



**MINUTES**  
*OF*  
**156<sup>TH</sup> MEETING**  
**OF THE**  
**EXECUTIVE COUNCIL**

HELD ON  
25<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2023 AT 11.45 AM  
IN THE HEMANGA BISWAS COMMITTEE ROOM  
OF ASSAM UNIVERSITY, SILCHAR

**ASSAM UNIVERSITY**  
(A CENTRAL UNIVERSITY ESTABLISHED BY AN ACT OF  
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**SILCHAR**





# Assam University, Silchar

**Minutes of 156<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Executive Council  
held on 25<sup>th</sup> April 2023 at 11.45 A.M. in the Hemanga Biswas  
Committee Room of the Vice-Chancellor's Secretariat,  
Assam University, Silchar.**

**The following Members were present :**

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| 1. Prof. Rajive Mohan Pant, <b>Vice-Chancellor</b>  | : Chairman             |
| 2. Prof. Sivasish Biswas, <b>Pro-Vice Chancellor i/c, AUDC</b>  | : Member               |
| 3. Prof. (Retd.) Kashinath Jena, <b>Visitor's Nominee</b><br>Dept. of Political Science, Tripura University, Agartala<br>OSD (Administration & Academics), NFSU-Tripura | : Member               |
| 4. Dr. Sarat C. Kakaty, <b>Visitor's Nominee</b><br>Professor, Dept. of Statistics, Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh   | : Member               |
| 5. Prof. Sarbani Giri, Dean, School of Life Sciences  | : Member               |
| 6. Prof. Alok Sen, Dean, School of Economics & Commerce   | : Member               |
| 7. Prof. Baby Pushpa Sinha, Dean of English & Foreign Lang. Studies   | : Member               |
| 8. Prof. Rashmi Ranjan Mishra, Dean, School of Legal Studies  | : Member               |
| 9. Prof. Asoke K Sen, Senior most Professor   | : Member               |
| 10. Dr. Mukut Sarmah, Senior most Associate Professor   | : Member               |
| 11. Mr. B. S. Kar, Principal, A. L. Choudhury College, Algapur  | : Member               |
| 12. Mr. Anil Ch. Das, Principal, Eastern Karbi Anglong College, Bokajan   | : Member               |
| 13. Prof. Piyush Pandey, Director, IQAC   | : Spl. Invitee         |
| 14. Dr. Subhadeep Dhar, Finance Officer i/c.  | : Permanent Invitee    |
| 15. Dr. Pradosh Kiran Nath, <b>Registrar</b>  | : Ex-officio Secretary |

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

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| 1. Prof. Krishna Pal Singh, <b>Visitor's Nominee</b><br>Vice Chancellor, Mahatma Jyotiba Phule Rohilkhand University,<br>Bareilly, Uttar Pradesh | : Member |
| 2. Prof. Buno Zetsuvi, <b>Visitor's Nominee</b><br>Professor, Dept. of Education, Nagaland University, Kohima                                    | : Member |



### Members absent :

1. Director, Higher Education, Govt. of Assam : Member  
(Absent without intimation)
2. Principal, Nilambazar College, Nilambazar, Karimganj : Member  
(Absent with intimation)

At the outset the Vice-Chancellor and the Chairman of the Executive Council welcomed all the members for attending the meeting. The Chairman also welcomed Prof. (Retd.) Kashinath Jena, Dept. of Political Science, Tripura University, Agartala, OSD (Administration & Academics), NFSU-Tripura & Dr. Sarat C. Kakaty, Professor, Dept. of Statistics, Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh who attended physically in the meeting as **Visitor's Nominee** and Prof. Krishna Pal Singh, Vice Chancellor, Mahatma Jyotiba Phule Rohilkhand University, Bareilly, Uttar Pradesh & Prof. Buno Zetsuvi, Professor, Dept. of Education, Nagaland University, Kohima who participated online in the meeting as **Visitor's Nominee**.

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

### **(A) Agenda item for confirmation:**

**Item No.1 :Confirmation of the minutes of the 153<sup>rd</sup> meeting, 154<sup>th</sup> meeting(Emergent), & 155<sup>th</sup> meeting(Special) of the Executive Council:**

**EC:156:04-23:01 :** The minutes of the 153<sup>rd</sup> meeting, 154<sup>th</sup> meeting(Emergent), & 155<sup>th</sup> meeting(Special) of the Executive Council held on 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2022, 10<sup>th</sup> January 2023 & 27<sup>th</sup> February 2023 respectively were placed in the meeting for consideration and confirmation. Action taken report of the above meetings was placed in the meeting.

**Resolution :** The Council perused the minutes of the 153<sup>rd</sup> meeting, 154<sup>th</sup> meeting(Emergent), & 155<sup>th</sup> meeting(Special) of the Executive Council held on 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2022, 10<sup>th</sup> January 2023 & 27<sup>th</sup> February 2023 respectively. The minutes of 154<sup>th</sup> & 155<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Executive Council were confirmed by the Council where as the minutes of the 153<sup>rd</sup> meeting was confirmed with the observation that the resolution No. **EC:153:11-22:15** with reference to resolution of the 65<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Finance Committee vide No. **FC:65/15** recommended to refer the matter to Finance Committee again for further consideration as implementation of the same shall lead to curtailing of existing wages of Rs 513/- per day for casual employees to Rs 506/- per day. The Council suggested the following :-

- 1) Considering the wage rate of UGC North East Regional Office (NERO) at Guwahati for similar work; or
- 2) Considering monthly wage rate of Rs 18000/- (minimum of 7<sup>th</sup> CPC) with the present DA (42%) equivalent to zero with provision for grant of additional DA as and when granted to CUs.

The Finance Committee may reconsider and allow to implement wages whichever is less from the above two options given.



**(B) Agenda item for approval/decision by the Council:**

**Item No. 2 : Remuneration of Guest Faculty, Department of Education :**

**EC:156:04-23:02 :** As per UGC letter vide No. F.25-1/2018 (PS/MISC), the honorarium for Guest Faculty has been enhanced from Rs. 1,000/- to Rs. 1500/- per lecture subject to maximum of Rs. 50,000/- per month. Meanwhile the Dept. of Education had appointed one Guest Faculty/Invited Faculty in the Dept of Education @ Rs. 500/- per lecture because of immediate academic exigency and paucity of fund. The Dept of Education had engaged the above guest faculty on the basis of their Departmental Affairs Committee's decision.

Matter was placed before the Council to regularise the remuneration as per the fund position of the concerned department.

**Resolution :** The matter was discussed in detail. The Council advised to follow a uniform rate for Guest faculty as per UGC guidelines. The Council also directed to create a Central pool of fund by drawing Course Fee/Departmental Development Fee/School Development Fee, if required so that teaching and learning activities by appointing guest faculties, wherever required, do not suffer due to shortage of fund.

**Item No. 3 : Grant of Sabbatical leave to Prof. Suman Gun, Dept. of I.C.L :**

**EC:156:04-23:03 :** Prof. Suman Gun, Dept. of Indian Comparative Literature has applied for grant of Sabbatical leave for a period of one year. At present there are only two teachers in the department and accordingly clarification was sought from Prof. Gun about the functioning of the department in his absence. In reply, Prof. Suman Gun made a clarification that during his absence from the department, Scholars of the Dept. shall bear the load of the department. In the said communication made by him he has stated that if the suggestion provided by him is not found viable then he is ready to withdraw his application for sabbatical leave to get the matter closed.

The item was placed before the Council for perusal and decision.

**Resolution :** The Council deliberated the matter in detail and directed the Registrar to route the applications of sabbatical leave henceforth through a Committee. The Council authorized the Vice Chancellor to constitute a Committee for the purpose. The Committee shall examine all such proposals duly forwarded by the Head and the Dean. The proposals shall contain the details of work to be accomplished during the sabbatical leave and how such works shall benefit the University. The Head of the Department/DAC shall specifically mention how the Department shall manage academic activities during the absence of concerned faculty proceeding on sabbatical leave. Till then the instant proposal is kept on abeyance.

**Item No. 4 : Correction of surname & date of completion of probation period :**

**EC:156:04-23:04 :** In the 126<sup>th</sup> EC meeting dtd. 27.06.2019, vide its resolution no. EC:126:06-19:19 the surname of Dr. Sukanta Mondal at Sl. No. 19, was inadvertently written as Mandal instead of Mondal and date of completion of probation period was written as 25.10.2018 instead of 23.10.2018. Hence the matter is placed before the



Executive Council for consideration of correction of the name and the date of completion of probation period.

Sl. No.	Department	Name as entered	Corrected name	Date of completion of probation period entered	Corrected Date of completion of probation period
1.	Education	Dr. Sukanta Mandal	Dr. Sukanta Mondal	25.10.2018	23.10.2018

The matter was placed before the Council for approval.

**Resolution :** The Council approved the correction of surname and date of completion of probation period.

**Item No. 5 : Promotion of faculty members under CAS:**

**EC:156:04-23:05 :** The Selection Committee meetings for the promotion to Professor and Associate Professor in the following departments were held on 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 to 22<sup>nd</sup> March, 2023 at the University Guest House and Vice Chancellor's Secretariat, Administrative Building, Assam University under the Chairmanship of Prof. Rajive Mohan Pant, Vice-Chancellor, Assam University.

The recommendations of the Selection Committee were placed by the Chairman for approval of the Council.

Sl. No	Name	Department	Promoted to	Date of effect
1.	Dr. Bubul Sarma	Bengali	Associate Professor	16-11-2021
2.	Dr. Barunjoyti Choudhury	Bengali	Associate Professor	12-03-2022
3.	Dr. Ramakanta Das	Bengali	Associate Professor	19-03-2014
4.	Dr. Santanu Sarkar	Bengali	Professor	01-04-2021
5.	Dr. Alauddin Mondal	Bengali	Associate Professor	16-03-2021
6.	Dr. Ashok Das	Bengali	Associate Professor	09-03-2021
7.	Dr. Arjundeb Sensarma	Indian Comparative Literature	Professor	06-06-2018
8.	Dr. D. Mary Kim Haokip	Linguistics	Associate Professor	25-01-2022
9.	Dr. Sib Sankar Majumder	English	Associate Professor	30-09-2019
10.	Dr. Indu Swami	English	Associate Professor	Not recommended
11.	Dr. Mostafizur Rahaman	Arabic	Professor	13-01-2021
12.	Dr. Himanshu Kishore Prasad	Life Science & Bio-informatics	Associate Professor	03-11-2021



13.	Dr. Anupom Borah	Life Science & Bio-informatics	Associate Professor	28-10-2021
14.	Dr. Shubhadeep Roychoudhury	Life Science & Bio-informatics	Associate Professor	22-06-2022
15.	Dr. Mahuya Sengupta	Biotechnology	Professor	01-04-2021
16.	Dr. Indu Sharma	Microbiology	Associate Professor	09-10-2021
17.	Dr. Arindam Roy	Computer Science	Associate Professor	23-07-2020
18.	Dr. Indrani Das	Computer Science	Associate Professor	14-02-2021
19.	Dr. Utpal Sarkar	Physics	Associate Professor	07-12-2021
20.	Dr. Pradeep Kumar Shukla	Physics	Associate Professor	22-03-2022
21.	Dr. Himadri Acharya	Chemistry	Associate Professor	03-11-2021
22.	Dr. Syed M. Alfarid Hussain	Mass Communication	Associate Professor	29-04-2020
23.	Dr. Ayesha Tahera Rashid	Mass Communication	Associate Professor	23-06-2020
24.	Dr. Ratna Huirem	Social Work	Associate Professor	01-12-2021
25.	Dr. Kathiresan L	Social Work	Associate Professor	15-02-2022
26.	Dr. Debomalya Ghose	Business Administration	Professor	24-11-2021
27.	Dr. Ritwik Mazumder	Economics	Professor	08-05-2021

**Resolution :** The Chairman placed the recommendations of the Selection Committee and the Council approved the recommendations for the promotion to Associate Professor and Professor under CAS with the date of effect mentioned against the respective person except Sl. No. 10 of the list.

**Item No. 6 : Confirmation of services of Dr. Aniruddha Kumar, Asstt. Professor, Dept. of Hindi, AUDC :**

**EC:156:04-23:06 :** Dr. Aniruddha Kumar, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Hindi, Assam University Diphu Campus was appointed as Assistant Professor vide offer of appointment letter No. 102/1/2014-Rect dated 15/01/2015. Dr. Kumar joined Assam University Diphu Campus on 03/02/2015. As per terms and conditions of offer of appointment at Sl. No. (e), the term of probation was one year. Dr. Kumar completed one year of services on 02/02/2016 and accordingly completed the probation period for confirmation of services on 03/02/2016. Police verification report has also been received, necessary PBAS has also been submitted by the incumbent in the IQAC. Hence services of Dr. Aniruddha Kumar may be confirmed w.e.f. 03/02/2015, subject to submission of contract deed followed by an order for confirmation. The matter was placed before the Council for approval.



**Resolution :** The Council approved the confirmation of services of Dr. Aniruddha Kumar, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Hindi, Assam University Diphu Campus with a correction on the date of confirmation which shall be 03/02/2016 instead of 03/02/2015.

**Item No. 7 : Proposal for formation of Management Board at Assam University Diphu Campus :**

**EC:156:04-23:07 :** The representatives of Assam University Diphu Campus Teachers Association (AUDCTA) forwarded the report of the High Power Committee constituted (vide AUR/21-1/2018/5717 dtd. 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2018) to look into the issues of AUDC to the Registrar during his last visit to Diphu Campus. The AUDCTA has requested to constitute a Management Board for Diphu Campus by adopting proper Regulations on the basis of the report of the High Power Committee. The detail report of the Committee shall be placed in the meeting. The matter was placed before the Council for consideration and decision.

**Resolution :** The matter is kept in abeyance as the Ministry has taken some initiative for upgradation of AUDC to Central University.

**Item No. 8 : Appointment of Head, Dept. of English, AUDC :**

**EC:156:04-23:08 :** Prof. Anup Kumar Dey has relinquished the post of Head of the Dept. of English, AUDC, and has joined as Ambedkar Chair professor at Head Quarter of Assam University, Silchar. Hence it is proposed to appoint a new Head for the Dept. of English, AUDC. Faculties in the department at present are as follows :

Sl. No.	Name of Faculty	Designation	Remarks
1	Dr. Sivasish Biswas	Professor	PVC i/c, AUDC
2	Dr. Bishnu Charan Dash	Professor	To retire on 31-03-2024
3	Dr. Indu Swami	Asstt. Professor	
4	Dr. Amlanjyoti Sengupta	Asstt. Professor	
5	Dr. Shreyashi Mukherjee	Asstt. Professor	

The matter was placed before the Council for decision.

**Resolution :** The Council discussed the matter and resolved that Dr. Indu Swami shall hold the position of Head in-charge, Dept. of English, AUDC until further order.

**Item No. 9 : Naming certain buildings of Assam University Diphu Campus :**

**EC:156:04-23:09 :** The Pro Vice Chancellor i/c, AUDC has proposed for naming of certain buildings of AUDC as follows :

- (i) Library Building, AUDC : Bonglong Terang Library, AUDC
- (ii) 100-Bedded Girls Hostel : Rongpharpi Rongbe Girls' Hostel

The matter was placed before the Council for consideration.



**Resolution :** After discussion on the item the Council approved the proposal of naming of Library Building, AUDC in the name of **Bonglong Terang Library**, AUDC and 100-Bedded Girls Hostel with a correction as **Nokbepi Rongpharpi Rongbe Girls' Hostel** in place of only Rongpharpi Rongbe Girls' Hostel.

**Item No. 10 : Representation from Ph.D. Research Scholars – reg. :**

**EC:156:04-23:10 :** A communication has been received from Utpal Suklabaidya, Ph.D. Research Scholar, Dept. of Mass Communication and Sanjeet Kr. Bora, Ph.D. Scholar, Dept. of Agricultural Engineering, through the DSW of Assam University. The concerned Scholars viz Utpal Suklabaidya and Sanjeet Kr. Bora, the signatories of the communication requested the competent authority and sought cooperation for holding of different activates in the name of Assam University Research Scholars Welfare Association (AURSWA). The letter along with some documents as received was placed in the meeting for perusal/consideration of the Council.

**Resolution :** A detail discussion was held on the representation submitted by the PhD Scholars and there after the Council opined that a Committee shall be constituted to look into the feasibilities to form such associations in the University other than the associations accepted in the Statute of the University and thereby the Council authorized the Vice-Chancellor to constitute a Committee to examine the feasibilities in detail and submit a report on the matter.

**Item No. 11 : Approval of the recommendations of Minutes of 93rd meeting of Academic Council of Assam University :**

**EC:156:04-23:11 :** The minutes of the 93<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the Academic Council of the University held on 11<sup>th</sup> April 2023 was placed in the meeting for consideration and approval by the Executive Council.

**Resolution :** The members perused the minutes of the 93<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the Academic Council of the University held on 11<sup>th</sup> April 2023 and approved all the recommendations of the Academic Council with the observation on the agenda as follows :

**Item No. 6 :** Sl No. 20 of the list in respect to running of two Diploma Courses in the Dept. of Business Administration having similar courses in other departments, shall be routed through IQAC for their views.

**Item No. 11 :** The item was discussed and the observations of IQAC noted to the effect that the proposal for setting up of a Centre for Design within the University does not provide detail of funding, requirement of teaching & non-teaching positions and also the academic objectives of the Centre. The members were of the opinion that the proposal as placed may not be considered at this point of time. The proposal may be resubmitted through DIQAC

**Item No. 39 :** With regard to the item from the Chair on offering Bachelors degree to Ex-serviceman, the Council resolved to expedite the matter and therefore authorized the Vice Chancellor to appoint a retired Army/Police Officer to prepare



the proposal as per guidelines of MoD and in tune with the UGC norms in this regard. An honorarium of Rs 75000/- for the task has been earmarked by the Council which may be provided on successful completion of the task.

**Item No. 12 : Granting of Lien to Prof. Anup Kumar Day on joining as Chair Professor, Dr. Ambedkar Chair Scheme :**

**EC:156:04-23:12 :** Dr. Anup Kumar Dey, Professor, Dept. of English, AUDC, on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and as per communication received from Dr. Ambedkar Foundation, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, GoI was appointed as Chair Professor under Dr. Ambedkar Chair Scheme. He has joined the said position on 24<sup>th</sup> March 2023 (A/N). Prof. Dey has applied for granting of lien for a period of 05 (five) years w.e.f. 24-03-2023. The matter was placed for approval by the Council.

**Resolution :** The Council approved the lien to Prof. Anup Kumar Day for a period of 05 (five) years w.e.f. 24-03-2023.

**Item No. 13 : Counting of past service of Prof. Sumanash Dutta :**

**EC:156:04-23:13 :** The matter of counting of past service of Prof. Sumanash Dutta for giving combined service benefit by incorporating into GPF cum pension scheme was referred to UGC as per the resolution No. FC:65/13 of the 65<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Finance Committee dtd. 22<sup>th</sup> November 2022.

Response from UGC has been received. The matter was placed in the meeting for perusal and further direction.

**Resolution :** The Council perused the matter in detail and directed the Registrar and Finance Officer to immediately grant GPF cum pension scheme to Prof. Sumanash Dutta by counting his past service. The Council also directed to provide Leave encashment to Prof. Dutta on the basis of his last pay as per rule irrespective of the amount received and interest earned from past service.

**Item No. 14 : Change of designation of Pro-Vice Chancellor i/c, AUDC to Pro-Vice Chancellor, AUDC :**

**EC:156:04-23:14 :** As per decision of the 148<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Executive Council, vide resolution No. **EC:148:04-22:24.2** dtd. 20<sup>th</sup> April 2022 Prof. Sivasish Biswas was appointed as Pro-Vice Chancellor In-Charge, AUDC. However, on further examination of the matter it is observed that there is no provision of appointment through direct recruitment for the position of Pro-Vice Chancellor (PVC). The PVC is nominated by the Vice Chancellor as per Statute 4(1). As there is no provision of appointment of PVC against sanctioned post of AUDC through direct recruitment, therefore, as per provision of Statute as indicated above the appointment of PVC i/c made by the Executive Council may be reconsidered and Prof. Biswas may be considered as regular PVC with retrospective effect from the date of appointment as Pro-Vice Chancellor, AUDC.



The matter was placed before the Council for consideration and approval.

**Resolution :** The Council discussed the matter in detail and resolved that the designation of Prof. Sivasish Biswas, Pro-Vice Chancellor i/c, AUDC will be Pro-Vice Chancellor, AUDC with retrospective effect without any financial benefits as the appointment has been made as per Statute 4(1) of the University in absence of any provisions in the Statute for direct recruitment of the post.

***(C) Agenda item for ratification by the Council:***

**Item No. 15 : Appointment of "Chair Professor" under Dr. Ambedkar Chair Scheme :**

**EC:156:04-23:15 :** The Selection Committee meetings for the appointment to the post of Chair Professor under Dr. Ambedkar Chair Scheme against the Employment Notification no 2/2022 dated 13/05/2022 & 3/2022 dated 01/08/2022, in the Academic Level 14 of Rs 1,44,200/ p.m. (as in Cell I of 7<sup>th</sup> CPC under UGC guidelines) held on the 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2023 at the VC Secretariat, Raja Rammohan Roy Administrative Building, Assam University under the Chairmanship of Prof. Rajive Mohan Pant, Vice-Chancellor, Assam University.

On the recommendation of the duly constituted Selection Committee and communication received from the Dr. Ambedkar Foundation, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Government of India on 24.03.2023, offer of appointment has been issued to **Dr. Anup Kumar Dey** Professor, Department of English, Assam University, Diphu Campus, Diphu - 782462 as per the standard terms of selection, and conditions stipulated under the Memorandum of Understanding ((MoU) entered between Dr. Ambedkar Foundation and this University.

The matter was placed before the Council for ratification.

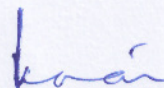
**Resolution :** The Council ratified the above matter.

**Item No. 16 : Grant of Lien to Smt. Homshira Killingpi, P.A., AUDC :**

**EC:156:04-23:16 :** Smt. Homshira Killingpi, Lower Division Clerk, Assam University Diphu Campus was appointed as Personal Assistant, Assam University, Diphu Campus vide offer of appointment letter No. 102/4/2021-RECT/2106-2110 dtd 27/08/2021, Smt. Killingpi joined as Personal Assistant on 27/08/2021. She applied for lien for 2 (two) years w.e.f 27/08/2021 to 26/08/2023 for the post of **Lower Division Clerk** to enable her to join in her new assignment as Personal Assistant, Assam University Diphu Campus. Her request for grant of lien for 2 years for the post of Lower Division Clerk has already been approved by the competent authority vide order No. AUDC/P.A/800/2021/1988 dated. 11/01/2023.

The matter was placed before the Council for ratification.

**Resolution :** The Council ratified the lien to Smt. Homshira Killingpi.





**Item No. 17 : Grant of E.O.L. to Dr. Ram Kumar Sahu, Asstt. Professor, Dept. of Pharmaceutical Science :**

**EC:156:04-23:17 :** The competent authority has granted the E.O.L. to Dr Ram Kumar Sahu, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Pharmaceutical Science for a period of one year w.e.f. 24/11/2022 - 23/11/2023 (A/N). The item was placed before the Council for ratification.

**Resolution :** The Council ratified the same.

**Item No. 18 : Study leave of Mr. Biswajit Das, Asstt. Professor, Dept. of Law :**

**EC:156:04-23:18 :** The competent authority has granted the study leave to Mr. Biswajit Das, Asstt. Professor, Dept. of Law for a period of 05 months w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> Aug. 2022 to 31<sup>st</sup> Dec. 2022. The item was placed before the Council for ratification.

**Resolution :** The study leave to Mr. Biswajit Das, Asstt. Professor, Dept. of Law was ratified.

**Item No. 19 : Grant of Sabbatical leave to Dr. Bijay Kumar Behera, Professor, Dept. of Sociology :**

**EC:156:04-23:19 :** The competent authority has granted the Sabbatical leave to Dr. Bijaya Kumar Behera, Professor, Department of Sociology for a period of one year w.e.f. 01/03/2023 - 28/02/2024 (A/N). The item was placed before the Council for ratification.

**Resolution :** The Grant of Sabbatical leave to Dr. Bijay Kumar Behera, Professor, Dept. of Sociology was ratified by the Council.

**Item No. 20 : Grant of lien to Dr. Ram Kumar Mahato, Dept. of Education :**

**EC:156:04-23:20 :** Consequent upon appointment of Dr. Ram Kr. Mahato, as Professor in the Department of Education, he has been granted lien for a period of one year with effect from the date of joining as Professor in the Dept. of Education, i.e. 23-01-2023. The item was placed before the Council for ratification.

**Resolution :** The Council ratified the lien of Dr. Ram Kr. Mahato, as Professor in the Department of Education.

**Item No. 21 : Appointment of Heads of the Departments, AUS :**

**EC:156:04-23:21 :** The competent authority has appointed the following faculty members as HODs or HOD in-charges which were placed for ratification by the Executive Council:

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Department	Effective Date	Order No.	Period
1.	Prof. Rashmi Ranjan Mishra	Law	11.02.2023	102/4/2020-Estt dated. 17.01.2023	3 Years



2.	Dr. Ritwik Mazumder (i/c)	Economics	27.02.2023	102/4/2020-Estt dated. 17.01.2023	Until further order
3.	Prof. Aniruddha Giri	Life Science & Bioinformatics	02.03.2023	102/4/2020-Estt dated. 17.01.2023	3 Years
4.	Dr. Richik Kashyap (i/c)	Electronics & Communication Engineering	06.02.2023	102/4/2020-Estt dated. 02.02.2023	Until further order

**Resolution :** The Council ratified the appointment of Heads of the Department.

**Item No. 22 : Appointment of Deans of the Schools :**

**EC:156:04-23:22 :** The competent authority has appointed the following faculty members as Deans or Dean in-charges which were placed for ratification by the Executive Council:

Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	School	Effective Date	Order No.	Period
1.	Prof. Karabi Dutta Choudhury	Physical Science	16.01.2023	102/3/2020-Estt dtd. 15.11.2022	3 Years
2.	Prof. Joyati Bhattacharyya	Social Science	23.01.2023	102/3/2020-Estt dtd. 15.11.2022	3 Years
3.	Prof. H. Ramananda Singh	Management	01.02.2023	102/3/2020-Estt dtd. 15.11.2022	3 Years
4.	Prof. Adarasupalli Nataraju (i/c)	Philosophy	07.02.2023	102/3/2020-Estt dtd. 30.01.2023	Until further order
5.	Prof. Sanjib Das	Medical & Paramedical Science	03.02.2023	102/3/2020-Estt dtd. 30.01.2023	3 Years
6.	Prof. Ajit Kumar Baishya	Indian Languages & Cultural Studies	06.02.2023	102/3/2020-Estt dtd. 30.01.2023	3 Years

**Resolution :** The Council ratified the above appointment of Deans of Schools.

**Item No. 23 : Appointment of Heads of the Departments, AUDC :**

**EC:156:04-23:23 :** The competent authority has appointed the following faculty members of AUDC as HODs or HOD in-charges which were placed for ratification by the Executive Council:



Sl. No.	Name of the Faculty	Department	Effective Date	Order No.	Period
1	Dr. Sheetanshu Kumar	Hindi	10.01.2023	AUDC/ACA-11/35/2007/1970 dtd. 06.01.2023	3 Years
2	Dr. Subit Dutta i/c	Commerce	08.12.2021	AUDC/ACA-11/35/2007/1893 dtd. 24.11.2022	3 Years
3	Dr. Bikash Chandra Dash	Political Science	20.03.2023	AUDC/ACA-11/35/2007-Estt/2087 dtd. 14.03.2023	3 Years
4	Prof. Ranjit Singha	Physics	12.05.2023	AUDC/ACA-11/35/2007 dtd. 16.03.2023	Till his superannuation
5	Prof. Paul B. Chonzik	History	14.01.2023	AUDC/ACA-11/35/2007-2086 dtd. 14.03.2023	3 Years
6	Prof. Kh. Narendra Singh	Anthropology	14.01.2023	AUDC/ACA-11/35/2007 /2086 dtd. 14.03.2023	3 Years

**Resolution :** The Council ratified the same.

**Item No. 24 : Proposal for acceptance of Technical Resignation of following faculties of AUDC:**

**EC:156:04-23:24 :**

- (i) **Dr. Tahir Hussain Ansari, Assistant Professor, Dept. of History, AUDC** has submitted resignation from the post of Assistant Professor, Department of History, AUDC vide his letter no. nil dated 26.04.2022. Consequently Dr. Ansari has been relieved from the services of Assam University Diphu Campus on 22.03.2021(A/N).
- (ii) **Dr. Nitish Mondal, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Anthropology, AUDC** has submitted resignation from the post of Assistant Professor, Department of Anthropology, AUDC vide his letter no. nil dated 31.03.2022. Accordingly Dr. Mondal has been relieved from the services of Assam University Diphu Campus on 15.10.2020 (A/N).
- (iii) **Dr. Rajesh Seth, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Political Science, AUDC** has submitted resignation from the post of Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science, AUDC vide his letter no. nil dated 22.07.2021. Accordingly Dr. Seth has been relieved from the services of Assam University Diphu Campus on 16.02.2016 (A/N).
- (iv) The competent authority has accepted the technical resignation tendered by **Dr. A. Ibemcha Chanu, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Commerce, AUDC** w.e.f. 08.12.2022.



Accordingly Dr. Chanu has been relieved from the services of Assam University Diphu Campus vide order no. AUDC/ Asstt. Prof.1/165/2008/2045 dtd. 21.02.2023.

The above matter was placed before the Council for ratification.

**Resolution :** The Council ratified the technical resignation of above faculties of AUDC.

**Item No. 25 : Item from the Chair :**

**EC:156:04-23:25 :** There was no item from the Chair.

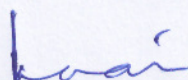
**Item No. 26 : Any other item with permission from the Chair :**

**EC:156:04-23:26 : Up gradation of Diphu Campus :**

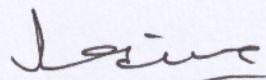
The proposal of up gradation of Diphu Campus submitted by the PVC i/c, AUDC to the Chairperson for consideration by the Executive Council.

**Resolution :** The matter was submitted by Prof. Sivasish Biswas, PVC i/c, AUDC to the Chairperson for discussion. Registrar, informed the Council that a communication has been received from the Director, CU Bureau, MoE on 21<sup>st</sup> April 2023 to furnish 39 point information by Assam University for up gradation of Diphu Campus into Central University. Registrar sought suggestion for future course of action. The Council opined that required information as sought may be submitted as per record.

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



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