

Annexure -1

Guidelines for Affiliation of Colleges under Rama Devi Women's University, Bhubaneswar

Every college admitted to the privileges of the University shall satisfy the Syndicate on the matters specified in the Orissa Universities First Statutes, 1990, UGC (Affiliation of Colleges by Universities) Regulations, 2009 and UGC (Affiliation of Colleges by Universities) (First Amendment) Regulations, 2012 as given below.

Eligibility Criteria for Temporary Affiliation

The proposed college seeking affiliation at the time of inspection by the University shall satisfy the following requirements, or the requirements in respect of any of them prescribed by the Statutory/ Regulatory body concerned, whichever is higher:

1. The college has undisputed ownership and possession of at least five acres of land if situated in rural area and at least two acres of land if situated in urban area having population exceeding twenty thousand (OUF Statutes 1990).
2. The college possesses permanent or semi-permanent buildings for its exclusive use, ensuring adequate accommodation for classrooms, administrative offices, well-equipped laboratories (where required), separate common rooms for students, a common room for teaching staff, hostel and staff quarters and a playground for students. All college buildings are preferably disabled-friendly (UGC Regulation 2009).
3. Every college shall provide adequate and suitable space for games, physical exercise and shall make adequate arrangements for the physical well-being of its students, by periodical inspections at such times as the Syndicate may specify of each and every student by a registered Medical Officer (OUF Statutes 1990).
4. Academic building sufficient with a minimum of 15 sq. ft. per student in lecture/ seminar rooms / library and 20 sq. ft. per student in each of the laboratories (UGC Regulation 2009).
5. Adequate civic facilities for essentials like water, electricity, ventilation, toilets, sewerage, etc. in conformity with the norms laid down by the central / State PWD (UGC Regulation 2009).
6. The college offering Arts stream has made a Fixed Deposit of Rs. 1, 00,000 (Rupees One Lakh) pledged to the University. In the case of Science and Commerce stream, the amount deposited is Rs. 1, 25,000 (Rupees One Lakh Twenty-Five Thousand) each. In the case of colleges situated in the scheduled areas the amount of deposits shall be fifty Percentages of the aforesaid amounts (OUF Statutes 1990).
7. It shall be an essential condition of affiliation that every college shall satisfy the Syndicate that adequate financial provision is available for its continued and efficient maintenance either in the form of a permanent endowment or an undertaking given by a person or body maintaining it (OUF Statutes 1990).

8. Undertaking that "The College does not collect and shall not collect any capitation fee or donation in any form amounting to corrupt practices from or on behalf of any of its students or their parents/ guardians except the prescribed fee and other charges as approved by the University based on the norms of the UGC" (UGC Regulation 2009).
9. Every college shall be managed by a Governing Body as constituted under the OUF Statutes, 1990 and any change in the membership of the Governing Body shall be reported to the Syndicate.
10. Every college shall have a duly constituted College Council properly represented by the teaching staff to advise the Principal in regard to the internal affairs of the college.
11. Number of teaching and No-teaching staff as per University norms. The college has appointed qualified teachers and other staff as per the norms, yardsticks and qualifications, if any, prescribed by the University, University Grants Commission or the Bar Council of India or the All-India Council for Technical Education or the Medical Council of India or the State Government, as the case may be. A representative from the University is included in the selection process for engagement of both teaching and non-teaching staff (OUF Statutes 1990).
12. Each appointment to the academic staff of the college, as and when made shall be reported to the Syndicate which shall satisfy itself that the appointment conforms to the requirements laid down, and in the case of college for women the staff shall be wholly composed of women unless the Syndicate is fully satisfied that this condition cannot be complied with either owing to paucity of suitable teachers or other cause or causes (OUF Statutes 1990).
13. That in case of Degree College in Arts, Science and Commerce the number of students in each class is not less than seventy which may be relaxed to fifty in case of colleges in the scheduled areas of the State (OUF Statutes 1990).
14. A library with at least 1000 books or 100 books in different titles on each subject, whichever is more of the proposed programmes to include both text books and reference books, besides two journals per subject along with a book bank facility for students belonging to the Schedules Castes, Scheduled Tribes and such other sections as may be specified by the UGC from time to time (UGC Regulation 2009).
15. The college shall not without the previous permission of the University suspend offering an already approved course/ programme of study.
16. Development plan for the college with timeline, spelling out its growth plan over the first 10 year period in terms of phasing of academic programmes, increase in students' intake and introduction of postgraduate programmes / research and the time scheduled for stage wise development of the academic infrastructure like recruitment of faculty and other support facilities, including student

amenities such as hostels, sports and recreational facilities (UGC Regulation 2009).

17. The Registers and records mentioned below shall be maintained and made available as and when required for inspection by each college in such from and in such manner as may be prescribed by the Syndicate.

- a. A register of admissions and withdrawals
- b. A register of attendance
- c. A register of permanent and local address of students and also of their transfer and migration
- d. A register of members of the staff showing their qualifications, previous experience, salaries, number of hours of work allotted to each together with the classes and subject taught
- e. A register of fees showing the dates of payments
- f. A counterfoil fee receipt book
- g. A register of scholarships and concessions of all kinds, whether tuition, boarding or lodging
- h. A counterfoil book of transfer certificates
- i. A register showing the report from time to time of medical inspections of students;
- j. A register of marks obtained by each student at the college examinations
- k. Account books showing the financial transactions of the college as separate from those of the management and
- l. A general cash-book

Procedure for granting Temporary Affiliation

A college which wishes to get temporary affiliation shall apply to the university in the prescribed proforma (in the University Website) along with the requisite fee through NEFT/RTGS in favour of the Comptroller of Finance of the University.

1. The application for affiliation during the year in which courses are proposed to be started must be received by the Registrar on or before **30th June of the year**. However, applications may be entertained up to **31st July** of the same year on payment of a **late fee of Rs. 5,000**.
2. The application shall be submitted with certified copies of the following documents:
 1. Copy of the receipt of CDC fee , affiliation fee and fine (if applicable)
 2. Recognition copy from the RDE, BBSR for which affiliation is sought.
 3. Certificate of Registration of Societies under Act XXI of 1860.
 4. Proceedings of the meetings of Governing Body and constituted copy of the Governing Body.
 5. Land record of College (Possession of at least five acres of land if situated in rural area and at least two acres of land if situated in urban area).


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6. Details of permanent or semi-permanent buildings for its exclusive use, providing adequate accommodation for class rooms, administrative office, well-equipped laboratory wherever needed, separate common rooms for students, common room for teaching staff, hostel and staff quarters, and has playground for the students.
7. List of Class rooms, Library, Seminar Hall, Office, Common room (Students and Staffs), laboratories, Principal room, Lavatories and any other room.
8. Proceedings of the meetings of College Council (Represented by the teaching staff to advise the Principal in regard to the internal affairs of the college).
9. Statement of Teaching Staff and No-teaching staff of the college along with appointment letters.
10. Details of text books, journals and reference books etc. in the Library and annual financial provision for purchase of books, journals and periodicals.
11. No of Seminar / Workshop conducted by the department during the last 3 (for UG) / 5 (for PG) years.
12. Evidences of Students' Achievement in the field of extra Co-Curricular activities.
13. Evidences of Teachers' Achievement (Projects received / Awards / Honours etc.)
14. Pledging Money Certificate (The College has made a fixed deposit of rupees one lakh in case of Arts Stream, in Science and Commerce Stream, the amount is rupees one lakh and twenty five thousand each in favor of the Registrar, RDWU for a period of 10 years).
15. Budget estimate for the session for which affiliation is sought.
16. Students' enrolment and pass out details in given below format for the last three years.

Admission Year	Pass out year	No. of students enrolled	No. of students appeared in the exam	No. of students passed	Pass %

17. Undertaking of **"The College shall not collect any capitation fee or donation in any form amounting to corrupt practices from or on behalf of any of its students or their parents/ guardians except the prescribed fee and other charges as approved by the University based on the norms of the UGC"**.
18. Details of the latest fund position along with photocopies of relevant bank accounts.
19. Details of Permanent Endowment/fixed deposits, UGC grants and sources of income.
20. Development plan for the college with timeline, spelling out its growth plan over the first 10 year period in terms of phasing of academic programmes, increase in students' intake and introduction of postgraduate programmes / research and the time scheduled for stage wise development of the academic infrastructure like recruitment of faculty and other support facilities, including student amenities such as hostels, sports and recreational facilities.
21. Details of the Games and Sports, playground in the campus.
22. Undertaking of "all statutory and administrative registers of the College are properly maintained, updated regularly and preserved as per the rules and regulations prescribed by the University and Government from time to time".
23. Undertaking of "I, _____ (Name of the Authorized Signatory), Designation: _____, on behalf of _____ (Name of the Institution), do hereby solemnly affirm and declare as under:
 1. That I have submitted the required documents to _____ (Name of the Affiliating University) for the purpose of affiliation.
 2. That all the documents submitted by me are true, genuine, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 3. That no information has been concealed or suppressed in respect of the documents submitted for affiliation.

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4. That in case any document is found to be false, forged, or incorrect at any stage, I will be fully responsible for the consequences arising therefrom.
5. That I undertake to submit any additional documents or information as and when required by the concerned authority.

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Designation: _____

Date: _____

Name of Institution with Seal: _____

3. The University shall conduct a preliminary scrutiny of the application and, if found satisfactory, issue a Letter of Intent within two weeks from the date of receipt of the application. Thereafter, an inspection shall be conducted within a period of three months for physical verification (**UGC Regulation 2009**).
4. The college shall be subjected to an inspection by the University through a committee of experts nominated by the Vice Chancellor consisting of:
 - i. One expert for each of the subject areas proposed,
 - ii. Director, College Development Council/ an equivalent academician of the University,
 - iii. A representative of the higher education department of the Government not below the rank of Deputy Director in case of Joint Inspection for Permanent Recognition and Affiliation.

One of the subject experts at the level of Professor, as nominated by the Vice-Chancellor, shall be the Chairperson of the Committee (**UGC Regulation 2009**).

5. The report of the Inspection Committee shall be duly filled in and signed by all members and submitted to the University by the Chairperson. The University shall process the report through its appropriate bodies (Affiliation Committee) and decide whether to grant temporary affiliation to the college, recording the reasons in writing for its decision within three months from the date of inspection (**UGC Regulation 2009**).
6. On the basis of the infrastructure and other facilities available at the college, the University shall decide the number of seats for each programme in the college (**UGC Regulation 2009**).
7. The Syndicate /Executive Council of the University shall be the ultimate to decide granting or not granting affiliation.
8. Continuation of temporary affiliation of the programme of study and the college itself shall be granted by the University on a year to year basis through inspection process prescribed in these regulations.

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9. If the University decides not to grant affiliation to the college for reasons, recorded in writing of its failure to meet the conditions/ requirements for getting, the college may apply again if it fulfils the conditions / requirements subsequently, but not earlier than six months from the date of rejection of its earlier application.

Eligibility Criteria for Permanent Affiliation

The eligibility criteria for permanent affiliation shall be the same as those prescribed for temporary affiliation, in addition to the following criteria.

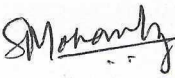
1. The college shall have completed at least five years of satisfactory performance after getting temporary affiliation and attained the academic and administrative standards as prescribed by the University/ UGC/ Statutory/ Regulatory body concerned from time to time.
2. The college shall have completed construction of buildings and all infrastructure / facilities as stipulated in the Regulations.
3. All the teaching and non-teaching staff are appointed on permanent (appointed on regular basis, in case of a Government college) on the UGC/Government scales of pay (UGC Regulation 2009).
4. **The College shall be accredited by NAAC or any other statutory accreditation agency by State / Central Government (UGC (Affiliation of Colleges by Universities) (First Amendment) Regulations, 2012).**

Procedure for granting Permanent Affiliation (UGC Regulation 2009).

1. A college which wishes to get permanent affiliation shall apply to the university any time after completing five years of temporary affiliation in the proforma along with the prescribed fee in the form of NEFT/ RTGS in favour of Comptroller of Finance of the University.
2. The procedure for according permanent affiliation shall be same as for granting temporary affiliation given in the regulations.
3. If the University decides not to grant permanent affiliation to the college, for reasons to be recorded in writing due to its failure to fulfil the prescribed conditions/requirements, the college may submit a fresh application after complying with the said conditions/requirements. However, such application shall not be made earlier than six months from the date of rejection of the earlier application.

Eligibility to apply for addition of new programmes of study or increase of seats of the continuing programme

1. Any proposal for introduction of a new programme or increase of seats in the continuing programme shall be submitted **on or before 30th November** of the year immediately preceding the academic year in which the courses are proposed to be commenced.
2. The University shall grant necessary approval only after ensuring equitable distribution of facilities for higher education, with due consideration to the needs

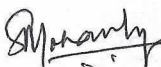

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- of unserved, underdeveloped, rural, hilly, tribal, and backward areas within its jurisdiction (**UGC Regulation 2009**).
3. Any proposal for raising the existing under-graduate college to post- graduate studies level shall be considered by the university only after satisfactory completion of two years of the under-graduate programme and the proposed buildings, qualified faculty and other infrastructure facilities are fully created as per the regulations.
 4. Each application for addition of a new programme or for upgrading the existing programme to post - graduate level shall be accompanied by the prescribed fee in the form of NEFT/ RTGS drawn in favour of the Comptroller of Finance of the University.
 5. The procedure for granting temporary affiliation to an additional programme of study or for upgrading an existing programme in the college shall be the same as that prescribed under the Regulations governing temporary affiliation.


Procedure for granting Affiliation to the new colleges (same as in OUF Statutes 1990)

1. The application in the prescribed Proforma along with prescribed fee in the form of NEFT/ RTGS in favour of Comptroller of Finance of the University for affiliation of new college to the University shall be submitted so as to be receiving by the Registrar not later than the **30th November** of the year immediately preceding the academic year in which the courses are proposed to be started.
2. The application shall be submitted with certified copies of the following documents:
 - (i) An attested copy of the Government order in the appropriate department granting recognition to the college.
 - (ii) An attested copy of the Government order in the appropriate department granting concurrence to the proposal for opening of the college along with the attested copy of the letter of permission from the concerned All-India Body or the Council, as the case may be, wherever such permission is necessary for courses and subjects in which affiliation is sought.
 - (iii) Copy of the previous application, if any, made for affiliation, and the subjects in which affiliation was sought together with information on the manner or disposal of such application.
 - (iv) Accommodation, equipment, strength of college, number of students for whom provision has been made and plans or drawings of the buildings of the college. Qualifications, salaries and work-load of the teachers together with the time table of work allotted to each such teacher.
 - (v) Whether the teachers appointed possess the qualifications prescribed by the University Grants Commission or Bar Council of India or All-India Council of Technical Education or the Medical Council of India or the State Government, as the case may be.
 - (vi) Library facilities provided together with the number of books and journals in stock and the staff appointed to manage the library as on the date of

- application. Full particulars about hostels, lodging and playgrounds provided for the students of the college. Residential arrangements, if any, made for the principal and staff of the college.
- (vii) Tuition fees and other fees proposed to be collected for each course, given the details of monthly and annual fees, the financial condition of the college, showing the details of receipt and expenditure and the sources of income of the college.
 - (viii) Provision made for capital expenditure on buildings and equipment and for the continued maintenance of the college. The working hours of the college.
 - (ix) An attested copy of the Registration Certificate of the Governing Body Registered under the Societies Registration Act, and the list of the members or the Governing Body.
 - (x) An undertaking by the college that it shall not collect capitation fees and/or donations and do all things that are essential for the maintenance of tone and standards of University education.
 - (xi) NEFT/RTGS receipt showing the deposit of the Pledging Money and other fees deposited for grant of an affiliation.
3. In exceptional circumstances applications may be entertained by the Registrar for affiliation during the year in which courses are proposed to be started subject to the condition that the same is made not later than the **31st July** of the year and **late fee of rupees five thousand** is paid there for.
 4. In the case of a Government College the application for affiliation or further/additional affiliation shall be made by Head of the Department concerned and in the case of any other college the application shall be made by the person or body authorized to make such application.
 5. The fee payable by each college when applying for admission to the privileges of the University shall be **rupees One thousand per subject for affiliation fee, rupees twenty for CDC fee.**
 6. If the application is found to be in order, the application shall be considered by the Syndicate within sixty days from the date of receipt of the application. An application which is not found to be in order or lacking in required particulars shall be returned to the applicant by the Registrar within fifteen days of the receipt of the applicant. If a returned incomplete application is resubmitted with compliance after the period of sixty days, it shall be counted as the date of receipt of the application after such compliance.
 7. It shall be open to the Syndicate to call for further information with regard to any application submitted or to advise the management that the application is premature and that it should be submitted at a later date or to decline to proceed with the application.
 8. Should the Syndicate desire to proceed with the application, it shall direct a local enquiry to be held by a Committee consisting of competent person or persons, but it shall be within the competence of the Syndicate to dispense with such an


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- enquiry in cases in which it considers that it has sufficient data and information to decide the application without a local enquiry.
9. The Committee conducting the local enquiry shall make the enquiry and submit its report to the Registrar not later than fifteen days from the date of their appointment.
 10. The Committee conducting the local enquiry shall satisfy itself that the college fulfils all the conditions as below:
 - i. The college is managed by a Governing Body constituted in accordance with the Statutes.
 - ii. The college has constituted a College Council wherein representatives of the teaching staff have been taken to advise the Principal with regard to the internal affairs of the College.
 - iii. Adequate financial position is available for the contained and efficient maintenance of the college, either in the form of permanent endowment or an undertaking given by a person or body managing the college to that effect.
 - iv. Suitable and adequate accommodation is available for class rooms, college office, staff common room, girl's common room.
 - v. Suitability and adequacy of equipment, teaching aids and accommodation for laboratories, in case of a college seeking affiliation in a course requiring practical.
 - vi. The character, qualifications and adequacy of teaching staff of the college and the conditions of their services and whether the qualifications of the teachers conform to those prescribed by the University, the University Grants Commission or the Bar Council of India or the State Government, as the case may be.
 - vii. Provision for residence, physical welfare, lodging and boarding for the students of the college.
 - viii. Non-collection of capitation fee and/or donation.
 - ix. Maintenance of Registrars, viz. attendance registers of students and staff, fee collection registers, accounts registrars accession register and catalogues of Library books and journals, acquaintance registers, register of hostels, counterfoil of fee receipt books and bank deposits, register of scholarships and concessions of all kinds whether tuitions, boarding or lodging, counterfoil book of transfer certificates, register showing the report from time to time of medical inspections of students, register of marks obtained by each student at the college examinations, accounts books showing the financial transactions of the College as separate from those of the management and a general cash book.
 - x. Provision of separate reading room and other necessary conveniences in case of Colleges having co-education.
 - xi. Provision for residence of students, viz., hostel or lodging houses and


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- xii. Adequate and suitable space for games and physical exercise by way of playgrounds and games equipment and adequate arrangements for the physical wellbeing of the students of the college by periodical inspection by a registered medical officer.
11. It shall be open to the Syndicate, after considering the report of the local enquiry to decide whether the application shall be allowed and the affiliation granted or refused. If affiliation is refused, no further action will be necessary on the part of the Syndicate other than to inform the college concerned to this effect.
12. Subject to the stipulation that the college concerned must satisfy the Syndicate with regard to the accommodation, staff and equipment a college affiliated in more than one optional subject shall be permitted, in accordance with the provisions of the Regulations, to provide instruction in any combination of such subjects, provided a statement is made to the Syndicate before the end of the last term preceding the year in which it is proposed to provide such instruction.
13. It shall be open to the college, which has applied for admission to the privileges of the University or for additional or further affiliation to apply to the Syndicate desiring to withdraw its application, in which case the Syndicate may at its discretion return any fee paid, provided that no financial commitment has been made to conduct a local enquiry.

Withdrawal of affiliation

The privileges conferred on a college by affiliation may be withdrawn in part or in full, suspended or modified, if

1. An affiliated college may be deprived of the privileges of the University in part in the following circumstances, namely:- (**OUF Statutes 1990**)
 - i. Consistently unsatisfactory performance of the students at University examinations specifically if the performance of students of a particular course is below the University average standard for three consecutive years falls short of thirty Percentage of the number of students sent up for an examination.
 - ii. Failure of the college to appoint teachers according to the work load for a particular course, subject or discipline; and
 - iii. Inadequacy of facilities like library, laboratory, classrooms, games facilities, residential arrangement for students, etc.
2. An affiliated college may be deprived in **whole of the privileges of the University** by withdrawal of affiliation to the college if-
 - i. There has been evidence of adoption of large scale unfair means in any University examination.
 - ii. There has been non-co-operation with the University authorities and officers in the conduct of University examinations.
 - iii. There has been gross violation of norms of admission of students.
 - iv. There has been evidence of collection of capitation fee or donation. The Syndicate shall be the sole authority to judge whether a college collects

- capitation fee and/or donation either on proper receipt or in the guise of tuition and academic fees.
3. The college, on due enquiry is found to have failed to comply with any of the provisions of the Act, the Statutes, the Ordinances, the Rules and Regulations or any other direction or instruction of the UGC/ University /Statutory/ Regulatory body concerned or has conducted itself in a manner prejudicial to the academic and administrative standards and interests of the University (**UGC Regulation 2009**).
 4. If an affiliated college ceases to function or is shifted to a different location or is transferred to a different society, trust, individual or a group of individuals without the prior approval of the University may be and shall be treated as new college for the purposes of future affiliation (**UGC Regulation 2009**).
 5. Without prejudice to the regulations, the UGC on its own or on the basis of any complaint or any other information or report from any other source, can cause an enquiry by the University in respect of a college and after giving the college a reasonable opportunity of being heard, may pass an order under Section (12A) (4) of the UGC Act prohibiting such college from presenting any student then undergoing such specified course / programme of study therein to an university for the award of the qualification concerned and the affiliation of the college shall stand terminated as per Section (12A) (5) of the UGC Act (**UGC Regulation 2009**).

Status of Students in Case of Disaffiliation

1. The University/ Government shall have the duty to alleviate the educational future of the affected students in an appropriate manner as per its decision.
2. If the University decides to withdraw the affiliation of the college or the affiliation stands terminated by the order of the University temporarily or permanently, such decision shall not affect the interests of the students of the college who were on its rolls at the time of issue of the order till they pass out the normal duration of programmes to which they are registered at that time. The University/ Government shall have the duty to alleviate the educational future of the affected students in an appropriate manner as per its decision (**UGC Regulation 2009**).
3. An affiliated College shall take within such period such action in respect of any matter arising out of the report of the inspection or investigation as may be specified in an order made by the Syndicate in this behalf.
4. Continuance of affiliation of any affiliated College shall depend upon the fulfilment of all the terms and conditions of affiliation laid down in the Statutes and compliance with such directives as may be issued by the Syndicate from time to time (**OUF Statutes 1990**).
5. All provisional or temporary affiliations shall lapse at the expiry of the period stipulated in the order of affiliation, unless extended by the Syndicate (sub-section (1) of section 198 of the OUF Statutes 1990). In the event of cessation of affiliation the college shall stand disaffiliated and the University shall not be

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responsible for the conduct of examinations in respect of students admitted thereto after such period (OUF Statutes 1990).

Autonomous College (OUF Statutes 1990).

1. The Syndicate may, with the concurrence of the University Grants Commission and the approval of the State Government, confer the Status of autonomy on an affiliated or constituent college to conduct specified courses of studies subject to the conditions set forth below:-
 - i. The college should have not less than ten years of standing and should have been accorded permanent affiliation to conduct the concerned courses of studies for a period of not less than five years.
 - ii. The college shall not offer instructions for examinations below the degree level.
 - iii. The autonomous college shall have an Academic Committee. The University shall have adequate representation on that Academic Committee so as to ensure that the courses of studies and the standards prescribed for the subjects shall be comparable in quality and standards to those prescribed in the University.
 - iv. The autonomous college shall have Boards of studies in subjects or in groups of subjects. The University shall be entitled to be represented adequately in each one of these Boards to ensure adequate standards in the framing of the Syllabus, choice of text books and other academic matter.
 - v. The autonomous college shall have a Managing Body constituted on the lines prescribed by the University Grants Commission at which the University shall be represented.
 - vi. The autonomous college may frame rules and bye laws not inconsistent with the provisions of the Act and the Statutes framed there under.
 - vii. The autonomous college will have autonomy in the following matters, namely:
 - a. Framing syllabus and course contents adopting the general pattern in the University;
 - b. Arranging for instruction of the students;
 - c. Devising methods of evaluation, examinations and tests pertaining to the award of degree/diploma by the University provided that these methods and standards shall be in conformity with the board pattern adopted by the University;
 - d. Admission of students in respect of courses for which autonomy is conferred in conformity with the standards for admission to such courses prescribed by the University;
 - viii. The Syndicate may, in consultation with the academic Council of the University, prescribe the manner in which and the conditions subject to which the college may be designated as an autonomous college;
2. The right of autonomy may not be conferred once for all. The status of autonomy may be granted only for a period of five years but a review should be undertaken

after three years by the University with the help of a Committee constituted on the lines prescribed by the University Grants Commission. In case of declining standards, it shall be open to the Syndicate after careful scrutiny and in consultation with the Academic Council of the University to revoke the autonomous status.

3. The University shall have the power to confer degrees, diplomas and other distinctions on persons who shall have pursued an approved course of studies in an autonomous college. The name of the autonomous college shall, however, be indicated on the body of the degrees diplomas, certificates, etc. issued to the candidates.

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