M.A. Economics (Final) through DDE as a special case with extra fee of Rs. 7000/- in addition to normal fee/late fee etc.

The Academic Council has already allowed admission to some candidates also to complete their degree course as a special case on one or the other grounds with the penalty of Rs. 7000/- in addition to normal fee/dues for permitting them extension of **One year** beyond four years which is the stipulated period for passing M.A./M.Sc. degree course.

Hence the above is submitted.

(Ref: DDE)

3. To consider the action taken by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor in anticipation of the approval of the Academic Council under section 11(5) of the K.U. Act & Statutes, 1986 on the recommendations of the committee dated 19.12.2022 **as per Annexure Pages 3(1-6)** for entering into an Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Swadeshi Swavlamban Nyas G.T Road, Panipat & KUK.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

The Placement Officer, Co-ordinator, KUCTIE, KUK proposed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Swadeshi Swavlamban Nyas G.T Road, Panipat & KUK.

A Committee Constituted by the Dean Academic Affairs to examine the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Swadeshi Swavlamban Nyas G.T Road, Panipat & KUK

The committee recommends to sign the MoU under reference. After approval by the University authorities, both the parties viz. Dept. of KUCTIE and Swadeshi Swavlamban have signed the MoU **as per Annexure Pages 3(1-6)**.

The above needs approval of the Academic Council and thereafter by the Executive Council.

As no meeting of the Academic Council was going to be held shortly, therefore, the Vice-Chancellor has taken the action.

Hence, the above.

(Ref:ACS-IV)

4. To consider the action taken by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, under Section 11(5) of K.U. Act & Statutes, 1986, in anticipation of approval of Academic Council in allowing to enter into Memorandum of Understanding between Kurukshetra University Kurukshetra and Yushu Excellence Technologies Pvt. Ltd. Operating office, Incubation Centre, BITS PILANI, Pilani recommendations of the committee in its meeting held on 25.11.2022 **as per Annexure Pages 4(1-7)**.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

The Principal, Institute of Integrated Honors Studies, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra requested to enter into MoU with Yushu Excellence Technologies Pvt. Ltd. Operating office, Incubation Centre, BITS PILANI, Pilani.

A committee was constituted by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor to discuss the subject matter. The Committee after detailed deliberation recommended **as per Annexure Pages 4(1-7)** that MoU may be signed by both parties for benefit of the students.

The above needs approval of the Academic Council and thereafter by the Executive Council.

Since the meeting of the Academic Council was not to be held shortly, therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the action.

Hence, the above item.

(Ref.:ACS-I)

5. To consider the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in anticipation of the approval of the Academic Council in allowing admission to Mr. Vikram Jeet S/o Late Sh. Raghubir Singh in M.A. History (Final) in the Directorate of Distance Education to appear in M.A. History (Final) examination to complete his M.A. History degree as a Special Case with extra fee of Rs.7000/- in addition to normal fee/late fee etc. for permitting him extension One year beyond 4 years which is stipulated period for passing M.A. History Degree course.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

As per Clause 6.3 of the Ordinance for M.A. History (Final) Examinations, appearing at page 356 of K.U. Calendar Vol-II, Part-B 2014, a candidate who fails to pass M.A. History Examination within a period of four years of his/her admission to the course shall be deemed to be unfit for the course.

In the instant case Mr. Vikram Jeet took admission in M.A. History (Previous) first time during the session 2018-19 but could not complete the course within stipulated period i.e. 2021-22. Now he has requested to allow him to take admission in M.A. History (Final) in the Directorate to complete his masters' degree during the session January, 2023. The Vice-Chancellor in anticipation of the approval of the Academic Council allowed admission to him in M.A. History (Final) through DDE as a special case with extra fee of Rs. 7000/- in addition to normal fee/late fee etc.

The Academic Council has already allowed admission to some candidates also to complete their degree courses as a special case on one or the other grounds with the penalty of Rs. 7,000/- in addition to normal fee/dues for permitting them extension of One year beyond four years which is the stipulated period for passing M.A./M.Sc. degree course.

Hence the above is submitted.

(Ref: DDE)

6. To consider the following amendments as recommended by the Dean's Committee to Ph.D. Ordinance 2022-23, Clause 11.11 is as under:

Existing	Recommended
<p>Clause 11.11 of Ph.D. Ordinance In case, a Research Scholar fails in the Ph.D. coursework, he/she shall be given only one more chance to appear in the re-examination of Ph.D. coursework which shall be held after a gap of 3 months from the date of declaration of the result of Ph.D. coursework. In case, if a Research Scholar fails to qualify again in the re-examination, his/her admission shall stand automatically cancelled. A candidate failing to attend coursework will have to seek admission afresh.</p>	<p>Clause 11.11 of Ph.D. Ordinance In case, a Research Scholar fails in the Ph.D. coursework, he/she shall be given only one more chance to appear in the re-examination of Ph.D. coursework which shall be held after a gap of 3 (three) months from the date of declaration of the result of Ph.D. coursework. In case, if a Research Scholar fails to qualify again in the re-examination, his/her admission shall stand automatically cancelled. A candidate failing to attend coursework will have to seek admission afresh.</p> <p>However, Research Scholar may apply for re-evaluation of the coursework paper to the Chairperson of the concerned department. Re-evaluation will be done at the level of department. However re-evaluation can be done by outside faculty also if needed with the approval of the competent authority. The fee for re-evaluation shall be Rs.500/- per paper. The Research Scholar may apply for re-evaluation to the Chairperson of the department alongwith fee within 20 days from the date of communication of Ph.D. coursework result to the student by the Department after that no re-evaluation will be allowed.</p>

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:

The complaint received from Mr. Nardev, Research Scholar, Department of Ancient Indian History, Cultural and Archaeology regarding Ph.D. coursework result was placed before the Dean's Committee constituted by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor consisting of Dean Academic Affairs, Dean R&D and all Faculty Dean's. The Committee after detailed deliberations recommended amendments to clause 11.11 of the Ph.D. Ordinance (**Annexure Pages 6(1)**).

The above mentioned amendments are to be implemented with effect from the session 2022-23, hence the item.

(Ref:Ph.D. (Registration))

7. To nominate two persons as members on the Admission Committee from amongst the members of the Academic Council, for a period of two years in place of the following outgoing members :

1. Dr. Rajesh Kharab,
Professor,
Dept. of Physics, KUK
2. Dr. Sanjeev Gupta
Principal,
Institute of Integrated and Honours Studies, KUK

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Under Clause 1(I)(k) of Ordinance-1, the Academic Council is to nominate two members on the Admission Committee from amongst its own members for a period of two years or till they remain member of the Academic Council whichever is earlier. The term as member of the Academic Council of Dr. Rajesh Kharab, Prof., Dept. of Physics and Dr. Sanjeev Gupta, Principal, Institute of Integrated and Honours Studies, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra has expired on 02.03.2023 who were nominated under the above referred Clause on the Admission Committee.

Hence, the above.

(Ref. ACM-3)

8. To appoint two persons, including a woman, not necessarily from among the members of the Academic Council, as the members of the Board of Residence, Health & Discipline for a period of two years in term of clause 2(1) 8 of Ordinance X-Residence, Health & Discipline, appearing at pages 31-35 of the University Calendar Volume-1, 2009.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

The Board of Residence, Health & Discipline includes inter alia “two persons, including a woman, appointed by the Academic Council not necessarily from among their own members”. In term of clause 2(1) 8 of the Ordinance X-Residence, Health & Discipline, appearing at pages 31-35 of the University Calendar Volume-1, 2009. The Academic Council vide its Resolution No. 31 dated 03.03.2021 had appointed the following persons on the Board of Residence, Health & Discipline for a period of two years in terms of above mentioned clause: -

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| 1. | Dr. Jitender Sharma, Professor,
Department of Biotechnology, KUK | 30.03.2021 to 29.03.2023 |
| 2. | Dr. Kiran Singh, Professor,
Department of Chemistry, KUK | 30.03.2021 to 29.03.2023 |

Now, two persons including a woman are to be appointed on the Board of Residence, Health & Discipline for a term of two years vice Dr. Jitender Sharma, Professor, Department of Biotechnology, KUK & Dr. Kiran Singh, Professor, Department of Chemistry, KUK. A list of existing members of the Board of Residence, Health & Discipline is added **at Annexure Pages 8(1)**.

Ref. (ACM-1)

9. To consider the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor under Section 11(5) of the K.U. Act & Statutes, 1986 in anticipation of approval of the Academic Council to approve the MoU, on the recommendations of the Committee dated 24.01.2023 for entering into Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra (KUK) and Association of Haryanvis in Australia (AHA) George Street, Parramatta, NSW as per **Annexure Pages 9(1-3)**.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

The Director, DYCA, K.U.K on the request of President, Association of Haryanvis in Australia proposed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra and Association of Haryanvis in Australia (AHA) George Street, Parramatta, NSW.

The Vice Chancellor has constituted the under mentioned Committee to examined the MoU between K.U.K and AHA.

1. Dean Academic Affairs.
2. Dean Students Welfare.
3. Director, DYCA.
4. Coordinator, IQAC.
5. Advisor, International Students.

The above committee in its meeting held on 24.01.2023 unanimously recommended to enter into the abovesaid MoU as per **Annexure Pages 9(1-3)**.

The above needs approval of the Academic Council and thereafter by the Executive Council.

As the meeting of the Academic Council was going to be held shortly, and the Committee constituted for the purpose recommended to enter into the above said MoU therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor has taken the action.

Hence, the above.

(Ref:ACS-IV)

10. To consider the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor under Section 11(5) of K.U. Act & Statutes, 1986, in anticipation of approval of the Academic Council in approving the following syllabi:-

(ANNEXURES HAVE BEEN DISPLAYED ON THE UNIVERSITY WEBSITE www.kuk.ac.in)

Sr. No.	Name of the Course/Subject	Remarks
1.	Scheme of Exams. I to VIII semesters w.e.f. the session 2022-23 in phased manner and Syllabus of 1st year (I & II semester) of B.Tech. in Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning (Credit Based System) w.e.f. the session 2022-23 for Engg. Institutes/Colleges affiliated to KUK, duly recommended & approved by the Regular Committee of Board of Studies in Computer Science & Engg. in its meeting held on 11.11.2022 vide its resolution No. 3 as per Annexure Pages 10(1-28).	<p>The Dean, Faculty of Engg. & Tech., K.U.K. has supplied the proceedings of the Regular Committee of Board of Studies in Computer Science & Engg. (Credit Based System) in its meeting held on 11.11.2022, vide its resolution No. 3, the Board of Studies has approved, as per annexure pages, the Scheme of Exams. I to VIII semesters w.e.f. the session 2022-23 in phased manner and Syllabus 1st year (I & II semester) of B.Tech. in Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning (Credit Based System) w.e.f. the session 2022-23 for Engg. Institutes/Colleges affiliated to KUK.</p> <p>Since no meeting of the Academic Council was going to be held shortly and the above-said Scheme of Exams. I to VIII semesters w.e.f. the session 2022-23 in phased manner and Syllabus 1st year (I & II semester) of B.Tech. in Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning (Credit Based System) for Engg. Institutes/Colleges affiliated to KUK was to be implemented with effect from the session 2022-23, respectively, therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the above action, in anticipation of approval of the Academic Council.</p> <p>Hence, the above.</p>
2.	Scheme of Examination and Syllabi of M.Sc.(Printing, Graphics & Packaging Technology and M.Sc.(Graphic Animation & Multimedia 1 st year (1 st & 2 nd semesters) under CBCS w.e.f. academic session 2022-23 as per Annexure pages 10(29-79). b	<p>The Director, Institute of Mass Communication & Media Technology has forwarded the minutes of the meeting of Postgraduate Board of Studies held on 03.01.2023. The Postgraduate Board of Studies has approved the Scheme of Examination and syllabi of M.Sc.(Printing, Graphics & Packaging Technology and M.Sc.(Graphic Animation & Multimedia 1st year(1st & 2nd semesters) under CBCS w.e.f. academic session 2022-23.</p> <p>Since, meeting of the Academic Council is not going to be</p>

		held shortly and the above mentioned the Scheme of Examinations and Syllabi w.e.f. the session 2022-23. therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the action. Hence, the above.
3.	Scheme of Examination & Syllabi of B.A. Journalism & Mass Communication, B.Sc. Graphics & Animation, B.Sc. Multimedia and B.Sc. Printing and Packaging Technology (1 st & 2 nd semester) of the UG programmes in accordance with NEP-2020 (Multiple Entry-Exit, Internships & Choice Based Credit System w.e.f academic session 2022-23 in phased manner and the Scheme of examination and syllabi of Third year (5 th and 6 th semester) of the following Campus Courses under CBCS/LOCF for the session 2022-23 in its meeting held on 15.12.2022 vide res.no.2 and 3 : 1. B.A.Journalism & Mass Communication, 2. B.Sc.Graphics & Animation 3. B.SC.Multimedia. 4. B.Sc.Printing and Packaging Technology as per Annexure pages 10(80-509)	The Director, Institute of Mass Communication & Media Technology has forwarded the minutes of the meeting of Undergraduate Board of Studies of held on 15.12.2022. The Undergraduate Board of Studies has approved the Scheme of Examination (1 st & 2 nd semester) of the following UG programmes in accordance with NEP-2020 (Multiple Entry-Exit, Internships & Choice Based Credit System w.e.f academic session 2022-23 in phased manner and the Scheme of examination and syllabi of Third year (5 th and 6 th semester) of the following Campus Courses under CBCS/LOCF for the session 2022-23. 1. B.A. Journalism & Mass Communication 2. B.Sc. Graphics & Animation. 3. B.SC. Multimedia. 4. B.Sc. Printing and Packaging Technology. Since, meeting of the Academic Council is not going to be held shortly and the above mentioned the Scheme of Examinations and Syllabus w.e.f. the session 2022-23. therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the action. Hence, the above.
4.	Scheme of examination and syllabus for Health and Physical Education as an optional subject in B.A. according to CBCS and LOCF for IIHS implemented from the session 2020-21 in phased manner as per Annexure Pages 10(510-529).	The Chairperson, Deptt. of Physical Education has forwarded the minutes of the U.G. Board of Studies in Physical Education held on 28.11.2022. The U.G. Board of Studies has approved the Scheme of examination and syllabus for Health and Physical Education as an optional subject in B.A. according to CBCS and LOCF for IIHS implemented from the session 2020-21 in phased manner. Since, meeting of the Academic Council is not going to be held shortly and the above mentioned Scheme of examination and syllabus for Health and Physical Education as an optional subject in B.A. according to CBCS and LOCF for IIHS implemented from the session 2020-21 in phased manner, therefore, the Hon'ble

		Vice-Chancellor took the action. Hence, the above.						
5.	<p>Following Scheme of Examinations and Syllabi as per recommendations of the U.G.B.O.S. in Electronics in its meeting dated 10.10.2022 as per Annexure Pages 10(530-556):</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Sr. No.</th> <th>U.G. Board of Studies/Res. No. & Dated</th> <th>Scheme of Exams. & Syllabi</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1.</td> <td>Electronics/Res. No. 3 dated 10.10.2022</td> <td> <p>(i) Scheme of Examinations and Syllabus of III & IV Semesters for UG Programme, Course: Electronics under (Multiple Entry-Exit, Internship and CBCS-LOCF) in accordance to NEP-2020 w.e.f. the session 2023-24 for IIHS only.</p> <p>(ii) Scheme of Examinations and Syllabus of III & IV Semesters for UG Programme, Course: Electronic Equipment Maintenance under (Multiple Entry-Exit, Internship and CBCS-LOCF) in accordance to NEP-2020 w.e.f. the session 2023-24 for IIHS only.</p> </td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Sr. No.	U.G. Board of Studies/Res. No. & Dated	Scheme of Exams. & Syllabi	1.	Electronics/Res. No. 3 dated 10.10.2022	<p>(i) Scheme of Examinations and Syllabus of III & IV Semesters for UG Programme, Course: Electronics under (Multiple Entry-Exit, Internship and CBCS-LOCF) in accordance to NEP-2020 w.e.f. the session 2023-24 for IIHS only.</p> <p>(ii) Scheme of Examinations and Syllabus of III & IV Semesters for UG Programme, Course: Electronic Equipment Maintenance under (Multiple Entry-Exit, Internship and CBCS-LOCF) in accordance to NEP-2020 w.e.f. the session 2023-24 for IIHS only.</p>	<p>The Chairperson, Department of Electronics through Dean, Faculty of Sciences has supplied (i) Scheme of Examinations and Syllabus of III & IV Semesters for UG Programme, Course: Electronics under (Multiple Entry-Exit, Internship and CBCS-LOCF) in accordance to NEP-2020 w.e.f. the session 2023-24 for IIHS only (ii) Scheme of Examinations and Syllabus of III & IV Semesters for UG Programme, Course: Electronic Equipment Maintenance under (Multiple Entry-Exit, Internship and CBCS-LOCF) in accordance to NEP-2020 w.e.f. the session 2023-24 for IIHS only, duly recommended by the U.G.B.O.S. in Electronics in its meeting held on 10.10.2022.</p> <p>Since no meeting of the Academic Council was going to be held shortly and the Scheme of Examinations & syllabi of above said courses were to be implemented w.e.f. the session 2023-24, therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the action.</p> <p>Hence, the above.</p>
Sr. No.	U.G. Board of Studies/Res. No. & Dated	Scheme of Exams. & Syllabi						
1.	Electronics/Res. No. 3 dated 10.10.2022	<p>(i) Scheme of Examinations and Syllabus of III & IV Semesters for UG Programme, Course: Electronics under (Multiple Entry-Exit, Internship and CBCS-LOCF) in accordance to NEP-2020 w.e.f. the session 2023-24 for IIHS only.</p> <p>(ii) Scheme of Examinations and Syllabus of III & IV Semesters for UG Programme, Course: Electronic Equipment Maintenance under (Multiple Entry-Exit, Internship and CBCS-LOCF) in accordance to NEP-2020 w.e.f. the session 2023-24 for IIHS only.</p>						
6.	<p>Scheme of Examinations & Syllabus of M.Sc. Zoology (I to IV Semesters) (Non-CBCS) running in G.C.W., Panchkula, Sector-14 w.e.f. the session 2022-23 in phased manner, as per recommendations of the P.G.B.O.S. in Zoology, vide Res. No. 1, in its meeting held on 14.01.2023, as per Annexure Pages 10(557-615).</p>	<p>The Chairperson, Department of Zoology through Dean, Faculty of Life Sciences has supplied the Scheme of Examinations & Syllabus of M.Sc. Zoology (I to IV Semesters) (Non-CBCS) running in G.C.W., Panchkula, Sector-14 w.e.f. the session 2022-23 in phased manner, duly approved by the P.G.B.O.S. in Zoology, in its meeting held on 14.01.2023 vide Res. No. 1.</p> <p>Since no meeting of the Academic Council was going to be held shortly and Scheme of Examinations & Syllabus of M.Sc. Zoology (I to IV Semesters) (Non-CBCS) running in G.C.W., Panchkula, Sector-14 in phased manner is to be implemented w.e.f. 2022-23, therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the action.</p> <p>Hence, the above.</p>						

7.	<p>Revised Scheme of Examinations (all semesters) in phased manner and Syllabus of first year (1st & 2nd Sem.) for Undergraduate Programme Course: Computer Applications under (Multiple Entry-Exit, Internship and CBCS-LOCF) in accordance with NEP-2020 w.e.f. the session 2022-23, as per recommendations of the U.G.B.O.S. in Computer Science & Applications, vide Res. No. 1, in its meeting held on 09.01.2023 as per Annexure Pages 10(616-648).</p>	<p>The Chairperson, Department of Computer Science & Applications through Dean, Faculty of Sciences has supplied the revised Scheme of Examinations (all semesters) in phased manner and Syllabus of first year (1st & 2nd Sem.) for Undergraduate Programme Course: Computer Applications under (Multiple Entry-Exit, Internship and CBCS-LOCF) in accordance with NEP-2020 w.e.f. the session 2022-23, duly approved by the U.G.B.O.S. in Computer Science & Applications, in its meeting held on 09.01.2023 vide Res. No. 1.</p> <p>Since no meeting of the Academic Council was going to be held shortly and revised Scheme of Examinations (all semesters) in phased manner and Syllabus of first year (1st & 2nd Sem.) for Undergraduate Programme Course: Computer Applications under (Multiple Entry-Exit, Internship and CBCS-LOCF) in accordance with NEP-2020 is to be implemented w.e.f. 2022-23, therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the action.</p> <p>Hence, the above.</p>
8.	<p>Scheme of Examination & Syllabi for UG Program, Course Panjabi (sem I to sem VI), multiple entry-exit, internship and CBCS-LOCF in accordance with NEP-2020 w.e.f the session 2022-23 in phased manner for regular students of IIHS, KUK, through the Dean Faculty of Arts & Languages, duly approved by the UGBOS in Panjabi Department in its meeting, held on 06.07.2022 (online via Google meet) vide its resolution No. 2 as per Annexure Pages 10(649-738).</p>	<p>The Chairman, Department of Panjabi has supplied the Scheme of Examination & Syllabi for UG Program, Course Panjabi (sem I to sem VI), multiple entry-exit, internship and CBCS-LOCF in accordance with NEP-2020 w.e.f the session 2022-23 in phased manner for regular students of IIHS, KUK, through the Dean Faculty of Arts & Languages, duly approved by the UGBOS in Panjabi Department in its meeting, held on 06.07.2022 (online via Google meet) vide its resolution No. 2.</p> <p>As no meeting of the Academic Council was going to be held shortly and the above mentioned Scheme of Examination & Syllabi, are to be implemented w.e.f. the session 2022-23, therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the above action, in anticipation of approval of the Academic Council.</p> <p>Hence, the above.</p>
9.	<p>Scheme of Examination and Syllabus of M.A.(Journalism & Mass Communication-Online) under CBCS/LOCF through Directorate of Distance Education w.e.f academic session 2022-23. As per Annexure Pages 10(739-782)</p>	<p>The Director, Institute of Mass Communication & Media Technology has forwarded the minutes of the meeting of Postgraduate Board of Studies held on 03.01.2023. The</p>

		<p>Postgraduate Board of Studies has approved the Scheme of Examination and syllabus of M.A.(Journalism & Mass Communication- Online)under CBCS/LOCF through Directorate of Distance Education w.e.f academic session 2022-23.</p> <p>Since, meeting of the Academic Council was not going to be held shortly and the above mentioned Scheme of Examination and Syllabus w.e.f academic session 2022-23., therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the action.</p> <p>Hence, the above.</p>
10.	Scheme of Examination of P.G. Diploma in Taxation (one year) run by Directorate of Distance Education w.e.f the session 2018-19 as per Annexure Pages 10(783-789).	<p>The Chairperson, Deptt. of Commerce has informed that Postgraduate Board of Studies in Commerce, vide its Res.No.8 of 4.8.2018 has approved the Scheme of Examination of P.G. Diploma in Taxation (one year) run by Directorate of Distance Education w.e.f. the session 2018-19.</p> <p>Since meeting of the Faculty of Commerce & Management and Academic Council were not being held shortly and the above mentioned Scheme of Examination was to be implemented w.e.f. of the session 2018-19. The Vice-chancellor took the above action.</p>
11.	Scheme of Examination and Syllabi of B.A(TTM) and (BTTM) under NEP-2020. W.e.f academic session 2022-23 as per Annexure Pages 10(790-832).	<p>The Chairperson, Deptt. of Tourism & Hotel Management has forwarded the minutes of the meeting of undergraduate Board of Studies held on 08.06.2022. The undergraduate Board of Studies has approved the programme structure, mapping (1st and 2nd) syllabus (1st and 2nd) and scheme of Examination (1st to 8th) of BA(TTM)& programme structure, mapping (1st and 2nd) syllabus (1st and 2nd), Scheme of Examination (1st to 8th)of (BTTM) as per National Education Policy session 2022-23.</p> <p>Since, meeting of the Academic Council was not going to be held shortly and the above mentioned the Scheme of Examinations and Syllabi w.e.f the session 2022-23, therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the action.</p> <p>Hence, the above.</p>
12.	Syllabus of B. Tech. Automation and Robotics (V th & VI th semester) w.e.f. the session 2023-24 for Engg.	The Director, UIET/Dean, Faculty of Engg. & Tech., K.U.K. has

	Institutes/Colleges affiliated to K.U.K., duly recommended & approved by the Regular Committee of Board of Studies in Mechanical Engineering in its meeting held on 06.04.2023, vide its Resolution No. 4 as per Annexure Pages 10(833-870).	<p>supplied the proceedings of the Regular Committee of Board of Studies in Mechanical Engineering in its meeting held on 06.04.2023 alongwith Annexure pages of the Syllabus of B. Tech. Automation and Robotics (Vth & VIth semester) w.e.f. the session 2023-24 for Engg. Institutes/Colleges affiliated to K.U.K.</p> <p>Since no meeting of the Academic Council was going to be held shortly and the above-said Syllabus of B.Tech. Automation and Robotics (Vth & VIth semester) for Engg. Institutes/Colleges affiliated to K.U.K was to be implemented with effect from the session 2023-24, respectively, therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the above action, in anticipation of approval of the Academic Council.</p> <p>Hence, the above.</p>
13.	some minor changes in Certificate, Diploma and Advance Diploma in German, prescribed books only for the session 2023-24, as per Annexure Pages 10(871-879).	<p>The Chairman, Department of Foreign Languages has supplied the some minor changes in Certificate, Diploma and Advance Diploma in German prescribed books only for the session 2023-24 through Dean, Faculty of Arts & Languages, duly approved by the UGBOS in Foreign Languages in its meeting, held on 14.03.2023 vide its resolution No. 2.</p> <p>As no meeting of the Academic Council was going to be held shortly and some minor changes in Certificate, Diploma and Advance Diploma in German prescribed books only for the session 2023-24 are approved, therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the above action, in anticipation of approval of the Academic Council.</p> <p>Hence, the above.</p>
14.	Modifications in the Scheme & Syllabus for B.A. 6 th Semester (Health and Physical Education) according to SEC (Skill Enhancement Course) under CBCS (LOCF) w.e.f. 2022-23 in phased manner as per Annexure pages 10(881-886).	<p>The Chairperson, Deptt. of the Physical Education has forwarded the minutes of the U.G Board of Studies in Physical Education held on 16.03.2023. The U.G Board of Studies has approved the modification in the Scheme of the subject 'Health and Physical Education' in B.A 6TH Semester by Introducing additional SEC course 'Fitness Management' under CBCS (LOCF) Scheme & approved the Syllabus of additional SEC 'Fitness Management' under</p>

		<p>CBCS (LOCF) in B.A. 6th Semester w.e.f. session 2022-23 in phased manner.</p> <p>Since, meeting of the Academic Council was not going to be held shortly and the above mentioned Scheme of Examination & syllabus is to be implemented w.e.f. the session 2022-23 therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the above action, in anticipation of approval of the Academic Council.</p> <p>Hence, the above.</p>
15	<p>Modified Scheme of Exams. and Syllabus of B.Tech. Biotechnology 3rd Year (Vth & VIth Semester) w.e.f. the session 2023-24 only for UIET, K.U.K. duly recommended by the UIET Board of Studies in Biotechnology in its meeting held on 25.02.2023 in virtual mode through google meet, vide its Resolution 3 as per Annexure Pages 10(887-942).</p>	<p>The Director, UIET/Dean, Faculty of Engg. & Tech., K.U.K. has submitted the proceedings of the UIET Board of Studies in Biotechnology meeting held on 25.02.2023 in virtual mode through google meet and also supplied the hard copy of the modified Scheme of Exams. and Syllabus of B.Tech. Biotechnology 3rd Year (Vth & VIth Semester) w.e.f. the session 2023-24 only for UIET, K.U.K. as per Annexure Pages 10(887-942) for approval of the competent authority.</p> <p>Since no meeting of the Academic Council was going to be held shortly and the modified Scheme of Exams. and Syllabus of B.Tech. Biotechnology 3rd Year (Vth & VIth Semester) only for UIET, K.U.K. was to be implemented with effect from the Academic Session 2023-24, therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the above action, in anticipation of approval of the Academic Council.</p> <p>Hence, the above.</p>
16.	<p>Revised Scheme of Examinations and Syllabus of M.Sc. Biochemistry (I to IV semester) under CBCS-LOCF w.e.f. 2023-24 in phased manner (for UTD only), as per recommendations of the P.G.B.O.S. in Biochemistry, vide Res. No. 2, in its meeting held on 29.03.2023, as per Annexure Pages 10(943-1013).</p>	<p>The Chairperson, Department of Biochemistry through Dean, Faculty of Life Sciences has submitted the revised Scheme of Examinations and Syllabus of M.Sc. Biochemistry (I to IV semester) under CBCS-LOCF w.e.f. 2023-24 in phased manner (for UTD only), duly approved by the P.G.B.O.S. in Biochemistry, in its meeting held on 29.03.2023 vide Res. No. 2.</p> <p>Since no meeting of the Academic Council was going to be held shortly and revised Scheme of Examinations and Syllabus of M.Sc. Biochemistry (I to IV semester) under CBCS-LOCF in phased manner (for UTD only) was to be implemented</p>

		w.e.f. 2023-24, therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the action. Hence, the above.
17.	Syllabi of SEC/Open Elective/Activities/Hobby/Club Courses w.e.f. session 2022-23 in its meeting held on 10.10.2022 as per Annexure Pages 10(1014-1055)	<p>The Principal, Institute of Integrated & Honors Studies has forwarded the minutes of the meeting of held on 10.10.2022 has approved the 37 courses under NEP w.e.f. session 2022-23.</p> <p>Since, meeting of the Academic Council was not going to be held shortly and the above mentioned syllabi were w.e.f. the session 2022-23, therefore, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor took the action.</p> <p>Hence the above.</p>

11. To consider the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor under 11(5) section of K.U. Act & Statues, 1986 in anticipation approval of the Academic Council in approving relevant Clause 8.1 of University Calendar (2014) Volume-II (Part-A) may be implemented in the Directorate of Distance Education from session January, 2023 onward for all UG Programmes and also incorporation of the same in the Ordinances of the Directorate of Distance Education.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE :

A meeting of Advisory Committee of the Directorate of Distance Education was held on 27.12.2022 and under item No. 14 (**at Annexure Pages 11(1-5)**), it was resolved and recommended in its meeting that relevant Clause 8.1 of University Calendar Volume-II (Part A) Ordinances for Examinations may be implemented in the Directorate of Distance Education from session January, 2023 onward for all UG Programmes which is as under:-

Existing Clause 8.1 Calendar 2014,Volume-II (Part-A) Ordinances for Examinations	Recommended for all UG Programmes to be implemented in the Directorate of Distance Education from session January 2023 onwards
<i>“if a candidate has, after attending the course of studies in the college and being eligible, either not appeared or appeared in any semester examination and failed in one or more subjects for that examination, he/she can appear for such subject (s) at subsequent examinations without attending a fresh course of studies for that semester in college. Such a candidate may in the meantime, pursue his/her studies for the next higher semester(s) and appear in the examination (s) for the same alongwith the examination for the lower semester(s), as an ex-student only twice on the recommendation of the Principal of the College concerned. While re-appearing in the examination, the candidate shall be exempted from appearing in the paper(s) practical (s) in which he/she has obtained pass marks”</i>	<i>“if a candidate has, after attending the course of studies in the Directorate of Distance Education and being eligible, either not appeared or appeared in any semester/annual examination and failed in one or more subjects for that examination, he/she can appear for such subject(s) at subsequent examinations without attending a fresh course of studies for that semester/year in the Directorate. Such a candidate may in the meantime, pursue his/her studies for the next higher semester(s)/annual studies and appear in the examination (s) for the same alongwith the examination for the lower semester(s)/annual examinations, as an ex-student only twice on the recommendation of the Director of the Directorate of Distance Education. While re-appearing in the examination, the candidate shall be exempted from appearing in the paper(s) practical (s) in which he/she has obtained pass marks”</i>

The proceedings containing the above recommendations have also been approved by the Vice-Chancellor vide his orders dated 03.01.2023 (**at Annexure Pages 11(6)**). Accordingly, the above Clause is also required to be incorporated in the Ordinances of the Directorate of Distance Education.

Hence this item.

(Ref.DDE/SP/DEP-III)

12. To consider the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor, under Section 11(5) of K.U. Act & Statutes, 1986 in anticipation of approval of AC/EC in allowing consequential amendments/deletions under Clause-2 a)(iii) of Ordinance XVII appearing at Page-199 of K.U. Calendar Vol.-I, 2009.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

A Committee constituted by the Vice-Chancellor perused the rules for award of University Research Scholarship. The Committee deliberated over the issue and recommended the following:

- i) The process of inviting applications for URS should be started when the admission process of all the three rounds of that session is completed.
- ii) The word 'SLET' may be dropped from the Clause-2 a)(iii) as SLET is not mentioned under exempted category in the Ph.D. Ordinance of the University.

The recommendations of the committee are placed at **Annexure Pages 12(1-2)**.

Accordingly, the word 'SLET' has been dropped under Clause-2 a)(iii) to the University Research Scholarship w.e.f. the session 2022-23 and amendments/deletions in the relevant rules appearing in K.U. Calendar Volume-I, 2009 at page No. 199 is required (**Annexure Pages 12(1-2)**). While considering the recommendations of the Committee, the Vice-Chancellor has approved the same under section 11(5) of K.U. Act & Statutes, 1986 in anticipation of approval of AC/EC. Therefore, the matter is required to be placed before AC/EC for consideration.

(Ref:Accounts-I (S-V))

13. To consider the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor, under Section 11(5) of K.U. Act, & Statutes, 1986 in anticipation of approval of the Academic Council to approve the recommendations of the Equivalence Committee dated 03.03.2023 to consider the qualification of Chartered Accountant (CA), Company Secretary (CS) and Cost and Work Accountants (ICWA) equivalent to Post Graduation for the purpose of higher studies only at this University.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

The Chairperson, Department of Commerce vide letter. No. Com./2023/3468 dated 12.01.2023 forwarded the minutes of the meeting of Postgraduate Board of Studies (PGBOS) in Commerce held on 07th January 2023 (**Annexure Pages 13(2-5)**) vide Resolution No. 4 which is stated as under:-

“The Board discussed the DO letter No. 9-35/2016 (CPP-II) dated 15.04.2021 of Prof. Rajnish Jain, Secretary, UGC, New Delhi received from Dean, Faculty of Commerce and Management, KUK via email dated 08.10.2022 to consider the qualification of Chartered Accountant (CA), Company Secretary (CS) and Cost and Works Accountants (ICWA) equivalent to Post Graduation Degree and resolved that the proposal of the DO letter be accepted”.

The Equivalence Committee in its meeting held on 03.03.2023 perused the said minutes of Postgraduate Board of studies (PGBOS) alongwith the Public Notice of University Grants Commission vide No. D.O. No. 9-35/2016(CPP-II) dated 15th April, 2021 (**Annexure Pages 13(6)**).

The Committee discussed the matter at length and in view of the minutes of the Postgraduate Board of Studies (PGBOS) and above said UGC Public notice the Committee decided that Chartered Accountant (CA), from Institute of Chartered Accountant of India, Company Secretary (CS) from Institute of Company Secretaries of India and Cost and Works Accountants (ICWA) from Institute of Cost Accountant of India may be considered equivalent to Post Graduation Degree for the purpose of higher studies only at this University (**Annexure Pages 13(1)**).

Hence the above.

(Ref. ACM-II)

14. To consider the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor, under Section 11(5) of K.U. Act, & Statutes, 1986 in anticipation of approval of the Academic Council to approve the recommendations of the Equivalence Committee dated 03.03.2023 regarding equivalence of Shastri (3-years) to B.A. (General) for the purpose of higher studies only at this University (**Annexure Pages 14(1-8)**).

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

The Chairperson, Department of Sanskrit vide Endst No. SD/2023/F-89/49-58 dated 14.02.2023 forwarded the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Undergraduate studies in Sanskrit held on 18.01.2023 vide Resolution No. 2 (**Annexure Pages 14(6-8)**) which is stated under:-

“Resolved that since according to the recommendation of New Education Policy 2020 the persisting compulsory English Subject for Attaining the Degree of Graduation has been eliminated; Hence, the Shastri Course with or without English be accepted as equivalent to B.A. or Graduation Degree w.e.f. 2022-2023”.

The Equivalence Committee in its meeting on 03.03.2023 perused the said minutes of Board of Undergraduate studies alongwith the Office Memorandum(s) No. 6/12/71/Estt (D) dated 18th July, 1972 of Department of Personnel, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India (**Annexure Pages 14(1-8)**); letter No. 533-G.C.11(4E)74/26045 dated 02.09.1974 issued by Education Department, Haryana, Chandigarh (**Annexure Pages 14(3)**) and further letter No. AC-6/2012/16046-545 dated 19.09.2012 of Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak (**Annexure Pages 14(5)**), which are also regarding equivalency of Shastri to B.A.

“The Committee discussed the matter at length and in view of the minutes of the Board of Undergraduate Studies and above mentioned letters, the Committee recommends that Shastri (3-years) Course may be considered as Equivalent to B.A. (General) for the purpose of higher studies only at this University.”

Hence the above.

(Ref. /ACM-II)

15. To consider the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor, under Section 11(5) of K.U. Act, & Statutes, 1986, in anticipation of approval of the Academic Council to approve the recommendations of the Equivalence Committee dated 09.12.2022 regarding equivalence of Bachelor of Fine Arts from Teerthankar Mahaveer University, Moradabad (U.P.) to that of Bachelor of Fine Arts of Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra for the purpose of higher education only at this University (Annexure Pages 15(1)).

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

A request regarding equivalence of Bachelor of Fine Arts from Teerthankar Mahaveer University, Moradabad (U.P.) to that of Bachelor of Fine Arts of Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra was received from Ms. Muskan D/o Sh. Mukesh Kumar Jain and the same was considered by the Equivalence Committee in its meeting dated 09.12.2022. After detailed deliberations, the Equivalence Committee recommended that Bachelor of Fine Arts from Teerthankar Mahaveer University, Moradabad U.P. is equivalent to Bachelor of Fine Arts of Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra for the purpose of higher education only at this University.

Hence, the above.

(Ref. /ACM-II)

16. To consider the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor under Section 11(5) of K.U. Act & Statutes, 1986 in anticipation of approval of the Academic Council to approve the recommendations of the Equivalence Committee dated 17.03.2023 regarding equivalency of 4-year Advance Diploma in Die and Mould Making conducted by Indo-Swiss Training Centre, CSIR-CSIO Chandigarh and 3-year Diploma course in Mechanical Engg. of HSBTE for the purpose of higher studies only at this University (**Annexure Pages 16(1-4)**).

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

The A.R. (Regn.) has forwarded the case of Sh. Madhavrao Pathak who has passed Advance Diploma in Die and Mould Making from Indo-Swiss Training Centre, CSIR-CSIO Chandigarh and wants to seek admission in B.Tech. CSE (LEET) in Ambala College of Engg. and Applied Research, Ambala.

The Equivalence Committee in its meeting held on 17.03.2023 perused the recommendations of the Director UIET/Dean, Faculty of Engg. and Technology (**as at Annexure Pages 16(2-3)**) and the Committee also considered the Memo No. 2029/Equ./HSBTE dated 31.08.2022 (**as at Annexure Pages 16(4)**) regarding similarity of 4-year Advanced Diploma in Die and Mould Making conducted by Indo-Swiss Training Centre, Chandigarh and 3-year diploma course in Mechanical Engg. of HSBTE.

The Committee discussed the matter at length and in view of the recommendations of the concerned Dean/Director and above mentioned Memo, the Committee recommended that 4-year Advanced Diploma in Die and Mould Making Conducted by Indo-Swiss Training Centre, Chandigarh is equivalent to 3-year diploma course in Mechanical Engg. of HSBTE for the purpose of higher studies only at this University (**Annexure Pages 16(1)**).

Further, the Committee recommends that to confirm the eligibility to seek admission in B.Tech CSE (LEET), the case may be forwarded to Academic Section for taking further necessary action, in the matter.

Hence the above.

(Ref. /ACM-II)

17. To consider the action taken by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor under Section 11(5) of the K.U. Act & Statutes, 1986 in anticipation of approval of the Academic Council to approve the MoU, for entering into Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra (KUK) and Middlebury Institute of International Studies at Monterey, California, USA as per Annexure Pages 17(1-4).

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

The Director, ICIPS, K.U.K has proposed MoU between K.U.K and Middlebury Institute of International Studies at Monterey, California, USA and the MoU was signed on 18.04.2023 in the presence of Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor for the period of five years.

The above needs approval of the Academic Council and thereafter by the Executive Council.

As the meeting of the Academic Council was not going to be held shortly, and the above said MoU to be effective, hence, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor has taken the action.

Hence, the above.

(Ref.:ACS-II)

18. To consider the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in anticipation of the approval of the Academic Council under Section 11(5) of K.U. Act & Statutes,1986 on the recommendations of the Committee dated 29.08.2022 **as per Annexure Pages 18(1 to 10)** for entering into Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Institute of Mass Communication & Media Technology, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra and Karnal Print & Pack Cluster Pvt. Ltd. (A unit established by MSME under CDP Scheme), Plot No. 1, 2 part 3, Sec.-37, HSIIDC Karnal-132001, through Director, Institute of Mass Communication & Media Technology **as per Annexure Pages 18(1 to 10)**.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

The Director, Institute of Mass Communication & Media Technology, proposed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Institute of Mass Communication & Media Technology, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra and Karnal Print & Pack Cluster Pvt Ltd.(A unit established by MSME under CDP Scheme), Plot No. 1, 2 Part of 3 Sec.37 C, HSIIDC Karnal-132001. The Vice-Chancellor constituted a Committee to examine the MoU between Institute of Mass Communication & Media Technology, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra and Karnal Print & Pack Cluster Pvt. Ltd.

The Committee recommends to sign the above-said MoU. After approval by the University authorities, both the parties viz. between Institute of Mass Communication & Media Technology, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra and Karnal Print & Pack Cluster Pvt. Ltd.(A unit established by MSME under CDP Scheme), Plot No. 1, 2 Part of 3, Sec.-37 HSIIDC Karnal-132001 and Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra have signed the MoU **as per Annexure Pages 18(1 to 10)**.

The above needs approval of the Academic Council and thereafter by the Executive Council.

Since the meeting of the Academic Council is not to be held shortly, therefore, the Vice-Chancellor took the above action.

Hence, the above.

(ACS-IV)

19. To consider the recommendations of the Committee held on 15.05.2023 at 11.30 a.m. duly approved by the Worthy Vice-Chancellor with regard to consider the following for re-consideration of ODL and Online learning programmes as per guidelines dated September 4, 2020 issued by the UGC:-

1. **Ratio of Internal & External Assessment from 20:80 to 30:70.**
2. **Considering total 9 (nine) P.G. Diploma Programmes into 2-year format or in Diploma format.**
3. **Mobility of students from ODL programmes to Online and regular programmes.**

STATEMENT OF THE CASE:-

A meeting of the Committee made the following recommendations after detailed discussion on the instructions/guidelines dated September 4, 2020 issued by the UGC, New Delhi:-

1. Ratio of **Internal & External Assessment** Committee perused clause 15(A) 3 of UGC guidelines that provides for maximum 30 % formative assessment and minimum 70% summative assessment. Director, Directorate of Distance Education, explained the need of emphasis on formative assessment in view of NEP-2020 and informed the Committee that 30:70 format has already been adopted for online programmes of Directorate of Distance Education. Considering all aspects, the Committee recommended that the same i.e. 30:70 ratio of Internal and External Assessment may also be adopted for all the courses run through ODL mode **in place of existing 20:80.**
2. **Committee perused Clause 2(x) and Table 1 on Page-98 of UGC (ODL Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020.** The Committee is of opinion that there is a need for reformatting or renaming all PG Diploma Programmes. It recommended that all one year PG Diploma Programmes may be renamed as Advanced Graduate Diploma except PG Diploma in Computer Applications (PGDCA) run through ODL mode. As PGDCA is an integrated programme with M.Sc. and MCA, it was resolved that Chairperson, Department of Computer Science & Applications may provide a suitable format for this.
3. Mobility of ODL/Online with regular programmes. Committee perused clause 22 & 23 of UGC (ODL Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 in this regard and the **Committee also noted the existing rules as mentioned in the ordinance of DDE at Point No.16 (i) Any regular student of such a Course in the University Teaching Department/College as is available in the Directorate who has been detained for want of fulfilment of the eligibility conditions of attendance/house test, etc. for appearing in the annual examination as a regular student of that College/Department but is otherwise eligible for admission to the course through distance education may be allowed admission to the same Course in the Directorate ordinarily upto such time as may be prescribed in the Prospectus of the Directorate from time to time.....** After detailed discussion the Committee recommends that ODL/Online students may be provided mobility to regular programmes after 1st year in odd semester only within the Higher Education

Institution provided the programmes under consideration fulfill the requirements of Clause 4 on page 70 of UGC guidelines. Reproduced as under:

“(4) A Higher Educational Institution other than an Open Universities shall offer programmes in Open and Distance Learning mode and/or Online mode with total credits and minimum duration for the programmes kept same as that of corresponding programmes in conventional mode.”

For the programmes under the domain of regulatory authority, prior permission from concerned authority could be needed for such mobility.

For implementation of above said points (1 to 3) these proceeding may be placed before the Ad-hoc Committee of the Directorate of Distance Education (Acting as Board of Studies). The concerned Departments may also be requested to make necessary amendments in the programmes and respective ordinances in their Board of Studies.

Hence this item.

(Ref DDE/SP/DEP-VI)

20. Any Other Item


10/07/23
Registrar