

Government of Jammu and Kashmir
Civil Sectt. Higher Education Department

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Subject:- Constitution of J&K State Advisory Council for Higher Education Department.

Government Order No:- 363 -HE of 2010

Dated :- 11 - 10- 2010

Sanction is hereby accorded to the Constitution of J&K State Advisory Council for Higher Education Department for evolving an effective education policy and to prepare consolidated programmes. The composition of the Advisory Council is as under:-

1	Hon'ble Chief Minister	Chairman
2	Hon'ble Minister for Higher Education	Vice-Chairman
3	Hon'ble Minister of State for Higher Education	Member
4	Administrative Secretary, Higher Education Department	Member- Secretary
5	Vice Chancellor, Kashmir University	Member
6	Vice Chancellor, Jammu University	Member
7	Vice Chancellor, Baba Ghulam Shah Badshah University, Rajouri	Member
8	Vice Chancellor, Islamic University Science and Technology, Awantipora	Member
9	Vice Chancellor, Shri Mata Vaishno Devi University, Katra	Member
10	Vice Chancellor, Central University Kashmir	Member
11	Vice Chancellor, Central University Jammu	Member
12	Director, National Institute of Technology, Srinagar	Member
13	Director Colleges, Higher Education Department	Member
14	Nodal Principals of the Colleges	Member
15	Two former Vice Chancellors, Jammu/Kashmir University (to be nominated by the Chairman)	Members
16	Two Eminent Professor, to be nominated by the Chairman (one from each Division)	Members
17	Two nominees from outside the State (to be nominated by the Chairman)	Members
18	One NRI of the State (to be nominated by the Chairman)	Member

The functions of Advisory Council would be:-

- i) To advise for a comprehensive, holistic evolution of Higher Education sector.
- ii) To strategize and steer the expansion of Higher Education.
- ii) To evolve new concepts and programmes in Higher Education.
- iii) To provide common facilities in Higher Education without impinging upon the autonomy of other institutions of Higher Education.
- iv) To provide academic input to the Government and to the Universities, research institutions and other centers of Higher Education in the State for the formulation and implementation of the policies and evolve a perspective plan for its development, suo moto or on the suggestion from Government or requests from Universities or other institutions.
- v) Undertake independent research for the generation of new ideas for the promotion of social justice and academic excellence in Higher Education.
- vi) Undertake human resources development planning for the State and plan the growth and development of Higher Education in accordance with such planning.
- vii) Evolve programmes in order to promote the relevance of Higher Education for the economic, social and cultural development of the State.
- viii) Suggest improvements in curriculum and syllabi in accordance with the changing societal and academic requirements and facilitate the development and publication of appropriate teaching material, including text books, educational softwares and e-learning facilities in order to improve the quality of education.
- ix) Advise the Government on the start of new courses, colleges and other Higher Education institutions in the State.
- x) Evolve schemes for providing equitable opportunities for Higher Education and scholarships and freeships and financial assistance to the needy students and coordinate implementation of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes and other eligible backward classes welfare programmes of the central and the State Government and other Central and State Level Funding Agencies.
- xi) Review periodically the Statutes, ordinances and Regulations of the Universities in the State and suggest appropriate improvements for the realization of the objectives of social justice and academic excellence in education and suggest the frame work for new statutes, ordinances or Regulations for existing Universities or other institutions of Higher Education or new Universities or other institutions of Higher Education.
- xii) Promote sports and cultural activities in the colleges, other institutions and Universities and integrate them with the co-curricular activities.
- xiii) Evolve schemes to sensitize the students to environmental and gender issues.

- xiv) To promote framework for institutional accountability through proper regulatory system.
- xv) To advise improvising the standards of Examinations and suggest reforms
- xvi) Devise mechanism for social audit process and public feedback on performance and achievements.
- xvii) To assess the existing infrastructural facilities of the institutions and shall provide or cause to be provided additional facilities wherever required.
- xviii) To promote research, the Council will encourage coordination between State Universities and other Universities of the country and abroad.
- xix) To develop programmes for greater academic cooperation and interaction between University Teachers and College Teachers.

By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir

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