MAHARSHI DAYANAND UNIVERSITY, ROHTAK

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Academic Branch

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No. AC-VI/F-13/2025/36770-37096 Dated: 06.10.2025

Τo

1. All the Heads/Directors, of the UTDs/Institutes/Centres, M.D.University, Rohtak.

2. The Director, MDU-CPAS, Gurugram

3. All the Principals/Directors, of the affiliated Colleges (running PG Programs), M.D.University, Rohtak.

Sub.: Regarding offering of Ph.D. seats for the session 2025-26.

Sir/Madam,

In continuation of this office letter No.AC-VI/F-13/2025/28920-29220 dated 10.09.2025 on the subject cited above, the required revised instructions are as follows:

(a) In case of UTDs/Institutes/Centres, each faculty members shall offer 100% seats of the total

entitlement of seats for admission to Ph.D. Program.

(b) In case of affiliated Colleges/Institutes, only the regular/approved Faculty members in the UGC pay scale (7th CPC) shall be eligible to become the supervisor/co-supervisor i.e. Permanent faculty members working as Director/Principal/Professor/Associate Professor of the Higher Educational Institution with a Ph.D., and at least five research publications in peer-reviewed or refereed journals and permanent faculty members working as Assistant Professors in Higher Educational Institutions with a Ph.D., and at least three research publications in peer-reviewed or refereed journals may be recognized as a Research Supervisor in the university where the faculty member is employed or in its affiliated Postgraduate Colleges/institutes.

(c) The eligibility of the supervisor/co-supervisor shall be certified by the concerned Principal/Director of the College/Institute.

- (d) The Principal/Director of the affiliated College/Institute and Incharge of the concerned subject shall be responsible for the availability of infrastructure and submit an undertaking
- (e) Only one seat for eligible proposed Ph.D. Supervisor of the affiliated Colleges/Institutes has been allowed to be offered in the Academic session 2025-26.

The Principal/Director of the affiliated College/Institute shall provide the above information upto 09.10.2025 regarding the number of Ph.D. seats to be offered to the concerned University Teaching Department/Institute/Centre. On receipt of such information from the Colleges/Institutes, the Departmental Committee of the concerned UTDs/Institutes/Centres shall ascertain the eligibility of the proposed supervisors keeping in view Clause-6 of the Ph.D. Ordinance and the other instructions carried in this letter.

Accordingly, the concerned Head/Director shall consolidate the list of proposed supervisors from the UTD and the Colleges/Institutes and supply the compiled information as per already through Academic Branch to the only) (excel file academic.br@mdurohtak.ac.in by 11.10.2025 for inclusion of total seats to be offered in the Ph.D. formats Prospectus 2025-26. Dv. Supdt. (Academic)

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

- 1. All the Deans of the Faculties, M.D.University, Rohtak.
- 2. Dean (R&D), M.D.University, Rohtak.
- 3. Director, IQAC, M.D.University, Rohtak.
- 4. Controller of Examinations, M.D.University, Rohtak.
- 5. Branch Officers, M.D.University, Rohtak
- 6. Director, UCC, M.D.University, Rohtak with the request to upload the same on the University
- 7. OSD/P.A. to Vice-Chancellor/Dean Academic Affairs/Registrar/Dean Colleges Development Council (for kind information of the Vice-Chancellor/DAA/Registrar/DCDC), M.D.University,

Dy. Supdt. (Academic)