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F.No. 40-1/2021 (ODL) (DEB-II)

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The Registrar,
Jamia Millia Islamia
Maulana Mohammad Ali
Jauhar Marg, New Delhi – 110 025

Director, CDDE
Registrar, JMI

Sub: Commission Order on the application, submitted online by the Higher Education Institution for recognition of the programmes to be offered in Open and Distance Learning (ODL) mode from 2021-22, academic session beginning January, 2022 onwards – regarding.

Sir/Madam,

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-sections (1) and (2) of section 26 read with clause (c) of section 12 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 (3 of 1956), the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 have been notified in the Gazette of India on 4th September, 2020.

2. The eligibility criteria for Higher Educational Institution is enumerated under Regulation 3 of Part II of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programme Regulations, 2020. The Regulation 4 and 5 describes the process of applications for the Open and Distance Learning and Online Programmes and the approval process whereas Regulations 6 describe provisions of right to appeal by the Higher Educational Institutions aggrieved with the order of the Commission and Regulations 7 describe the process of withdrawal of Recognition.
3. The University Grants Commission has notified the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) (Amendment) Regulations, 2021, in the Gazette of India on 1st July, 2021. In accordance with these Regulations, the Commission had invited online application from the eligible Higher Educational Institutions for offering Open and Distance Learning and Online Programmes from 2021-22, academic session beginning November, 2021 (revised from July, 2021) onwards vide public notice F. No. 1-23/2021 (DEB-I) dated 14th July, 2021. The **Jamia Millia Islamia, Delhi** has submitted its application and has been processed for academic session January, 2022, as per the Commission decision taken in its 553rd Commission Meeting held on 26th October, 2021.
4. Application received from **Jamia Millia Islamia, Delhi** has been scrutinized and deficiency(s) or defect(s) in application were communicated to HEI as per the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendment to remove or rectify such deficiency(s) or defect(s) with relevant documentary evidence.
5. The **Jamia Millia Islamia, Delhi** was invited for a Virtual Interface Meeting with the Expert Committee duly constituted by the Chairman of the Commission, held on 28/12/2021 in the UGC office, 35, Feroze Shah Road, New Delhi – 110 001.
6. The Interface Expert Committee, based on the submitted application, compliance to deficiency(ies) or defect(s) communicated earlier, the presentation made by the Higher Educational Institution in the

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Interface Meeting and as per the provisions of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendment made recommendations for the consideration of the Competent Authority/Commission.

Based on the recommendations of Interface Expert Committee and its approval by Competent Authority/Commission, I am directed to issue this Order, thereby communicating the programme wise recognition for the programmes to be offered in **Open and Distance Learning mode** from academic year 2021-22, academic session beginning January, 2022 by the **Jamia Millia Islamia, Delhi**; as detailed in point no. 8 below.

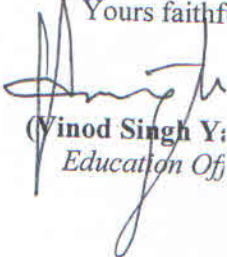
Programme wise recognition status

(i) Open and Distance Learning Programmes Recognised*

| S. No. | Name of the ODL Programmes | Period of Recognition |
|--------|--|---|
| 1 | MASTER OF COMMERCE (COMMERCE) | 2021-22, academic session beginning January, 2022 to 2025 -26 |
| 2 | MASTER OF ARTS (SOCIOLOGY) | |
| 3 | MASTER OF ARTS (PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION) | |
| 4 | MASTER OF ARTS (POLITICAL SCIENCE) | |
| 5 | MASTER OF ARTS (HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT) | |
| 6 | MASTER OF ARTS (HISTORY) | |
| 7 | MASTER OF ARTS (HINDI) | |
| 8 | MASTER OF ARTS (ENGLISH) | |
| 9 | MASTER OF ARTS (EDUCATION) | |
| 10 | BACHELOR OF ARTS (COMBINATION OF 3 SUBJECTS) - GENERAL (FROM UGC LIST) | |
| 11 | BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AND FINANCE) | |
| 12 | BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (COMMERCE) | |
| 13 | BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (GENERAL) | |

*Note:- The assessment sheet duly approved by Competent Authority, has already been communicated to the Higher Educational Institution through UGC-DEB portal on 19/01/2022.

9. For the programmes recognized in 8(i) above, the Higher Educational Institution shall comply with all provisions of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 and its amendment(s) while offering the programmes in Open and Distance Learning mode. Some specific provisions for compliance have been mentioned in **Annexure**
10. For the programmes not recognised as per 8(ii) above, the Higher Educational Institution may prefer appeal to the Commission within a period of 30 days from the date of communication of Inter Meeting Assessment Sheet on 19/01/2022 as per the provision at sub-regulation (1) of Regulations Part-II of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020.
11. Provisions stipulated under Sub-Regulation 7 of Regulations 5 of the University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 states that:
- “No Higher Educational Institution shall offer any Open and Distance Learning Programme an Online Programme and admit learners thereto unless it has been granted recognition by Commission and admission shall not be made in anticipation of the recognition”.*
12. In the event of any Higher Educational Institution found offering programmes in Open and Distance Learning mode and/or Online mode without recognition of the Commission or in violation to any provisions of these regulations and guidelines or orders made there under, the Commission may take actions as per Regulations 7 of Part -II of University Grants Commission (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020.

Yours faithfully

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