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## MINUTES OF THE NEP TASK FORCE MEETING HELD ON 10.06.2025

Second meeting of the NEP-2020 Task Force during academic session 2024-25 was held on June 10, 2025, at 11:00 a.m. in the Conference Hall attached to Department of Computer Science & Engineering (CSE), RGU. The following members were present:

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| 1. <b>Prof. Utpal Bhattacharjee</b> , Director, IQAC                                  | Chairman            |
| 2. <b>Prof. Sarah Hilaly</b> , Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences                       | Member (Ex-officio) |
| 3. <b>Prof. Sanjeev Kumar</b> , Dean, Faculty of Basic Sciences                       | Member (Ex-officio) |
| 4. <b>Prof. Sambhu Prasad</b> , Dean, Faculty of Physical Education & Sports Sciences | Member (Ex-officio) |
| 5. <b>Dr. Sandeep Janghu</b> , Dean i/c, Faculty of Agricultural Sciences             | Member (Ex-officio) |
| 6. <b>Prof. Sumpam Tangjang</b> , Dept. of Botany                                     | Member              |
| 7. <b>Dr. Proshanto Kr. Saha</b> , Head, Dept. of Psychology                          | Member              |
| 8. <b>Dr. Upamanyu Das</b> , Associate Professor, Dept. of Physics                    | Member              |
| 9. <b>Dr. Manoj Kumar</b> , Asst. Prof., Dept of Law                                  | Member              |
| 10. <b>Dr. Nipen Saikia</b> , Head, Department of Mathematics & Nodal Officer, SWAYAM | Invited Member      |
| 11. <b>Dr. Ravi Ranjan Kumar</b> , Asst. Prof., Dept. of Social Work                  | Convener            |

Prof. Hui Tag, Prof. P.K. Acharya, Prof. Anga Padu, Dr. Rajesh Chakrabarty, Dr. N.T. Jose and Dr. T. D. Megeji could not attend the meeting due to their prior engagements.

The Chairman welcomed all members and after confirming the minutes of the previous meeting held on December 19, 2024 briefed them on the meeting's agenda. After a comprehensive discussion, the committee members unanimously resolved the following with regard to each of the following Five (05) agenda items:

| Agenda Serial | Agenda                                                                              | Resolution(s)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
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| I             | <b>NEP enabled Course Curriculums of PhD Programmes of Rajiv Gandhi University:</b> | <p>1.1 It was resolved after listening to opinions from every member that the status quo in terms of existing PhD Syllabi be maintained for the upcoming academic session 2025-26.</p> <p>1.2 It was decided that NEP based PhD syllabi shall be implemented from academic year 2026-27.</p> <p>1.3 It was also resolved that status quo in including credit courses from SWAYAM in PhD Programmes of RGU be maintained for upcoming academic session 2025-26. However,</p> |

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|               |                                                                                       | it will not be binding on Departments willing to add SWAYAM Courses in their existing PhD Curriculums following the due process of syllabus revision(s).                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| II            | <b>Credit Accumulation and Academic Progression Policy:</b>                           | <p>2.1 The members noted that with the implementation of the ABC-NAD system, credits earned by a student are retained in the Academic Bank of Credits (ABC), regardless of the student's promotion status to the next semester.</p> <p>2.2 In light of this, the members recommended certain modifications to the existing academic progression process to align with the provisions of the ABC framework.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A student who fails in any semester, including the first semester, is not required to take re-admission in the same semester. Such students shall be treated as year-back students.</li> <li>• The student shall continue in the programme and will be required to pass only the course(s) in which he/she has failed. Students shall not be required to attend classes for the failed course(s).</li> <li>• The student must appear for the failed course(s) in the regular examination conducted in the corresponding semester of the following academic year.</li> <li>• If the student meets the promotion criteria, he/she shall continue the programme with the next batch.</li> </ul> |
| III           | <b>Draft Policy on SWAYAM and offering Internship to at RGU:</b>                      | <p>3.1 Dr. Nipen Saikia and Dr. Maibam Sanju Meetei, the Nodal Officers of SWAYAM in RGU were entrusted to draft a comprehensive policy on implementation and conduct of assessment process of SWAYAM Courses at RGU in sync with UGC Guidelines issued from time to time. The tasks were expected to be completed before commencement of upcoming academic session.</p> <p>3.2 It was resolved unanimously that Dr. Harunar Rashid, Department of Chemistry and Nodal Officer, University Activity Monitoring Portal (UAMP) will be entrusted to draft the university policy in sync with UGC guidelines on offering Internship for the learners willing to do internship with Departments/Faculty Members of RGU.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| IV            | <b>Status update on Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on Multiple Entry and Exit:</b> | 4.1 It was intimated by the convenor that communication for signing of MoU on multiple entry facility under NEP 2020 was under progress with 11 different academic institutions, as listed below:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |

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| 1             | Tezpur University, Napaam, Assam                                                       | Central University                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |   |                                  |                    |   |                                  |   |                                                      |   |                                     |   |                                     |   |                                                                                        |                   |   |                                                                |   |                                                           |                  |   |                                        |    |                                     |    |                                      |
| 2             | Assam University, Silchar, Assam                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |   |                                  |                    |   |                                  |   |                                                      |   |                                     |   |                                     |   |                                                                                        |                   |   |                                                                |   |                                                           |                  |   |                                        |    |                                     |    |                                      |
| 3             | Nagaland University, Meriema Campus Lumami, Nagaland                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |   |                                  |                    |   |                                  |   |                                                      |   |                                     |   |                                     |   |                                                                                        |                   |   |                                                                |   |                                                           |                  |   |                                        |    |                                     |    |                                      |
| 4             | Manipur University, Imphal, Manipur                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |   |                                  |                    |   |                                  |   |                                                      |   |                                     |   |                                     |   |                                                                                        |                   |   |                                                                |   |                                                           |                  |   |                                        |    |                                     |    |                                      |
| 5             | Mizoram University, Aizawl, Mizoram                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |   |                                  |                    |   |                                  |   |                                                      |   |                                     |   |                                     |   |                                                                                        |                   |   |                                                                |   |                                                           |                  |   |                                        |    |                                     |    |                                      |
| 6             | North Eastern Regional Institute of Science and Technology, Nirjuli, Arunachal Pradesh | Central Institute                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |   |                                  |                    |   |                                  |   |                                                      |   |                                     |   |                                     |   |                                                                                        |                   |   |                                                                |   |                                                           |                  |   |                                        |    |                                     |    |                                      |
| 7             | National Institute of Technology (NIT) Jote, Arunachal Pradesh                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |   |                                  |                    |   |                                  |   |                                                      |   |                                     |   |                                     |   |                                                                                        |                   |   |                                                                |   |                                                           |                  |   |                                        |    |                                     |    |                                      |
| 8             | Arunachal Pradesh University, Pasighat, Arunachal Pradesh                              | State University                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |   |                                  |                    |   |                                  |   |                                                      |   |                                     |   |                                     |   |                                                                                        |                   |   |                                                                |   |                                                           |                  |   |                                        |    |                                     |    |                                      |
| 9             | Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh, Assam                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |   |                                  |                    |   |                                  |   |                                                      |   |                                     |   |                                     |   |                                                                                        |                   |   |                                                                |   |                                                           |                  |   |                                        |    |                                     |    |                                      |
| 10            | Gauhati University, Guwahati, Assam                                                    |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |   |                                  |                    |   |                                  |   |                                                      |   |                                     |   |                                     |   |                                                                                        |                   |   |                                                                |   |                                                           |                  |   |                                        |    |                                     |    |                                      |
| 11            | Madhabdev University, Panbari, Assam                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |   |                                  |                    |   |                                  |   |                                                      |   |                                     |   |                                     |   |                                                                                        |                   |   |                                                                |   |                                                           |                  |   |                                        |    |                                     |    |                                      |
| V             | <b>Status update on engagement of Professor of Practice (PoP):</b>                     | <p>5.1 It was informed that as envisioned in NEP-2020 towards promoting skill-based education, Standard Operating Procedure (SoP) in sync with UGC guidelines for engagement of Professor of Practice at RGU has been approved by Academic Council in its 47<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2024.</p> <p>5.2 It was resolved that expression of interest beginning upcoming academic session 2025-26 may be invited from eligible eminent persons from industry or relevant fields for engagement with RGU as Professor of Practice on mutual agreed terms.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |   |                                  |                    |   |                                  |   |                                                      |   |                                     |   |                                     |   |                                                                                        |                   |   |                                                                |   |                                                           |                  |   |                                        |    |                                     |    |                                      |

Since there was no other item to discuss, the meeting concluded with the vote of thanks from Dr. Ravi Ranjan Kumar, Convenor of the NEP 2020 Task Force.

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10/6/2025

**(Prof. Utpal Bhattacharjee)**  
Director, IQAC & Chairman, NEP Task Force