

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF 16TH REGULAR MEETING OF ACADEMIC COUNCIL
HELD ON 17 FEB 2022 AT 10.30 AM THROUGH ZOOM APP**

Prof. Annpurna Nautiyal, Chairperson, welcomed the Hon'ble members of the Academic Council and expressed special gratitude to the outside members who, despite their busy schedules, attended the meeting.

Meeting was attended by many Deans, Head of various Departments, Directors of different campuses, COE, DSW, Director-IQAC and eminent outside members. Following outside members also attended the meeting :-

1. Dr. Vijay Dhasmana, Vice Chancellor, Swami Rama Himalayan University, Dehradun
2. Dr. Hem Chandra, Vice Chancellor, HNB Uttarakhand Medical Education University, Patel Nagar Dehradun, Uttarakhand, India
3. Prof. J.S. Rawat, National Geospatial Chair Professor of the Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, and Professor and Head of the Department of Geography, Kumaun University
4. Dr. Ravindra Korisetar, Senior Academic Fellow, Indian Council of Historical Research, New Delhi -110011

Thereafter, the agenda items were taken up for discussion and approval.

<p><u>Agenda Item No. 16.1:</u> Confirmation of Minutes of 14th & 15th Meeting of the last Academic Councils.</p> <p>Minutes of the meeting were circulated to all members. Copy of the minutes of the regular meeting held on 22 Oct 2021 (Annexure-1) and 30 Nov 2021 (Annexure-2) are placed for confirmation.</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration and ratification by Academic Council, please.</p>	<p><u>Resolution:</u></p> <p>Academic council perused and confirmed the minutes of the meeting held on 22 Oct 2021 and 30 Nov 2021.</p>
<p><u>Agenda Item No. 16.2:</u> To consider giving an opportunity to students to complete balance credits.</p> <p>An email dated 22 Jan 2022 (Annexure-3) has been received from Prof. A.K. Dobriyal. He has stated that he is getting some requests from students of first CBCS batch (2015-18) that they could not clear their credits till 2021 due to ignorance of rules or sometime not following proper procedures like getting readmission but new roll number was</p>	<p><u>Resolution:</u></p> <p>Academic council perused the matter. COE informed Academic council about the rule position as given in D.O. No. F-12-1/2015 (CPP-II) dated 15 Oct 2015. Accordingly, Academic Council directed the university that examination of students should be conducted as per this order only.</p> <p><u>Action: COE/DR (Exams)</u></p>

<p>allotted, and also due to COVID pandemics.</p> <p>He has requested that such students may be given one time opportunity to complete their balance credits so that important years of their life can be saved.</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration and decision by the Academic Council, please.</p>	
<p>Agenda Item No. 16.3: To consider and decide about conducting of Central University Entrance Test (CUET)</p> <p>A letter no. HNBSGU/COE/2022/Memo dated 6 Feb 2021 (Annexure-4) has been sent to National Testing Agency by COE. As per this, entrance exam shall be conducted by National Testing Agency for undergraduate, post graduate and research programmes for different universities including HNB Garhwal University.</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration and decision by the Academic Council, please.</p>	<p>Resolution: Academic council perused and considering the MoE orders about participating in CUCET, approved to participate by the university in the CUCET from the forthcoming session onwards so that exams of undergraduate, post graduate and research programmes of the students of HNB Garhwal University can be conducted by National Testing Agency.</p> <p>Action: <u>Nodal Officer-CUCET/Entrance Exam</u></p>
<p>Agenda Item No. 16.4: To consider proposed Draft on Curriculum Framework for implementation of NEP from the Academic Session 2022-23</p> <p>A draft proposal on Curriculum Framework for implementation of NEP from the Academic Session 2022-23 has been submitted by Prof. A. K. Dobriyal (Annexure-5).</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration and decision by the Academic Council, please.</p>	<p>Resolution: Academic council discussed in detail on this and appreciated the efforts of the NEP team of the university. Academic Council approved in principal the structure of the Curriculum Framework for implementation of NEP from the Academic Session 2022-23 as submitted by Prof. A. K. Dobriyal. It was also desired that further improvement as needed by various departments/schools can be made by the departments by passing the same in their Board of Studies and School Board.</p> <p>Action: Chairman, NEP Cell of the university</p>
<p>Agenda Item No. 16.5: To consider and decide about scoring in UG, PG and PhD to use in CUCET score</p> <p>As per the Ministry of Education orders, all central universities have to participate in forthcoming CUCET exam. Decision on how to plan CUCET score in our university needs to be decided.</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration and decision</p>	<p>Resolution: Academic Council directed that the 5 marks that are being given as on date to the local students cannot be given to the local students while preparing overall merit as same is not permissible in CUCET. It was also directed that awareness campaign should be started by the university to make the students aware about CUCET as many students might not be aware about admission through CUCET exams.</p>

<p>by the Academic Council, please.</p>	<p>Academic Council approved the following minimum eligibility score (minimum Cut off) for admission in HNB Garhwal University:</p> <p>For undergraduate Courses – 35% For Post Graduate Courses – 40% For SC/ST students – Concession shall be given as per norms.</p> <p>However, while giving admission, overall merit shall be made by all Departments subject wise and priority/first preference in admission shall be given to the students to the top scorer in CUCET who is willing to take admission in our university.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><u>Action: Nodal Officer, CUCET/Entrance Exams</u></p>
<p>Agenda Item No. 16.6: To consider and approve the recommendations of the Board of Studies/School Boards of the University.</p> <p>Different departments have conducted meetings of their BoS, and different schools have conducted meetings of their schools boards after 22 Oct 2021. Some departments and schools also submitted the proceeding of their BoS and School Board after 22 Oct 2021 though they had completed their BoS/School Board meeting before 22 Oct 2021 as they could not submit before Academic Council on-time when a regular meeting of Academic Council was held on 22 Oct 2021. Scanned copies of the minutes of BoS and School Board are attached (Annexure-6).</p> <p>Academic Council may please consider and ratify the approval and comments given by Vice-Chancellor in each report/minutes of Board of Studies and School Boards of the University that have been placed to Vice-Chancellor after 22 Oct 2021.</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration and ratification by Academic Council, please.</p>	<p>Resolution:</p> <p>Academic Council ratified the approval and comments given by Vice Chancellor in each report of Board of Studies and School Boards of the University which were held in various departments and schools after 22 Oct 2021 and other proceeding of different BoS and School Board that were submitted to University for approval after 22 Oct 2021.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><u>Action: All Deans/All HoDs</u></p> <p>The case of Ms. Neelam Devi, Research Scholar, Hindi Department was brought to the notice of Academic Council about giving her further extension beyond 31 Dec 2021. Academic Council considered her case and approved to give her extension to submit the thesis by 30 Jun 2022.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><u>Action: AR (Academic & Research)</u></p> <p>The case of Sh. Bhaskar, Research Scholar, Physics Department was brought to the notice of Academic Council about allocation of guide to him. Academic council directed that this issue be resolved by the BOS and guide should be allocated to Bhaskar by BOS of Physics Department.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><u>Action: HoD (Physics)</u></p> <p>Descent note given by Sh. Rakesh Dhodi,</p>

	<p>Associate Professor, CMTHS given in the BOS in its meeting held on 17 Jan 2022 was also brought to the notice of Academic Council. Academic Council directed the university to constitute a committee to peruse this case and BOS minutes and give its recommendation to the university within four working days. Following shall be the constitution of the committee: Prof. N.S.Panwar – Chairman Prof. Y.P.Raiwani – Member Prof. S.K.Gupta – Member Prof. R.C. Dimri - Member DR (Legal) - Member</p> <p>The report shall be submitted by the committee to Pro Vice Chancellor. Action: AR (Academic & Research)</p>
<p>Agenda Item No. 16.7: To consider and approve the award of D.Phil/D.Lit/Ph.D Degree.</p> <p>The detail of Research Scholars whose Viva-Voce have been successfully conducted (36) between 30 Nov 2021 to 9 Feb 2022 for the award of D.Phil/D.Lit/Ph.D Degree is placed at Annexure-7.</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration and approval of Academic Council, please.</p>	<p>Resolution:</p> <p>The Academic Council approved the award of D.Phil/D.Lit/Ph.D Degree to 36 Research Scholars whose Viva-Voce have been successfully conducted between 30 Nov 2021 to 9 Feb 2022 for the award of D.Phil/D.Lit/Ph.D Degree by the university. Action: AR (Academic & Research)</p>
<p>Agenda Item No. 16.8: To consider giving Equivalence to Delhi Board of School Education (DBSE)</p> <p>A letter no. DBSE/2021/393 dated 29 Dec 2021 has been received from DBSE (Annexure-8). It has been requested by DBSE that equivalence be given to Delhi Board of School Education with CBSE and other recognised board of India. Further, it has also been requested that the courses run by the DBSE in its affiliated schools be approved and certificates issued by the DBSE may please be validated for admission in the colleges running under the aegis of the esteemed universities.</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration by the Academic Council, please.</p>	<p>Resolution:</p> <p>Academic council discussed and approved to give equivalence to Delhi Board of School Education as stipulated in agenda no. 16.8. Action: AR (Academic & Research)</p>



Agenda Item No. 16.9:

To consider agenda given by Examination Section about ensuring necessary accreditation/affiliation of courses running in university campuses or affiliated colleges/institutions and decide upon the note received from COE on 4 Jan 2022 (Annexure-9)

A note has been received from COE that states the following:

Apart from the conventional courses, some courses running in the university campuses and other affiliated colleges/institutions of the university which may require either necessary accreditation from the respective regulatory bodies or affiliation from the university. Before admitting students in such courses by concern department/sections responsible for admission may ensure/confirm that necessary accreditation/affiliation, if necessary, is fulfilled, so that validity of such courses are ascertained.

As such, affiliation/accreditation of various colleges needs to be ensured by respective Campus Director, Dean/HoD of various departments, and other concerned sections responsible for admission that included DSW Office, Data Processing Unit and Affiliation Section before exams forms are received by Examination section.

Submitted for kind consideration and decision by the Academic Council, please.

Agenda Item No. 16.10:

To consider transfer of admission of Kumari Sarita Negi, PhD Scholar from Uttarakhand Technical University, Dehradun to HNB Garhwal University (Annexure-10).

Kumari Sarita Negi, PhD Scholar has requested university to allow her transfer of admission in PhD from Uttarakhand Technical University, Dehradun to HNB Garhwal University. Her request has been acceded to by BOS of Department of CSE in its meeting

Resolution:

Academic council discussed in detailed and directed that all Campus Director, Dean/HoD of various departments, DSW Office, Data Processing Unit and Affiliation Section must ensure affiliation/accreditation of various colleges before affiliated colleges are allowed to take admission before starting of the session itself and also ensure again before students of such affiliated colleges fill up the exams forms. Such information/confirmation about affiliation/accreditation of various colleges must be provided to COE before university portal is opened for the students to fill up the examination forms.

Academic Council also directed that if any issue related to confirmation about validity of any course/degree is received by Degree/Examination Section, same should be sent to concerned Dean to obtain confirmation.

Action: All Campus Director, All Dean/HoD, DSW, Officer Incharge Data Processing Unit, DR (Affiliation)

Resolution:

Academic council discussed and approved transfer of admission in PhD of Kumari Sarita Negi, PhD Scholar from Uttarakhand Technical University, Dehradun to HNB Garhwal University as per the provision of UGC rule 6.6 as proposed in agenda no. 16.10. No fellowship shall be paid to her by the university. Academic Council also directed that Kumari Sarita Negi has to mandatorily complete Pre-PhD course of 6 months in next PhD Semester. Her residential period of 3

<p>held on 27 Jul 2021 (Annexure-10) and further by School Board in its meeting held on 22 Sep 2021 (Annexure-10).</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration by the Academic Council, please.</p>	<p>years shall be counted from the date of first day of Pre-PhD. Ordinance of the university related to PhD must be followed in toto by Department of Computer Science & Engineering.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><u>Action: HoD (CSE)</u></p>
<p><u>Agenda Item No. 16.11:</u> To consider and decide case of Sh. S.K.Sharma, PhD Scholar.</p> <p>Sh. S.K. Sharma, who was PhD Scholar has submitted request to the university to issue him certificate from the due date of Viva. He was registered for PhD in Library & Information Science and had submitted his thesis on 18 Oct 2003 for evaluation. Meanwhile a complaint was received by the university that his thesis was not genuine. Accordingly, a committee was constituted to examine the complaint and on the recommendation of the committee, his thesis was rejected after obtaining the approval of Executive Council on 22 Sep 2008.</p> <p>Sh. S.K.Sharma filed appeal in the Hon'ble High Court of Nainital in 2014. Hon'ble High Court in its judgment (Annexure-11) directed that Visitor can only take final decision in this regard whether to accept his thesis or reject the same.</p> <p>Sh. S.K.Sharma again made a representation to the university in 2018. Another committee was constituted by the university to look into his request and decide. Committee found that his thesis is plagiarism free and it can be accepted by the university. Accordingly, his thesis was accepted and viva was held on 18 Jul 2020.</p> <p>Now Sh. Sharma vide his application dated 13 Aug 2021 (Annexure-12) has requested to issue him a certificate and declare the date of validity regarding award of D.Phil degree from the initial date i.e. 12.04.2008 (when the very first time his viva voce examination was scheduled).</p>	<p><u>Resolution:</u> Academic council discussed in details on this matter and directed the university that request of Dr. S.K. Sharma cannot be entertained.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><u>Action: AR (Academic & Research)</u></p>



<p>A committee has also been constituted to decide upon his application dated 13 Aug 2021. Report is annexed at Annexure-12A.</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration and decision by the Academic Council, please.</p>	
<p>Agenda Item No. 16.12: To consider Public Notice no. 1-10/2020 (CPP-II) dated 1 Dec 2021 issued by UGC.</p> <p>UGC has issued Public Notice no. 1-10/2020 (CPP-II) dated 1 Dec 2021 (Annexure-13) related to giving further 'Extension of date for submission of thesis for terminal M.Phil/PhD students'. Accordingly, an office order no. Academic/2022/719 dated 11 Jan 2022 was issued by the university (Annexure-13).</p> <p>Submitted for kind information and ratification by the Academic Council, please.</p>	<p>Resolution: Academic council discussed and ratified the office order no. Academic/2022/719 dated 11 Jan 2022 issued by the university. Action: AR (Academic & Research)</p>
<p>Agenda Item No. 16.13: To consider new intake/seats required by different departments for admission.</p> <p>A committee was constituted to investigate intake (sanctioned seats) and actual admission in different subjects. Committee submitted its report to the university on 17 Nov 2021. On the recommendation of the committee (Annexure-14), proposed intake for admission was sent to all departments. Many departments have revised the seats in various courses and shared their new intake (Annexure-14).</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration and decision by the Academic Council, please.</p>	<p>Resolution: Academic council discussed and directed the university that all Deans should revisit this in view of the New Education Policy (NEP) and submit the proposal/report in the next Academic Council. Action: AR (Academic & Research)</p>
<p>Agenda Item No. 16.14: To consider and decide about the conducting supplementary examinations of dental courses</p> <p>Following agenda has been received from Controller of Examination (Annexure-15):</p> <p>It has been informed by the academic section that no Board of Studies or School Board are in existence or constituted for the courses related to dental and paramedical courses, as</p>	<p>Resolution: Academic council discussed in details on this agenda and directed the university to constitute a committee of the following to decide on the above issue within seven days of the issuance of order:</p> <p>Dr. Vijay Dhasmana, Vice Chancellor, Swami Rama Himalayan University, Jolly Grant, Dehradun - Chairman Prof. Arun Rawat, Controller of Examination - Member</p>



no subjects related to dental and paramedical courses are running in the university campuses. Only the examinations of such courses are being conducted by the university either on the basis of affiliation of these courses or direction of hon'ble court as per the guidelines of respective regulatory bodies. As per the 3rd amendment on 25.08.2011 of guidelines of DCI for BDS courses provided by the college –

"Any candidate who fails in one subject in an examination is permitted to go to the next higher class and appears for the said failed subject and completes it successfully before he/she is permitted to appear for the next higher examinations. However, the DCI would have no objection, if the concerned university follows their examination scheme provided in their statute/regulations."

Since no separate statute/ordinances/regulations have been framed by the University for BDS courses so far, university has to follow the guidelines of DCI. As such supplementary examination of only one subject per candidate is permissible as per the DCI guidelines.

A letter from Seema Dental College has been also received in this regard (**Annexure-16**).

Submitted for kind consideration and decision by the Academic Council, please.

Agenda Item No. 16.15:

To consider Order dated 16.11.2021 of Hon'ble High Court in WP (PIL) No. 155 of 2020 dated 16.11.2021

Following agenda has been received from Affiliation Section (**Annexure-17**):-

As per decision of Hon'ble High Court in WP (PIL) No. 155 of 2020 dated 16.11.2021, the Hon'ble High Court has set-aside the letter dated 05th June, 2020 (D.O. No. 42-10/2010-Desk (U) of Joint Secretary (CU&IISER) and

Prof. R.S. Negi, Department of Rural Technology - Member

Sh. Aneesh Uz Zaman, Deputy Registrar (Examination) – Member Secretary

Action: COE

Resolution:

Academic council discussed in detail on this issue and directed the university to send the letter to Ministry of Education to take their direction on this matter and act accordingly upon receipt of direction from MoE. Efforts should also be made by the university to get the amendment done in the Central University Act, 2009 by liaising with MoE. Status Quo should be maintained by the university till further direction from the MoE in this regard. The university may also request Government of Uttarakhand to take this matter with MoE/Parliament for making

<p>letter dated 24.07.2020 (Manyata/Vividh/686 dated 24.07.2020) of HNB Garhwal University regarding transfer of affiliation.</p> <p>In its letter dated 24.07.2020 the HNB Garhwal University had directed the affiliated colleges/institutes for further necessary action regarding transfer of affiliation from HNBSGU in response to the directions of the Ministry of Education, Deptt. of Higher Education vide letter dated 05.06.2020.</p> <p>Therefore, in such circumstances, when the Hon'ble High Court of Uttarakhand has set aside the letter dated 05.06.2020 of the MoE, Deptt. of Higher Education, New Delhi and letter dated 24.07.2020 of the HNBSGU issued to the affiliated colleges regarding transfer of affiliation; the matter is hereby placed before the Academic Council for consideration and further directions.</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration and decision by the Academic Council, please.</p>	<p>suitable amendment in the Central University Act, 2009.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><u>Action: DR (Affiliation)</u></p>
<p><u>Agenda Item No. 16.16:</u> To consider and grant permission for conducting Exam for Session 2020-21 as per request of Combined PG Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Dehradun.</p> <p>Following agenda has been received from Affiliation Section (Annexure-18):-</p> <p>The Combined PG Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Dehradun has requested for conducting the Exams for Session 2020-21 from HNB Garhwal University.</p> <p>The Brief facts are that the Hemvati Nandan Bahuguna Uttarakhand Medical Education University, Dehradun vide letter No. 1900/HNBUMU/Affiliation/18-19 dated 15th January, 2018, directed the following colleges to get affiliated from Hemvati Nandan Bahuguna Uttarakhand Medical Education University, Dehradun as per provisions under</p>	<p><u>Resolution:</u> Academic Council directed the university that letter should be sent to Combined PG Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Dehradun to ascertain from which date they have been affiliated with new university. Decision for conducting the exams should be taken by the university thereafter. If they have been affiliated with the other university from Session 2021-22 onward, then exams of session 2020-21 should be conducted by the university.</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><u>Action: COE/DR (Affiliation)</u></p>



Para 6 and 4 of the Act No. 72/XXXVI (3)/2014/07(1)/2014 dated 18 February, 2014 of HNB Uttarakhand Medical Education University.

A copy of the letter No. 1900/HNBUMU/Affiliation/18-19 dated 15th January, 2018 was also sent to Vice Chancellor, HNB Garhwal University, Srinagar (Garhwal) requesting that the HNB Garhwal University should de-affiliate the above colleges at its own level.

Subsequently, Letter No. 1809/HNBUMU/Affiliation/18-19 dated 17th December, 2018 and letter No. 1900/HNBUMU/Affiliation/19-20 dated 15th January, 2019 was also received from Hemvati Nandan Bahuguna Uttarakhand Medical Education University, Dehradun.

The HNB Garhwal University, Srinagar informed the concerned Paramedical, Nursing and Dental Colleges individually, for further necessary action as per letters received from Hemvati Nandan Bahuguna Uttarakhand Medical Education University, Dehradun.

The Petitioner institutions were also informed by the HNB Garhwal University vide letter no. Manyata/ 9277 dated 25.02.2019. Thereafter, the above paramedical, nursing and dental Colleges were also informed through reminder letter no. Manyata/Vividh/961 dated 16.12.2020 **not to give admission from Session 2020-21 in case of medical, paramedical, nursing and dental courses.**

The College vide letter No. CIMS&R/ADD/2020-21/1210 dated 08.08.2020 requested for "NOC" for de-affiliation from Session 2019-20 and in consideration of the request the HNBGU

issued NOC for de-affiliation vide Letter No. Manyata/909 dated 18.11.2020 and the Executive Council of the University has granted approval.

Now the college has submitted its request vide letter no. CIMS/2021/1245 dated 21.10.2021 that the Exams for Session 2020-21 for the Paramedical and Nursing Courses may be conducted by the HNBSGU, Srinagar (Garhwal).

The request of the college is hereby submitted for kind consideration and directions of the Academic Council.

Submitted for kind consideration and decision by the Academic Council, please.

Agenda Item No. 16.17:

To consider and grant permission for conducting Exam for Session 2020-21 as per request of Sai Institute of Paramedical & Applied Science, Dehradun (Annexure-19)

The Sai Institute of Paramedical & Applied Science, Dehradun has requested for conducting the Exams for Session 2020-21 from HNB Garhwal University.

The Brief facts are that the Hemvati Nandan Bahuguna Uttarakhand Medical Education University, Dehradun vide letter No. 1900/HNBUMU/Affiliation/18-19 dated 15th January, 2018, directed the following colleges to get affiliated from Hemvati Nandan Bahuguna Uttarakhand Medical Education University, Dehradun as per provisions under Para 6 and 4 of the Act No. 72/XXXVI (3)/2014/07(1)/2014 dated 18 February, 2014 of HNB Uttarakhand Medical Education University. A copy of the letter No. 1900/HNBUMU/Affiliation/18-19 dated 15th January, 2018 was also sent to Vice Chancellor, HNB Garhwal University, Srinagar (Garhwal) requesting that the HNB Garhwal University should de-affiliate the above colleges at its own level.

Resolution:

Academic council discussed in detail on this issue and directed the university to file review appeal in Hon'ble High Court against the above said decision as stated in above agenda no. 16.17

Action: COE/DR (Affiliation)/DR (Legal)

Subsequently, Letter No. 1809/HNBUMU/Affiliation/18-19 dated 17th December, 2018 and letter No. 1900/HNBUMU/Affiliation/19-20 dated 15th January, 2019 was also received from Hemvati Nandan Bahuguna Uttarakhand Medical Education University, Dehradun.

The HNB Garhwal University, Srinagar informed the concerned Paramedical, Nursing and Dental Colleges individually, for further necessary action as per letters received from Hemvati Nandan Bahuguna Uttarakhand Medical Education University, Dehradun.

The Petitioner institutions were also informed by the HNB Garhwal University vide letter no. Manyata/ 9277 dated 25.02.2019. Thereafter, the above paramedical, nursing and dental Colleges were also informed through reminder letter no. Manyata/Vividh/961 dated 16.12.2020 **not to give admission from Session 2020-21 in case of medical, paramedical, nursing and dental courses.**

The Sai Institute of Paramedical & Applied Science, Dehradun filed Writ Petition No. 429 of 2021 (M/S) before the Hon'ble High Court of Uttarakhand. The Hon'ble Court in its Order dated 17.08.2021 directed the respondents (HNBGU) *to declare the result of the students for the said academic years.*

A writ of mandamus was issued by the Hon'ble Court to the respondent no. 2 (the HNB Garhwal University) to declare the result of the students for the academic years 2019-20 and 2020-21.

The HNBGU sought legal opinion on the matter in order to proceed further on the issue. As per the legal opinion, the proposal is hereby submitted for kind consideration and ratification of the Executive Council.

In the legal opinion Dr. Kartikeya Hari Gupta, Advocate (counsel for the university) opined that:

"Hon'ble Court has not provided any timeline for such declaration of result of Session 2020-21 hence; it is natural that such result may be declared after students' enrolment and other due examination procedures. However, it is humbly requested that to comply the Hon'ble Courts' Orders in letter and spirit and looking at the interest of students, the above mentioned may be done on an expeditious basis.

Hence, there is no need of filing Modification Application in the present circumstances."

The request of the college along with the orders of Hon'ble High Court and legal opinion on the matter are hereby submitted for kind consideration and directions of the Academic Council.

Submitted for kind consideration and decision by the Academic Council, please.

Agenda Item No. 16.18:

To consider and finalise about the nomenclature of courses

In recent past, CBI had asked the university to clarify which courses are general and which are professional. But, university could not give satisfactory reply as the nomenclature is not clear.

As such, Academic council may please decide about the nomenclature of all courses and confirm which courses are general and which are professional. List of courses as given in admission prospectus is attached from page no 36-44 (Annexure-20).

Submitted for kind consideration and decision by the Academic Council, please.

Agenda Item No. 16.19:

To consider continuation of Adult Education Department

There were two Professors working in Adult Education Department in our university. Both

Resolution:

Academic Council directed all Deans should conduct a meeting in this regard and provide the final list to the university at the earliest which should be sent to UGC for confirmation.

Action: AR (Academic & Research)

Resolution:

Academic Council directed the university to constitute a committee in this regard to check rationalization report, existing strength of students, and viability to continue the Adult

<p>have been retired on superannuation. As such, there is no regular teacher in Adult Education Department.</p> <p>As such, Academic Council may decide whether to continue this department or not.</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration and decision by the Academic Council, please.</p>	<p>Education Department. Following shall be the constitution of the committee which will submit the report within 7 days of the issuance of order:</p> <p>Pro Vice Chancellor, HNBGU – Convener Prof. Rama Maikhuri, Dean (Education) – Member Prof. R.C. Sundriyal, Director, IQAC – Member DR Legal –Member Secretary to assist</p> <p>Action: AR (Academic & Research)</p>
<p>Agenda Item No. 16.20: To consider the application of Sh. Ashutosh Raturi and other students to allow them to continue PhD</p> <p>An application dated 28 Jan 2022 (Annexure-21) has been received from Sh. Ashutosh Raturi, who is registered for PhD in Sanskrit in our university. He has stated that he was pursuing PhD from 14 Nov 2017 to 31 Jul 2019. Then, he joined government job as Assistant Professor on 1 Aug 2019. He also took permission for the same from his Department.</p> <p>Now, he wants to continue his PhD by taking leave from his parent department. His case was also placed before the Academic Council in its meeting held on 19 Mar 2021 (Resolution no. 11.12). Resolution of the Academic Council in his case is attached at Annexure-22.</p> <p>He has stated in his application that in UGC Regulation, nowhere it is written that Research Scholar has to continue his PhD in continuation mode without any leave. He has requested that Academic Council may kindly reconsider its own decision and allow him to continue his PhD.</p> <p>This is to further inform that many PhD scholars of such nature are approaching the university and want to have same relief as requested by Sh. Ashutosh Raturi.</p> <p>Submitted for kind consideration and decision by the Academic Council, please.</p>	<p>Resolution:</p> <p>Academic Council discussed the issue and noticed that decision has already been given by Academic Council earlier on 19 Mar 2021 and Academic Council stands to its decision. Hence, application of Sh. Ashutosh Raturi and all other students cannot be considered.</p> <p>Action: AR (Academic & Research)</p>



The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks by the Registrar to all external members, all Directors, all Deans, DSW, Proctor, COE, Librarian, HoDs, director IQAC, Coordinator ICT, and all other members who attended the meeting.

Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.



(Dr. Ajay Kumar Khanduri)

Registrar
Secretary



(Prof. Annpurna Nautiyal)

Vice Chancellor
Chairperson