

FEES REGULATING AUTHORITY

Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees)

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(Part-I)

Minutes of Meeting of Authority

Dt. 14/11/2024

The Meeting of the Fees Regulating Authority (constituted under section 11(2)(3)(4) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 held on 14th November, 2024 in the Conference Hall, Room No. 305, Government Polytechnic Building, 49 Kherwadi, Ali Yawar Jung Marg, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051.

The following were present/absent:

1.	Hon'ble Justice V. L. Achliya (Retd.), Chairperson of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Present.
2.	Dr. Vijay Vasant Khole, Ex-Vice Chancellor, Mumbai University, Member of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Not Present.
3.	Shri. Manoj Damodar Chandak, Chartered Accountant, Member of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Present.
4.	Shri. Nitin Bapurao Chavan, Chartered Accountant, Member of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Absent.
5.	Shri. Ratnakar (Shirish) Phadtare, Cost Accountant, Member of Fees Regulating Authority	•	Present.
6.	Shri. Atul Damodar Dharap, Cost Accountant, Member of Fees Regulating Authority		Present.
7.	Shri. Adv. Dharmendra Dilip Mishra, Professional Educationist, Member of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Present.
8.	The Director, Technical Education, Mumbai, Ex-Officio Member of Fees Regulating Authority.		Absent.
9.	The Director Higher Education, (M.S), Ex-Officio Member of Fees Regulating Authority.	•	Absent.
10.	Commissioner Medical Education (M.S), Ex-Officio Member of Fees Regulating Authority representative Dr. Sunil Lilani O.S.D,Directorate of Medical Education & Research.	:	Present .



14th November, 2024(Part-I) The Director, Directorate of AYUSH, 11. Maharashtra State, Ex-Officio Member of Absent. Fees Regulating Authority The Member Secretary of the Maharashtra Council of Agriculture Education and Presence dispensed for a 12. Research , Pune , Ex-Officio Member of Fees day. Regulating Authority. Dr. Rajendra S. Bangal, Registrar, Maharashtra University of Health Science Present through video 13. Nashik, Invitee Member of Fees Regulating conferencing. Authority. Shri.Dileep Sardesai, I.A.S., Commissioner & Competent Authority, 14. State Common Entrance Test Cell Present. (holding additional charge) as Member Secretary of Fees Regulating Authority.

Item No. 1: To confirm the minutes of the meeting dated 23rd & 24th October, 2024 of the Fees Regulating Authority.

"Discussed.

The minutes of the meeting dated 23^{rd} & 24^{th} October, 2024 of the Fees Regulating Authority are confirmed and approved".

<u>Item No. 4</u>: <u>To consider the pending proposals for approval of fees.</u>

"Discussed.

After examining the proposals and the documents submitted in support of the proposals the fees of the Institutes/Colleges mentioned below have been finalised as under:-

Sr. No.	Code	Name of the Institute	Course	Fee Approved for the A.Y 2024-2025 Per student
109	BSCN09162	Dr. Deepak Patil Nursing Institute, Kolhapur	B.Sc. (Nursing)	80,000/-

Sr. No.	Code	Name of the Institute	Course	Fee Approved for the A.Y 2023-2024 Per student
1	EN4141	Vilasrao Deshmukh College of Engineering and Technology, Mouda, Nagpur.	B.Engg.	73,000/-
			M.B.A	66,000/-
2	EN5396	Khandesh Bahhuudeshiya Sanstha's College of Engineering & Technology	B.Engg.	74,000/-



Item No. 5: To consider the report submitted by Grievance Committee in respect of complaints received from the students against Ratnadeep College, Jamkhed running B.A.M.S, B.H.M.S, B.Pharm. & B.Sc.(Nursing) courses. "Discussed."

The Grievance Committee has submitted the report which is taken on record. The Registrar Maharashtra University Health Sciences, Nashik has briefed the Members of the Authority the background in which the action initiated by the Maharashtra University of Health Sciences against the Institute/College and transfer of students from Ratnadeep College Jamkhed to other colleges on account of the decision taken to de-affiliate the B.A.M.S, B.H.M.S & B.Sc.(Nursing) courses run by the Institute after conducting inquiry and following the procedure prescribed by the law.

Before transferring the students, the students were given the information of the vacancy position of colleges/institutes available to accommodate them on transfer as well as the fees structure of the respective institutions. After considering the choice given by students & the merits students were transferred to other Institutes/Colleges. The students and their parents agreed to pay the fees of the respective colleges where they will be admitted on transfer. Before issuing the order of transfer of students the Officials of the Institute were heard. The wife of the then Chairman of Trust who was present for hearing agreed to refund the fees to students transfered to other Institutes/Colleges.

The Tehsildar and Police Officials had seized the record of the Institute in presence of the Officials of the Institute as well as of the Officials of the Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik. During the seizure of the documents kept in the office of the Institute certain registers/dairies were seized. In those dairies certain entries reflecting the fees collected, due and payable from the individual student admitted to particular course/s. The photo copies of such dairies was given to M.U.H.S.

The Authority is of the view that in order to assess the factual position it is desirable to request the Registrar , Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik to make available the photocopies of the documents and particularly the registers/dairies and other documents showing enteries reflecting the entries of fees charged, collected, due and payable recorded in those documents to consider the grievances of complainants.

The Registrar Maharashtra University Health Sciences, Nashik submitted that if any direction/order is given then the copies of those documents will be furnished to Fees Regulating Authority.

It was decided to request the Registrar Maharashtra University Health Sciences, Nashik to furnish the copies of the documents seized and particularly the documents reflecting the entries of the fees charged collected and due and payable from individual students shown in the dairies /registers maintained by the Institute seized by the Tehsildar and Police Officer & copies of which provided to Maharashtra University of Health Sciences. The documents be furnished as early as possible & preferably within three weeks.

List the subject for further consideration after receipt of the documents".



Item No.6: (i)

Any other subject with the permission of the Chair.

To consider the letter dated 30/08/2024 received from Under Secretary, Higher & Technical Education Department, Mantralaya regarding fixation of fees in respect of B.B.A, B.B.M, B.M.S, B.C.A, M.B.A (Integrated), M.C.A (Integrated), M. Planning (Integrated) & M.HMCT (Integrated) courses for the academic year 2024-2025.

"Discussed.

It was brought to notice that though the Department of Higher & Technical Education , State of Maharashtra was requested in the month of August 2024 to provide the copy of the notification declaring B.B.A, B.B.M, B.M.S, B.C.A, M.B.A (Integrated), M.C.A (Integrated), M. Planning (Integrated) & M.HMCT (Integrated) courses as 'Professional Courses', still the copy of notification is yet to be received. The concern Officials from the Department of Higher & Technical State of Maharashtra has informed that the process of translation of notification is in progress.

In contemplation that the said courses are declared as 'professional courses' by the Higher & Technical Education Department State of Maharashtra, it was decided to form the Committee consists of the following Members to collect the relevant information & recommend the course wise adhoc fees to be charged for the academic year 2024-2025.

- 1. Shri. S. Ramamoorthy, I.A.S, Member Secretary, Fees Regulating Authority.
- 2. Shri. Manoj Damodar Chandak, Chartered Accountant, Fees Regulating Authority
- 3. Shri. Nitin Bapurao Chavan, Chartered Accountant, Fees Regulating Authority.
- 4. Shri. Ratnakar (Shirish) Phadtare, Cost Accountant, Fees Regulating Authority
- 5. Shri. Atul Damodar Dharap, Cost Accountant, Fees Regulating Authority
- 6. Shri. Adv. Dharmendra Dilip Mishra, Professional Educationist, Fees Regulating Authority.
- 7. The Director, Technical Education, Mumbai, Ex-Officio Member of Fees Regulating Authority.
- The Director Higher Education, (M.S) Ex-Officio Member of Fees Regulating Authority.
 The Committee shall submit its recommendation within four weeks.

Let the follow up action be taken as directed".

(ii) To consider the letter dated 02/04/2024 received from Lok Dyan Prasarak Sanstha run by Niharika College of Physiotherapy, Nagpur (PT0020) to collect the adhoc fees from the students admitted for the academic year 2023-2024 & 2024-2025.

"Discussed.

Heard.

Mrs. Surekha Raut the Secretary of the Trust running the College.

The Institute/College through Secretary of the Trust vide letter dated 22/09/2023 requested to grant permission to charge and collect the adhoc fees from the students for the academic year 2023-2024. The said letter was discussed in the



meeting of the Authority held on 07/05/2024 and the Authority has resolved as under;

"The Institute vide letter dated 22/09/2023 requested the Authority to grant permission to charge and collect the adhoc fees for the academic year 2023-2024 in respect of B.Physiotherapy course run by Niharika College of Physiotherapy, Nagpur. In brief it is stated that there was a change in the Management of the Trust running the Institute. The Institute is functioning from the academic year 2016-2017 . The Authority had lastly approved the fees for the academic year 2019-2020. The Institute has opted for no upward revision of fees for the academic year 2020-2021. The Institute has submitted the proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2021-2022 which was not considered by the Authority for the reason the Institute was put under 'No Admission Category' by the Maharashtra University of Health Sciences (M.U.H.S), Nashik. The Proposal was not submitted from the academic year 2022-2023. After change in Management the Institute has applied for permission to allow the Institute to admit the students. It is claimed that the Institute was allowed to admit the students from the academic year 2023-2024. The Institute has charge the adhoc fees for the academic year 2023-2024.

The Authority is of the prima facie view that since the Institute is functioning from 2016-2017, the Audited Financial Statement of the Trust must be available prior to 2023-2024. From the communication received there is no clarity about the continuation of the staff and payment of salary to the staff employed in the Institute from the academic year 2020-2021 and onwards. It was therefore decided to direct the Institute to clarify the position about the audited financial statement of the Institute and Trust from the academic year 2020-2021, 2021-2022 & 2022-2023. So also call the information from the Registrar, Maharashtra University of Health Sciences (M.U.H.S), Nashik, the reasons to put the Institute under 'no admission category' and subsequent grant of permission to admit the students from 2023-2024. So also the information be obtained from Maharashtra University of Health Sciences (M.U.H.S), Nashik about the students who where studying in the college when the Institute was put under no admission category & the Institute was allowed to function till completion of course by the students studying in the college or such students were transferred to other Institute. Put up after receipt of the information.

Let the follow-up action be taken accordingly."

Now the admitted position emerges that the college was functioning from the academic year 2016-2017 and the fees of the Institute/College was approved and decided till the academic year 2020-2021. The Institute was put under 'no admission category' during the academic year 2021-2022 by the Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik therefore the fees of the Institute was not finalized by the Authority for the academic year 2021-2022. The Institute has not submitted the proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2022-2023 as the Institute was under 'no admission category' for the academic year 2022-2023.

Mrs. Surekha Raut the Secretary of the Trust submitted that the Management of the Trust running the Institute has changed & the new Management has started the B.Pharm course from the academic year 2023-2024 after obtaining requisite permission from Maharashtra University of Health



Sciences. Since the college was under no admission category for two years the Management has approached with request to allow the Institute to charge the adhoc fees for the academic year 2023-2024 & 2024-2025.

The Authority is of the view that the request of the Trust to allow the Institute to charge the adhoc fees for the academic year 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 cannot be entertained for the reason the Institute cannot be termed as newly started Institute conducting Bachelor of Physiotherapy course from the academic year 2023-2024. The Institute is infunctioning from the academic year 2016-2017. Only change in the Management of Trust running the institute/college from the academic year 2023-2024. The adhoc fees can be charged if Institute has started new course. It was therefore decided not to entertain the request of the Institute to allow the Institute to charge the adhoc fees for the academic year 2023-2024 & 2024-2025. However, it was decided to grant liberty to Institute to apply for submission of proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2023-2024 & 2024-2025.

The Secretary of the Trust submitted letter to allow the Institute to submit proposal for the academic year 2023-2024 and 2024-2025 based upon the Audit report of financial year 2023-2024.

On due consideration of the overall fact of the case it was decided to allow the Institute to submit the proposal for approval of fees the academic year 2023-2024 subject to payment of penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/- and proposal for the approval of fees for the academic year 2024-2025 subject to penalty of Rs. 2,00,000/-. The proposal be submitted within four weeks from the date the link is made open to submit the online proposal. The hard copy of the proposals be submitted within one week from the date of submission of online proposal. The link be made open w.e.f 18/11/2024 till 15/12/2024. The payment of penalty shall act as condition precedent to entertain the proposal.

In veiw of the peculiar facts of the case that the college/institute was under 'no admission' category for the academic years 2021-2022 & 2022-2023, the Institute is permitted to submit the proposal for the academic year 2023-2024 & 2024-2025 based upon Audited Financial Statement of the Financial Year 2023-2024.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

(iii) To consider the letter dated 21/10/2024 received from ASM's Institute of Business Management and Research MBA Institute, Pune (MB6102). "Discussed.

By the letter dated 21/10/2024 the Institute has made grievance about decision taken by the Authority in deciding the Review Application filed by the Institute. In brief it is the contention of the Institute that the Institute has received NAAC accreditation and same was not considered while deciding the Review Application.

The grievance agitated by the Institute is totally misplaced and without any basis. Once the Review Application is decided the Authority is not entitled to Review the order passed in Review Application.

Apart from the fact that further review is not permissible under law there is no merit in the request made by the Institute/College. The Institute has submitted the online proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2023-



2024 on 30/11/2022. The said proposal was considered and the fees was approved Rs. 1,20,000/- per student was approved vide decision taken in the meeting of Authority held on 11/05/2023. The Review Application was partly allowed and the fees was revised as Rs. 1,26,500/- as per decision taken in the meeting held on 07/05/2024.

The contention of the Institute that the Institute has acquired NAAC accreditation and same was not considered while deciding the proposal for the academic year 2023-2024 is totally incorrect. In the proposal submitted for approval of fees itself the Institute has mentioned that Institute is not NAAC accredited. The copy of accreditation certificate forwarded with the letter dated 21/10/2024 itself reflect the NAAC accreditation submitted reflected that the accredition certificate was issued on 28/03/2024 i.e. after submission of proposal & approval of fees for the academic year 2023-2024. In that view there was no NAAC accreditation to the Institute at the time of submission of proposal for the academic year 2023-2024 & till the date of approval of fees proposal . In that view the Authority was justified in not entertaining the request of the Institute to consider the additional benefit available to NAAC accredited Institution. The benefit of NAAC accrediation could have been claimed by the Institution by submitting proposal for approval of fees for the next academic year 2024-2025. However, the Institute has opted for 'no upward revision' of fees for the academic year 2024-2025. In that view the representation made by the Institute is devoid of merit and liable to be rejected. Accordingly the representation is rejected.

Inform to Officials of the Institute/College that no further representation/correspondence shall be entertained in this behalf".

(iv) To consider the letter dated 20/09/2024 received from H.E.S. Homoeopathic Medical College, Akot Road Akola (BHMS0044) to open the link for submission of proposal for the academic year 2022-2023. "Discussed.

The earlier request made by the Institute/College to opt for no upward revision of fees for the academic year 2022-2023 was considered and rejected by the Authority. The following decision was taken in the meeting of the Authority held on 12/09/2024.

"Considering the fact that the Institute/College has already opted for 'No Upward Revision' of fees for the academic year 2021-2022 the request of the Institute for 'No Upward Revision' of fees for the academic year 2022-2023 cannot be entertained in terms of sec 14(1) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees)Act, 2015. Infact the Institute ought to have requested to allow the Institute to submit proposal by opening the link. Hence the request of the Institute to opt for 'No Upward Revision' of fees for the academic year 2022-2023 is rejected.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College".

Subsequent to decision dated 17/09/2024 the Institute has applied for permission to submit the online proposal for the academic year 2022-2023 & further requested to open the link for the same.



It is an admitted fact that the Institute/College has committed default in submitting the proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2022-2023 within the period prescribed. The proposal for upward revision of fees for the academic year 2022-2023 ought to have been submitted on and before 31/10/2021 or a period extended thereby. However, the Institute has not submitted the proposal as per the mandate of sec. 14(1)(a) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees)Act, 2015 (hereinafter referred to as the said 'Act of 2015') & thereby committed breach of sec 14(1)(a) of said Act of 2015 and liable for action u/s. 20 of the said Act of 2015.

In order to protect the interest of the students & the Institute to claim the reimbursement of fees etc., it was decided to allow the Institute/College to submit the proposal for the academic year 2022-2023 subject to penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/-. The payment of penalty shall act as condition precedent to entertain the proposal. The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024. The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of online proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

v) To consider the request letter dated 03/05/2024 received from Manwatkar College of Nursing, (BSCN9248) run by Spandan Shikshan Mandal, Chandrapur in respect of B.Sc.(Nursing) course for the academic year 2024-2025.

"Discussed.

It is the contention of the Institute/College that Institute was granted permission to run the B.Sc.(Nursing) course from the academic year 2022-2023. However, the Institute has failed to submit the proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2024-2025 and confirmation & finalisation of adhoc fees charged for the academic 2022-2023 and 2023-2024. On due consideration of the request made and in the larger interest of the student to claim the reimbursement of fees, it was decided to allow the request of the Institute to submit the proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2024-2025 and confirmation and finalisation of adhoc fees for the academic year 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 subject to penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/-. The payment of penalty to act as condition precedent to entertain the proposal. The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024. The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of online proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

To consider the request letter dated 13/05/2024 received from Mouda College of Pharmacy, (PH4652) run by Magasvargiya Jankalyan Vikas Sanstha's in respect of B.Pharm courses for the academic year 2024-2025.

"Discussed.

In brief it is contention of the Institute/College that the Institute has started the B.Pharm course from the academic year 2022-2023 and charged the adhoc fees for the academic year 2022-2023 & 2023-2024. The Institute was required to submit proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2024-2025 and confirmation and finalisation of adhoc fees for the academic year 2022-

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2023 & 2023-2024. The Institute has request to allow the Institute to submit proposal by condoning the delay.

On due consideration of the request made and consider the interest of the student to claim the reimbursement of fees it was decided to allow the request of the institute to submit the proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2024-2025 and confirmation and finalisation of adhoc fees for the academic year 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 subject to penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/- in excersice of powers conferred u/s. 20 of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees)Act, 2015. The payment of penalty shall act as condition precedent to entertain the proposal. The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024 . The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of online proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

(vii) To consider the request letter dated 23/07/2024 received from Siddharth College of Law, Anand Bhavan, Fort, Mumbai run by People's Education Society's in respect of L.L.B. III years course for the academic year 2024-2025.

"Discussed.

On due consideration of the reasons assigned the request of the Institute to open the link for submission of proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2024-2025 and confirmation and finalisation of adhoc fees for the academic year 2022-2023 & 2023-2024 is allowed subject to penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/-. The payment of penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/- shall act as a condition precedent to entertain the proposal. The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024. The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of online proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

(viii) To consider the request letter dated 22/07/2024 received from Saket College of Law, Shahapur run by Maharashta Shaikshanik & Arogya Vidyanagari, Thane in respect of L.L.B. III years course for the academic year 2024-2025.

"Discussed.

On due consideration of the reasons assigned the request of the Institute to open the link for submission of proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2024-2025 and confirmation and finalisation of adhoc fees for the academic year 2022-2023 & 2023-2024 is allowed subject to penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/-. The payment of penalty to act as condition precedent to entertain the proposal. The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024. The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of online proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

(ix) To consider the request letter dated 22/07/2024 received from Law College Kinhavali, run by Vidya Prasarak Mandal Thane in respect of L.L.B. III years course for the academic year 2024-2025. "Discussed."

On due consideration of the reasons assigned the request of the Institute to open the link for submission of proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2024-2025 and confirmation and finalisation of adhoc fees for the academic year 2022-2023 & 2023-2024 is allowed subject to penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/-. The payment of penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/- shall act as a condition precedent to entertain the proposal. The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024. The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of online proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

(x) To consider the request letter dated 30/09/2024 received from Y.N.P.

College of Pharmacy, Dahanu, Palghar, in respect of B.Pharm courses for the academic year 2024-2025.

"Discussed. ...

On due consideration of the reasons assigned the request of the Institute to open the link for submission of proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2024-2025 and confirmation and finalisation of adhoc fees for the academic year 2022-2023 & 2023-2024 is allowed subject to penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/-. The payment of penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/- shall act as a condition precedent to entertain the proposal. The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024. The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of online proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

(xi) To consider the request letter dated 26/09/2024 received from Navsahyadri Institute of Pharmacy, Naigaon, Pune, (PH6905) in respect of M.Pharm courses for the academic year 2024-2025.

"Discussed."

In brief it is the contention of the Institute that the Institute has started the M.Pharm course from the academic year 2022-2023 & committed default in submitting the proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2024-2025 & approval and confirmation of adhoc fees charged for the academic year 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 as per mandate of law.

On due consideration of the reasons assigned the request of the Institute to open the link for submission of proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2024-2025 and confirmation and finalisation of adhoc fees for the academic year 2022-2023 & 2023-2024 is allowed subject to penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/-. The payment of penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/- shall act as a condition precedent to entertain the proposal. The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024. The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of online proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".



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(xii) To consider the letter dated 26/04/2024 received from New Montfort
Institute of Pharmacy, Ashti Wardha run by Bahwaan Educational and
Social Team, Nagpur, (PH4654) in respect of B.Pharm course for the
academic year 2024-2025.

"Discussed.

In brief it is the contention of the Institute that they have committed default in submission of proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2024-2025 and requested to open the link for submission of proposal.

On due consideration of the request , it was decided to allow the Institute to submit the proposal for the academic year 2024-2025 subject to penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/-. The payment of penalty shall act as condition precedent to entertain the proposal. The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024. The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

(xiii) To consider the letter of request dated 27/04/2024 received from Genba Sopanrao Moze College of Engineering, Pune (EN6144) running B.Engg, M.B.A & M.C.A courses for the academic year 2024-2025. "Discussed.

In brief it is stated that the Institute has committed default in submission of proposal for the academic year 2024-2025 in respect of B.Engg., M.B.A & M.C.A courses run by the Institute/College and requesed to open the link to enable the Institute to submit the proposal.

On due consideration of the reasons assigned and further taken into consideration the difficulties to be faced by some students eligible to claim the reimbursement of fees in absence of approval of fees by the Authority, it was decided to allow the Institute to submit the proposal subject to penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/- per course. The payment of penalty shall act as condition precedent to entertain the proposal . The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024 . The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of online proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

(xiv) To consider the letter of request dated 29/04/2024 received from Parvatibai Genba Moze College of Engineering, Pune(EN6138) running B.Engg & M.B.A courses for the academic year 2024-2025. "Discussed.

In brief it is stated that the Institute has committed default in submission of proposal for the academic year 2024-2025 in respect of B.Engg. & M.B.A courses run by the Institute and requesed to open the link to enable the Institute to submit the proposal.

On due consideration of the reasons assigned and further taken into consideration the consequence to be faced by some of the students eligible to claim the reimbursement of fees for want of approval of fees by the Authority it was decided to allow the Institute to submit the proposal subject to penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/- per course. The payment of penalty shall act as condition precedent to

entertain the proposal . The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024. The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of online proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

(xv) To consider the letter of request dated 30/04/2024 received from Shri. S.D. Patil College of Architecture, Sangli (AR6895) in respect of B. Arch course for the academic year 2024-2025.

"Discussed.

In brief it is stated that the Institute has committed default in submission of proposal for the academic year 2024-2025 in respect of B.Architecture course run by the Institute and requesed to open the link to enable the Institute to submit the proposal.

On due consideration of the reasons assigned and further taken into consideration the consequence to be faced by some of the students eligible to claim the reimbursement of fees for want of approval of fees by the Authority it was decided to allow the Institute to submit the proposal subject to penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/- per course. The payment of penalty shall act as condition precedent to entertain the proposal. The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024. The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of online proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

(xvi) To consider the request letter dated 15/07/2024 received from Oyster College Of Physiotherapy (PT0023) to submit online proposal for the academic year 2024-2025.

"Discussed.

The Principal of the Institute vide letter dated 15/07/2024 requested to allow the Institute/College to submit proposal for the academic year 2024-2025 in respect of Bachelor of Physiotherapy course run by the Institute for the academic year 2024-2025. On due consideration of the reasons assigned and further taken into consideration that the Review Application of the Institute was decided on 07/05/2024, it was decided to allow the Institute to submit the proposal for the academic year 2024-2025.

The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024. The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

(xvii)

To consider the letter dated 14/11/2024 received from Rural Institute of Ayurved, Research Centre & Hospital run by Shree Chhatrapati Shivaji Education Society's , Dist. Satara (BAMS0031) to open the link for submission of proposal for the academic year 2022-2023 and opt for 'No Upward Revision' of fees for the academic year 2023-2024 in respect of B.A.M.S course run by the Institute.

"Discussed.

Mr. Maruti Shankar Shitole, the Office Superintendent of the Institute was present. He submitted that Management running the Institute/College has decided not



to pursue the Writ Petition and request to the Authority to submit proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2022-2023.

The letter of request received through email from the Principal of the college is taken on record.

The Institute has submitted the proposal for the academic year 2024-2025. But the proposal for approval of fees was not submitted for the academic year 2022-2023 and 2023-2024. Hence the explanation was sought.

The Official of the Institute present and submitted that due to Pandemic of Corona the Institute could not submit the proposal for the academic year 2022-2023 based on Audited Financial Statement of 2020-2021. Although the Institute has preferred Writ Petition but now the Institute has decided not to pursue the petition and make application to Authority to open the link for submission of proposal for the academic year 2022-2023 based upon the Financial Statement of Financial Year 2022-2023 and to opt for no upward revision of fees for the academic year 2023-2024 .

On due consideration of the request made vide letter dated 14/11/2024 it was decided to open link for submission of proposal for the approval of fees for the academic year 2022-2023 subject to penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/- & opt for no upward revision of fees for the academic year 2023-2024 based upon audited financial statement of the financial year 2022-2023 to payment of penalty of Rs. 1,00,000/-.

The link to submit online proposal be made open w.e.f 21/11/2024 and same shall be kept open till 19/12/2024. The hard copy of the proposal be submitted within one week from the date of submission of proposal.

Inform to concern Official of the Institute/College accordingly".

Date: 14th November, 2024

Place: Mumbai

Justice Vijay L. Achliya (Retd.)

Chairperson

Fees Regulating Authority State of Maharashtra