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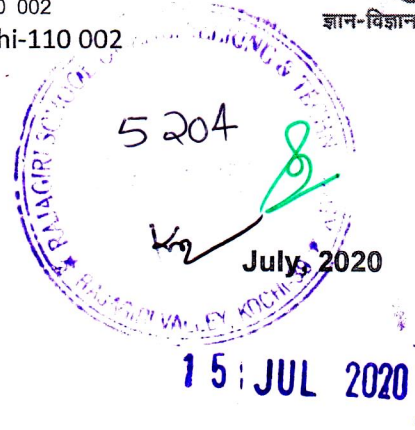


Dr. Vikas Gupta  
Joint Secretary

**SPEED POST**

**No.F. 22-1/2017(AC)**

The Registrar,  
APJ Abdul Kalam Technical University,  
CET Campus, Alathara Rd, Ambady Nagar,  
Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala -695016



Sub:- Conferment of Autonomous Status to Rajagiri School of Engineering & Technology, Rajagiri Valley, Kakkanad, Kochi, Kerala-682 039 affiliated to APJ Abdul Kalam Technical University

Sir/Madam,

This is with reference to the proposal submitted by Rajagiri School of Engineering & Technology, Rajagiri Valley, Kakkanad, Kochi, Kerala-682 039 affiliated to APJ Abdul Kalam Technical University under the UGC Scheme for Autonomous Colleges.

On the decision(s) of the Standing Committee constituted by University Grants Commission, in its meeting(s) held on 19.06.2020 and 26.06.2020, the Competent Authority has decided to grant autonomous status to **Rajagiri School of Engineering & Technology, Rajagiri Valley, Kakkanad, Kochi, Kerala-682 039** affiliated to **APJ Abdul Kalam Technical University** for a period of Ten (10) years from the session 2020-2021 to 2029-2030 as per provisions of Clause 3.13 and Clause 6.4 (i) of UGC Regulations dated 12.02.2018.

The University is requested to issue necessary notification/order regarding the grant of autonomous status to the college as per UGC (Conferment of Autonomous Status Upon Colleges and Measures for Maintenance of Standards in Autonomous Colleges) Regulations, 2018 for Autonomous Colleges. The college, if eligible, shall apply for autonomy grant as per the norms laid down in the Regulations.

The autonomous college is required to abide by all the provisions of the UGC Regulations for Autonomous Colleges. The Regulations are available on the UGC website, [www.ugc.ac.in](http://www.ugc.ac.in). Non compliance of the requirements and conditions in the said Regulations shall attract action as per Clause -14 of the UGC Regulations - 2018. The college shall also apply in the prescribed format to University Grants Commission for extension of autonomous status six months prior to the expiry of the autonomous cycle.

Yours faithfully,

*Vikas Gupta*  
(14/07/2020)

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2. The Joint Secretary,  
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✓ 3. The Principal,  
Rajagiri School of Engineering & Technology,  
Rajagiri Valley, Kakkanad, Kochi,  
Kerala-682 039

(i) A copy of the UGC Expert Committee report is enclosed herewith for information and necessary action on the observations and suggestions made by it.

(ii) The College is advised to maintain the NAAC grading and intimate the UGC about the award of NAAC certificate for the period beyond February 2022.

(iii) The Colleges may kindly submit the report in support of having a fully functional Examination Cell & System and constitution of Statutory Bodies as required under Clause 13 of UGC (Conferment of Autonomous Status Upon Colleges and Measures for Maintenance of Standards in Autonomous Colleges) Regulations, 2018 to ensure proper management of academic, financial and general administrative affairs. Non compliance of above requirements shall attract action as per Clause -14 of the UGC Regulations – 2018.

4 Meeting Cell

5 Concerned file

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*Vikas Gupta*  
14/11/22  
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