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To

1. All Deans/Heads of the University Teaching Departments,
M.D.University, Rohtak
2. The Director,
M.D.U. Center for Professional and Allied studies,
Sector – 40, Gurugram

Sub:- MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE CONSTITUTED BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR HELD ON 22.05.2020 AT 11:00 AM IN THE COMMITTEE ROOM OF VICE-CHANCELLOR OFFICE M.D.UNIVERSITY, ROHTAK TO PROPOSE ALTERATIONS/MODIFICATIONS/AMENDMENTS AT RELEVANT PLACES OF VARIOUS ORDINANCES ARISEN/ARISING OUT OF LOCKDOWN SITUATION DUE TO COVID – 19. THE COMMITTEE WILL ALSO DISCUSS THE MODALITIES REGARDING ONLINE SUBMISSION OF PH.D. THESIS TILL THE SITUATION EASES OUT ALONGWITH POINT NO. 10 OF THE UGC GUIDELINES IN VIEW OF COVID-19 PANDEMIC.

Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of the minutes of the meeting of the committee on the subject cited above duly approved by the Vice-Chancellor for information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,


Assistant Registrar (Academic)

Encl: As above.

Endst.No.AC-6/20/ 4951-63 dated 11/6/20

Copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

1. The Finance Officer, M.D.University, Rohtak.
2. The Controller of Examinations, M.D.University, Rohtak.
3. The A.R./D.R. (R&S,R-I/II/III/IV, Conduct, Secrecy), , M.D.University, Rohtak.
4. The Director (UCC), MDU, Rohtak with the request to upload the minutes of the meeting on the University website for information of all concerned.
5. O.S.D/P.A. to (Vice-Chancellor/DAA/Registrar), M.D.University, Rohtak


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The following members were present:-

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| 1. Dean, Academic Affairs | -Convenor |
| 2. Dean, Faculty of Humanities | - Member |
| 3. Dean, Faculty of Physical Science | -Member |
| 4. Dean, Faculty of Life Sciences | -Member |
| 5. Dean, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences | -Member |
| 6. Dean, Faculty of Engineering & Technology | -Member |
| 7. Director, Research | -Member |

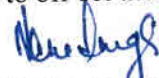
The Committee deliberated upon the different issues that have cropped up due to the outbreak of COVID-19 pandemic and subsequent lockdown since 23 March, 2020. The situation has necessitated alterations/modifications/amendments of various ordinances at relevant places to avoid hardship to students and smooth functioning of the academics. It also considered point no 10 of the UGC guidelines on examinations and academic calendar for the Universities which inter-alia specified:

“...strategies to facilitate the UG/PG students pursuing projects/dissertations, in view of the prevailing circumstances. The universities may consider to assign review-based/secondary data-based projects or software-driven projects, instead of laboratory-based experiments or field/ survey- based assignments to these students”.

Resolved to make the following recommendations:

1. That point number 10 of the UGC guidelines reproduced as above may be adopted. The HODs may submit proposals specifying existing provisions and proposed changes passed in the Departmental Committee. In addition to this, the suggestions/changes received from time to time from different regulatory/ statutory bodies be adopted wherever applicable.
2. The last date for submission of online Projects/Dissertations for UG/PG course wherever applicable for the current session i.e. 2019-20 (Even Semester) may be prescribed as 15.07.2020. However, a candidate may submit the same with late fee of Rs. 500/- up to 31.07.2020. *The awards should be submitted by August 07, 2020.*
3. Practical examination and viva-voce on project reports, or dissertation in UG/PG Courses, as the case may be, got conducted by an internal Board of Examiners duly constituted by PGBOS. For UG programmes, the same may be got conducted at the College level.
4. That Online submission of M.Phil. dissertation / Ph.D. thesis may be allowed keeping in view UGC Regulations, 2016. However, the candidate should submit three copies of the dissertations/thesis before the viva-voce exam is held.

That the alterations/modifications/amendments cited from point 1 to 4 above are purely limited to situation arising out of COVID-19 pandemic and would cease to exist thereafter. These may be allowed as one-time measure to off-set the hardships arising out of this contagion pandemic



(NINA SINGH)


(HARISH KUMAR)


(A.S. MAAN)


(PUSHPA DAHIYA)


(MUNISH GARG)


(VINIT KUMAR)


(ANIL KUMAR CHHILAR)