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Memo No.: Reg/0808 Date: 10.07.2025

**45**<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Academic Council (Urgent-AC) was held on **04.07.2025** (Friday) at **3.00** PM in the Board Room (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor) at University Head Quarters, DD – 26, Sector – I, Salt Lake City, Kolkata – 700064.

#### **Members Present:**

- 1. Professor Indrajit Lahiri, Vice-Chancellor and Chairperson.
- 2. Professor Anirban Ghosh, Director (I/C) of School of Professional & Vocational Studies.
- 3. Professor Debi Prosad Nag Chowdhury, Director of School of Education.
- 4. Professor Barnana Guha Thakurta (Banerjee), Director, School of Social Sciences.
- 5. Professor Bibhas Guha, Director, School of Sciences.
- 6. Dr. Srideep Mukherjee, Officer-in-Charge, School of Humanities.
- 7. Dr. Sudeshna Chatterjee (Biswas), Director of Study Centres (Add'l Charge).
- 8. Professor Manan Kumar Mandal, Professor of Bengali, School of Humanities.
- 9. Professor Ritu Mathur Mitra, Professor of History, School of Social Sciences.
- 10. Dr. Anamika Das, Associate Professor of Library and Information Science, School of Professional Studies.
- 11. Dr. Sumana Bandyopadhyay, Assistant Professor of English Language Teaching, School of Humanities.
- 12. Dr. Srabanti Chaudhury, Assistant Professor of Sociology, School of Social Sciences.
- 13. Registrar Member Secretary.
- 14. Shri Siddhartha Biswas, Technical Assistant (Grade-II) Invitee.

#### **Resolution:**

Hon'ble Vice Chancellor (Chairperson) in his introductory remarks, greeted the esteemed members present and with the nod of Registrar (Add'l Charge) requested Joint Registrar (Academic) to proceed with the agenda note.

# 1. To discus and approve the matter relating to UG and PG admission 2025-2026 academic session.

The House has considered the minutes of the Admission Committee (Academic Year 2025-26) vide memo no.: Reg/0686 dated 12.06.2025 and discussed various issues related to UG and PG admission for Academic Year 2025-26. After threadbare discussion the House ratified the minutes of the Admission Committee (vide memo no.: Reg/0686 dated 12.06.2025) and further the following decisions:

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- a. The House resolved that on receipt of approval from UGC DEB, University may conduct admission for the Academic Year 2025-2026 (July 2025 session) onwards in 4-year UG programmes BA in Bengali, BA in English, BA in History, BA in Political Science, BA in Public Administration, BA in Sociology, BA in Economics, BA in Education, Bachelor of Commerce, B.Sc. in Mathematics, B.Sc. in Chemistry, B.Sc. in Botany, B.Sc. in Zoology and B.Sc. in Geography, following the UGC guidelines.
- b. The House resolved that considering the year planner for academic activities relating to UG programmes of Netaji Subhas Open University and other HEIs, the university should conduct admission of PG and BLIS programmes in July session from the Academic Year 2025-2026 onwards as decided in the meeting of the Admission Committee vide memo no.: Reg/0416/2024 dated 15.05.2024. Therefore, University may start admission for PG and BLIS programmes for July 2025 session following the schedule of UGC.

Further, admission in January session would be discontinued until further decision of this Council in this regard.

#### 2.1. Miscellaneous

2.1. To ratify the proceedings of the meeting of the committee constituted against vide Memo No.: Reg/0710 dated 17.06.2025.

The house has ratified the proceedings of the above-mentioned committee. However, the House recommended that the School of Sciences would prepare a detailed guideline for the intending respective applicant(s) in lucid manner maintaining transparency of the procedure.

2.2. To consider implementation of studentship renewal fees for the enrolled learner(s) of BLIS programme.

With the consent of the Chairman and after threadbare deliberation on the issue, the House referred the matter to the Finance Committee. Finance Committee will take up the matter and may approve measures to expedite the necessity for collection of annual studentship renewal fees from those enrolled learner(s) after one year of study.

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Registrar (Add'l Charge)
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- 14. Dr. Premananda Jana, Director, Regional Centre, Kalyani.
- 15. Regional Director, IGNOU, Eastern Region.
- 16. Registrar Member Secretary.
- 17. Guard File

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