



RAJIV GANDHI UNIVERSITY
Rono Hills, Doimukh-791112
Arunachal Pradesh

Minutes of the 35th meeting of the Academic Council held on 27.11.2021

The 35th meeting of the Academic Council of Rajiv Gandhi University was held on 27th November, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. in the Smart Theater of CSE Department, RGU in blended mode.

The following members attended the meeting:

01	Prof. Saket Kushwaha , Vice-Chancellor, RGU	Chairman (Ex-Officio)
02	Prof. Amitava Mitra , Pro-Vice-Chancellor, RGU	Member (Ex-Officio)
03	Prof. R.C. Parida , Dean, Fac. of Commerce & Mangmt. & Law, RGU	Member (Ex-Officio)
04	Prof. Oken Lego , Dean, Faculty of Languages, RGU	Member (Ex-Officio)
05	Prof. Nandini C. Singh , Dean, Faculty of Environmental Sc., RGU	Member (Ex-Officio)
06	Prof. Tana Showren , Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, RGU	Member (Ex-Officio)
07	Prof. Sahin Ahmed , Dean, Faculty of Tech. Engineering, RGU	Member (Ex-Officio)
08	Prof. Lhungdim , Dean, Faculty of Education, RGU	Member (Ex-Officio)
09	Prof. SumpamTangjang , Dean, Fac. of Life Sciences & Agri. Sc., RGU	Member (Ex-Officio)
10	Prof. Sanjeev Kumar , Dean, Faculty of Basic Sciences, RGU	Member (Ex-Officio)
11	Prof. Sudhir Kumar Singh , Dean, Academic Affairs, RGU	Member
12	Prof. Sumpam Tangjang , Dept. of Botany, RGU	Member
13	Prof. Sanjeeb Kr. Jena , Dept. of Commerce, RGU	Member
14	Prof. P.K. Acharya , Dept. of Education, RGU	Member
15	Dr. Satish Kumar Kalhotra , Dept. of Education, RGU	Member
16	Dr. Sailajananda Saikia , Dept. of Geography, RGU	Member
17	Dr. Marpe Sora , Dept. of Computer Science& Engineering, RGU	Member
18	Dr. Kangki Megu , Principal, IGGC, Tezu	Member
19	Prof. Ashok Dette , Dean i/c, TRIHMS, Naharlagun	Member
20	Prof. R.C. Parida , Director, IQAC, RGU	Member
21	Prof. Nabam Nakha Hina , Director, CDC, RGU	Member
22	Prof. Jumyir Basar , Director, AITS, RGU	Member
23	Prof. S.K. Chaudhuri , Head, Dept. of Anthropology, RGU	Member
24	Prof. RK. Singh , Head, Dept. of Botany, RGU	Member
25	Dr. Rajesh Chakrabarty , Head, Dept. of Chemistry, RGU	Member
26	Prof. S.K. Jena , Head, Dept. of Commerce, RGU	Member
27	Prof. Utpal Bhattacharjee , Head, Dept. of CSE, RGU	Member
28	Prof. Vandana Upadhyay , Head, Dept. of Economics, RGU	Member
29	Prof. (Mrs.) Kesang Degi , Head, Dept. of Education, RGU	Member
30	Mr. Maibam Sanju Meetei , Head i/c, Dept. of ECE, RGU	Member
31	Prof. Bhagabat Nayak , Head, Dept. of English, RGU	Member
32	Prof. Tomo Riba , Head, Dept. of Geography, RGU	Member
33	Dr. Chandra Sekaran. M , Head i/c, Dept. of Geology, RGU	Member

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34	Prof. Shyam Shankar Singh , Head, Dept. of Hindi, RGU	Member
35	Dr. Topi Basar , Head, Dept. of Law, RGU	Member
36	Dr. Sankar Thappa , Head, Dept. of Management, RGU	Member
37	Mr. Moji Riba , Head i/c, Dept. of Mass Communication, RGU	Member
38	Dr. Nipen Saikia , Head, Dept. of Mathematics, RGU	Member
39	Mr. Punyo Chobin , Head i/c, Dept. of Music, RGU	Member
40	Prof. P.K. Panigrahi , Head, Dept. of National Security Studies, RGU	Member
41	Dr. Tadang Minu , Head i/c, Dept. of Physical Education, RGU	Member
42	Prof. Pradip Kr. Kalita , Head, Dept. of Physics, RGU	Member
43	Prof. Nabam Nakha Hina , Head, Dept. of Political Science, RGU	Member
44	Dr. (Mrs.) D. Lourembam , Head i/c, Dept. of Psychology, RGU	Member
45	Dr. Ravi Ranjan Kumar , Head i/c, Dept. of Social Work, RGU	Member
46	Dr. Shashank Yadav , Head i/c, Dept. of Sociology, RGU	Member
47	Prof. D.N Das , Head, Dept. of Zoology, RGU	Member
48	Dr. Nani Tamang Jose , CoE i/c, RGU	Special Invitee
49	Dr. David Pertin , Jt. Reg. (Acad. & Conf.), RGU	Invitee
50	Dr. Nabam Tadar Rikam , Registrar, RGU	Secretary (Ex-Officio)

At the outset, Prof. Saket Kushwaha, Vice Chancellor and Chairman of the Council extended warm welcome to all the members in the 35th meeting of the Academic Council. Thereafter, the Chairman invited the Dean, Academic Affairs, Prof. S.K. Singh and the Joint Registrar (Academic & Conference) Dr. David Pertin to initiate the meeting. In his opening remark, the Registrar Dr. N.T. Rikam informed the house about the details of issues and academic matters that are being tabled in the meeting. The Pro-Vice-Chancellor Prof. A. Mitra said that it was an important ceremonial meeting of the Academic Council of RGU in the run up to the XIX Convocation scheduled on 30.11.2021.

The following agenda items were then placed before the Council for discussion and consideration;

SL. NO.	THE AGENDA ITEM
AC:35.01:	<p>To confirm the Minutes of the 33rd meeting of the Academic Council held on 08.06.2021. The AC noted that the minutes of the 33rd meeting of the Academic Council were circulated amongst the members. No comments have been received so far. The copy of the minutes of the 33rd meeting of the Academic Council was placed as Annexure-1.</p> <p>The Academic Council approved and ratified the same.</p>
AC:35.02	<p>To confirm the Minutes of the 34th meeting of the Academic Council held on 22.07.2021. The AC noted that the minutes of the 34th meeting of the Academic Council were circulated amongst the members. No comments have been received so far. The copy of the minutes of the 34th meeting of the Academic Council was placed as Annexure-2.</p> <p>The Academic Council approved and ratified the same.</p>

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AC:35.03	<p>To confirm the Action Taken Report (ATR) on the decision of the 33rd meeting of the Academic Council held on 08.06.2021.</p> <p>The Action taken report (ATR) was placed as Annexure-3 for perusal and consideration by the Members of the AC.</p> <p>The Academic Council approved and ratified the same.</p>
AC:35.04	<p>To confirm the Action Taken Report (ATR) on the decision of the 34th meeting of the Academic Council held on 22.07.2021.</p> <p>The Action taken report (ATR) was placed as Annexure-4 for perusal and consideration by the Members of the AC.</p> <p>The Academic Council approved and ratified the same.</p>
AC:35.05	<p>To consider for approval of Gold Medal and Degrees (UG, PG, M.Phil. & Ph.D) to be given away to the students/scholars during the XIX convocation to be held on 30 November, 2021.</p> <p>The Academic Council perused the list at Annexure-5.</p> <p>The AC after perusal recommended the item to the Executive Council for approval. The AC however, decided that Gold Medal Awarding SOP should be formulated. Only one gold medal should be awarded in one programme/subject. Further, an interim committee headed by PVC was constituted with all Deans, Director, IQAC, Director, CDC, DSW and CoE as members to decide on the current cases of double Gold Medal Awardees and submit the report immediately.</p>
AC:35.06	<p>1. Approval of CBCS syllabus of Various Courses of IDE, RGU.</p> <p>The CBCS syllabus of IDE RGU for BA and MA courses were prepared and approved by the various Boards of Studies and were presented before the Board of Management of IDE alongwith a proposal to adopt 8 Open Elective Papers from the IGNOU syllabus. The board approved the syllabus and recommended the same to the Academic Council for approval.</p> <p>The AC approved the same.</p> <p>2. Request for establishment of New Study Centres.</p> <p>The AC was informed that two requests have been received from Government Model College, Basar and Kastruba Gandhi Institute of Higher Education, Roing managements to open study centres at their respective Colleges. The recommendation of the Board of Management of IDE was placed as Annexure-6.</p> <p>The Academic Council approved the same.</p>
AC:35.07	<p>To approve the Syllabus prepared by various boards (PG & UG) for the following courses.</p> <p>The following syllabuses prepared by various Boards of studies were placed before the AC;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Syllabus for M.Sc. in Statistics (Post graduation).2. Syllabus for LL.M (Post graduation).3. Syllabus for M.A. in Sports Psychology (Post graduation).4. Syllabus for M.Sc. in Sports Biomechanics (Post graduation).5. Syllabus for M.Sc. in Sports Physiology (Post graduation)6. Syllabus for Political Science (Under graduation).



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	<p>7. Marking pattern of non-credit and remedial courses for BSc. And MSc. Agriculture based on ICAR guidelines. The syllabuses were placed as Annexure-7.</p> <p>The Academic Council perused and approved the same for implementation.</p>
AC:35.08	<p>Regarding issues of grant renewal of temporary affiliation to the affiliated Colleges under Rajiv Gandhi University.</p> <p>As per Academic Council's 33rd meeting decision under item No. AC:33:08 to AC:33:15, a committee was constituted under chairmanship of Prof. Nabam Nakha Hina, to review the issues of granting renewal of temporary affiliation to the affiliated colleges. The committee had a meeting on 21 Sept.2021 and submitted the report. The same was placed as Annexure-8.</p> <p>The Academic Council accepted the same with modifications.</p> <p>In case of increase of seats in the colleges, the proposal must first come to University for approval in AC for which a committee will be formed. There should be joint meeting between the Govt. college functionaries and the RGU authority for such issues from time to time.</p>
AC:35.09	<p>For the approval to start Education subject at St. Francis De Sales College, Aalo, Arunachal Pradesh.</p> <p>The AC noted that the Principal, St. Francis De Sales College, Aalo, Arunachal Pradesh, had submitted an application for offering Education Subject in BA programme. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. P.K. Acharya. The Inspection team visited the college on 06 October, 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the start of Education subject at the St. Francis De Sales College, Aalo, Arunachal Pradesh. The report was placed as Annexure-09.</p> <p>The Academic Council perused and approved the same.</p>
AC:35.10	<p>For the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Mahabodhi Lord Buddha College, Namsai, Arunachal Pradesh.</p> <p>The AC noted that the Principal, Mahabodhi Lord Buddha College, Namsai, Arunachal Pradesh, had submitted an application for renewal of Temporary Affiliation. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. P.K. Acharya. The Inspection team visited the college on 10 September, 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the renewal of Temporary Affiliation to the, Mahabodhi Lord Buddha College, Namsai, Arunachal Pradesh. The report was placed as Annexure-10.</p> <p>The AC approved the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Mahabodhi Lord Buddha College, Namsai, Arunachal Pradesh.</p>
AC:35.11	<p>For the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Kastruba Gandhi Institute of Higher Education (B.Ed), Kebali, Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh.</p> <p>The AC noted that the Principal, Kasturba Gandhi Institute of Higher Education (B.Ed), Kebali, Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh, has submitted an application</p>



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	<p>for renewal of Temporary Affiliation. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. T. Lhungdim. The Inspection team visited the college on 11 September, 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the renewal of Temporary Affiliation to the, Kastruba Gandhi Institute of Higher Education (B.Ed), Kebali, Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh. The report was placed as Annexure-11.</p> <p>The AC approved the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Kastruba Gandhi Institute of Higher Education (B.Ed), Kebali, Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh.</p>
AC:35.12	<p>For the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Jomin Tayeng Govt. Model Degree College, Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh.</p> <p>The AC noted that the Principal, Jomin Tayeng Govt. Model Degree College, Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh, has submitted an application for renewal of Temporary Affiliation. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. P.K. Acharya. The Inspection team visited the college on 11 September, 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the renewal of Temporary Affiliation to the, Jomin Tayeng Govt. Model Degree College, Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh. The report was placed as Annexure-12.</p> <p>The AC approved the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Jomin Tayeng Govt. Model Degree College, Roing, Lower Dibang Valley District, Arunachal Pradesh</p>
AC:35.13	<p>For the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Govt. Model Degree College, Palin, Arunachal Pradesh.</p> <p>The AC noted that the Principal, Govt. Model Degree college, Palin, Arunachal Pradesh, has submitted an application for renewal of Temporary Affiliation. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. Santanu K Patnaik. The Inspection team visited the college on 17 November, 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the renewal of Temporary Affiliation to the, Govt. Model Degree college, Palin, Arunachal Pradesh. The report was placed as Annexure-13.</p> <p>The AC approved the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Govt. Model Degree College, Palin, Arunachal Pradesh. . A letter may be written to Government for appointment of non-teaching staffs.</p>
AC:35.14	<p>For the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Dorjee Khandu Govt. College, Tawang, Arunachal Pradesh.</p> <p>The AC noted that the Principal, Dorjee Khandu Govt. College, Tawang, Arunachal Pradesh, has submitted an application for renewal of Temporary Affiliation. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. Oken Lego. The Inspection team visited the college on 13 November' 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the renewal of Temporary Affiliation to the Dorjee Khandu Govt. College, Tawang, Arunachal Pradesh. The report was placed as Annexure-14.</p> <p>The AC approved the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Dorjee Khandu Govt. College, Tawang, Arunachal Pradesh. A letter may be written to Government for appointment of non-teaching staffs.</p>

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AC:35.15	<p>For the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Govt. Model College, Basar, Arunachal Pradesh.</p> <p>The AC noted that the Principal, Govt. Model College, Basar, Arunachal Pradesh, has submitted an application for renewal of Temporary Affiliation. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. P.K. Panigrahi. The Inspection team visited the college on 22 November' 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the renewal of Temporary Affiliation to the, Govt. Model College, Basar, Arunachal Pradesh. The report was placed as Annexure-15.</p> <p>The AC approved the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Govt. Model College, Basar, Arunachal Pradesh.</p>
AC:35.16	<p>For the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Venerable Utkata Bethany College, Manmao, Namsai, Arunachal Pradesh.</p> <p>The AC noted that the Principal, Venerable Utkata Bethany, College, Namsai, Arunachal Pradesh, has submitted an application for renewal of Temporary Affiliation. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. P.K. Acharya. The Inspection team visited the college on 10 September' 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the renewal of Temporary Affiliation to the Venerable Utkata Bethany, College, Namsai, Arunachal Pradesh. The report was placed as Annexure-16.</p> <p>The AC approved the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Venerable Utkata Bethany College, Manmao, Namsai, Arunachal Pradesh.</p>
AC:35.17	<p>For the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Denning College for Teacher Education, Tezu, Arunachal Pradesh.</p> <p>The AC noted that the Principal, Denning College for Teacher Education, Tezu, Arunachal Pradesh, has submitted an application for renewal of Temporary Affiliation. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. Nabam Nakha Hina. The Inspection team visited the college on 23 November' 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the renewal of Temporary Affiliation to the Denning College for Teacher Education, Tezu, Arunachal Pradesh. The report was placed as Annexure-17.</p> <p>The AC approved the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Denning College for Teacher Education, Tezu, Arunachal Pradesh.</p>
AC:35.18	<p>For the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Zion Nursing College, Nirjuli, Arunachal Pradesh.</p> <p>The AC noted that the Principal, Zion Nursing College, Nirjuli, Arunachal Pradesh has submitted an application for renewal of Temporary Affiliation. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. D.N. Das. The Inspection team visited the college on 08 November, 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the renewal of Temporary Affiliation to the, Zion Nursing College, Nirjuli, Arunachal Pradesh. The report may be seen as Annexure-18.</p> <p>The AC approved the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Zion Nursing College, Nirjuli, Arunachal Pradesh.</p>
AC:35.19	<p>For the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to North-East Nursing College of Health Science, Nirjuli, Arunachal Pradesh.</p> <p>The AC noted that the Principal, North-East Nursing College of Health Science, Nirjuli, Arunachal Pradesh, has submitted an application for renewal of Temporary Affiliation.</p>

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	<p>Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. D.N. Das. The Inspection team visited the college on 08 November, 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the renewal of Temporary Affiliation to the, North-East Nursing College of Health Science, Nirjuli, Arunachal Pradesh. The report was placed as Annexure-19. The AC approved the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to North-East Nursing College of Health Science, Nirjuli, Arunachal Pradesh.</p>
AC:35.20	<p>For the grant of Permanent affiliation to Siang Royal Academy, Mirbuk (Pekung), Pasighat, East Siang, Arunachal Pradesh. The AC noted that the Principal, Siang Royal Academy, Mirbuk (Pekung), Pasighat, East Siang, Arunachal Pradesh, has submitted an application for the grant of Permanent Affiliation. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. T. Lhungdim. The Inspection team visited the college on 02 November, 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report. The report was placed as Annexure-20. The AC after critical perusal of the report and by considering all the facts and circumstances as reported upon has decided not to grant permanent affiliation to Siang Royal Academy. Based on the report, the house however has considered for the grant of renewal of temporary affiliation instead of permanent affiliation for the current academic session.</p>
AC:35.21	<p>To ratify the decision of the RB recognizing the following as PhD Supervisors. The Academic Council noted that the 43rd Research Board of RGU while following the UGC Regulations has approved the recognition of the under mentioned faculty members as Ph.D Supervisor, vide item No. RB:43:D, and recommended the proposal to Academic Council for ratification;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Dr. Arun Kumar Pandey, Dept. of Hindi 2. Dr. Atege Linggi, Dept of Commerce <p>The Academic Council approved the same.</p>
AC:35.22	<p>To ratify the decision of the RB recognizing the following as Ph.D Co-Supervisors. The Academic Council noted that the 43rd Research Board of RGU while following the UGC Regulations has approved the recognition of the under mentioned faculty members as Ph.D Co-Supervisors vide item No. RB:43:E, and recommended the proposal to Academic Council for approval;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Prof. Nani Bath of Political Science Dept of RGU to act as a Co-Supervisor in AITS, RGU. 2. Dr. Yana Bagbi, Asstt. Prof., JNC, Pasighat to act as a Co-Supervisor in Dept. of Physics, RGU 3. Dr. S. Jayanthi, Asstt. Prof., JNC, Pasighat, to act as a Co-Supervisor in Dept. of Physics. <p>The Academic Council approved the same.</p>
AC:35.23	<p>Any other items, with the permission of the Chair.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. On the implementation National Education policy. The AC was informed that, following the directive from MoE and UGC, the University is all set to implement the National Education Policy, 2020. For the same a task force also has been constituted. During the course of discussion a ppt on the NEP was presented by Prof. A Mitra, PVC and Prof. S.K. Jena, HoD Commerce before the house. In principle, the house noted and approved the adoption and implementation of NEP-2020.



2. Regarding CA/CS/ICWA qualification to be treated equivalent to PG Degree.
The AC after a threadbare decided to treat CA/CS/ICWA qualification equivalent to PG Degree.

3. For the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Namdapha Degree College, Miao, Changlang District, Arunachal Pradesh.

The AC noted that the Principal, Namdapha Degree College, Miao, Changlang District, Arunachal Pradesh, has submitted an application for temporary Affiliation. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. Sumpam Tangjang. The Inspection team visited the college on 03 November, 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the renewal of Temporary Affiliation to the Namdapha Degree College, Miao, Changlang District, Arunachal Pradesh.

The report was placed as **Annexure-20**.

The AC approved the grant of renewal of Temporary affiliation to Namdapha Degree College, Miao, Changlang District, Arunachal Pradesh.

4. For the grant of renewal of temporary affiliation to Tadar Tanyang Govt. College Nyapin, Arunachal Pradesh.

The AC noted that the Principal, Tadar Tanyang Govt. College Nyapin, Arunachal Pradesh, has submitted an application for Permanent Affiliation. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. Oken Lego. The Inspection team visited the college recently, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the renewal of Temporary Affiliation to the Tadar Tanyang Govt. College Nyapin, Arunachal Pradesh. The report was placed as **Annexure-21**.

The Ac approved the grant of renewal of temporary affiliation to Tadar Tanyang Govt. College Nyapin, Arunachal Pradesh.

5. For the grant of renewal of temporary affiliation to Arunachal Community College, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh.

The AC noted that the Principal, Arunachal Community College, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh, has submitted an application for Permanent Affiliation. Accordingly, an Inspection Committee was constituted for Physical Inspection of the college under the Chairmanship of Prof. Tana Showren. The Inspection team visited the college on 24 November, 2021, for verification and the committee submitted its report with recommendation for the withdrawal of Temporary Affiliation granted to the Arunachal Community College, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh.

The report was placed as **Annexure-22**.

The house critically went through the report and was convinced that the said college is not fulfilling the required parameters, and unanimously decided to put the affiliation of the college under suspension and further decided that the college stops further taking admissions till further order.

6. To decide on CUCET.

The RGU Authorities had a virtual meeting with MoE officials and Professor Tiwari's



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committee recently and decided to form a committee to look into the interest of the local domiciles of the state for admission to different courses in RGU after bringing itself under the realm of CUCET.

The house noted the same and decided to be a part of it with certain preconditions to be determined upon to safeguard the interest of the domicile students of the state and the graduates for affiliated colleges of RGU.

- 7. To discuss on the implementation of extension of date of applicability of PhD as mandatory qualification for direct recruitment of Assistant Professor from 01.07.2021 to 01.07.2023.**

The AC noted that a letter received from MoE vide letter No.F.NO.3-3/2021-CU.CDN, dated 29.10.2021, stating that Ph.D is still not compulsory for being appointed as a faculty for certain period. The AC further noted that, the competent authority of the University has decided to implement the extension of date of applicability of PhD as mandatory qualification for direct recruitment of Assistant Professor from 01.07.2021 to 01.07.2023. The UGC letter on this was placed as **Annexure-23**.

The house noted the same and recommended that the same be placed in the 42nd meeting of Executive Council scheduled on 29.11.2021 for ratification.

- 8. To discuss on the case of forgery registered against the Teacher's Training College (BEd.), Aalo:**

The report submitted by the Prof. Tana Showren committee was presented before the house. **The members deliberated and accepted the same. The house however authorized the Vice-Chancellor to get legal opinion.**

AC:35.24

Reporting item: On XIX Convocation-2021.

The AC noted that, RGU continuing with its one of the best practices of conducting the convocations regularly on a fixed date since near about a decade is all set to conduct its XIX Convocation on 30 Nov., 2021. The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh and the Chief Rector of RGU, Brig. (Dr.) B. D. Mishra (Retd.) shall deliver the presidential address, while *Padmashri Prof. Jagmohan Singh Rajput, former Director, NCERT* shall attend and deliver the Convocation Address as the Chief Guest. Er. Taba Tedir, Hon'ble Minister of Education, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh will be the Guest of Honour. Prof. Saket Kushwaha, the Vice-Chancellor shall be on Chancellor's duty in latter's absence and shall be admitting and awarding the graduating students with degrees.

The degrees shall be conferred to these many graduates as mentioned below;

Sl. No.	Programme	No. of graduating students	Sl. No.	Programme	No. of graduating students
1	PhD	33	15	BA (Major)	3756
2	M.Phil	06	16	BEd.(Spl.)	6
3	MA (Regular)	528	17	B.Ed.	1026
4	MA (IDE)	131	18	B.PEd.	45
5	M.Com.	43	19	BCA	19



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6	MEd.	25	20	BSc. (Geol.)	8
7	MSc.	135	21	BA(SW)	11
8	MTech. (CSE)	6	22	BFA	12
9	MTech. (ECE)	2	23	BA (IDE)	790
10	MBA	29	24	B.MUS.	16
11	MCA	14	25	BSc.(Major)	349
12	BALLB	26	26	BCom.(Major)	449
13	LLB	110	27	BA (Mass Com.)	10
14	BSc. (Nursing)	30	28	BHMS	49
Total graduates in the academic session 2020-21 stands at 7,664					

The AC further noted that, a total of 7,664 students graduated in the academic session 2020-21 and shall be conferred with their degrees during the XIX Convocation. Of which 33 with PhD, 6 MPhil, and 913 post graduation and 6,712 undergraduate degrees. A total of 31 toppers in Post Graduation and 29 toppers in Under Graduation in various programmes will be awarded with Gold Medals. The topper among the post graduates will be awarded with Chancellor's Gold Medal while the topper of among the under graduates will be awarded with the Vice-Chancellor's Gold Medal. They will receive the medals and certificates in person during the Convocation's award ceremony. Besides, RGU also produced 105 Post Graduate Diplomas and scores of Diploma and Certificate holders in various fields.

The AC further expressed satisfaction that the varsity is not keeping any stone unturned to make the XIX Convocation a glorious event as always. A 11 member steering committee headed by the Vice-Chancellor and 15 sub-committees with equal number of Convenors and significant number of members comprising of both teaching and non-teaching fraternities were constituted for smooth conduct of the prestigious event.

The AC recommended that the above report be placed before the EC.

As there was no other item for discussion, the meeting came to an end with proposal of vote of thanks from the Registrar cum Ex-Officio Secretary of the Academic Council.



(Dr. N.T. Rikam)
Registrar