



Minutes of the 117th Meeting (Special) of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University held on 30.05.2019 convened to consider the Revised Drafts of the Dibrugarh University Regulations for the (a) Research Council and for the Degree of the Ph.D, 2019 and (b) M.Phil. Programmes

Members present in the meeting:

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| 1. Prof. R. Tamuli, Vice Chancellor, Dibrugarh University | -Chairperson |
| 2. Prof. N. M. Bezborah, Dept. of Assamese, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 3. Prof. N.K. Handique, Head, Dept. of Assamese, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 4. Prof. J.K. Borah, Dept. of Assamese, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 5. Prof. P.D. Buzorbaruah, Dept. of Assamese, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 6. Prof. S. Borthakur, Dept. of Assamese, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 7. Prof. S. Mahanta (Choudhury), Dept. of Assamese, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 8. Dr. A.J. Mahanta, Head, Dept. of Economics, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 9. Prof. D.K. Chakraborty, Dept. of Economics, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 10. The Head, Dept. of English., Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 11. Dr. Nasmeeem F. Akhtar, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 12. Prof. N. Baruah, Dept. of History, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 13. Prof. R. Thapa, Head, Dept. of Political Science, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 14. Dr. P. Sarma, Dept. of Sociology, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 15. Prof. J. P.Saikia, Head, Dept of Sociology, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 16. Dr. C.K. Nath, Head, Dept. of Commerce, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 17. Prof. P. Bezbaruah, Dept. of Commerce, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 18. Prof. S.S. Singha, Dept. of Commerce, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 19. Prof. A.B. Rajkonwar, Dept of Commerce, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 20. Prof. A. Saha, Dept of Commerce, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 21. Dr.(Ms) M. Gogoi, Head, Dept. of Education, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 22. Prof. M. Hazarika, Dept. of Education, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 23. Prof. N.K. Baruah, Dept. of Education, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 24. Prof. D.B.Talukdar, Dept. of Education, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 25. Prof. T.K.Goswami, Dept. of Applied Geology, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 26. Prof. M.N. Dutta, Dept. of Applied Geology, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 27. Prof. R.K. Sarmah, Dept. of Applied Geology, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 28. Prof. U. Goswami, Dept. of Applied Geology, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 29. Prof. K.D. Kalita, Head, Dept. of Applied Geology, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 30. Prof. S. Sengupta, Head, Dept of Anthropology, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 31. Dr. D. Sarma, Head, Dept. of Chemistry, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 32. Prof. G. Borah, Dept. of Chemistry, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 33. Prof. P. Das, Dept. of Chemistry, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 34. Prof. R.N.S. Yadav, Dept. of Life Sciences, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 35. Dr. D. Kardong, Head, Dept. of Life Sciences, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 36. Prof. S.P. Biswas, Dept. of Life Sciences, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 37. Prof. L.R. Saikia, Dept. of Life Sciences, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 38. Prof. D. S. Bora, Dept. of Life Sciences, Dibrugarh University | -Member |
| 39. Prof. B. Neog, Dept. of Life Sciences, Dibrugarh University | -Member |

40. Prof. S. Borkotoky, Head, Dept. of Mathematics , Dibrugarh University	-Member
41. Prof. P.N. Deka, Dept. of Mathematics , Dibrugarh University	-Member
42. Prof. L.K. Nath, Dept. of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Dibrugarh University	-Member
43. Prof. D. Chetia, Dept. of Pharmaceutical Sciences, D.U.	-Member
44. Prof. B. Mazumdar, Head, Dept. of Pharmaceutical Sciences, D.U.	-Member
45. Prof. S.K. Ghosh, Dept. of Pharmaceutical Sciences, D.U.	-Member
46. Prof. M.K. Das, Dept. of Pharmaceutical Sciences, D.U.	-Member
47. Prof. K. Bhuyan, Dept. of Physics, Dibrugarh University	-Member
48. Dr. P. Dutta, Head, Dept. of Physics, Dibrugarh University	-Member
49. Prof. P. Borgohain, Dept. of Petroleum Technology, D.U.	-Member
50. Prof. M. Das, Head, Dept. of Petroleum Technology, D.U.	-Member
51. Prof. J. Hazarika, Head, Dept. of Statistics, Dibrugarh University	-Member
52. Prof. S. Chakraborty, Dept. of Statistics, Dibrugarh University	-Member
53. The In-Charge, Controller of Examinations, Dibrugarh University	-Member
54. The Joint Registrar (Academic), Dibrugarh University	-Member
55. Dr. D.J. Dutta, Dept. of Political Science, D.U.	-Spl. Invitee
56. Dr. D.P. Rajkhowa, Registrar i/c, Dibrugarh University	-Secretary

The Hon'ble Vice Chancellor from the Chair welcomed the esteemed members of the Academic Council and requested the Joint Registrar (Academic) to place the agenda for discussion.

The Joint Registrar (Academic) apprised the Council that the Special Meeting was convened to consider the drafts of the (a) D.U. Regulations for the Research Council and for the Degree of the Ph.D. and (b) D.U. Regulations for the M.Phil Programmes revised by a Committee in compliance with the recent Regulations of the University Grants Commission. He also submitted that the same drafts were placed in the last 116th Meeting of the Academic Council held on 30.04.2019 and was accepted in principle. Further, the Meeting suggested that the drafts were required to be thoroughly examined by the Members of the Academic Council before final approval.

Accordingly, on recommendation of the last Meeting of the Academic Council, the drafts were circulated amongst all esteemed members (internal) of the Academic Council through e-mail. In response to that observations from the Department of Commerce and Mathematics were received and placed before the Council for discussion.

The Chairperson appealed the Council that the revisions should in adherence with the UGC Regulations, and there should not be any ambiguous clause in the Regulations. He suggested to present the draft clause by clause for consideration of the Council.

The Members examined both the Dibrugarh University Regulations for the (a) Research Council and for the Degree of the Ph.D. and (b) M.Phil Programmes and suggested necessary modifications in the drafts. With incorporations of the proposed modifications, the Council finally adopted the following Resolutions-

Resolution No.01 : Resolved that the draft of the Dibrugarh University Regulations for the Research Council and for the Degree of the Ph.D, 2019 as

accepted by the 117th Meeting of the Academic Council held on 30.04.2019 be approved with necessary modifications giving effect from the academic session 2019-2020 (given as Annexure A).

Resolution No.02 : *Resolved that the draft of the Dibrugarh University Regulations for the Degree of the Master of Philosophy (M.Phil.), 2019 as accepted by the 117th Meeting of the Academic Council held on 30.04.2019 be approved with necessary modifications giving effect from the academic session 2019-2020 (given as Annexure B).*

Item No. 02. Any other matter with permission of the Chair

In any other matter, the Council expressed its concern on the status of the DRC in Social Sciences and functioning of the OKDISCD, Guwahati so far as the offering of the Ph.D. Programme in Social sciences is concerned. The Council after a brief discussion suggested review of the Terms and Conditions of the MoU signed between Dibrugarh University and those institutions. The Council also suggested to review the MoU with the Jorhat Engineering College as well.

Resolution No.03 : *Resolved that necessary steps be taken for reviewing the MoUs with the Omeo KumarDas Institute of Social Change and Development (OKDISCD), Guwahati and Jorhat Engineering College, Jorhat.*

As no other matter was left for discussion, the Meeting had been ended with vote of thanks to and from the Chair.

Sd/- Dr. D.P. Rajkhowa
Registrar i/c
Dibrugarh University

Sd/- Prof.R. Tamuli
Vice-Chancellor and Chairperson
Academic Council
Dibrugarh University

Memo No: DU/DR-A/AC/7-1/19/555

Date:31.05.2019.

Copy to:

1. The Vice-Chancellor, Dibrugarh University.
2. The Deans, Dibrugarh University.
3. The Registrar, Dibrugarh University.
4. The Controller of Examinations, Dibrugarh University.
5. All members of the Academic Council, Dibrugarh University.

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Sd/-Dr. B.C. Borah
Joint Registrar (Academic)
Dibrugarh University