



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Higher Education Department - Norms / Guidelines relating to Equivalency /Recognition of Academic Programmes or Areas of Studies and Nomenclature and Degrees of Other Universities - Revised - Orders Issued.

HIGHER EDUCATION (B) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.75/2023/HEDN Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 22-02-2023

Read:- 1) G.O.(Ms)No.272/2018/HEDN dated 13.11.2018.

2) Letter No. KSHEC-A7/719/MS/Drct/2022 dated 06.12.2022 from the Member Secretary, Kerala State Higher Education Council.

ORDER

As per the Government Order read above, Government have approved Norms/Guidelines Relating to Equivalency/recognition of Academic Programmes or Areas of Studies and Nomenclature and Degree of Other Universities.

2. The Kerala State Higher Education Council (KSHEC) vide its letter read as 2nd paper above, suggested Government to incorporate the name of Indian Institute of Information Technologies (IIITs) and various other Institutions of National Importance (INIs) in the Government Order read above with a view to avoid the hardship faced by students in obtaining equivalency/ recognition of programs studied at such institutions.

3. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to revise the Norms/Guidelines mentioned in G.O.(Ms.) No.272/2018/ HEDN, dated 13/11/2018, by incorporating the name of Indian Institute of Information Technologies (IIITs) and other Institutions of National Importance (INIs) not included in the G.O.

4. The Government Order read above stands modified to the above extent.

(By order of the Governor)

ANILKUMAR V.S

ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To:

1. The Member Secretary, Kerala State Higher Education Council.
2. The Registrar, Kerala / M.G. / Calicut / Kannur / CUSAT / Thunchath Ezhuthachan Malayalam/ SSUS / NUALS / APJ Abdul Kalam Technological - Universities.
3. The Principal Accountant General (Audit /A & F), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
4. Stock file / Office copy. (B2/209/2018/HEDN)

5. www.highereducation.kerala.gov.in

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1. P.S. to Hon'ble Minister for Higher Education.
2. PA to Principal Secretary, Higher Education Department.
3. CA to Additional Secretary, Higher Education (B) Department.



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Higher Education Department- Norms/Guidelines Relating to Equivalency/Recognition of academic Programmes or Areas of Studies and Nomenclature and Degrees of Other Universities - Approved - orders issued -

HIGHER EDUCATION (B) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Ms)No.272/2018/HEDN Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 13/11/2018

Read 1 *Letter No. KSHEC-A7/302/MS-Dret../2018 (3) dated 26.07.2018 from the Member Secretary, Kerala State Higher Education Council.*

ORDER

Kerala State Higher Education Council (KSHEC) vide letter read above has forwarded the Norms/Guidelines relating to Equivalency /Recognition of Academic Programmes or Areas of Studies and Nomenclature and Degree of Other Universities .

Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to approve the following Norms/Guidelines Relating to Equivalency/recongnition of Academic Programmes or Areas of Studies and Nomenclature and Degree of Other Universities.

NORMS / GUIDELINES

1. All universities, higher educational institutions (HEIs), agencies and employers shall recognize the degrees awarded by national institutes like Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs), Indian Institute of Science (IISc), National Institutes of Technology (NITs), Indian Institutes of Science Education and Research (IISERs), and other national level stand-alone institutions funded by Government.
2. All universities/HEIs/employers in the state shall recognize the BS/MS degrees of IISERs, IISc, State/Central Universities, and other HEIs funded by the Government.
3. No equivalency/recognition shall be insisted upon for degrees obtained from National Institutes like Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs), Indian Institute of Science (IISc), National Institutes of Technology (NITs), Indian Institutes of Science Education and Research (IISERs) or other institutions recognized by University Grants Commission (UGC).
4. There shall be reciprocal recognition of degrees awarded by the Indian Universities/other HEIs as listed out and updated by the University Grants Commission.
5. Universities/HEIs/Employment Agencies/Employers in the State shall follow the nomenclature of degrees prepared and listed by the UGC.
6. Universities/HEIs/Employment Agencies/Employers shall follow the conditions, policies and procedure stipulated by Association of Indian Universities (AIU) for according

- recognition/equivalence of qualification / Degrees awarded by Foreign Universities.
7. Universities/HEIs/Employment Agencies/Employers shall approve/ recognize Degrees acquired through Open and Distance Learning complying with the latest University Grants Commission Open and Distance Learning Regulations.
 8. Equivalency/Recognition of Degrees acquired through Open and Distance Learning before the promulgation of the UGC Open and Distance Learning Regulations, 2017 shall be decided by the university concerned.
 9. Universities/HEIs/Employment Agencies/Employers shall approve/ recognize Degrees awarded by Private Universities with the recognition/approval of the UGC, and which comply with the relevant UGC norms/regulations as amended from time to time.

(By order of the Governor)
M. G RANJITH KUMAR
ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To:

The Member Secretary, Kerala State Higher Education Council

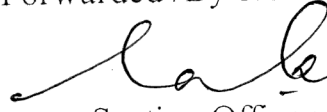
The Registrar,

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