UNIVERSITY OF KERALA

(Abstract)

Part-time Ph.D Registration- restricted to regular teachers under various disciplines in University Teaching Departments/Centres & Govt./Aided Colleges within the jurisdiction of the University- Sanctioned – Orders issued

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Read: 1. Item No.22 of the minutes of the meeting of Standing Committee of the Academic Council held on 24.08.2017

- 2. Item No.5 of the minutes of the meeting of the Core Committee of Standing Committee of the Academic Council held on 03.11.2017
- 3. Item No.2.05 of the minutes of the meeting of Standing Committee of the Academic Council held on 18.11.2017

<u>O R D E R</u>

Applications for Part-time Ph.D Registration have been received from teachers working in HSE/VHSE within the state irrespective of the Jurisdiction of the University of Kerala, self financing colleges affiliated to this University, Lecturers in DIET's, and teachers in TTI and teachers of Govt. LP/UP/HS within/outside the jurisdiction of this University. The Regulations for award of Ph.D Degrees, University of Kerala, 2016 do not explicitly specify the categories eligible for the granting of Part-time registrations.

Accordingly, the matter of extending the facility for Part-time Ph.D Registration to such teachers under various disciplines was placed before the Standing Committee of the Academic Council held on 24.08.2017 which recommended to refer the matter to the Core Committee of the Standing Committee of the Academic Council for a specific proposal based on UGC Regulations,2016. The recommendations of the Core Committee was placed in the Standing Committee of the Academic Council held on 18.11.2017 and the committee recommended vide paper read(3) above that the registration to Part-time Ph.D Programme be considered only in the case of regular teachers working in the teaching departments of the University/Centres and Government/Aided Colleges within the jurisdiction of the University in lines with the UGC norms.

Sanction has, therefore, been accorded by the Vice-Chancellor to implement the above recommendation of the Standing Committee of the Academic Council and accordingly the registration to Parttime Ph.D Programme shall be restricted to regular teachers working in the teaching departments of the University/Centres and Government/Aided Colleges within the jurisdiction of the University in lines with the UGC norms.

Orders are issued accordingly.

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