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GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
(C. S. BRANCH)
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OFFICE OF THE VICE CHANCELLOR
12 MAY 2015
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Letter No.
UNIVERSITY OF WEST BENGAL
Date: 21.04.2015

Meeting Sec
To itemize for
syndicate - 18/05/15
No. 365-Edn (CS)/OM-9L/2015

CIRCULAR

Subject: Implementation of the West Bengal State Higher Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission), Act, 2013 and the West Bengal State Higher Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission) Rules, 2014

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 9 of the West Bengal State Higher Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission), Act, 2013, all the State Higher Educational Institutions coming under the purview of the aforesaid Act and the Rules are hereby advised that they shall continue to take steps in implementing the provisions of the Act and the Rules so that reservation of seats in all categories is continued for the academic session 2015-16 as specified in the Act and the Rules, i.e. by increasing the number of seats, within the available infrastructure, and without curtailing the number of un-reserved seats of the institution.

During allocation of seats to each reserved category as defined under the Act, it shall be kept in mind by every institution that the percentage of reservation applicable to each reserved category (SC-22%, ST-6%) under the Act, shall be in commensurate with the total number of seats being increased in each course/faculty. For OBC-A (10%) and OBC-B (7%) seats, implementation will be done over a six year period and the exercise has already commenced from the Academic year 2014-15. All institutions are accordingly advised to continue to increase seats in each subject/ Department/ Course/ Stream suitably, and to the extent practicable, so that the required increase of overall 17 % seats can be achieved within the Academic Year 2020-21. New State-aided institutions being set up shall endeavour to achieve the specified reservation of seats for SC's (22%), ST's (6%) and OBC's (10%+7%) at one go and not incrementally. All institutions shall take caution, while de-reserving the reserved category seats in the event of non availability of respective reserved category candidates, as per the due process prescribed in the Rules, and under guidance of respective Reservation Commissioners. All other instructions, given previously in this regard, shall be complied with *mutatis mutandis*.

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Syndicate of
18/5/15

SD/- M. Ray
Additional Secretary

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

1. The Vice Chancellor, Calcutta University,
2. The Secretary, Agriculture Department,
3. The Secretary, Animal Resources Development Department,
4. The Principal Secretary, Health & Family Welfare Department,
5. The Secretary, Backward Classes Welfare Department,
6. The Vice Chairman, West Bengal State Council for Higher Education,
7. The Director of Public Instruction with request to circulate to all Government and Govt. aided College for taking necessary action by them,
8. The Director of Technical Education with request to circulate to all Government and Govt. aided College for taking necessary action by them,
9. The Chairman, West Bengal Joint Entrance Examinations Board,
10. The Vice Chairman, West Bengal State Council of Higher Education,
11. The Registrar, _____ University,
12. The Inspector of Colleges, _____ University.


Additional Secretary

Confirmed by the Syndicate dated 07.10.2015 (Item No. 01)

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(1st copy to be retained by the Department)

Syndicate, Calcutta University dated 22nd September, 2015.

Item No. 08	Short resolution of the Syndicate	Action taken and remarks, if any
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To place before the Syndicate the following letter No. 365)-End(CS)/OM-9L/2015 dt. 21.04.2015 from Additional Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Higher Education Department, Kolkata, regarding Implementation of the West Bengal State Higher Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission), Act, 2013 and the West Bengal State Higher Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission) Rules, 2014 :

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Note from the office of the Registrar :

The matter was placed before the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor on 15.05.2015 when he had been pleased to order for placing the matter before the Syndicate.

(Relevant paper kept in the file)

Resolved : That the contents received under letter No. 365)-End(CS)/OM-9L/2015 dt. 21.04.2015 from Additional Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Higher Education Department, Kolkata, regarding Implementation of the West Bengal State Higher Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission), Act, 2013 and the West Bengal State Higher Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission) Rules, 2014, be noted for implementation in this University as also the same be uploaded in the University website.

To
The Librarian,
C.U.

Please take necessary action immediately as per above resolution of the Syndicate with due intimation to the undersigned in the 2nd Copy attached for the purpose.

Copy to:-
1) The Inspector of colleges, C.U.
2) Asstt. Secretary UCAC, C.U.
3) Secretary, UCSTA, C.U.

&


Prof.(Dr.) Soma Bandyopadhyay
Registrar(Acting)

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(2nd copy to be retained to the Registrar)

Syndicate, Calcutta University dated 22nd September, 2015.

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Signature with Designation
of the Reporting Officer.