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Sub:- Meeting of the Principals of all affiliated colleges held on 25.01.2020-Minutes forwarding -Reg.

Ref :- The Meeting of Principals of all affiliated colleges held on 25.01.2020 at UGC-HRDC Seminar Hall, Thavakkara, Kannur University--Minutes--Forwarding--Reg.

Referring to the above,the Minutes of the meeting of the Principals of Affiliated colleges,held on 25.01.2020 (Saturday) at the UGC-HRDC, Kannur University,as approved by the Vice Chancellor, is forwarded herewith, for information and compliance.

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The Minutes of the Meeting of the Principals of Colleges, held on 25.01.2020.

Venue: UGC-HRDC Seminar Hall, Thavakkara

Time: 11 am

Agenda

i. Staff Qualification

ii. Results

iii. Discipline

iv. SDE Related matters

v. Appointment of Principal

Resolutions

As introduction, the Vice Chancellor threw light on the present situation in Un Aided Colleges, with special emphasis on qualifications of faculty, improvement in the quality of education & Examination results in the Colleges.

Issues, such as Discipline, providing space for conducting SDE Exams of the University, Video Conferencing facility, NAD, poor strength of students in Un Aided Colleges, etc were also featured in the Vice Chancellor's address.

The Principals of various Self Financing Colleges put forth the problems confronted by them, such as un-availability of UGC qualified hands for appointment as faculty, non-increase of Students fee, Higher rate of Affiliation fee fixed by the University, non-granting of permanent Affiliation to the Self Financing Courses/Colleges, lack of adequate funds etc.

The following is resolved in the meeting.

- The new faculty appointments in Self Financing (Un Aided) Colleges during the next academic year (2020-21) must be strictly in accordance with the UGC Regulations 2018.(i.e. the faculty must possess either NET Qualification or Ph.D Degree (as per the UGC Regulations of Ph.D)).
- If any new faculty is appointed in Self Financing Colleges after 01.11.2019, without the UGC qualifications, such appointees should be terminated from service and UGC qualified hands must be appointed in those vacancies.
- 3. Appointment of retired hands with Ph.D Degree/ NET qualification may also be resorted.

- 4. Serious effort must be taken by the Self Financing Colleges to improve its Examination results. Otherwise the University will be constrained to take steps such as disaffiliation, withholding of CPA, etc.
- 5. The vacancy of Principals in Self Financing Colleges must be advertised in all Kerala editions of leading dailies and the appointment must be strictly in accordance with the UGC regulations 2018.
- 6. The minimum remunerations to the teachers of the Self Financing Colleges, as fixed earlier by Dr. Abdul Khader commission (₹10,000/-) is dispensed with and the Management shall take steps to pay minimum remuneration at a higher rate, than fixed by the Dr. Abdul Khader commission.
- 7. With regard to maintaining Discipline in Colleges, a Nodal Officer must be appointed in each College, to deal with the complaints.
- 8. The College authorities must provide adequate facility for conducting the SDE Exams of the University.
- 9. Efforts must be taken by all Colleges to install Video Conferencing facility in Colleges, by February 29th 2020 and to furnish a compliance report in this regard. Penalty will be imposed on defaulting Colleges as adequate time has already been given, specifications were issued and various reminders were sent in this regard.
- 10. The Principals shall take steps to avail the facility of e-books.
- 11. The Colleges shall propose MOOC courses, which could be useful for other Colleges also.
- 12. The SAC (State Level Accreditation) fee will be reimbursed.
- 13. The Controller of the Examination is entrusted to arrange a meeting of Principals of Colleges during the next week of February 2020, for providing details regarding 'NAD' facility, as requested by certain participants.

The meeting came to an end at 12.30 pm.

Sd/-

Vice Chancellor