University Grants Commission

Distance Education Bureau

Expert (Review) Committee Recommendations – FOR ODL Programmes

Based on consideration of the reports of the Visiting Expert Committee (VEC - Visit Conducted Virtually)

1. Basic Information

Name of HEI:	National Sanskrit University
State:	Andhra Pradesh
Year of establishment of HEI :	Jan. 1962
Type of HEI :	Central
Registration ID :	HEI-P-U-0030
Date of submission of proposal on Portal:	**30-10-2023**

2. Visit of VEC conducted on: 30th January & 31st January, 2024

3. Recommendations of the VEC in respect of ODL programmes:

I. **Programmes approved by the VEC:**

S.No.	Recommended ODL Programmes
1.	**Shastri (Hons.) (Level – Bachelor's)**
2.	**Shastri (Hons.) (Level – Bachelor's)**
3.	**Bachelor of Arts (Hons.) (Sanskrit)**
4.	**Acharya (Level- Masters) (Puranetihasa)**

5.	**Acharya (Level- Masters) (Dharmasastra)**	
6.	**Acharya (Level- Masters) (Jyotish Acharya)**	
7.	**Acharya (Level- Masters) (Sahitya)**	
8.	**Post Graduate Diploma (Yoga Vijnana)**	

II. **Programmes not recommended by VEC:**

S.No	Not Recommended ODL Programmes	Reasons; if not recommended
NIL		

III. Specific observations of VEC, if any:

HEI is requested to incorporate wide usage of ICT for enhancing the effectiveness of teaching–learning process, and administrative functioning.

4. Assessments of Expert (Review) Committee:

I. Is HEI eligible as per UGC (Open and Distance Learning Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 to offer ODL programmes in 2023-24 (Academic session February, 2024) (Yes/No):**Yes**

II. Is HEI eligible to offer Science based Programmes (Yes/No):**No**

III. Does the Committee concur with the recommendations of the VEC in respect of permitting the HEI to offer ODL Programmes (Yes/No; if No, reasons thereof):**Yes**

IV. Any specific observations/recommendations:

In view of the clarification received from the HEI, Committee recommended Programme at S.No. (1). Shastri (Hons.) (Level-Bachelor's) as Shastri (Hons.) (Sahitya) and Programme at S.No. (2). Shastri (Hons.) (Level-Bachelor's) as Shastri (Hons.) (Vyakarana).

HEI shall strictly comply with the specific observations of the VEC at Table 3 (III) above, while offering recommended programmes in ODL mode.

The HEI may offer the programmes mentioned as Recommended at Table (5) (I) below from the academic session beginning February, 2024 and onwards.

5. Programme wise recommendations of Expert (Review) Committee:

I. **Programmes recommended by Expert (Review) Committee for recognition:**

S. No.	Recommended ODL Programmes
1.	**Shastri (Hons.) (Sahitya)**
2.	**Shastri (Hons.) (Vyakarana)**
3.	**Bachelor of Arts (Hons.) (Sanskrit)**
4.	**Acharya (Level- Masters) (Puranetihasa)**
5.	**Acharya (Level- Masters) (Dharmasastra)**

S. No.	Recommended ODL Programmes
6.	**Acharya (Level- Masters) (Jyotish Acharya)**
7.	**Acharya (Level- Masters) (Sahitya)**
8.	**Post Graduate Diploma (Yoga Vijnana)**

II. **Programmes found deficient:**

S.No.	Not Recommended ODL Programmes	Reasons
Nil		

Date: 26.02.2024

Report of the Visiting Expert Committee for assessment of proposals for offering of ODL Programmes As per UGC (ODL Programmes & Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020

File No: 40-9/2023(DEB-II)

PART- I : Expert Committee Details

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ii. Type of HEI
iii. Single/ Dual Mode
iv. Phone No./ Mobile No./ Email Id:
• Vice Chancellor
• Registrar</td>
<td colspan="4">Name of the HEI: NATIONAL SANSKRIT UNIVERSITY</td>
<td colspan="2">Address : National Sanskrit University Tirupati District Andhra Pradesh Near Balaji Colony - 517507</td>
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<td colspan="2">Highest Education Qualification: Vidyavaridhi</td>
<td>Experience: 37+ Years of teaching and research</td>
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<td>Phone (Residence): 08772230840</td>
<td>Highest Education Qualification: M.Sc. Physics and M.Sc. Telecommunication</td>
<td>Experience: 2 years 9 months as Registrar</td>
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2.	HEI pre recorded video for virtual visit URL	https://youtu.be/SNd2MpmoLk0
3.	Date of the visit	30-01-2024 & 31-01-2024

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<td>Prof. Yojna Rawat</td>
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<td>Dr. Durgesh Tripathi</td>
<td>Associate Professor , Guru Govind Singh Indraprastha University, New Delhi</td>
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<td>UGC- Coordinator , UGC</td>
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PART- II: Institutional Information/Observations

2.1 Eligibility

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<td colspan="2">Whether accredited by NAAC?:-Yes</td>
<td colspan="2">Grade :-</td>
<td>A</td>
<td>Score :- 3.22</td>
<td rowspan="2">Yes</td>
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S. No.	Details	Response of HEI						Observations of the Expert Committee	Remarks, as applicable
	• Score on 4 point scale • Validity (Attach Proof)								
	ii. NIRF • Year (2021, 2022, 2023): • Ranking in University Category (year wise): (Attach Proof)							NA	NA
	iii. Section 2(f)/Section 3 Recognition details (Attach Proof)	Recognition status of the HEI as per UGC Act, 1956:	SECTION 2(f)	Approval of Statutory Authority:	Yes	Copy of relevant page of act allowing HEI to offer the programme :	View	Yes Section 2(f)	Complied

2.2 Other Details

S. No.	Details	Response of HEI					Observations of the Expert Committee	Remarks, as applicable
(1)	Name and address of Centre for Distance and Online Education (Dual Mode University) or Name and address of Centre for Online Education (Open University)	**Name of the Center:** National Sanskrit University		**Address :** LIC Road, Balaji Colony, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh - 517507			Ok	Complied
(2)	Name and details of Director of Centre for Distance and Online Education (Dual Mode University) · Dual Mode University –Director- Regular, full time, atleast Associate Professor or Name and details of Head of Schools of Studies (Open University) · For Open University, Head for each school - Full time dedicated, not below the rank of an Associate Professor Mention details such as Regular Employee, Designation, Qualification, Salary (Attach appointment letter and joining report)	**Director of Centre for Distance and Online Education (CDOE)** **Name of Director of Centre for Distance and Online Education (CDOE) :**		**Email Id:**		**Mobile No:**	Ok	Complied
		Highest Education Qualification:		**Date of Joining:**		**Appointment Letter:**		
(3)	The Higher Educational Institution has	**Approval of Statutory Authority:**	Yes	**Copy of relevant page of act allowing HEI to offer the programme :**		View	Ok	Complied

S. No.	Details	Response of HEI					Observations of the Expert Committee	Remarks, as applicable
	i. provisions in its Act for offering the programme in Open and Distance Learning mode ii. the approval of the statutory bodies under its Act for offering proposed programmes (Attach documents)							
(4)	Whether Affidavit submitted by HEI is i. Original ii. Prescribed format iii. Duly notarized and Duly signed	**Upload Affidavit as per the prescribed format :-** View					Yes	Complied
(5)	Whether HEI follows territorial jurisdiction based on type of HEI as per UGC (ODL Programmes & Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020	Yes **Whether HEI follows territorial jurisdiction based on type of HEI as per UGC (ODL Programmes & Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020** Country					Yes	Complied
(6)	Built Up Area as per Annexure IV of Regulations	**Build-up Area Type**	**Minimum Built up area required as per Regulations**	**Built-Up Area available(Carpet Area Sq. ft)**	**Difference**	**Compliance or Not**	Yes	Complied
		Academic	7500	6000	-1500	Yes		
		Administrative	1500	1504	4	Yes		
		Academic support such as Library, Reading Room, Computer Centre, Information and Communication technology labs, Video and Audio Labs etc.	4500	4200	-300	Yes		
		Amenities or other support facilities(Excluding toilets)	1500	1500	0	Yes		
		Total built-up area for ODL activities	15000	13204	-1796	Yes		
(7)	Details of duly recognised off-campus Centres or Study Centres/Learner Support Centres, or Regional Centres beyond the main campus of HEI, if any Note: Private University eligible to offer ODL programmes through its Head Quarters only and duly recognized off-campus centres; not through any Learner Support Centre	Not Applicable					NA	Complied
(8)	Number of Administrative staff available exclusively for ODL programmes at HQ Á at LSCs	View					Yes	Complied.

Admin Staff	Required	Available
Deputy Registrar	1	
Assistant Registrar	1	

S. No.	Details			Response of HEI			Observations of the Expert Committee	Remarks, as applicable
	Section Officer		1					
	Assistants		3 (2 for DM Universities)					
	Computer Operator		2					
	Multi Tasking Staff		2					
(9)	Whether the application/ proposal submitted to UGC is uploaded on HEI website in a transparent manner Link to be provided:			Yes https://nsktu.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2023/11/UGC-DEB-Application-Signed-Copy.pdf			Yes	Complied
(10)	Whether sufficient evidence is provided for a) Establishing Centre for Internal Quality Assurance as specified in Annexure - I b) Providing systems for Learner Support Services as specified in Part IV c) Administrative arrangements, infrastructure and technology support for effective delivery of programmes in ODL mode as specified in Annexure- IV d) Availability of qualified Counsellors at LSC as specified in Annexure-IV; e) Administrative arrangements, infrastructure and technology support for effective delivery of programmes in Open and Distance Learning as specified in Annexure- IV (Attach supporting documents as applicable)			**#** / a / b / c / d / e	**Yes/No** / Yes / No / No / No / Yes	**Attachement** / View / / / / View	Yes	Complied

The sub-table in row (10):

#	Yes/No	Attachement
a	Yes	View
b	No	
c	No	
d	No	
e	Yes	View

PART- III: Details of Proposed Programmes

S. No.	Details	Response of HEI		Observations of the Expert Committee	Remarks, as applicable
(1)	Number of non-science programmes proposed (as submitted in the proposal) UG: PG: PGD:	**Program** / Under Graduate / Post Graduate / Post Graduate Diploma	**Count** / 3 / 4 / 1	UG: 03 PG: 04 PGD: 01	Complied
(2)	HEI Eligibility for Science based programmes which require hands-on experience, experimental setup	**Available** / No	**View** /	NA	NA

The sub-table in row (1):

Program	Count
Under Graduate	3
Post Graduate	4
Post Graduate Diploma	1

The sub-table in row (2):

Available	View
No	

S. No.	Details	Response of HEI	Observations of the Expert Committee	Remarks, as applicable
	i. Dual mode university: NAAC>= 3.26; or NIRF : Top 100 in 2/3 cycle; or ii. Open University Number of proposed Science programmes as submitted in the proposal (if applied) UG: PG: PGD:			
(3)	Name of programmes proposed as per details submitted in the online proposal | Level	Name of programmes | |---|---| | Under Graduate | | | Post Graduate | | | Post Graduate Diploma | |	**Level** / **Name of programmes** Under Graduate — Shastri(Hons.) (Level- Bachelor's) - , Bachelor of Arts (Hons) - Sanskrit, Shastri(Hons.) (Level- Bachelor's) - Post Graduate — Acharya (Level- Masters) - Puranetihasa, Acharya (Level- Masters) - Jyotish Acharya, Acharya (Level- Masters) - Sahitya, Acharya (Level- Masters) - Dharmasastra Post Graduate Diploma — POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA (YOGA VIJNANA) - (YOGA VIJNANA)	Level Name of the programmes UG 1.SHASTRI(HONS.) (LEVEL-BACHELOR'S) UG 2.SHASTRI(HONS.) (LEVEL- BACHELOR'S) UG 3.BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONS) (SANSKRIT) PG 4.ACHARYA (LEVEL-MASTERS) (JYOTISH ACHARYA) PG 5.ACHARYA (LEVEL- MASTERS) (SAHITYA) PG 6.ACHARYA (LEVEL- MASTERS) (PURANETIHASA) PG 7.ACHARYA (LEVEL- MASTERS) (DHARMASASTRA) PGD 8.POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA (YOGA VIJNANA)	Complied
(4)	Admission procedure followed by the University for various programmes/courses offered by it, including on-line admission test as applicable.	Yes	Yes	Complied
(5)	Whether information about admission procedure is available on the University Whether information about admission procedure is available on the University website & in the prospectus? Link	**Available** / **Link** Yes / https://nsktu.ac.in/index.php/distance-education/	Yes	Complied
(6)	Whether the HEI has implemented the Choice Based Credit System under ODL mode	**S.No** / **Name of programmes** / **Proposed programme ODL** 1 / Shastri(Hons.) (Level- Bachelor's) - / Yes 2 / Shastri(Hons.) (Level- Bachelor's) - / Yes 3 / Bachelor of Arts (Hons) - Sanskrit / Yes 4 / Acharya (Level- Masters) - Puranetihasa / Yes 5 / Acharya (Level- Masters) - Dharmasastra / Yes 6 / POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA (YOGA VIJNANA) - (YOGA VIJNANA) / Yes	Yes	Complied

S. No.	Details	Response of HEI			Observations of the Expert Committee	Remarks, as applicable
		S.No	Name of programmes	Proposed programme ODL		
		7	Acharya (Level- Masters) - Jyotish Acharya	Yes		
		8	Acharya (Level- Masters) - Sahitya	Yes		
(7)	How and where the Personal Contact Programme classes are proposed to be conducted	**Description**		**View**	Ok	Complied
		Personal Contact Programmes are conducted in the Head Quarters of National Sanskrit University, Tirupati.				
(8)	Details of preparedness of HEI to ensure: • At least 75 per cent. of the programme of study stipulated for the semester or year will be actually conducted • Minimum participation of 75 per cent. in all the activities of Online programme prior to end semester examination or term end examination	**Available**	**Description**	**View**	Ok	Complied
		Yes	Personal Contact Programmes are conducted in the Head Quarters of National Sanskrit University, Tirupati.			
(9)	Whether proper evaluation mechanism is available. If yes, provide details	**Available**	**Link**	**View**	Yes	Complied
		Yes		View		
(10)	Whether the HEI is offering any online programmes If yes, provide details	**Available**		**View**	No	NA
		No				
(11)	Whether any examination proposed to be held through online mode. If yes, provide details of preparedness to conduct proctored examinations a.Technology centric proctoring/Manual proctoring b.all the security arrangements c.ensuring transparency d.credibility of the examinations Any further details	**Available**	**Description**	**View**	No	NA
		No				
(12)	Availability/ preparedness of Open and Distance Learning resources, adequate for effective delivery of all the proposed programme(s) of study considering the expected enrolment of learners	**Details**		**View**	Yes	Complied
		SLM's are available along with all infrastructure facilities for conducting of ODL programs considering the expected enrolment of learners.				

S. No.	Details	Response of HEI			Observations of the Expert Committee	Remarks, as applicable
(13)	Are the courses of the proposed programmes having content as per the standard or model syllabus/ curriculum of UGC/AICTE; as applicable or own university syllabus? (course/programme wise) If yes, provide details	**Sr.No**	**Course Name**	**Link**	HEI has their own University syllabus.	Complied
		1	Own University Syllabus	-		
		S. No.	**Course name**	**As per model syllabus of UGC/ AICTE**		

PART- IV: Assessment of Proposed ODL Programmes

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Whether proposed ODL programme is being offered in Conventional mode as under (For Dual Mode HEIs): a. Programme offered in conventional mode with same nomenclature b. One batch passed out c. Exact number of Students Passed out/Numbers admitted in this batch in conventional mode/ODL mode	Proposed ODL programme not offered only through affiliated colleges	Whether proposed ODL programme is equivalent to the corresponding same programme in conventional mode as under (For Dual Mode HEIs): a. Same Entry Level Qualifications b. Same admission methodology (based on marks/test/etc.) c. Minimum duration d. Same Curriculum e. Same Teaching-Learning Scheme f. Same Pattern of Question Papers for End Semester Examination or Term End Examination g. Same Pass or Fail Criteria Whether Nomenclature, minimum duration of the programme and minimum qualification required at entry level are	Availability of the Faculty as per Annexure IV of UGC (ODL Programmes and Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 a. Faculty on 'full-time' dedicated basis b. Appropriate designations c. Qualified d. Adequate Faculty availability e. Salary as per UGC norms (Provide number with faculty details such as name, qualification, designation etc)	Whether Programmes falls under the purview of any Regulatory Authority has been obtained, if yes, provide details in point 6	i) Name of Regulatory Authority ii) Approval details iii) Approval of the current Academic year (Y/N) iv) Letter no. dated v) Approval period (Attach duly attested photocopy)	Whether the guidelines on Programme Project Report (PPR) as specified in the Annexure-V and VI in UGC (ODL Programmes & Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 have been followed.	Whether PPR has been approved by the Statutory Authorities of the HEI [as per clause A(6) of regulation of 13 of UGC (ODL Programmes & Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020] (attach duly attested photocopy)	Whether the guidelines on Self Learning Material (SLM) as specified in the Annexure-VI and VII in UGC (ODL Programmes & Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020 have been followed	Whether SLM has been approved by the Statutory Authorities of the HEI [as per clause B(iii) of regulation of 4 of UGC (ODL Programmes & Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020] (attach duly attested photocopy)	Details of readiness of SLM for the proposed programmes: a. Minimum 60% contents developed in-house b. SLM readiness UG –first 2 years PG – first year PGD – first year Details of outsourced content – (Max 40%; if applicable)	Whether minimum assessment for Term End Examination is 70% as per Regulation 15 of UGC (ODL Programmes & Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020	Whether the norms for delivery of courses in ODL mode in T-L scheme (as per table 2, Annexure – VI) (Yes/No) Provide Details

		as per UGC Notification on Specification of Degrees dated March, 2014 and its amendments													

1) Acharya (Level- Masters) - Puranetihasa

Response of HEIs	View														
Information/Observations	Yes	NA	Yes	Yes	No	NA	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

2) Acharya (Level- Masters) - Dharmasastra

Response of HEIs	View
Information/Observations	Yes	NA	Yes	Yes	No	NA	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

3) Acharya (Level- Masters) - Jyotish Acharya

Response of HEIs	View
Information/Observations	Yes	NA	Yes	Yes	No	NA	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

4) Acharya (Level- Masters) - Sahitya

Response of HEIs	View
Information/Observations	Yes	NA	Yes	Yes	No	NA	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

5) Bachelor of Arts (Hons) - Sanskrit

Response of HEIs	View
Information/Observations	Yes	NA	Yes	Yes	No	NA	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

6) POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA (YOGA VIJNANA) - (YOGA VIJNANA)

Response of HEIs	View
Information/Observations	`Yes	NA	Yes	Yes	No	NA	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

7) Shastri(Hons.) (Level- Bachelor's) -

Response of HEIs	View
Information/Observations	Yes	NA	Yes	Yes	No	NA	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

8) Shastri(Hons.) (Level- Bachelor's) -

Response of HEIs	View
Information/Observations	Yes	NA	Yes	Yes	No	NA	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

PART- V: Admission, Enrolment, Examination Fee Structure, Student Support Systems and Court Cases

S. No.	Details	Response of HEI	Observations of the Expert Committee	Remarks, as applicable
1.	Programme-wise fee structure	View	Fees is minimal	Complied
2.	Is the fee structure comply the instructions or orders laid down by the Government or any other	**Is the fee structure comply the instructions or orders laid down by the Government or any other** Yes	Yes	Complied
3.	Whether there is any component of fee structure which points to running of the HEI for commercial gains	No	No	Complied

S. No.	Details	Response of HEI			Observations of the Expert Committee	Remarks, as applicable
4.	Is there any complaint related to fee collection without receipts? (also to be confirmed in the meeting with the students)	Description No			No	Complied
5.	Whether HEI has set up any helpline or Online/ Offline student grievance redressal at HQ with adequate facilities	Yes View			Yes	Complied
6.	Whether Learner Support Centres are functioning with adequate staff/ adequate preparedness for smooth functioning	No			NA	NA
7.	Whether HEI has set up a full time dedicated help desk providing single window services for all learners related queries (as per clause (2) (v) of Regulation 18 of UGC (ODL Programmes & Online Programmes) Regulations, 2020	Yes View			Yes	Complied
8.	Details of Payment gateway/digital payment system	**Description** NEFT/IMPS Payment modes to A/C No : 146610100013427 A/C Name: The Registrar, National Sanskrit University, Tirupati		Url	OK	Complied
9.	Whether HEI has filed any court case(s) relating to distance education. If yes, number of such court cases with brief letters.	No			No	Complied

PART- VI: Compliance Status of Initial Defects/Deficiencies Communicated

Defect/Deficiency	Documentary (Yes/No)	Documentary evidence submitted	Information/Observations	Remarks, as applicable
Noted in pdf	Yes	View	Complied	Complied

PART VII: Overall Observations

Sr.No.	Subject	Observation
(1)	Adequacy in respect of compliance to all requirements to run proposed ODL programmes	Yes
(2)	Appropriateness of the availability of resources to run proposed ODL programmes	Yes
(3)	Whether the HEI has complied with the observations/deficiencies communicated as initial defects/ deficiencies as communicated by the UGC. (copy to be placed as Annexure II)	Yes (Complied)
(4)	Affiliation of the LSCs; if applicable	NA
(5)	Interaction with the Students (Mention Important points)	-

Sr.No.	Subject	Observation
(6)	Interaction with the Faculty(Mention Important points)	The Committee interacted with the faculty appointed for ODL Programmes. The faculty expressed their satisfaction with their job profile and facilities provided by the HEI.
(7)	Any other observation by the Expert Committee which it may like to highlight including suggestions, if any:	HEI is requested to incorporate wide usage of ICT for enhancing the effectiveness of teaching–learning process, and administrative functioning and for maintenance of updated information at all times in respect of the status of admissions, registration, for managing teaching-learning activities through online support for interactive learning with learner feedback, to facilitate the use of Open Educational Resources (OER), Massive Open Online Courses and for continuous as well as comprehensive evaluation, certification, and other aspects of learner support.

PART- VIII: Recommendations for recognition

A. Programmes (Non-Science)

S. No.	Programme Name	Recommended / Not Recommended	Reason(s); if not recommended
1	Shastri(Hons.) (Level- Bachelor's) -	Recommended	
2	Shastri(Hons.) (Level- Bachelor's) -	Recommended	
3	Bachelor of Arts (Hons) - Sanskrit	Recommended	
4	Acharya (Level- Masters) - Puranetihasa	Recommended	
5	Acharya (Level- Masters) - Dharmasastra	Recommended	
6	POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA (YOGA VIJNANA) - (YOGA VIJNANA)	Recommended	
7	Acharya (Level- Masters) - Jyotish Acharya	Recommended	
8	Acharya (Level- Masters) - Sahitya	Recommended	

B. Programmes (Science)

S. No.	Programme Name	Recommended / Not Recommended	Maximum Intake, if recommended	Reason(s); if not recommended

PART- IX: Recommendation Sheet - Learning Support Centres

Name & Address of College/institute (where LSC is established):	Name of HEI to which College/institute is affiliated (where LSC is established)	Whether the College/institute is private or Govt.(where LSC is established)	Name and Contact Details of Coordinator/counsellor	Qualification of Coordinator/Counsellor	No. of Counsellor
Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable

Observations of Committee, if any : 1. HEI is requested to incorporate wide usage of ICT for enhancing the effectiveness of teaching–learning process, and administrative functioning.

Name & Signature of the Experts :

Date : 15-02-2024