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HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Letter No: 920 /H E D/ Dated: 24.12.19
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From

Parameswaran B., IAS
SPD cum Joint Secretary

To

The Vice Chancellors,
Rama Devi Women's University/ Sanskrit University/ North Odisha University /
Khalikote University

Sub: Meeting regarding Action Plan under 'Odisha Higher Education Program for Excellence and Equity' (OHEPEE), Higher Education Department, Odisha on 7th January 2020

Madam / Sir,

I would like to congratulate you on the signing of MoU under 'Odisha Higher Education Program for Excellence and Equity' (OHEPEE), Higher Education Department, Odisha. You are requested to kindly depute the Registrar along with the Comptroller of Finance, IDP Coordinator and Deputy IDP Coordinator for discussion and finalisation on the action plan and activities to be taken up in the following heads.

Name of University	Total approved funds (Rs in Cr)	Strengthening of Affiliated Colleges (Rs in Cr)	Setting up of CoE (if applicable) (Rs in Cr)	Civil Work in University Campus (Rs in Cr)	Non-Civil activities for University (Rs in Cr)
1	2	3	4	5	6

1. For the first year, the IDG amount to be released is 25% of your eligibility. Before such release, the work plan containing the various components of expenditure is to be agreed upon. The items could be same or different to the ones mentioned in the IDP.
2. Except Khalikote University, other universities have to spend a minimum of 40% of the total IDG fund towards their affiliated colleges. Fund for strengthening of affiliated colleges could be utilised for faculty training, improving NAAC accreditation, on-time graduation, curriculum revision, examination reforms, improving job competency, entrepreneurship promotion etc.

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3. Rest 60% fund will be allocated for infrastructure (maximum of 40%), Center of Excellence (if applicable) and other equity and quality improvement activities of the University. The CoEs have been scrutinized by independent experts and the following CoEs are found eligible for funding

- a. RDWU: Translation and Life Writing
- b. Khallikote Univ: Bioprospecting of ethnopharmaceutical of South Odisha

The Guidelines on COE establishment will be shared separately.

The meeting will be conducted on the 7th January 2020 at Pustak Bhaban, Bhubaneswar in office of the State Project Director, OHEPEE. Along with the work plan for the eligible fund, the team is required to bring the following

1. RUSA activities taken up under various components
2. Scheduled commercial bank name, IFSC code, account name and number of the new account opened for OHEPEE

Name of the University	Date	Time
Rama Devi Women's University	7 th January 2020	10.30 AM-12AM
Khalikote University	7 th January 2020	12AM-1.30AM
North Odisha University	7 th January 2020	3PM-4.30PM
Sanskrit University	7 th January 2020	4.30PM-6PM

Yours sincerely,

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24/12/19
SPD, OHEPEE

Memo No. 921 Dated 24.12.19.....

Copy to VC, OSHEC for kind information with a request to attend the meeting.

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Memo No. 922 Dated 24.12.19.....

Copy to P.S. to Commissioner-cum-Secretary for kind information of Commissioner-cum-Secretary.

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Memo No. 923 Dated 24.12.19.....

Copy to concerned Registrars for information and necessary action.

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