MINUTES

OF 22nd SENATE

MEETING



NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY KURUKSHETRA

HELD ON: 10th April, 2013

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Minutes of the 22nd meeting of the Senate of National Institute of Technology, Kurukshetra held on 10th April, 2013 at 3:00 p.m. in the Senate Hall of the Institute.

The following were present:

 Prof. Anand Mohan Director NIT, Kurukshetra Chairman

 Prof. (Ms.) Shashikala Achyut Gangal ISRO Chair Professor Department of Electronics Science University of Pune, Pune-411 007 Member

Prof. Rajendra Rai
 Head of the Department
 Department of Economics
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Prof. V. K. Arora
 Professor & Dean (P&D)
 Civil Engineering Department
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 Prof. V. K. Sehgal Professor & Dean (Faculty Welfare) Civil Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra Member

Prof. S. K. Sharma
 Professor & Dean (Students' Welfare)
 Mechanical Engineering Department
 NIT, Kurukshetra

Member

Prof. A.K. Gupta
 Professor & Dean (Academic)
 Electronics & Comm. Engg. Department
 NIT, Kurukshetra

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Member 8. Prof. A. Swarup Professor & Dean (Research & Consultancy) Electrical Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra 9. Prof. Brahmjit Singh Member Professor Electronics & Comm. Engg. Department NIT, Kurukshetra Member 10. Prof. (Ms.) Minati Baral Professor & Head Chemistry Department NIT, Kurukshetra 11. Prof. D. K. Soni Member Professor & Head Civil Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra 12. Prof. N. K. Gupta Member Professor Civil Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra Member 13 Prof. S. S. Rattan Professor Mechanical Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra Member 14. Prof. K. S. Sandhu Professor Electrical Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra Member 15. Prof. Sudhir Kumar Professor & Head Mechanical Engineering Department NIT Kurukshetra Member 16. Prof. Baldev Setia Professor Civil Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra Member 17. Prof. Rajender Kumar Professor & Head Department of Humanities & Social Sciences

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Member 18 Prof. H. K. Sharma Professor Civil Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra Member 19. Prof. (Ms.) Lillie Dewan Professor & Head Electrical Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra Member 20. Prof. S. N. Sachdeva Professor Civil Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra Member 21. Prof. Dixit Garg Professor Mechanical Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra Member 22. Prof. P. J. Philip Professor Department of Humanities & Social Sciences NIT. Kurukshetra Member 23. Prof. J. K. Quamara Professor & Head Physics Department NIT, Kurukshetra Member 24. Prof. Surjit Angra Professor Mechanical Engineering Department NIT Kurukshetra Member 25 Prof. R. S. Bhatia Professor Electrical Engineering Department NIT Kurukshetra Member 26. Prof. G. L. Pahuja

Professor

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| 27. Prof. K. K. Singh Professor & Dean (Estate & Con.) Civil Engineering Department | Member |
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| 28. Prof. Subodh Ranjan Professor Civil Engineering Department NIT Kurukshetra | Member |
| 29. Prof. (Ms.) Ratna Dahiya Professor Electrical Engineering Department NIT Kurukshetra | Member |
| 30. Prof. Anupam Mittal Professor Civil Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra | Member |
| 31. Prof. Dinesh Khanduja Professor Mechanical Engineering Department NIT Kurukshetra | Member |
| 32. Prof. R.K. Sharma Professor Electronics & Comm. Engineering Department NIT Kurukshetra | Member |
| 33. Prof. O.P Sahu Professor & Head Electronics & Comm. Engg. Department NIT, Kurukshetra | Member |
| 34. Prof. S. M. Gupta Professor. & COE Civil Engineering Department NIT Kurukshetra | Member |
| 35. Prof. Arun Goel Professor Civil Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra | Member |
| 36. Prof. Dinesh Kumar Professor Chemistry Department NIT, Kurukshetra | Member |

37. Prof. D.P. Singh Professor Chemistry Department NIT, Kurukshetra

Member

38. Prof. P.C. Tiwari Professor. Mechanical Engineering Department NIT Kurukshetra

Member

39. Prof. L.M. Saini
Professor. & Prof. I/C (Academics & Senate Affairs)
Electrical Engineering Department
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40. Prof. Hari Singh
Professor.
Mechanical Engineering Department
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Member

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41, Prof. S.K. Patidar
Professor
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42. Prof. Ashwani Jain
Professor
Civil Engineering Department
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Member

43: Dr. Jitender Chhabra Associate Professor & Head Computer Engineering Department NIT, Kurukshetra Special Invitee

44. Dr. Paras Ram
Associate Professor & Head
Mathematics Department
NIT, Kurukshetra

Special Invitee

45. Sh. G.R. Samantray Registrar/I/C NIT, Kurukshetra Secretary, Senate

The following members could not attend the meeting

- Prof. Chandra Shekhar
 Director
 Central Electronics Engg. Research Institute (CEERI)
 Pilani (Raj.)
- Prof. S. K. Madan
 Professor
 Civil Engineering Department
 NIT, Kurukshetra

Member

The Director and Chairman, Senate welcomed the two external members and other members of the Senate present in the meeting. He conveyed his gratefulness and thanks to all the Senators to make the 10th Convocation a grand success. He told that it has now become a history for the Institute as the Hon'ble President of India graced the Convocation and blessed all of us with his kind words and encouraged to take this Institution to newer heights. He expressed his sincere thanks and gratitude to all the Chiefs, Conveners, Members, entire faculty, officers, office bearers and entire staff of the Institute for their meticulous cooperation, tireless efforts for the successful organization of 10th Convocation.

With the above opening remarks the Senate started deliberations on the agenda of the meeting.

22.1 To confirm the minutes of the 21st meeting of the Senate held on 21.02.2013.

It was observed that the Senate has approved the proposal in toto for payment of remuneration to faculty and non-faculty members for examination work.

The Senate approved the minutes of the 21st meeting of the Senate held on 21.02.2013 with the above observation.

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22.2 To consider and approve modified prospectus for Ph. D. program

The Senate deliberated on this item in detail and a number of suggestions were received from the members including the external members. Therefore it was decided to constitute the following committee to consider the various suggestions and points raised by the Senators:-

| i) | Prof. A. K. Gupta, Dean (Acad.) | Chairman |
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| ii) | Prof. A. Swarup, Dean (R&C) | Member |
| iii) | Prof. Brahamjit Singh | Member |
| iv) | Prof. S. N. Sachdeva | Member |
| v) | Prof. Dinesh Khanduja | Member |
| vi) | Prof. Ashwani Jain | Member |
| vii) | Prof. J. K. Chhabra | Member |

The above committee will submit its report to the Director by the end of this month. The said report will be placed before the SCSA and after the approval of SCSA the same will be noted by the Senate in its next meeting.

22.3 To consider grant of mercy chance to re-appear in the end semester examinations of B.Tech., M. Tech., M.B.A. and MCA after the expiry of maximum duration of the course.

In view of the Celebrations of the 'Golden Jubilee Year' by the Institute, the Senate decided as under:-

- Approved the proposal of granting mercy chance to appear in theory / practical / sessional exams to the students who could not pass their degree in the maximum duration of the course.
- All the students who-so-ever is entitled to get degree from NIT,
 Kurukshetra will be eligible to get the mercy chance.
- iii) The Dean (Acad.) will identify all such students and get the approval of the Director.
- iv) Academic Section will inform all the students the decision of the Senate through Speed Post and e-mail with a copy to their parents.

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v) If need be the Controller of Examination may conduct a special supplementary exam for such students in September, 2013

22.4 Any other item

Under any other item, the matter of holding the practical exams before the theory papers was raised by Prof. (Mrs.) Lillie Dewan, HOD, Electrical Engineering Department. The matter was discussed and decided as under:-

The Senate decided that this time the practical exams will be organized as per the prevailing practice. However, the practical exams from next academic session 2013-14 will be organized before the theory examinations. The Dean (Academic) will prepare the Academic Calendar accordingly.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

(G. R. Samantaray) 170413 Registrar I/C & Secretary, Senate NIT, Kurukshetra