



KERALA UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

ABSTRACT

KUHS - Academic - Nursing - Clause 2(5)(ii)(v) of amended 5 Chapter XXI of Kerala University of Health Sciences First Statutes, 2013 regarding affiliation of colleges - Further clarified - Orders issued.

ACADEMIC SECTION

U.O.No : 325/2024/academic/KUHS

Date : 13-03-2024

- Read :-
1. U.O No. 444/2021/academic/KUHS dated 26.03.2021
 2. U.O No. 69/2022/academic/KUHS Dated 07.02.2022
 3. Decision No.77.36 of the Governing Council Meeting Held on 21.12.2023

ORDER

As per clause 2(5)(ii)(v) of amended 5 Chapter XXI of Kerala University of Health Sciences First Statutes, 2013 regarding affiliation of colleges “ *In the case of additional courses and/ or for enhancement of seats, the colleges shall satisfy the condition that 1st batch of the courses in the institution under the same stream shall be passed out and the details of the average of pass percentage of previous regular examinations of all existing batches of the same course at the time of submitting the application and a declaration that the percentage is not below the minimum prescribed by the Governing Council in the Notification issued by the University for the purpose of the addition/enhancement concerned.*”

2. Now, the University is in receipt of Several applications from affiliated colleges whose first batch after previous seat enhancement is yet to be passed out, for further seat enhancement. However, such applications are not considered by the University in accordance with the aforesaid norms. Some of the colleges had filed writ petition challenging denial of seat enhancement and obtained favourable verdict.

3. The Governing Council in its 77th meeting dated 21.12.2023 discussed the matter in detail and following decisions were taken vide paper read (3) above in order to provide clarity to the above clause 2(5)(ii)(v) of affiliation statute and the U.Os read as (1) & (2) above so that the colleges who apply for seat enhancement for the first time and further seat enhancement abide to the norms fixed by the University for seat enhancement.

i. No college shall be eligible to apply for enhancement of seats in a course until the first batch in the said course completes the course and the results of the final examinations are published.

ii. During subsequent request for enhancement after the first batch has passed out, if the number of seats to which affiliation is granted in a college is lesser than the number of seats permitted in the NOC issued by the government and the permission granted by the statutory councils, the college's claim for increase in intake within the number of seats concurred by the government and the statutory council shall not be hit by the regulations for a period of three years from the academic year in which affiliation was granted with such a lesser intake.

4. In the circumstances, in consonance with the GC decision, the following orders are issued:

1. No college shall be eligible to apply for enhancement of seats in a course until the first batch after the commencement of the course shall be passed out, even though the number of seats permitted in the NOC issued by the government and the permission granted by the statutory councils are more than the number of seats to which affiliation is granted by the University.

a) However in cases of further seat enhancement, where a seat enhancement is sanctioned to a College for an intake lesser than the number of seats permitted in the NOC issued by the government and the permission granted by the statutory councils and the same College applies for further enhancement, the college's claim for increase in intake within the number of seats concurred by the government and the statutory councils shall not be hit by the regulations, for a period of three years from the academic year in which affiliation was granted with such a lesser intake. The University shall consider such requests for enhancement upon receiving a fresh application for the same.

Registrar

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