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The Registrar,
Maulana AbulKalam Azad University of Technology,
BF 142, BF Block, Sector 1,
Salt Lake City, Kolkata,
West Bengal-700064

12 FEB 2019

Sub:- Conferment of Autonomous Status to Institute of Engineering & Management, Salt Lake Electronics Complex, Salt Lake, Sector-V, Kolkata-700 091 affiliated to Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology, West Bengal

Sir/Madam,

This is with reference to the proposal submitted by Institute of Engineering & Management, Salt Lake Electronics Complex, Salt Lake, Sector-V, Kolkata-700 091 affiliated to Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology, West Bengal under the UGC Scheme for Autonomous Colleges.

The Standing Committee in its meeting held on 16.01.2019 decided to grant autonomous status to Institute of Engineering & Management, Salt Lake Electronics Complex, Salt Lake, Sector-V, Kolkata-700 091 affiliated to Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology, West Bengal for a period of ten years w.e.f. 2019-2020 to 2028-2029.

The University is requested to issue necessary notification/order regarding the grant of autonomous status to the college as per UGC (Conferment of Autonomous Status Upon Colleges and Measures for Maintenance of Standards in Autonomous Colleges) Regulations, 2018 for Autonomous Colleges. The college, if eligible, shall apply for autonomy grant as per the norms laid down in the Regulations.

The autonomous college is required to abide by all the provisions of the UGC Regulations for Autonomous Colleges. The Regulations are available on the UGC website, www.ugc.ac.in. The college shall also apply in the prescribed format to University Grants Commission for extension of autonomous status six months prior to the expiry of the autonomous cycle.

Yours faithfully,

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(Surender Singh)

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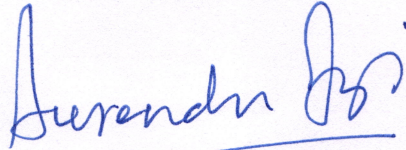
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Salt Lake, Sector - 2,
Kolkata - 700 091
2. The Joint Secretary,
Eastern Regional Office,
UGC LB-8. Sector-III, Salt Lake
Kolkata - 700 098 (West Bengal),
3. The Principal,
Institute of Engineering & Management,
Salt Lake Electronics Complex,
Salt Lake, Sector-V,
Kolkata-700 091

A copy of the UGC Expert Committee report is enclosed herewith for information and appropriate action by college

- 4 Meeting Cell
- 5 Concerned file
- 6 Guard file



(Surender Singh)

UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION
NEW DELHI – 110002

Report of the UGC Committee on the compliance submitted by Institute of Engineering and Management, Kolkata, West Bengal

Introduction: Institute of Engineering and Management, Salt Lake Electronics Complex, Salt Lake, Sector – V, Kolkata – 700091 affiliated to Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology, West Bengal submitted a proposal to UGC for the grant of autonomous status. To examine the proposal of the institution, an Expert Committee was constituted by the UGC and the Committee visited the institution on 9th and 10th March, 2018 for on-the-spot inspection. The Committee in its report recommended conferment of autonomous status on the Institute of Engineering and Management, West Bengal subject to the compliance of the following conditions:

- More number of Associate Professors should be appointed as per UGC/AICTE norms to maintain cadre ratio.
- Separate labs for CSE and ECE departments should be established as per norms.
- The libraries need to have more number of standard text books and quality journals.
- Separate budgeting provision for department/library/examination/T&P and sports etc. should be made.

The institution submitted a compliance report on the points mentioned by the Expert Committee in its recommendations. However, the Standing Committee on Autonomous Colleges decided that the compliance shall be verified through an on-site visit by a Committee comprising of the Chairperson and the Coordinator of the Expert Committee which had visited the institution. The Commission at its meeting held on 24.05.2018 endorsed the decision of the Standing Committee.

Hence, this Committee comprising of Professor C.R.Tripathy, Chairperson and Mriganka Sekhar Sarma, UGC Coordinator made an on-site visit to the institution on 5th January, 2019 for verification of the compliance.

Observations and recommendations of the Committee:

S.N	Condition to be complied	Compliance submitted by the institution	Observations of the Committee
1.	More number of Associate Professors should be appointed as per UGC/AICTE norms to maintain cadre ratio	Advertisements for positions were published in leading newspapers (The Times of India on 21 st March	The Committee verified the compliance submitted by the institution.

C.R.Tripathy
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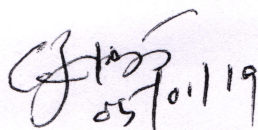
		<p>and 18th July, 2018 and Ei Samay on 22nd March, 2018). The applicants were interviewed by a panel of external experts and University representatives on 13th April, 2018 and 14th August, 2018, and suitable candidates were selected and offers letters were sent to them. In addition, some of the faculty members in the grade of Assistant Professors have been promoted to the grade of Associate Professors after due evaluation. Currently, 47 Associate Professors are working in the institution and this is as per AICTE norms regarding cadre ratio.</p>	<p>Newspapers advertisements are enclosed as Annexure – 1. Minutes of Selection Committee meetings are enclosed as Annexure – 2. Minutes of the Committee meetings for promotion are enclosed as Annexure – 3. The list of Associate Professors who are working in the institution as on date is enclosed as Annexure – 4. It was observed that the institution has the required number of Associate Professors as per norms.</p>
2.	Separate labs for CSE and ECE departments should be established as per norms	CSE and ECE laboratories have been separated/newly set up. Separate rooms and equipments are available.	Verified. The laboratories for the two departments, CSE and ECE have been established separately. Relevant documents are enclosed as Annexure – 5 .
3.	The libraries need to have more number of standard text books and quality journals	4365 number of volumes have been newly added after the last visit of the Committee.	Verified. The institution has purchased the required number of standard text books and quality journals (both print volumes and online) in the recent past. List of

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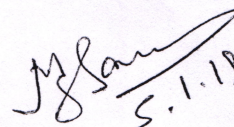
			newly purchased books/journals and the Xerox copies of bills/challans are enclosed as Annexure – 6.
4.	Separate budgeting provision for department/library/examination /T&P and sports etc. should be made	The institution has now made separate budgeting provisions for each department, library, examination, T&P, sports etc.	Verified. Budgeting provisions made by the institution are enclosed as Annexure – 7.

Recommendations:

On the basis of the on-site visit and supporting documents made available, the Committee is of the view that the institution has complied with the conditions mentioned by the Committee in its earlier report. Hence, the Committee recommends that fresh autonomous status may be granted by UGC to Institute of Engineering and Management, Kolkata, West Bengal for a period of ten years w.e.f. 2019-20 to 2028-29.


05/01/19

(Prof. C.R. Tripathy)


5.1.19

(Mriganka Sekhar Sarma)

Date: 5th January, 2019

Place: Institute of Engineering and Management, West Bengal