

## MINUTES

OF

# 154<sup>™</sup> MEETING (EMERGENT) OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

HELD ON
10th JANUARY 2023 AT 3.00 P.M.
IN THE HEMANGA BISWAS COMMITTEE ROOM
OF THE VICE-CHANCELLOR'S SECRETARIAT

# ASSAM UNIVERSITY

(A CENTRAL UNIVERSITY ESTABLISHED BY AN ACT OF PARLIAMENT)

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## Assam University, Silchar

Minutes of 154th Meeting (Emergent) of the Executive Council held on 10th January 2023 at 03.00 P.M. in the Hemanga Biswas Committee Room of the Vice-Chancellor's Secretariat,
Assam University, Silchar.

#### The following Members were present:

1. Prof. Rajive Mohan Pant, Vice-Chancellor : Chairman 2. Prof. Supratim Ray, Dean of Medical & Paramedical Sciences : Member 3. Prof. A. L. Ghosh, Dean, School of Management Studies : Member 4. Dr. Mukut Sarmah, Senior most Associate Professor : Member 5. Prof. C. R. Bhattacharjee, Dean of Physical Sciences : Spl. Invitee 6. Prof. Piyush Pandey, Director, IQAC : Spl. Invitee 7. Mr. Jayanta Bhattacharjee, Director i/c, CDC : Spl. Invitee 8. Dr. Subhadeep Dhar, Finance Officer i/c. : Permanent Invitee 9. Dr. Pradosh Kiran Nath, Registrar : Ex-officio Secretary

#### Members participated in the meeting through online:

Prof. Sivasish Biswas, Pro-Vice Chancellor i/c, AUDC : Member
 Prof. Sajal Nag, Dean, School of Social Sciences : Member
 Prof. Asoke K Sen, Senior most Professor : Member

#### Members absent:

1. Director, Higher Education, Govt. of Assam : Member (Absent without intimation)

At the outset the Vice-Chancellor cum Chairman of the meeting welcomed all the members of the Executive Council.

Thereafter the meeting formally started and following agenda items were taken up for discussion and resolutions were adopted accordingly.

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### Agenda item for decision/approval by the Executive Council:

Item No 1: Selection of Faculty Positions under Special Drive for Backlog Vacancies:-

**EC:154:01-23:01(a)**: The Selection Committee Meeting for the selection of Assistant Professor, Associate Professor and Professor against Employment Notification No 4/2020 Dated 03/11/2020 and 1/2022 Dated 23/02/2022 [Special Recruitment Drive for Backlog SC/ST/OBC/PWD/EWS vacancies] was held during 30<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>st</sup> December, **2022** at the **Kamini Kumar Chanda Guest House**, Assam University, Silchar under the Chairmanship of Prof. Rajive Mohan Pant, Vice- Chancellor. The post & department wise recommendation of the Selection Committee was placed by the Chairperson of the Selection Committee for approval of the Council.

**Resolution :** The Chairperson placed before the Council the recommendation of the Selection Committee as detailed below :

SL No	Post	Department	Name of Selected Candidate	Name of Waitlisted Candidate(s)
1.	Associate Professor (1-SC)	History	NFS	
2.	Associate Professor (1-SC)	English	Dr Santosh Kr Sonker	Dr. K. Premchandra Singh
3.	Professor (Silchar) (1-OBC)	Political Science	NFS	
4.	Professor (Diphu) (1-OBC)	Political Science	NFS	
5.	Associate Professor (1-SC)	Political Science	Dr.Suratha Kr Malik	Nil
6.	Professor (1-SC)	Education	NFS	
7.	Professor (1-OBC)	Education	Dr.Ram Kumar Mahto	Nil
8.	Assistant Professor (1-ST)	Law	Dr.Widonlule Newme	Dr. Mayurakhi Sonwal
9.	Assistant Professor (1-ST)	Economics in Law Deptt	Dr.Beeralaguddada Srinivasa	1.Dr.M.Balaram Naik 2.Dr. Katravath Swamynath
10.	Assistant Professor (1-PWD)	Mass Communication in Law Deptt	Sri Sangharsha Mishra	Nil

The Council perused and approved the same.

#### (b): Promotion of Teacher(s) under Career Advancement Scheme:-

The duly constituted Selection/Screening cum Evaluation Committee meetings were held on 30th December & 31st December, 2022 for promotion under Career

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Advancement Scheme (CAS) as per the UGC Regulations. The matter was placed before the Council for approval.

**Resolution :** The Chairperson placed before the Council the recommendation of the Selection Committee as follows :

SL No.	Name of Teacher	Department	From Academic Level	To Academic Level	Selection Committee Recommended Date of Effect
1	Dr. Saugata Kumar Nath	English	13A	14	23.11.2020
2	Dr. Jaydeep Chakrabarty	English	11	12	07.06.2015
3	Dr. Amlanjyoti Sengupta	English	11	12	07.03.2022
4	Dr. Sima Pal	Education	13A	14	12.01.2020
5	Dr. Ananta Kumar Jena	Education	12	13A	17.11.2021
6	Dr. Remith George Carri	Education	12	13A	26.11.2021
7	Dr. Suranjan Das	Law	10	11	01.02.2022
8	Dr. Nasruddin Khan	Law	10	11	23.01.2022

The Council perused and approved the same.

Item No 2: Clarifications regarding the eligibility criteria for CAS Promotions of University Teachers from Academic Level 12 to Academic Level 13A and Academic Level 13A to Academic Level 14:-

**EC:154:01-23:02**: Communication received from the Secretary, UGC vide No. F.9-1/2020(PS/Misc.) dtd. 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2022 regarding clarifications regarding the eligibility criteria for CAS Promotions of University Teachers from Academic Level 12 to Academic Level 13A and Academic Level 13A to Academic Level 14 as follows:

Clause 6.4(C) (III)(5) Assistant Professor (Selection Grade/Academic Level 12) to Associate Professor (Academic Level 13A): "Evidence of having guided at least one Ph.D. Candidate"

**Clarification:** Documentary evidence to prove that the said Assistant Professor (Selection Grade/Academic Level 12) is guiding doctoral candidates.

Clause 6.4(C) (IV)(4) Associate Professor (Academic Level 13A) to Professor (Academic Level 14) - "Evidence of successfully guided doctoral candidate"

Clarification: Documentary evidence to prove that the doctoral candidates registered under the said Associate Professor (Level 13A) have been awarded Ph.D. degrees.

Further, the Commission resolved that to claim the benefits for promotion under CAS, the requirement of "Guiding Doctoral Candidates" or "Award of Ph.D. degree to the Doctoral Candidates" for supervisors shall be as under:

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For the Main Supervisor – One Doctoral Candidate For the Co-Supervisor – Two Doctoral Candidates.

The matter was placed before the Council for adoption of the provisions of Promotion under CAS.

**Resolution:** The Council deliberated and adopted the provisions of Promotion under CAS as clarified by UGC. The clarification shall be applicable for cases which are considered under UGC Regulation 2018 without any discrimination of date of submission of applications. However, the instructions relating to Main Supervisor and Co-Supervisor shall be applicable w.e.f the date of issue of the Public Notice by Secretary, UGC vide No F.9-1/2020(PS/Misc.) dtd. 23rd December 2022.

Item No 3: Item from the Chair, if any:-

EC:154:01-23:03.1: Nomination of Members to the Executive Council of Assam University:

As per Clause No. 12(vi) of A U Statute there shall be "Three Principals of affiliated Colleges out of which two will be from Barak Valley and one from hill, by rotation according to seniority to be determined with reference to the date of establishment of the college concerned, to be nominated by the Vice Chancellor" to the Executive Council of the University.

**Resolution :** The Council authorized the Vice-Chancellor to take appropriate decision in the matter after discussion with concerned Officers.

EC:154:01-23:03.2: Special Invitee to the Executive Council of Assam University:

The Chairman placed before the Council that from now onwards the Director, IQAC will be the Special Invitee in the meeting of the Executive Council of Assam University.

There being no other agenda, the meeting ended with a vote of thanks to and from the Chair.

(Dr. Pradosh Kiran Nath)
Registrar & Ex-officio-Secretary
Executive Council
Assam University, Silchar

(Prof. Rajive Mohan Pant)
Vice Chancellor & Chairman
Executive Council
Assam University, Silchar