

Minutes of the Meeting of Admissions Regulating Authority held under the **Chairmanship of Hon'ble Justice D. K. Deshmukh (Retd.)** on Friday, the **29<sup>th</sup> June, 2018 at 12:30 p.m.** in the Conference Hall, Office of the Admissions Regulating Authority, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, New Excelsior Building, A.K. Nayak Marg, Fort, C.S.T., Mumbai – 400 001.

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Following Members of the Admissions Regulating Authority were present:

1. Dr. Ravi Bapat : Member
2. Dr. M.S. Kekre : Member
3. Dr. R.B. Mankar : Member
4. Mr. P.E. Gaikwad : Member
5. Mr. A.E. Rayate : Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority and Commissioner, State CET-CELL, M.S.

Dr. (Prof.) Dilip Mhaisekar, Vice-Chancellor, Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik was present as a Special Invitee for the meeting.

The following invitees and officers were also present:-

1. Mr. S.J. Tidke : Dy. Secretary, Higher and Technical Education Department, Mumbai
2. Dr. P.H. Shingare : Director, Medical Education and Research, Mumbai
3. Dr. Abhay Wagh : Director, Technical Education, Mumbai
4. Dr. H.K. Kausadikar : Director, MCAER, Pune
5. Mr. N.K. Lonkar : Registrar, MAFSU, Nagpur
6. Dr. K.D. Chavan : Registrar, Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik
7. Dr. S.K. Mahajan : Jt. Director and Exam Co-ordinator, Technical Education
8. Dr. Mohan Khatal : Jt. Director, Higher Education, Pune
9. Vd. Sharddha Sude : Asst. Director, AYUSH Department, Mumbai
10. Vd. N.R. Saboo : Exam Co-ordinator, AYUSH Education
11. Mr. Shardul Gangan : Exam Co-ordinator, Agriculture Education
12. Mr. M.M. Girkar : Exam Co-ordinator, MAFSU Education
13. Mr. V.G. Sakpal : Exam Co-ordinator, Arts Education
14. Dr. B.N. Hiwale : Asst. Exam Co-Ordinator, Medical Education

  
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15. Vd. C.D. Jagdane : Asst. Exam Co-Ordinator, AYUSH Education
16. Dr. G.T. Kedar : Asst. Exam Co-Ordinator, Higher Education
17. Mr. Shardul Kadam : Asst. Exam Co-Ordinator, Arts Education
18. Mr. Vinayak Vispute : Administrative Officer, State CET-CELL, M.S.

Copies of Agenda along with copies of the relevant documents were circulated to the Members and invitees.

In view of the provisions of section 9 sub section (3) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 (Mah. Act No. XXVIII of 2015) which came into force on 12<sup>th</sup> May, 2015, **the Pravesh Niyantran Samiti existing as on the date of commencement of the Act shall continue to exercise the powers of the Admissions Regulating Authority till such Authority is duly constituted under the Act.**

**Item No. 1: To approve and confirm the Minutes of Meeting of the Admissions Regulating Authority held on Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> June 2018 at Conference Hall, Office of the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai.**

The Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority submitted that today's meeting has been organized in a short span of time and therefore minutes of the last meeting, dated 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2018 yet to finalized. Hence said Minutes of the meeting of the Authority will be place before the Authority in its next meeting. The Authority noted the same.

**Item No. 2: To apprise the Authority w.r.t. day to day activities done as per the Government Ordinance No. XVII of 2018, dated 24/06/2018 regarding non submission of Caste Validity Certificate and Non Creamy Layer Certificate of the candidates seeking admission for Under Graduate/Post Graduate courses for the Academic Year 2018-19.**

The Authority perused the Government Ordinance No. XVII of 2018, dated 24/06/2018 regarding non submission of Caste Validity Certificate and Non Creamy Layer Certificate of the candidates seeking admission for Under Graduate/Post Graduate courses for the Academic Year 2018-19.

The Authority went through the decision taken by the Authority in its meeting held on 15<sup>th</sup> June 2018 at Item No. 1.

The Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority and Commissioner, State CET CELL submitted that as per the resolution passed by the Authority in its meeting held on 15<sup>th</sup> June 2018 at Item No. 1, prepared the schedule to submit the Caste Validity Certificate / Non Creamy-Layer Certificate with the permission of the all concerned departments of the Government of Maharashtra and the said schedule were also informed to all concerned and they have published on the their website.



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After deliberations, the Authority approved the revised schedule submitted by the State CET-CELL w.r.t. submission of Caste Validity Certificate/Non Creamy-Layer Certificate. Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to take necessary steps.

**Item No. 2(b): To consider and decide on the email dated 28<sup>th</sup> June 2018 received from Narayan Marathe requesting to remove the requirement of Caste Validity Certificate for Diploma courses/admission.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid email received from Narayan Marathe w.r.t. requirement of Caste Validity Certificate for Diploma courses/admission.

The Authority went through the resolution passed by the Authority in its meeting held on 15<sup>th</sup> June 2018 at Item No. 1 w.r.t. the issue of Caste Validity Certificate for admission process of Professional courses for the Academic Year 2018-19 along with the Hon'ble Supreme Court order in Civil Appeal Nos. 11234 of 2017, dated 6<sup>th</sup> September 2017.

In this connection, as per the instructions given by the Government of Maharashtra, the Authority fixed the schedule for submission of Caste Validity Certificate submitted by the concerned Departments of Government of Maharashtra for admissions to various Professional Courses/Institutes for the Academic Year 2018-19.

It is pointed out that the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions Act No. XXVII of 2015 came into force on 12<sup>th</sup> May 2015 to regulate the admissions of Professional courses in Unaided Private Educational Institutions. The Government of Maharashtra vide its Notification No. MISC.2015/CR No. 252/TE-4, dated 16<sup>th</sup> June 2016 in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (r) of section 2 read with sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 3 of the Maharashtra Un-aided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admission and Fees) Ordinance, 2015 (No. Mah. Ord. No. VII of 2015), the Government of Maharashtra declared and notified the Full time Diploma courses in Engineering and Technology (Post SSC/HSC) as 'Professional Course' and specified the conditions and the requirements for admissions for the said course.

The candidates who desire to take admissions to said 'Professional Diploma Courses' for the Academic Year 2018-19 find it difficult to get their Caste Validity Certificate as per the process and procedure laid down by the Caste Scrutiny Committee. The Students/Parents have referred the matter to the Authority to not to insist Caste Validity Certificate. However, this Authority has no powers to amend/modify/exempt above Notifications of the Government of Maharashtra and order given by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

In view of the above, after deliberations, the Authority decided to inform the above difficulties of concerned students/parents to the Government of Maharashtra to take appropriate actions in this respect at the earliest. The Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority to inform the said decision to the Government of Maharashtra through the Secretary, Higher and Technical Education Department, Mantralaya, Mumbai accordingly.

**Item No. 3: To discuss and decide w.r.t. design, development, maintenance & budget provision for Authority website.**

The Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority submitted that the Authority office shifted to new premises from June 2018 and it is necessary to have a separate and dedicated website of the Authority for the information of all the concerned. In this connection the Authority insisted M/s. Celest Technology to show the demo of the Authority website. M/s Celesta Technology created a model website of the Authority as per the basic requirement given by the Authority office. Hon'ble Chairman inaugurated the same website .

The Hon'ble Secretary explained the idea of office automation and suggested that the agency M/s. Celest Technologies can be assigned the job.

After deliberations, the Authority appreciated the ideas of the Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority and empowered him to take necessary actions w.r.t. further development, expenditure and budget provisions of the said website, as prescribed.

**Item No. 4: To discuss and decide w.r.t. transfer of Authority Saving Bank Account in Bank of Maharashtra from Bandra (Kalangar) to CSMT (Boribunder) branch.**

The Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority submitted that the Authority office shifted to new premises from June 2018, therefore the Bank accounts from Bank of Maharashtra, Kalanagar branch are transferred to Boribunder branch for better convenience purpose. The Authority noted the same.

**Item No. 5: To discuss and decide the policy and procedure w.r.t. the admissions process of Transfer in Direct Second Year and Change of Institute/Branch.**

The Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority submitted that the as per the provisions made under the admission rules w.r.t. the process of change of Course/Institute and its mandate the concerned Directorate to submit their detail report to the Authority for its approval, but it is seems that the Directorates not followed same, therefore it is necessary to frame the procedure within a limits of provisions made under admission rules.

In view of the above, after deliberations, the Authority decides to appoint a Sub-Committee to frame the procedure of the admissions process w.r.t. Change of Course/Institute under the Chairmanship of the Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority, Mumbai and directs to submit their report before the Authority. Office to take necessary steps.

**Item No. 6: To discuss and decide w.r.t. the appointment of Mr. D.B. Malekar on contract basis on suitable post.**

The Authority perused the application of Mr. Dinesh B. Malekar for the post of Officer on Special Duty or any other suitable post for the Authority.

After deliberations, the Authority decides to empower the Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority, Mumbai to take necessary actions w.r.t. the appointment of Mr. D.B. Malekar. Office of the Authority to take necessary actions.



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**Part-I: Medical Education**

**Item No. 7: To consider and decide on the compliance reports dated 4/6/2018, 15/05/2018, 18/05/2018 and 19/05/2018 submitted by the Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai w.r.t. approval of admissions of Allied courses for the Academic Year 2017-18.**

The Authority went through the decision taken in its meeting held on 22/02/2018 and 28/03/2018 w.r.t. approval of admissions in AYUSH courses.

The Authority perused the aforesaid compliance reports received from Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai w.r.t. approval of admissions of First Year Degree and Post Graduate B.A.M.S. and B.H.M.S. courses for the Academic Year 2017-18, as there were no discrepancies found by the Directorates details are as under,-

Sr. No.	Name of the College/Institute	Name of the Student
<b><u>Under Graduate</u></b>		
1	Vandanatai Dhone Rural Ayurved College, Akola	Joheb Vahid Patel
2	Kedari Redekar Ayurved Mahavidyalaya, Kolhapur	Saylee Santosh More
3	D.Y. Patil Ayurved Mahavidyalaya, Pune	Mahima Sharma
4	K.R. Pandav Ayurved Mahavidyalaya, Bhandara	Harshali Dilip Khadgi
<b><u>Post Graduate</u></b>		
5	Panchsheel Homoeopathic Khamgaon, Buldhana	Dr. Jaya Shrivastav
6	Annasaheb Dange Ayurved College, Ashta, Sangli	i) Sameer Badshah Sanadi, ii) Aishwarya Damodhar Kakule.

After deliberations, the Authority decided to approve the aforesaid admissions on the basis of compliance report submitted by Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai. Office to inform accordingly.

**Item No. 8: To consider and decide on the reports submitted by the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai w.r.t. approval of admissions for the Academic Year 2017-18 and 2016-17.**

The Authority perused the report submitted by the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai w.r.t. approval of admissions of admitted students of First Year BDS course of Y.C.M. Dental College, Ahmednagar for the Academic Year 2017-18 and compliance report submitted by Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai in respect of admissions of First Year Dental courses of A.C.P.M. Dental College. Dhule for the Academic Year 2016-17.

  
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After deliberations, the Authority decided to approve the admissions 100 students admitted in First Year BDS course of aforesaid College/Institute for the Academic Year 2017-18, as there are no discrepancies pointed out by Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai. Office to inform accordingly. The Authority also decided to approve the admission of 15 students admitted in First Year BDS course at A.C.P.M. Dental College, Dhule for the Academic Year 2016-17 on the basis of compliance report dated 14/05/2018 submitted by the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai . Office to inform accordingly.

**Item No. 9: To consider and decide on the report dated 9<sup>th</sup> June 2018 received from Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai asking to retain admission of Ku. Vinya Ganeshan Iyyer admitted in BAMS course at Ahmednagar Homoeopathic College, Ahmednagar for the Academic Year 2017-18.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from the Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai asking to retain admission of Ku. Vinya Ganeshan Iyyer admitted in BAMS course at Ahmednagar Homoeopathic College, Ahmednagar for the Academic Year 2017-18.

It is pointed out that Ku. Vinya Ganeshan Iyyer selected in 30% Common Quota to the Ahmednagar Homoeopathic College, Ahmednagar for First Year BHMS course in Academic Year 2017-18 through the On-line selection process conducted by the Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai and the Directorate does not verify the original documents of the selected students at the time of selection, but Directorate informed the all concerned Colleges/Institutes to appoint Committee of Senior Professors for scrutiny of original documents of the students selected through on-line admission process.

It is found that Ku. Vinya Ganeshan Iyyer passed HSC examination from out-side of Maharashtra and as per the admissions rules laid down by the Government of Maharashtra it is mandate the students have to pass the SSC and HSC examination from the State of Maharashtra w.r.t. those who desires to take admission in 85% Quota. The aforesaid College/Institute also failed to inform the said circumstances to the Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai as well as State CET-CELL. The aforesaid College/Institute now requested to transfer the one eligible candidate from 85% quota to 15% Quota, and consider the admission of Ku. Vinya in said vacant seat under 15% quota.

In view of the above, after deliberations, the Authority feels that the mistake made by the aforesaid College/Institute and rejection of admission viz. – Ku. Vinya Ganeshan Iyyer at this stage would not be a fair justice to these students. Considering Academic welfare of the student the Authority keep in mind to be approve the said admission, as one time major, subject to fulfillment of following terms/conditions,-

1. The Institute/College should be impose the penalty for their illegal, irregular, unjust and biased admissions.
2. The Authority decided to issue show cause notice to this Institute as to why heavy penalty should not be levied for their wrongful admission.
3. The Institution shall submit its written representation to the Authority within 15 days from date of communication, failing which they will be liable to pay the penalties as decided above.
4. This decision be considered as one time major considering broader interest and welfare of the students and be not considered as practice.

*Office to take necessary steps and inform accordingly.*

**Item No. 10:** **To consider and decide on the letter dated 9<sup>th</sup> June 2018 received from Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai regarding admission of Ku. Horne Swapnil Sunil having subject Biotechnology instead of Biology admitted in BHMS course at S.V.N. Ayurved College, Rahuri, Ahmednagar for the Academic Year 2017-18.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from the Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai regarding admission of Ku. Horne Swapnil Sunil having subject of Biotechnology instead of Biology admitted in BHMS course at S.V.N. Ayurved College, Rahuri, Ahmednagar for the Academic Year 2017-18.

It is pointed out that Ku. Horne Swapnil Sunil selected in 30% Quota to the S.V.N. Ayurved College, Rahuri, Ahmednagar for First Year BHMS course in Academic Year 2017-18 through the On-line selection process conducted by the Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai and the Directorate does not verify the original documents of the selected students at the time of selection, but Directorate informed the all concerned Colleges/Institutes to appoint Committee of Senior Professors for scrutiny of original documents of the students selected through on-line admission process.

It is found that Ku. Horne Swapnil Sunil passed HSC examination having Biotechnology subject and as per the eligibility rules laid down by the respective authorities it is mandate the students have to pass the qualifying examination i.e. Higher Secondary Certificate or equivalent examination with English, Physics, Chemistry and Biology (Botany & Zoology) subject taken together. It is also pointed out that Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi (CBSE) in its NEET-UG-2017 information brochure eligibility specified to appear NEET Examination including Biotechnology subject.

In view of the above, after deliberations, the Authority directs the Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai to verify the curriculum of both the subjects as per the eligibility norms laid down by the respective Authorities for the course and submit their report within 15 days to the Authority. After receipt of the same it will be placed before the Authority. Office to take necessary steps and inform accordingly.

## **Part-II : Higher and Technical Education**

**Item No. 11:** **To consider and decide on the letter dated 7<sup>th</sup> June 2018 received from the Directorate of Technical Education, Mumbai regarding admissions of Poona College of Pharmacy for the Academic Year 2018-19.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from the Directorate of Technical Education, Mumbai regarding admission of Poona College of Pharmacy for the Academic Year 2018-19.

The Authority decided that the admission process for Academic Year 2018-19 and onwards in respect of this College will be conducted through CAP round processed by the State CET-CELL.

  
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**Item No. 12:** **To consider and decide on the complaints of Mr. Sachin Salunkhe, Pune, All India Students Association, Pune and Mitali Anila Gaikwad, Thane against the Nodal Officer and others of Directorate of Technical Education, Mumbai and thereon reply submitted by the Directorate of Technical Education, Mumbai vide its letter dated 21/06/2018 along with letter dated 20/06/2018 of Higher and Technical Education Dept., Mantralaya, Mumbai.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letters received from Mr. Sachin Salunkhe, Pune, All India Students Association, Pune and Mitali Anita Gaikwad, Thane against the Nodal Officer and others of Directorate of Technical Education, Mumbai and thereon reply submitted by the Directorate of Technical Education, Mumbai vide its letter dated 21/06/2018.

The Authority went through the letter dated 20/06/2018 of Higher and Technical Education Department, Mantralaya, Mumbai. The Higher and Technical Education Department in its aforesaid letter made the necessary corrections as points raised by the Mr. Sachin Salunkhe, Pune, All India Students Association, Pune and Mitali Anita Gaikwad, and directed Directorate to take appropriate action.

In view of the above, after deliberations, the Authority decides no action is necessary at this stage. Office to inform accordingly.

### **Part-III : State CET-CELL**

**Item No. 13:** **To discuss and decide on following issues related to admission process of Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Research, Pune and Maharashtra Animal and Fishery Science University, Nagpur for the Academic Year 2018-19.**

**Item No. 13(i):** **To consider and decide on the letter dated 11<sup>th</sup> June 2018 received from Maharashtra Animal and Fishery Science University, Nagpur asking permission on following issues,-**

- a) **To appoint Nodal Officer for for CAP – 2018,**
- b) **To deposit the admission process fee in University COMPTROLLER account,**
- c) **To conduct the admission process of Dairy Technology and Fishery Science through software developed by the University,**
- d) **To permit budget for conduct of admission process of Dairy Technology and Fishery Science,**
- e) **To approves the schedule and information brochure of admission process,**
- f) **To peruse the rules, regulations, Government resolutions, ordinance issued by the Government of Maharashtra w.r.t. admission process**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from Maharashtra Animal and Fishery Science University, Nagpur regarding various issues related to CET and CAP - 2018.



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The Authority discussed the issues in length and after deliberations, the Authority given approval to item a, b, c, e and f as regards item 'd' regarding budget for conduct of admission process, the Authority decided that the Department may utilize the fund required for the process and remit the balance amount to State CET-CELL. Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to take necessary actions.

**Item No. 13(ii): To consider and decide on the letter dated 13<sup>th</sup> June 2018 received from Agriculture, Dairy Development, Animal Husbandry and Fisheries Department, Mantralaya, Mumbai regarding Centralized Admission Process of Dairy Technology and Fishery Science courses for the Academic Year 2018-19.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from Agriculture Development, Animal Husbandry and Fisheries Department, Mantaralaya, Mumbai regarding Centralized Admission Process of Dairy Technology and Fishery Science Courses for the Academic Year 2018-19, the Authority noted the same.

**Item No. 13(iii): To consider and decide on the letter dated 7<sup>th</sup> June 2018 received from Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Research, Pune submitting information brochure of admission process of B.Sc. (Honours) Agriculture, B.Sc. (Honours) Horticulture, B.Sc. (Honours) Forestry, B.Tech. (Agriculture Engineering), B.Tech. (Food Technology), B.Sc. (Honours) Community Sciences and B.Tech. (Bio Technology) courses for the Academic Year 2018-19.**

The Authority noted.

**Item No. 13(iv): To consider and decide on the letter dated 7<sup>th</sup> June 2018 received from Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Research, Pune regarding admission process of Animal Husbandry and Fisheries Sciences courses for the Academic Year 2018-19.**

The Authority perused the letter and noted that two different Universities are following different procedures for admissions. The courses being included under State CET Cell for the first time the Authority decided to allow those University to adopt the admission process for the Academic Year 2018-19 as earlier, However, the Authority directed that the process should be implemented through State CET-Cell. The Authority also directed that the Director, Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Registrar, Maharashtra Animal and Fishery Science University, Nagpur should take steps to equalize the process in respect of all the Colleges for this course and shall strictly be implemented through State CET-Cell.

**Item No. 13(v): To consider and decide on the letter dated 7<sup>th</sup> June 2018 received from Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Research, Pune asking permission for College Registration Fees for the Colleges under the Agriculture University for the Academic Year 2018-19.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Research, Pune asking permission for College Registration Fees for the Colleges under the Agriculture University for the Academic Year 2018-19.

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After deliberations, the Authority approved the request made by the Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Research, Pune and decides Rs. 1,500/- as College Registration fees for per division for the Academic Year 2018-19 and directs to remit the amount collected by Council, if any, to State CET-CELL forthwith, Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL take necessary steps.

**Item No. 13(vi): To consider and decide on the letter dated 25<sup>th</sup> June and 27<sup>th</sup> June 2018 received from Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Research, Pune requesting to fix the admission process of Institutional Quota.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Research, Pune requesting to fix the admission process of Institutional Quota.

After deliberations, the Authority approved the request made by the Council w.r.t. seats under Institutional Quota. and noted the same.

**Item No. 13 (vii): To consider and decide on the proposal of Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Research, Pune w.r.t. the appointment of officer/staff under the Nodal Officer for admissions to B.Sc. (Honours) Agriculture, B.Sc. (Honours) Horticulture, B.Sc. (Honours) Forestry, B.Tech. (Agriculture Engineering), B.Tech. (Food Technology), B.Sc. (Honours) Community Sciences and B.Tech. (Bio Technology) courses for the Academic Year 2018-19.**

The Authority noted the proposal submitted by the Agricultural Council.

**Item No. 13(viii): To apprise the Authority regarding admission process of B.F.Sc. courses run by the two different bodies viz. - Maharashtra Animal and Fishery Science University, Nagpur and Dr. Balasaheb Sawant Konkan Agriculture University, Dapoli for the Academic Year 2018-19 w.r.t. the letter dated 22/06/2018 of State CET-CELL submitted to Government of Maharashtra.**

The Authority noted the same.

**Item No. 14: To discuss and decide on the letter dated 6<sup>th</sup> June 2018 received from MIT Art, Design and Technology University, Pune, Deemed University asking permission to enlist with the State CET-CELL for admissions process of B.Ed. course for the Academic Year 2018-19.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from MIT Art, Design and Technology University, Pune, Deemed University asking permission to enlist with the State CET-CELL for admissions process of B.Ed. course for the Academic Year 2018-19.

In this connection Authority also perused the letter dated 28<sup>th</sup> June 2018 submitted by the Directorate of Higher Education, Pune.



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After deliberations, the Authority grants its permission to aforesaid University to join State CET-CELL and to follow CET rules as per Government policy. Office to inform accordingly.

**Item No. 15:** **To approve & Finalize the agencies for Centralized Admission Process (CAP) of Under Graduate Health Science Courses MBBS/ BDS/ BAMS/ BHMS/ BUMS/ BPTH/ BOTH/ BASLP/BP&O/B.Sc (Nursing) of Medical Education for A.Y.2018-19.**

The Authority perused the report submitted by the office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL, Mumbai.

In view of the above, after deliberations, the Authority decides to approve the proposal submitted by the Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL regarding appointment of agencies for conducting Centralize Admission Process (CAP) of Under Graduate Health Science courses for the the Academic Year 2018-19.

Sr. No.	CET Name & Course	Agency Authorized to conduct CAP
1.	NEET - UG - 2018 Under Graduate Health Science Courses (MBBS / BDS / BAMS / BHMS / BUMS / BPTH / BOTH / BASLP / BP&O / BSc - Nursing)	M/s. SMB Systems Pvt. Ltd. & M/s. Integrated business Solutions (IBS)

Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to take necessary steps.

**Item No. 16:** **To apprise the Authority about minutes of meeting dated 28/05/2018 & seek approval for change of agency (i.e.MKCL) for Technical Education CAP 2018-19.**

The Authority perused the proposals submitted by the Commissioner, State CET-CELL w.r.t. change of agency i.e. M/s. MKCL for CAP 2018-19 for the Technical Courses along with Minutes of meeting held under the Chairmanship of Commissioner, State CET-CELL on 28/05/2018.

After deliberations, the Authority permitted Commissioner, State CET-Cell to cancel the Work order given to M/s. M.K.C.L. and distribute the work with the new agencies 1) M/s. Four Pillars Infotech India Pvt. Ltd and 2) M/s. Synthesys Solutions Pvt. Ltd. for CAP process of Technical courses for the Academic Year 2018-19.

**Item No. 17:** **To give post facto approval for release of direct arrears of rent of 8<sup>th</sup> floor for the period of April 2018 to June 2018 and advance rent from July 2018 to September 2018 to Maharashtra State Finance Corporation, Mumbai.**

After deliberations, the Authority approved and ratified the action taken by the Commissioner, State CET-CELL w.r.t arrears of rent of 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, New Excelsior Building, A.K. Nayak Marg, Fort, Mumbai – 400 001 for the period of April 2018 to June 2018 and advance rent from July 2018 to September 2018 to Maharashtra State Finance Corporation, Mumbai.



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**Item No. 18:** **To discuss & decide on the letter dated 13.06.2018 from Maharashtra State Financial Corporation regarding handing over 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> floor of New Excelsior Building.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from Maharashtra State Financial Corporation regarding handing over 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> Floor of New Excelsior Building.

After deliberations and as per remarks given by the Finance Department, Government of Maharashtra mentioned in letter dated 07/05/2018 from Higher and Technical Education Department, the Authority permitted to purchase the said property (8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, New Excelsior Building) for the amount of Rs. 50 Cr. with the following terms and conditions,-

- a) The Commissioner, State CET-CELL is authorized to do all formalities (i.e. legal notice, signing documents for sale, NOC from society etc.) for purchase of the said property with Maharashtra State Financial Corporation, Mumbai,
- b) The Commissioner, State CET-CELL to submit the proposal to Government requesting exemption from stamp duty and Registration fee in this transaction. If the exemption is not given by Government of Maharashtra, the amount will be borne by Admissions Regulating Authority / State CET-CELL and Maharashtra State Financial Corporation in equal proportion.
- c) Amount of Rs. 30.00 Cr. (Rupees Thirty crores only) will be given to Maharashtra State Financial Corporation as part consideration against Agreement to sale and remaining amount will be paid at the time of conveyance deed.
- d) On payment of Rs. 30.00 crore, the payment of rent payable to Maharashtra State Financial Corporation will stop. In case the transaction does not materialize, the Maharashtra State Financial Corporation shall refund the amount of Rs. 30.00 crore, after deducting therefrom the amount of rent for the period from payment of Rs. 30.00 crore till the date on which the amount of Rs. 30.00 crore becomes refundable.
- e) If Maharashtra State Financial Corporation fails to comply with the conditions mentioned in the Agreement to sale, the part consideration paid to Maharashtra State Financial Corporation, Mumbai shall be returned to Authority and State CET-CELL with Interest (equal to maximum interest given by any nationalized bank).
- f) If the said transaction is not completed, the existing rent agreements will be continued with the terms/conditions mentioned therein.

Office of the State CET-CELL to take necessary steps.

**Item No. 19:** **To discuss & decide on proposal dated 23/05/2018 from Grand Resource Factory Pvt. Ltd. regarding providing facility management services at fort office and to initiate tender process for the same.**

The Authority perused the proposal submitted by the Commissioner, State CET-CELL along with letter dated 23/05/2018 of Grand Resource Factory Pvt. Ltd w.r.t. providing facility Management Services.

The Authority noted that the Commissioner, State CET-CELL has appointed the said Agency for House Keeping services for three months on the rates given by the vender. The Commissioner inform the Authority that regular tender/quotation will be invited for the same.

After deliberations, the Authority decides to empower the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to take necessary actions w.r.t. providing facility management services. Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to take necessary actions.

**Item No. 20:** **To appoint legal officer/ legal Consultant in legal cell of State CET Cell on contract basis and authorize Commissioner, CET to conduct walk in - interview procedure for the same.**

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**Item No. 21:** **To give post facto approval for the appointment of Mr. Ganesh Shinde as Assistant (Audit/Accounts) in State CET Cell office on contract basis.**

And

**Item No. 22:** **To authorize Commissioner, CET to make arrangements for man power/staff to be recruited on contract basis at new office premises as per GR dated 4/8/2015 from Higher and Technical Education Dept., Mantralaya, Mumbai**

The Authority perused the proposal submitted by the Commissioner, State CET-CELL w.r.t. to Government resolution No. MISC-2015/CR-276/TE-4, dated 04/08/2015 and the proposed staffing pattern for State CET Cell as per **Annexure – A.**

After deliberations, the provisions in GR dated 04/08/2018, the Authority approved the staffing pattern for State CET-CELL office as per **Annexure – A.**

The Authority also decides to empower the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to take necessary actions to fill up the staff on contract basis and inform the Authority accordingly, Office of the State CET-CELL take necessary steps.

**Item No. 23:** **To consider and decide on the letter dated 12<sup>th</sup> June 2018 received from Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai regarding Summer Exam-2019 of students in Academic Year 2018-19.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai regarding Summer Exam – 2019 of students in Academic Year 2018-19.

As per the request made by the Directorate of AYUSH, Mumbai in its aforesaid letter, the Vice-Chancellor, Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik were present for the meeting.

The Authority heard to Dr. (Prof.) Dilip Mhaisekar, Vice-Chancellor, Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik. Dr. Mhaisekar submitted that cut-off-date for allied course is 31<sup>st</sup> October of that Academic Year and it goes upto month of January, therefore those students who get admissions after October in the period of extended cut-off-date, there academic session can not be complete and such students are not eligible for the Summer Exam conducted by the Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik as per the regulation of the University Act.



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In view of the above, after deliberations, the Authority directs the Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik to follow their provisions of the University Act. Further it is also made clear that, in case the cut-off-date extend for allied courses in Academic Year 2018-19 and onwards, then the Competent Authority and Commissioner, State CET-CELL should inform the said rule of the University and undertaking also to be taken from the students with that respect and then only the Competent Authority will allot the students with terms and conditions as laid down by the University in its rules and regulations. Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL take necessary steps.

**Item No. 24:** **To consider and decide on the representations received through the Hon'ble Minister, Food, Civil, Supply and Consumer Protection, Food and Drugs Administration and Legislative Assembly w.r.t. those students who failed to submit Registration fees of MHT-CET-2018.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid representations received through the Hon'ble Minister, Food, Civil, Supply and Consumer Protection, Food and Drugs Administration and Legislative Assembly w.r.t. those students who failed to submit Registration fees of MHT-CET-2018.

It is noticed that registration process of MHT-CET-2018 is already over and admission process was started, therefore request made by the aforesaid students can not be consider at this stage.

In view of the above, after deliberations, Authority decides that request made by the students w.r.t. those who failed to submit registration fees of MHT-CET-2018 can not be consider at this stage. Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to inform accordingly.

**Item No. 25:** **To consider and decide on the letter dated 26<sup>th</sup> June 2018 received from Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Research, Pune regarding deletion of course of B.Sc. (Animal Husbandry) from Professional Courses.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education and Research, Pune regarding de-notification of course of B.Sc. (Animal Husbandry) from Professional courses and requested Authority to delete the course from State CET-CELL. The Authority noted and approved the same.

**Item No. 26:** **To consider and decide on the proposal of Higher Education Dept. asking permission w.r.t. the expenditure incurred for the documents verification process of Higher Education courses for the Academic Year 2018-19.**

The Authority perused the proposals submitted by the Higher Education Dept. w.r.t. expenditure incurred for the documents Admission verification process of Higher Education courses for the Academic Year 2018-19.

After deliberations, the Authority decides to empower the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to take necessary actions. Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to take necessary actions.



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**Item No. 27:      Any other matter with the permission to the Chair.**

**Item No. 27(a):    To discuss and decide the 'Processing Fees' to be charged on Colleges/Institutes for the Academic Year 2018-19.**

The Authority perused the proposal submitted by the Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority, Mumbai w.r.t. the 'Processing Fees' to be charged on Colleges/Institutes for the Academic Year 2018-19.

After deliberations, the Authority decides the earlier decisions taken in Academic Year 2017-18 w.r.t 'Processing Fees' should be followed by all the Colleges/Institutes. All Colleges/Institutes to note and do the needful immediately. The Authority further made it clear that the College/Institute has to pay the 'Processing Fees' even if single admission is done by the Colleges/Institutes. Office to take necessary steps and inform the concerned Colleges/Institutes accordingly.

Next meeting of the Admissions Regulating Authority will be held on **Tuesday, the 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2018** at 12:30 p.m. in the Conference Hall, Office of the Admissions Regulating Authority, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, New Excelsior Building, A.K. Nayak Marg, Fort, Near CST, Mumbai - 400 001.

Date : **12 JUL 2018**

Place : Mumbai

**(D.K. DESHMUKH)  
CHAIRMAN**

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