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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

AGENDA PAPERS

for

the 56th meeting of the NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Date: 14.1.1982
Time: 11.00 A.M.

Place: Conference Room
Administrative Building
Raja-Rammohunpur.

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur(Darjeeling).

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The 56th meeting of the North Bengal University Council will be held on Thursday, the 14th January, 1982 in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur to consider the following agenda :

A G E N D A

1. To confirm the minutes of the 55th meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 24.12.81.

   Decision:

   (Annexure-I)

2. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

   Decision:

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

   Decision:

4. To consider the recommendation of the Academic Committee in connection with granting of Study Leave to Smt. Chhanda Chakraborty, Lecturer in History, N.B.U.

   Decision:

5. To consider letter of resignation submitted by Shri Shobhan Chakraborty, Research Scholar, Deptt. of Chemistry, w.e.f. 16.12.81.

Decision:

6. To consider the case of Shri Ranjit Kr. Samanta Jr. Technical Assistant, Research Service Centre for confirmation. (His date of joining is 12th January, 1981).

Decision:

7. To consider suggestions from Dr. Pranay K. Kundu, Reader, Deptt. of Bengali in connection with formation of Research Committees and Selection Committees.

Decision:

8. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College (University College) held on 17.11.81.

Decision: (Annexure-II)

9. To consider the minutes of the meetings of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on -

1) 24th meeting held on - 14.5.80
2) 25th meeting held on - 25.7.80
3) 26th meeting held on - 16.9.80
4) 27th meeting held on - 24.12.80
5) 28th meeting held on - 2.4.81
6) 29th meeting held on - 25.7.81

Decision: (Annexure-III)

10. To consider a letter from Smt. Sati Khastgir, wife of Late Prof. H. N. Khastgir, Ex-Professor, Deptt. of Chemistry, offering some books for the University Library.

Decision:

11. To consider an appeal received from Sm. Sephali Chakraborti (Ganguli) regarding her termination of service from M.C. College.

Decision:

12. To consider a proposal for creation and filling up of the post of one Assistant Registrar provided in the Statutes.

Decision:

13. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with the prayer of Sri Balaram Datt, Binder for placing him to the post of Binder (in place of Gestetner Operator) from his date of joining i.e. 1.5.64.

Decision:

14. To consider Constitution of Selection Committees for some non-teaching posts.

Decision:

15. To consider the recommendation of the Committee formed by the Council for regularisation of pay scales of staff of USIC.

Decision:

16. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

REGISTRAR.

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
The 6th January, 1982.

University of North Bengal
P.O. rth Bengal University
Raja-mmohunpur(Darjeeling).

(Annexure-I)

Minutes of t 55th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Thursday, the 24th December, 19 at 11 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur.

Members present:

1. Dr. P. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Prof. K. Chatterjee
3. Shri A hattacharjee, Judge, Sikkim High Court
4. Dr. S. Sen, Professor of Physics, N.B.U.
5. Shri B K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
6. Shri B. Majumdar, Lecturer, Siliguri College
7. Dr. P. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya
8. Shri Ibrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A. C. College, Jalpaiguri
9. Shri I. Pradhan, Lecturer, St. Joseph's College, Darjeeling
10. Shri usudan Das, Lecturer, alipurduar College
11. Shri te Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College.

Shri S. M. Roytg. Finance Officer, Dr. . B. Majumdar, Inspector of Gges and Shri S. Majumdar, Deputy Controller of Examinations requested to make themselves available during the meeting.

1. The minute the 54th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held .12.81 were confirmed with the following amendments:

(i) Item. 6(i) Add "(k) Plumber (Jr.) - 1".

(ii) Item. 6(iii) Add "as Guards" after the word "appointment" arisinline 4.

2. To cons the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment iversity teachers. Lecturer in Chemistry (leave vacancy).

The Coapproved the recommendation of the selection Committee ided to appoint Shri bhijit Bhattacheryya as Lecturer in stry against the leave vacancy of Dr. D.L. Hazra on purely tary basis in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus

usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

Audit & Accounts Officer

The Council approved the panel recommended by the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Shri S. M. Roy to the post of Audit & Accounts Officer in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus usual allowances. In view of the fact that Shri Roy is serving this University as Audit & Accounts Officer on deputation from the Office of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India, his date of appointment and also fixation of pay will be made as per rules of his parent office and subject to negotiation with them.

Assistant Engineer (Electrical)

The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Shri Shukdeb Sinha to the post of Assistant Engineer (Electrical) in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

The above resolutions were confirmed for immediate action.

4. To consider a note & relevant papers from the Dy. Registrar for placement of Shri Parameswar Mallick, Record Supplier, Registrar's Branch in the post of Junior Asstt. cum-Typist.

The Council noted that Shri Parameswar Mallick who was appointed as Sweeper on 1.6.71 was later appointed to the post of Record Supplier on 1.7.73. Shri Mallick has applied for placement to the post of Junior Assistant-cum-typist in the light of Govt. order No.133(52)F dated 12.1.1963 wherein it has been stated that the Xth class pass certificate from a Higher Secondary School in India was equivalent to School Final/Matriculation pass certificate. Shri Mallick further stated that his claim may kindly be considered specially in view of the fact that he belongs to the category of schedule caste. The Council decided to refer the matter to the Recruitment/Promotion Sub-Committee for consideration and report. F2M-100/62

5. To consider recommdation of Committee formed to fill up posts sanctioned by Govt.

The Council considered the recommendation of the Recruitment/ Promotion Committee as per the meeting of the Committee held on 15.12.81, and decided as follows:

1. Out of the two posts of Machineman sanctioned by the State Govt. one post may not be filled up just now; instead, one post of Compositor may be advertised and filled up. This is in partial modification of the recommendation of the Committee approved by the NBU Council in its meeting held on 3.12.81 [Item Misc. 6(i)]. It was noted that the pay scales of Compositor and Machineman are identical.

2. The posts of Sweeper, Cleaner, Plumber (Jr), Skilled Helper (for Gas Plant) be advertised by notification in Notice Board and names be obtained from Employment Exchanges. Posts are to be reserved for S./S.T. candidates and preference to be given to persons whose lands were acquired for this University.

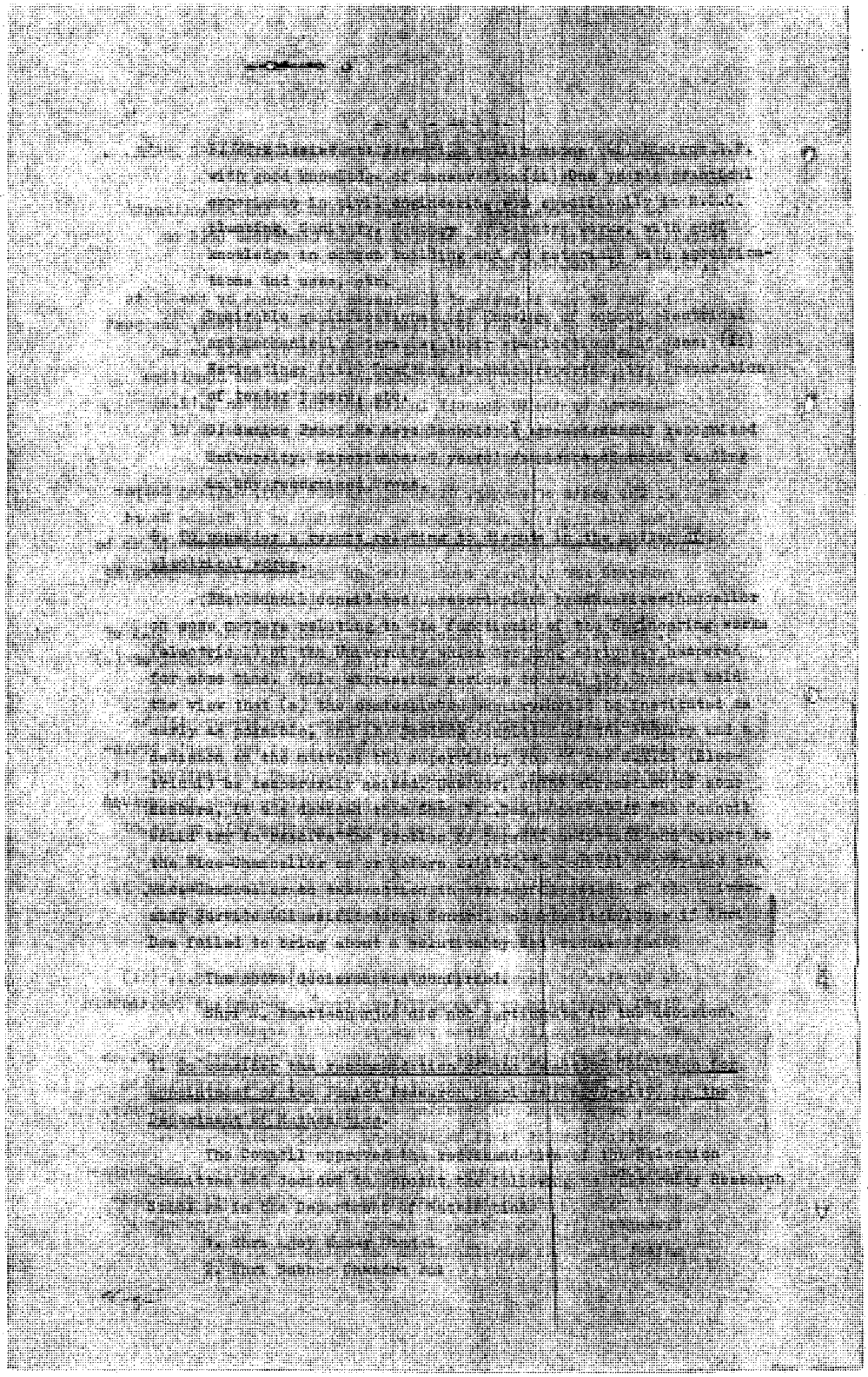
3. The qualifications prescribed for recruitment to the post of Instrument Supervisor (in Grade I) be modified in respect of (a) as follows:

"Essential: Bachelor's Degree in Science. Preference will be given to candidates having completed at least one year's training in instrument engineering in a recognised institution". It was also decided that the rest of the qualifications prescribed as per agenda item 7(b) of the Council meeting held on 3.6.81 be retained as before.

4. The following qualifications for the posts of Draftsman, Jr. Work Assistant and Sr. Proof Reader as recommended by the Committee are approved.

A. Draftsman: Essential qualifications: (i) Minimum S.F. (ii) Civil Engineering Draftsman diploma from a recognised Polytechnic or equivalent; (iii) Three years practical experience in a reputed Civil Engineering firm or Govt. or Semi-Govt. Deptt. as a Civil Engineering Draftsman; (iv) Knowledge of feroprinting work, preparation and checking of tender papers, rate analysis, specifications of Civil Engineering Works, estimate, etc.

Desirable qualifications: (i) Knowledge of electrical and mechanical draftsmanship; (ii) Surveying with common surveying instruments; (iii) Knowledge of common electrical and mechnical materials, their specifications and uses, etc.



The above scholars will receive a scholarship of Rs. 600/- per month and Rs. 3000/- per annum as contingent grant. The Scholars will be guided as per rules.

8. To consider the cases of undernoted employees of the University for confirmation:

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Shri Asoke Kanti Ghosh Asstt. Controller of Examinations, U.N.B.	3.12.80 (Forenoon)	3.12.81
2. Shri Chitta Ranjan Nayak Programmer, Library Deptt., N.B.U.	1.12.80 (Forenoon)	1.12.81
3. Shri Narayan Ch. Khatua Electrician-cum-Generator Operator, N.B.U.	17.3.80 (Forenoon)	17.3.81

The Council in consideration of the confidential reports and recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor decided to confirm the services of the following employees of the University with effect from the date mentioned against each, subject to (i) their being found medically fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) Verification of age and academic qualifications and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose:

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Shri Asoke Kanti Ghosh, Asstt. Controller of Examinations, U.N.B.	3.12.80 (Forenoon)	3.12.81
2. Shri Chitta Ranjan Nayak Programmer, Library Deptt. N.B.U.	1.12.80 (Forenoon)	1.12.81
3. Shri Narayan Ch. Khatua Electrician-cum-Generator Operator, N.B.U.	17.3.80 (Forenoon)	17.3.81

9. To report N.B.U. Act 1981 (W.B. Act XV of 1981 as published in Calcutta Gazette extraordinary dated 16.9.81).

Noted.

In this connection the Council approved the proposal that the Act might be printed and should be sold as a priced publication. The Council, further, noted that the Govt. of West Bengal has constituted a Committee to advice the Vice-Chancellor for reviewing and, if necessary, amending the existing Statutes. The Statute Committee has started functioning and the Statutes relating to Elections to the various authorities of the University are being reviewed on priority basis.

10. To consider the recommendations of Under Graduate Examination Advisory Committee in Engineering dated 30.11.81.

Noted and approved.

(Appendix I)

In the matter of Item No. 1 Shri P.K. Majumdar expressed his dissent since, he thought, the same might be taken as a precedent.

11. To consider the recommendations of the Committees of Research Studies in -

1. Bengali	2. English
3. Nepali	4. Sociology & Social Anthropology
5. Economics	6. Philosophy
7. Commerce	8. Geography & Applied Geography
9. Physics	10. Chemistry

Noted and approved.

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12. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in the matter of confirmation of Sri Pabitra Kr. Roy, Lecturer, Deptt. of Philosophy, N.B.U.

The Council decided that as per rules Shri Pabitra Kumar Roy be asked to produce his Matriculation Certificate in support of his age and that he be advised to submit original diplomas of various examinations that he passed.

13. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with adjustment of leave of Shri Suresh Ch. Barai, Carpenter Helper (Engineering Helper) N.B.U. on the basis of fitness certificate submitted by him.

The Council in its meeting held on 4.7.81 granted leave for 6 months from 1.5.81 to 31.10.81 with full pay and allowances to Shri Suresh Ch. Barai, Carpenter Helper on the basis of a medical certificate to the effect that he was suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis. In the meantime it was ascertained that Shri Barai actually joined his service on 23.6.81. Shri Barai was asked to consult the University Medical Officer who directed him for further examination by specialist. Shri Barai has submitted fitness certificate from the specialist as also from the Medical Officer of the University. Under the circumstances the Council decided that the leave granted to him may be suitably adjusted and Shri Barai may be allowed to join the duty.

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1. To consider a letter from Shri D.R.R. Chamling, Lecturer, Pol. Science, in connection with submission of bio-data required for consideration under the Merit Promotion Scheme.

The Council considered a letter from Shri D.R.R. Chamling. After certain discussion the Council decided that the State Govt. Rules regarding seniority may be ascertained in connection with placement of persons on senior scales.

2. To consider re-employment of Dr. T. B. Chhetri, Deptt. of Nepali & Prof. S. K. Chakraborty, Deptt. of Chemistry.

(a) The Council decided that Dr. T. B. Cheetri might be re-appointed to the post of Reader in Nepali for a further period of one year with effect from 1.2.82 in terms of Govt. Order No. 2883(7)-Edn(U) dated the 15th November, 1979.

(b) The Council noted that Dr. S. K. Chakravarti, Professor of Chemistry would complete 60 years of age in May, 1982. The Council was of the opinion that his services may be continued to be available in view of his research activities, etc. which would be beneficial to the University. The Council requested the Vice-Chancellor to take further action in this regard in terms of Govt. Order No. 2883(7)-Edn (U) dated the 15th November, 1979.

3. To report that, in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council the Vice-Chancellor has extended the tenure of scholarship of Sri Pradip Dutta, Research Scholar, Deptt. of Economics, for one year w.e.f. 14.11.81.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in extending the tenure of scholarship of Sri Pradip Dutta, Research Scholar, Department of Economics for one year with effect from 14.11.81.

4. To consider a letter of resignation tendered by Sri Prakash Chandra Adhikary, Junior Research Fellow (N.B.U.), Deptt. of Commerce w.e.f. 4.1.82.

The Council accepted resignation submitted by Sri Prakash Chandra Adhikary, Junior Research Fellow, Deptt. of Commerce w.e.f. 4.1.82 subject to clearance of all dues.

5. To approve the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in reconstituting the Committee of Under Graduate Studies in Engineering & Technology.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in reconstituting the Committee of Under Graduate Studies in Engineering & Technology in the light of transfer/placement of teachers in Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College. (Appendix III)

6. To consider a letter from Shri Swapan Kumar Saha, Scientific Officer, Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U. praying for granting him lien or any admissible leave for two years w.e.f. 11.1.82 in order to enable him to join as a Lecturer in Alipurduar College.

The Council decided to grant extraordinary leave without pay to Dr. Swapan Kumar Saha, Scientific Officer, Department of Chemistry for one year with effect from 11.1.82. Dr. Saha will be allowed to keep lien on his present post and would enjoy incremental benefit during the leave.

The resolution be taken as confirmed.

7. To consider a letter No. 81-82/B-1/248 dated 3.12.81 from the Principal, A. C. College, Jalpaiguri requesting the University to nominate another person on the Governing Body of A. C. College in place of Dr. Reba Ghosh, who has proceeded on lien from 3.12.81 to 15.12.82 to join Raja N.L.Khan College, Midnapur.

The Council decided to nominate Shri Naresh Chandra Bhowmik, Principal, A. C. College of Commerce on the Governing Body of A. C. College with immediate effect.

8. To consider prayer from Sri D.B.Roy, Assistant Engineer, N.B.U. for staying in the University Quarter from 1st February to 16th April, 1982 after retirement.

The Council permitted Sri D. B. Roy to live in the present quarter he is occupying upto the 16th April, 1982 from the date of his final retirement on payment of usual rent.

Misc. 1 The Council considered a letter from Sri Tarani Kanta Bhattacharjee, Ex-Lecturer in Bengali, North Bengal University and decided that his case regarding retirement benefits along with similar cases might be referred to the Govt. for special consideration in view of the University Statutes which are still pending Chancellor's approval.

Misc. 2 The Council considered a letter from the Principal, Alipurduar College for extension of affiliation in Honours course of Study in Chemistry, Economics and Biological Sciences. The Council noted that such affiliation could be possible only on prior approval of the Govt. However, to expedite the matter the Council decided that an inspection might be made on the feasibility of such extension by a team to be constituted by the Vice-Chancellor.

Misc. 3 The Council decided to release an amount of Rs. 15,971.33 being full and final payment of C.P.F. accumulation of the late Smt. Rekha Bhuiya who died on 12.10.81. The Council further decided that the amount may be paid to Smt. Ruhini Bhuiya, mother and nominee of late Smt. Rekha Bhuiya subject to adjustment of dues, if any. The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

Misc. 4 The Council approved the recommendation of the meeting of the Under Graduate Examination Advisory Committee held on 23.12.81. However, in the matter of recommendation mentioned in para d of item 1 the Council directed that full report should be placed through the Advisory Committee. In this connection the Council also directed that the Centres in-charge should be requested to inform the University about the conduct of examinations held in 1981 as also seat plans and any case of indiscipline. In connection with para 2(a) the Council decided to refer the matter to the Govt. In the matter of recommendation in item 2(b) the Council decided that the Finance Officer and the Deputy Controller of Examinations should submit a report on financial commitment.

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Misc. 5 The Council considered a letter from the Chairman, North Bengal University Consumers' Co-operative Society Ltd and decided to authorise the Vice-Chancellor to nominate persons, if needed, against those who were nominated earlier.

Misc. 6 The Council approved the recommendation in the matter of allotment of excess mark etc. to the B.A./B.Sc/B.Com candidates who appeared in the Examinations 1981.

(Appendix V)

Misc. 7 Three representatives of the North Bengal University Employees' Association including the President Sri Amitava Chowdhury, the General Secretary Sri Sunil Dhar and the Assistant General Secretary Sri Santi Chakraborty met the Council and represented that till finalisation of Promotion Policy by the Govt. of West Bengal the University Policy should continue to be implemented and that designations should be granted. The Council decided that the matter might be referred to the Recruitment/Promotion Sub-Committee of the Council. The representatives also demanded that immediate election should be held as per the North BengalUniversity Act 1981.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

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Appendix - I

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the meeting of the Advisory Committee for Engineering/held in the office Examinations of the Controller of Examinations on 30.11.81 at 12 noon.

Members present :

1. Principal H.Bhaumik,
   Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College

2. Dr.T.K.Ray,
   Hd.of the Deptt.of Mechanical Engg.,
   Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.

3. Dr. N.Majumder,
   Head of the Deptt.of Electrical Engg.,
   Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.

Shri B.K.Bajpaie,Registrar attended the meeting on invitation.

Item No.1 : To consider the case of one Gopal Kharel to repeat the B.E.Part II Examination.

Decision : The Principal reported that the Second Semester result pertaining to the B.E.Part II Examination,'80 was published rather late. Shri Gopal Kharel failed topass the examination and was to repeat the same as per rule. The first semester classes of the students of the following year was however completed earlier but the examination scheduled to be held was not held as the students abstainedfrom it enmasse.

The members present took a sympathetic view of the case and in view of the fact that both the 1st and 2d Comprehensive Examinations of B.E.Part II Examinatin,1981 have been programmed from 12.12.81 and 5.1.8 the Committee recommended that Shri Gopal Kharel be allowed to appear at the examinations without attending classes as a special case.

With regard to sessional and internal assessment marks it was recommended that as the rule of carrying over interna assessment marks of the previous year is prevalent in the Udergraduate Examinations and as the Engineering Examinatin regulation is silent about the matter the sessional and internal assessment marks of Shri Kharel of the session 1979-80 be carried over for the examinations of 1981.

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Item No.2: To consider report of the Principal regarding back paper ~~ex~~ examination of Civil Engineering(nne), 3 Electrical Engineering candidates of B.E. Final Section B (1st Semester) Examination,1981.

Decision: The Committee recommended acceptance of the Principal's proposal to hold the back paper examinations in respect of 3 Electrical Engineering and 1 Civil Engineering candidates who failed to pass the B.E.Final Section B (1st Semester) Examination,1981 from 1.12.81 in view of the fact that this is the last batch of students under the Five Year integrated course and also because there will be no further 1st Semester Examination under this regulation.

There being no other item, the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Appendix - II

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Bengali held on 16.12.81.

Members present:

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Dr. S.C.Lahiri, Head of the Department of Bengali
3. Dr. T.B.Chhetri, Head of the Department of Nepali
4. Prof. A.K.Sikdar, Professor of Bengali
5. Dr. P.Das, Reader in Bengali
6. Dr. P.K.Kundu, Reader in Bengali

1. The Board considered a letter from Smt. Shila Mukhopadhyay. In consideration of the difficulties mentioned and as recommended by the Head of the Department of Bengali, the Board recommended that Smt. Mukhopadhyay might be allowed to re-register her name for the degree of Ph.D. (Arts) in the same subject and she will work under the joint supervision of Dr. S.C.Lahiri and Shri P.K.Bhattacharjee.

2. The Board recommended that thesis resubmitted by Shri Nimal Bhusan Chatterjee be accepted for examination by the same examiners.

3. The Board recommended that Smt. Gayatri Bhattacharyya's thesis might be sent for examination. The Board approved the panels of examiners. The title of her thesis is " দুই মহাযুদ্ধের অন্তর্বর্তীকালীন বাংলা কবিতার সমাজসচেতনতা ও তার রূপায়ণ : রবীন্দ্রনাথ "।

In this connection the Board condoned a few months delay in submitting her thesis.

4. The Board considered an application from Shri Shib Shankar Roy and recommended that he might be permitted to work under the joint supervision of Dr. S.C.Lahiri and Shri Pran Kumar Mukherjee.

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5. The Board noted that one examiner for the thesis submitted by Shri Madhu Govinda Ghosh has not yet sent the report inspite of several reminders. The Board recommended that he might be requested again to send the report on or before 15.1.82 or, else, the thesis might be sent to another examiner from the panel approved at this meeting.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B.K.Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

PKE/MMC

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Nepali held on 16.12.81.

Members present:

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Dr. T.B.Chhetri, Head of the Department of Nepali
3. Prof. A.K.Sikdar, Professor of Bengali

1. The Board recommended that Shri Mohan Prasad Dahal might be permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D. (Arts) with effect from 6.7.1980. The title of his thesis is "Darjeeling Nepali Upanyaska Pramukh Mod MA Prabrittiharu". Shri Dahal be requested to retype his synopsis and send copies to the Registrar.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

PKB/MMC

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in English held on 16.12.61.

Members present:

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Shri K.K.Roy, Head of the Department of English
3. Prof. A.K.Sikdar, Professor of Bengali

1. The Board recommended that the thesis/~~re-~~submitted by Shri Pran Kumar Mukhopadhyay might be sent for examination to the same Examiners.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B.K.Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

BKB/MMC

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Economics held on 16.12.81.

Members present:

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Dr. P.C.Sarkar, Head of the Deptt. of Economics
3. Prof. M.Das Gupta, Professor of Economics
4. Shri S.K.Pal, Head of the Department of Mathematics
5. Shri H.C.Sharma, Reader in Commerce

1. The Board recommended that Shri Shyamal Chakraborty be permitted to submit his thesis entitled "Rural Indebtedness - Its Nature and Problems: A Study of Six Villages in Jalpaiguri District, North Bengal 1975-1977", and approved the panels of examiners recommended by the Head of the Department of Economics.

2. The Board permitted Shri Sekhar Sircar to register his name for the degree of Ph.D. (Arts) with effect from 1.12.1980. The title of his thesis is "Land Settlement and Revenue administration and taxation under the Maharajas of Cooch Behar State 1773-1949".

3. The Board decided that Shri Haripada Bhowmick might be advised to contact the Head of the Department of Economics in connection with supervision of his thesis.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B.K.Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- P...Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

BKB/MMC

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Sociology & Social Anthropology held on 16.12.61.

Members present:

1. Dr. P.A.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Prof. N.C.Chaudhuri, Head of the Department of Sociology & Social Anthropology
3. Dr. A.Deb, Reader in History

1. The Board considered the opinion of the experts on the synopses submitted by Shri Biswajyoti Bhattacharjee, Shri Bimalendu Majumdar and Smt. Soma Latta Roy. The Board directed that the applicants be advised to rewrite the synopsis pointing out the objectives of the thesis, statement of problem, methodology, over view of literature and chapter scheme.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- E. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

EKB/MMC

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Geography & Applied Geography held on 16.12.81.

Members present:

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Dr. S.R.Basu, Head of the Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography
3. Prof. N.C.Chaudhuri, Head of the Department of Sociology & Social Anthropology
4. Prof. B.Bhattacharjee, Professor of Geography & Applied Geography
5. Shri A.K.Pal, Reader in Geography & Applied Geography

1. The Board recommended that the following be permitted to register their names for the degree of Ph.D. (Science) with effect from the dates mentioned against each:

Name of the candidate	w.e.f.	Topic of Research
(a) Sri Chittaranjan Banerjee	21.9.81	Variation in Credit Insurance facilities for rural development in West Bengal -with special reference to Siliguri-Naxalbari Area under the joint supervision of Prof. B. Bhattacharjee and Dr. R.N.Chattopadhyay of IIT, Kharagpur.
(b) Smt. Kabita Kar (Saha)	1.6.81	Population Dynamics of the Urban centres of North Bengal
(c) Sri Dipankar Kanta Bhattacharjee	1.3.81	A Study of changing pattern of life and activities of some major tribal communities of Jalpaiguri District.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B.K.Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

BKB/MMC

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Philosophy held on 16.12.81.

Members present:

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Prof. S.K.Sen, Head of the Deptt. of Philosophy
3. Smt. Manjulika Ghosh, Lecturer in Philosophy

1. The Board permitted Shri Pabitra Kumar Roy for submission of his thesis entitled "Hume's Theory of the Passions; a study of Book II (of the Passions) of a treatise of human nature by David Hume". The Board approved the panels of examiners as recommended.

2. The Board recommended that Shri Pramod Ranjan Roy may be permitted to write his thesis in Bengali language since the source materials for the thesis are written either in Bengali or Assamese or Sanskrit.

3. The Board recommended that Smt. Jayasree Mukherjee may be permitted to register her name for the degree of Ph.D. (Arts) with effect from 11.4.80. The title of her thesis is "Word meaning".

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B.K.Rajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Chemistry held on 16.12.81

Members present:

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Prof. A.K.Ghosh, Head of the Deptt. of Chemistry
3. Prof. S.K.Chakravarti, Professor of Chemistry
4. Dr. S.K.Majumdar, Reader in Chemistry
5. Shri B.K.Das, Reader in Chemistry
6. Prof. S.R.Das Gupta, Professor of Mathematics

1. The Board recommended that the following persons be permitted to register their names for the degree of Ph.D. (Science) with effect from the dates mentioned against each:

Name of the candidate	w.e.f.	Topic of Research
(a) Sri Prabir Roy	2.11.79	Synthesis, Insecticidal Activity, Toxicity, Anti-cholinesterase Activity and Other Biological Properties of some Saligenin Cyclic Phosphorus Compounds
(b) Sri Partha Chattopadhyay	29.2.80	Extractive Photometric, Gravimetric and characteristic studies on complexes of some Heavy metals.
(c) Sri Madhur Kr Pramanik	11.10.79	Studies on some Saligenin Cyclic Phosphoramidothionates having fungicidal activities.
(d) Sri Mrinal K.Roy	10.12.79	Studies on some organophosphorus compounds: Spectral properties, Biological Activities and Hydrolytic Properties
(e) Sri Asim Kumar Mallick	11.10.79	Studies on Biocidal properties of some Organotin co-ordination Compounds.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B.K.Bajpaie
Registrar

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh
Chairman

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Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Physics held on 16.12.81.

Members present:

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Dr. S.Mukherjee, Head of the Deptt. of Physics
3. Prof. S.N.Sen, Professor of Physics
4. Prof. S.R.Das Gupta, Professor of Mathematics
5. Dr. B.Bhattacharjee, Reader in Physics
6. Prof. A.K.Ghosh, Professor of Chemistry

1. The Board recommended that Shri Sudipta Kumar Sadhya may be permitted to submit his thesis entitled "Investigations on the Properties of Magnetised Plasma". The Board approved the panels of examiners recommended by the Head of the Department of Physics.

2. The Board recommended that the following be permitted to register their names for the degree of Ph.D. (Science) with effect from the dates mentioned against each:

Name of the candidate	w.e.f.	Topic of Research
(a) Sri Jahnabi Bhusan Basu	1.1.80	Atomic pair production in the threshold region.
(b) Sri Saktipada Das	1.1.80	Investigation on some characteristic Properties of Glow Discharge

3. The Board approved the change of title of the thesis of Sri Gopal Chandra Goswami from "A New Air Shower Array for Investigation of Muons and Hadrons in Air Showers" to "A New Air Show Array - Investigation of Electron and Muon Distribution in Air Showers".

4. The Board considered the application submitted by Sri Anjan Kumar Chaki and directed that he should contact the Head of the Department of Physics in connection with supervision of his thesis.

Sd/- B.K.Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

BKB/MMC

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research studies in Commerce held on 16.12.81.

Members present:

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Shri J.N.Chakraborty, Head of the Deptt. of Commerce
3. Prof. K.P.Deb, Professor of Commerce
4. Shri R.C.Sharma, Reader in Commerce
5. Shri S.P.Pal, Head of the Deptt. of Mathematics

1. The Board was of the opinion that Shri Sankar Chakraborty be advised to submit his thesis after consulting his guide and with a certificate from the guide.

2. The Board recommended that Shri Haripada Dutta may be permitted to submit his thesis entitled "Pattern of [illegible] consumption, investment and income of small farmers of Jalpaiguri (1977-80) - A Study". The Board approved the panels of examiners recommended by the Head of the Department of Commerce.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B.K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- B.K.Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

(Appendix III)

NOTE TO THE VICE-CHANCELLOR

Since Jalpaiguri Engineering College is a Govt. one and since the teachers of the College are being often transferred, the Principal Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College suggested reconstitution of the Committee of Under Graduate Studies in Engineering & Technology with the following members:-

1. Dr. H. Bhowmick, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College, (Chairman)
2. Prof. S. Bhattacharyya, Asstt. Prof. (EE)
3. Prof. S. K. Sen Gupta, Asstt. Prof. (CE)
4. Prof. S. S. Chatterji, Asstt. Prof.
5. Prof. S. Dutta } Asstt. Prof. (ME)
6. Prof. S. K. Roy }
7. Dr. B. Banerjee, Asstt. Prof. of Maths.
8. Sri D. K. Chakraborty, Asstt. Prof. of Physics.
9. Prof. A. N. Dey, (on deputation) Asstt. Prof. (EE)
10. Prof. B. Purakayastha
11. Prof. N. Majundar, Professor (EE)
12. Prof. A. N. Paul, (on deputation) Asstt. Prof. (EE)
13. Prof. N. C. Sinha, Professor (CE)
14. Prof. M. N. Moulik, Asstt. Professor (CE)
15. Prof. T. K. Roy, Mech. Deptt.
16. Prof. M. K. Talukdar, Mech. Deptt.
17. Prof. S. Barua Choudhury, Mech. Deptt.
18. Prof. D. K. Banerjee, Hum. Deptt.
19. Prof. P. K. Dutta, Deptt. of Chemistry.

Placed for Vice-Chancellor's order.

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
Vice-Chancellor.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
Registrar.

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Appendix-IV

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the meeting of the U.G.Examination Advisory Committee held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 23.12.81 at 1 p.m.

Members present :

1. Dr. A.B.Majumder, Inspector of College,N.B.U.
2. Shri Debabrata Ghosh,A.C.College,Jalpaiguri
3. Shri P.K.Majumder,Siliguri College,Siliguri.

Item No.1 : To consider the results of B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Part I(Old) Examination,1981.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed before the members the statement of results of B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.Part I (Old) Examination, 1981 as submitted by the tabulators. In view of the very low percentage of pass and also in view of the fact that there will be no further Part I Examination under the Old regulations, the members recommended finalisation of results on award of grace marks of 20 according to the following formulae.

(a) Maximum grace marks to be awarded for making up deficiencies in pass subjects/group will not exceed 20 without restriction but not exceeding the original marks.

This benefit will be extended to the candidates who have appeared in failed subject(s)/back paper(s).

(b) In respect of Science candidates, the award as per (a) above should be suitably distributed to make up deficiency in Theoretical and Practical Papers without restriction but not exceeding the original marks.

(c) No grace marks shall be awarded to make up deficiency in Honours subjects.

(d) Candidates benefited by grace will not be further benefited by re-examination.

In this connection the members also considered the Reports of the Visiting Teams received from different Zonal Coordinators and noted with serious concern the manner in which the examination in Political Science(Pass) Paper II was conducted in one room each of the Cooch Behar and Dinhata, Colleges in which all norms of examination were thrown aside.

The members of the Committee unanimously recommended action as under :

(a) The examination in Room No.I of Cooch Behar College held on 8.8.81(Pol.Sc.Paper II) be cancelled as per recommendation of the V.T. They should be given the benefit of award of grace even if ineligible. /not

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(b) The examination in Room No.28 of Dinhata College held on 8.8.81 (Pol.Sc.Paper II) be cancelled as per recommendation of the V.T. They should/be given the benefit of award of grace even if eligible./not

(c) The stray cases of Malpractice referred to by the V.T. be treated as R.A.cases and placed before M.E.C. for decision.

(d) The Committee took a serious view of the absence of the Centre-in-Charge at the Siliguri College Centre as reported by the V.T. and recommended that this be conveyed to the Centre-in-Charge for future guidance.

The members present also expressed concern over the late publication of results of various U.G. Examinations and that too with large number of incomplete cases owing to non-receipt of marks in certain subjects pertaining to some Centres from the Chairmen. The Committee therefore recommended that the name of examiners who were responsible for such delay should be listed and sent to the N.B.U./Council with the recommendation that they be debarred from examinership at least for two consecutive years.

Item No.2 :To consider the letter No.05/TC/81-82 dated 4.12.81 received from the Secretary, Teachers' Council, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya.

Decision : The members noted the contention of the letter of the Secretary, Teachers' Council, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya and recommended as under :

(a) Regarding payment of full remuneration to all Papersetters for setting a particular paper by 5 teachers the Committee recommended to refer the matter to the N.B.U. Council for decision.

(b) Regarding payment of T.A./D.A. to examiners the Committee recommended that all examiners attending examiners' meeting be paid actual bus fare (both way) for their journey to the University from their Headquarters and D.A. at half of the full rate as prescribed in rules. The teachers coming from hill Colleges shall however be entitled to get/as per rates decided earlier. /T.A.

Miscellaneous item :

(i) To consider the petitions received from candidates of B.A.Part II(New 3 Year Honours) Examination,1981 complaining against setting of questions from out of the syllabus in Bengali (Honours).

Decision : In view of the serious nature of the problem the members recommended that a separate item be made on the applications complaining about out of the syllabus question in Bengali(Honours) Papers IV, V, VI and VII for consideration of the Committee at its next meeting along with a comparative statement of performance of the candidates to be submitted by the tabulators.

There being no other item in the agenda the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

A meeting of the Under-Graduate Examination Advisory Committee was convened on 12.12.81 to consider the finalisation of results of the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Two Year Pass) and B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Part I and Part II (Three year Honours course) Examinations,1981. But none of the members except Dr.A.B.Majumdar attended the meeting. Shri B.K.Bajpaie, Registrar was, however, present as a special invitee.

In view of the fact that the publication of the results of the examination referred to above cannot be delayed further and as the tabulators concerned have been experiencing some difficulties on certain points with regard to award of excess 10 marks in Additional Compulsory Language and the usual 1% tabulators award in a pass subject the following points of clarifications were laid down after a detailed discussion by Dr. A.B.Majumdar. Shri B.K.Bajpaie, Dy.Controller of Examinations and the Assistant Controller of Examinations for instructions of the tabulators to finalise the results in the light of it.

The clarifications are being noted below for kind perusal and approval of the Vice-Chancellor in anticipation of the expost facto approvalof the Council.

1. The results of the Colleges who have not yet submitted marks in internal assessments should be published as incomplete.

2.(a) A maximum of 10 marks only out of the excess marks in Additional Compulsory Language as provided in the Ordinances can be distributed, if necessary, to make up the deficiency in pass subjects

(b) Candidates should not be given the double benefit of tabulator's award of 1% and award of excess marks in Additional Compulsory Language in the same pass subject e.g. if a candidate obtains 70 marks in Philosophy (Pass), he cannot get the benefit of the said excess 10 marks since after adding the 10 marks the candidate does not pass in the subject and any tabulators' award after the excess marks will be a double benefit which he cannot get. However if a candidate obtains 72 marks, say, in Philosophy (Pass) and 80 marks in Political Science(Pass) and 79 marks in History (Pass), he is eligible for the award of excess 10 marks, if he has, in Philosophy and 2 marks as tabulator's award in Political Science and 2 marks as tabulator's award in History.

3.(a) If a candidate fails in one subject only and cannot make up the deficiency even after the award of excess marks to his credit, he will get the benefit of re-examination in that subject.

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(b) If a candidate secures less than pass marks in Elective subjects and is in a position to make up his deficiency in one or two by award of excess marks to his credit and still remains deficient in one subject only he will get the benefit of re-examination in the subject in which he now remains deficient.

4. The tabulators' awards of 1% are to be indicated with an index 'T' e.g. 80 + 2 T.

5. (a) Candidates who are short of 1 mark only for being placed in the 1st or 2nd Division may be awarded the mark to make up the deficiency for placement in the division to which they become eligible by award of one mark.

(b) The same benefit may be extended to the Honours candidates to place them in the Class to which they become eligible by award of the one mark.

6. (a) Casual candidate who appeared in one subject only shall not be entitled to the benefit of re-examination in case of their failure in that subject. They may, however, be extended the usual benefit of 1% tabulators' award.

(b) Casual candidates who appeared in the examination in all the subjects shall be eligible for the benefit of re-examination in case of their failure in one subject and also for the usual 1% tabulators' award, if necessary.

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Annexure - II

MINUTES OF THE NINETYFIRST MEETING OF THE COLLEGE COUNCIL.

The ninetyfirst meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College (University College), was held on 17th November,1981 at 2.30 P.M. at the Guest House of the University of North Bengal.

PRESENT :

Prof.P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U. (In the Chair).

Prof.A.K.Ghosh, Head of the Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.

Shri S.M.Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.

Dr.B.C.Bagchi.

Shri S.K.Sarkar, Teachers' Representative on the College Council.

Shri B.Choudhury, Teachers' Representative on the College Council.

Shri S.N.Roy,Principal & Secretary.

ABSENT :

The District Magistrate, West Dinajpur.

The Sub-Divisional Officer, Raiganj.

Shri K.C.Mitra, Advocate, Raiganj.

Shri K.N.Singha, M.L.A., Raiganj.

Shri Dipak Chatterjee, Raiganj Coronation School.

Shri H.K.Sarkar, Kaliyaganj College.

Dr.A.B.Majumder, Inspector of Colleges, Special Invitee.

1. Minutes :-

Minutes of the last meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College (University College), held on 19th September,1981, were read and confirmed.

2. Business Arising :-

a) Estimates for blinds for the Girls' Hostel (Vide Item No.28 (f) of the minutes of the last meeting) :-

Estimates for blinds and fencing for the Girls' Hostel were placed before the meeting.

It was decided that the Inspector of Colleges and Finance Officer would examine the issue and send their necessary recommendation.

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2. (b) Resignation of Shri K.K.Sarkar, Programme Officer,NSS (Vide item No.2 (a) of the minutes of the last meeting):-

The Principal reported that Shri K.K.Sarkar who was appointed Programme Officer, NSS, submitted his resignation from the position.

Decision : It was decided to accept the resignation of Shri K.K.Sarkar and readvertise the post among themembers of the teaching staff.

3. Monthly Estimates :-

Monthly Estimates for the month of August,1981 as placed before the meeting were approved subject to scrutiny by the Finance Officer.

4. Appointment to teaching and non-teaching posts :-

a) Appointment of Shri Tapan Kumar Majumder, M.Sc., as a Lecturer in Botany (Letter of West Bengal College Service Commission, Calcutta, No.2177/Apptt/81, dated 14.9.81) :-

The Principal reported that he offered provisional appointment to Shri Tapan Kumar Majumder, M.Sc., as a Lecturer in Botany, on the basis of recommendation of the West Bengal College Service Commission as contained in their letter No. 2177/Apptt/81, dated 14.9.81 with effect from 25th Sept.,1981.

Decision : Decided to approve of the provisional appointment of Shri Tapan Kumar Majumder as a Lecturer in Botany as offered by the Principal with effect from 25th September,1981. Decided further thata full appointment letter on the basis of the proforma of the West Bengal College Service Commission, enclosed with their recommendation, appointing Shri Tapan Kumar Majumder as a Lecturer in Botany in the substantive post with effect from 25th September, 1981 as per usual terms and conditions and pay scale, be issued.

b) Appointment of Shri Ranjit Kumar Choudhury, M.Sc., as a Lecturer in Botany (Letter No.2368/Apptt/81, dated 22.10.1981 of the West Bengal College Service Commission, Calcutta) :-

Letter of recommendation of the West Bengal College

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Service Commission for appointment of Shri Ranjit Kumar Choudhury, M.Sc., as a lecturer in Botany was placed before the meeting.

Decision : It was decided that appointment be offered to Shri Ranjit Kumar Choudhury for the substantive post of a Lecturer in Botany with effect from 11th January, 1982 on usual terms and conditions and usual pay scale. Decided further that the appointment letter be issued in conformity with the proforma of the West Bengal College Service Commission attached to their letter of recommendation No.2368/Apptt/81, dated 22.10.1981.

(c) Appointment of Shri Gurupada Choudhury,M.Sc.,as a substitute lecturer in Physics in Leave Vacancy under F.I.P. Scheme (Letter No.2248/Apptt/81, dated 22.9.1981 of the West Bengal College Service Commission,Caloutta):-

The Principal reported that he offered a provisional appointment to Shri Gurupada Choudhury as a substitute lecturer in Physics in place of Shri Ashoke Kumar Guha with effect from 3rd November,1981 for such period as may be decided by the College Council, on the basis of recommendation of the West Bengal College Service Commission in their letter No.2248/Apptt/81, dated 22.9.1981.

Decided to approve of the provisional appointment offered by the Principal to Shri Gurupada Choudhury from 3.11.1981. Decided further that a full letter of appointment keeping it within the framework of the proforma of the appointment letter of the Commission be issued to Shri Gurupada Choudhury, appointing him as a Lecturer in Physics, purely on temporary basis, in leave vacancy, under F.I.P. Scheme, on usual pay scale, terms and conditions for six months, with effect from the date of his provisional appointment i.e. the 3rd November,1981.

5. Extension of services of Dr.Anupam Sarkar, M.Sc., Ph.D., Substitute lecturer in Chemistry :-

The Principal reported that during his conversation with the Secretary, West Bengal College Service Commission, he came to learn that the Commission was not in a position to

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recommend appointment for short-term leave. In the circumstances, it was decided to extend the services of Dr.Anupam Sarkar, Substitute lecturer in Chemistry in place of Shri Rabindranath Mukherjee, up to 13th March,1982.

6. Purchase of a Generator :-

After discussion on the matter it was decided that a Generator may be hired on daily rent basis for teaching days only in the Evening Section on a trial basis.

7. Execution of Council's decision on the four-part-time teachers for Plus 2 Course Commerce :-

The Principal reported that three signatories namely Shri Tapas Ghosh, Shri Pradip Ghosh and Shri Atul Krishna Saha submitted letters expressing regret for the objectionable letter writted to the Principal, and they also assured that they did not associate themselves with the sentiments expressed in that letter. The Principal in consultation with Shri K.C.Mitra and Dr.B.C.Bagchi decided to accept their explanation. In case of Shri Amal Kumar Mitra, as per resolution of the last meeting his services were terminated with effect from the date he had not been taking classes. Decided to approve of the action of the Principal in this behalf.

It was also pointed out in this connexion that two vacancies were created in the Commerce Section (For Plus 2 Course) Commerce) -- the vacancy caused by the termination of services of Shri Amal Kumar Mitra and that of Shri Dipankar Bhattacharya, who left much earlier. It was decided that the vacanckes (Part-time teaching posts in Plus 2 Course Commerce) be filled up by advertisement and the Selection Committee for the purpose would be constituted with (a) Principal (as Chairman), (b) a nominee of the Vice-Chancellor, and (c) Head of the Deptt. of Commerce, Raiganj College (University College).

8.(a) Application of Shri R.K.Sinha, M.Sc., Lecturer in Zoology, seeking permission for submission of P.F.subscription for the period from 1st July,1980 to 30th June, 1981 in instalments :-

Decided to grant his application as per rules.

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8. (b) Application of Dr.P.K.Mandal, M.Sc., Ph.D., Lecturer in Zoology, seeking permission for submission of arrear P.F.subscription for the period from 1st July,1980 to 30th June, 1981 in instalments :-

Decided to grant his application as per rules.

9. Application of the Head of the Deptt. of Physics, Raiganj College (University College), submitting an estimate for Rs.1140/- for protection of the laboratory by a Grille-cum-Collapsible Gate :-

Deferred.

10. Leave Applications :-

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11. P.F.Loan : Applications of -

a)	Shri S.N.Roy, Principal.	: For Rs.5,800/-
b)	Shri J.K.Sen, Lecturer & Head of the Deptt. of English.	: For Rs.2,500/-
c)	Shri D.K.Ghosh Roy, Lecturer.	: For Rs.8,460/-
d)	Shri K.K.Ghosh, Lecturer.	: For Rs.5,832/-
e)	Shri A.K.Ghosh, Lecturer.	: For Rs.3,600/-
f)	Shri B.Bhattacharya, Acting Head Clerk cum Cashier.	: For Rs.4,200/-
g)	Shri H.D.Roy, Asstt.	: For Rs.3,600/-
h)	Shri A.C.Roy, Lab.Bearer.	: For Rs.2,000/-
i)	Shri Loke Bahadur, Night Guard cum Bearer.	: For Rs.2,000/-
j)	Shri F.C.Harijan, Sweeper.	: For Rs.1,200/-

Decided to approve of the action of the Principal in sanctioning loan from the Provident Fund to the above applicants as per rules.

ADDITIONAL AGENDA

12. Govt.Order No.390(6)Edn(B) , dated the 18th August, 1981 re: 1 M-37/81 grant of additional D.A. from 1st April,1981 to 31st July, 1981 in connexion with equalisation of rates of Dearness Allowances of the employees of non-Govt. educational institutions with those under the Govt.

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Govt.Order No.396(6)-Edn(B), dated the 24th August, 1981, 1 M-41/81

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re : grant of further additional Dearness Allowances to the employees of non-govt. Educational institutions with effect from 1.8.81:-

Decided that G.O.No.396(6)-Edn(B), dated the 24th August, 1981 regarding additional D.A. be implemented with immediate effect.

Further, the Principal is requested to submit necessary bill to the D.P.I. for realisation of the Arrear D.A.

G.O.No.390(6)Edn(B), dated the 18th August has not been received at the University, and as such will not be taken into consideration.

13. Statements of accounts of grants utilised by the Departments of Botany and Zoology :-

Statements of accounts of grants as submitted by the Departmentts of Botany and Zoology were placed before the meeting.

Decision : The statements were approved subject to scrutiny by the Finance Officer.

14. Application of Shri Biswanath Bhattacharya, Acting Head Clerk, praying for enhancement of part-time allowance and appointment of one offfce clerk and one office bearer for the Night Section :-

Decision : The part-time allowance of Shri Biswanath Bhattacharya, Acting Head Clerk cum Cashier, for the Night Section will be enhanced as per Govt. Order No.1285-Edn(CS), dated the 20th July,1981.

15. Adoption of any one of the alternatives suggested by the UGC in their letter No.F.4-3/81(UC) dated 11 SEP 1981 for execution of building projects including Planning, Architecturak and Structural design, estimates and construction work :-

Deferred.

16. Stopping of further increment in the case of the Librarians (Including Deputy Librarians/Asstt.Librarians) on the Revised UGC Scales of pay who will fail to obtain prescribed qualifications for the U.G.C.Scale within five years from the date of issue of Govt. Order No.819-Edn(CS)of 4.5.1981 :-

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Deferred.

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17. Application of Shri S.N.Banerjee, Head of the Deptt. of Sanskrit, praying for leave and financial assistance for attending the KALIDAS SAMAROHA at Ujjoini where he has been requested to read two articles :-

The application dated 9.11.81 of Shri S.N.Banerjee was placed before the meeting. It was noted that Shri Banerjee did not route his application through the College and as such the Council regretted inability to take any action in the matter. It was decided further that the teachers be notified to the effect that they should proceed to such seminars and conferences only when such participation has been approved by the College Council.

18. Two representations, dated 8-11-81 and 9-11-81 from the Students' Unions (Day and Night) :-

The Principal reported that there was no money left for the Night Section Magazine and he prayed to the Vice-Chancellor to consider the possibility of a grant towards the publication of the Commerce Section magazine.

The Principal was requested to submit a note to the Vice-Chancellor in this behalf, and it was noted that the University was not in a position to sanction a grant beyond a certain limit in ~~xxx~~ this behalf.

19. D. P.I.'s letter No.1458-C dated 10.9.81 apparently sent by 7 A-250-69 the West Bengal College Service Commission re : breach of condition of Teacher Fellowship on the part of a followship awardee :-

The contents of the letter were noted.

20. A.O.B.

a) Superintendent,Boys' Hostel,Raiganj College(University College) :-

A point was raised in the meeting that though Dr.Dilip Kumar Das had been appointed the Superintendent of the Boys' Hostel long back it was not yet then possible for him to take over charge as the outgoing Superintendent of the hostel did not vacate the quarters.

Decided to request the ex-Superintendent of the Boys' Hostel to vacate the quarters early or else market-rate-rents for the quarters would be charged with immediate effect.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the CHAIR.

Sd/- S.N.Roy
Secretary,
College Council
Raiganj College (Univ.College)

Sd/-P.K.Ghosh 11/12
President,
College Council,
Raiganj College(Univ.College).

Annexure - III

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur, Darjeeling.

Minutes of the 24th meeting of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on 14th May, 1980 at 4-30 P.M. at the University Guest House.

Members present:

(i) Shri P.K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, in the chair
(ii) Shri S.R. Sarkar, Advocate, Siliguri
(iii) Shri N.K. Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri
(iv) Shri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.
(v) Shri D. Paul, Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College & Secretary, N.B.U. Law College Council.

Shri T.P. Mishra Lecturer, N.B.U. Law College attended the meeting on special invitation.

Item No. 1. To consider the question of adoption of Revised Regulations pertaining to the Law Examinations now in vogue in Calcutta University as referred to by the Controller of Examinations, N.B.U.

Decision: The Revised Regulations of the Calcutta University Law College were considered and it was decided that the matter might be referred to the Board of Studies in Law and their obervation/views might be placed before the council.

Item No. 2 To consider the question of opening of PG. Course in Law.

Decision: The matter was considered and it was decided that the same might be referred to the Board of Studies in Law and their views might be placed before the council.

Item No. 3 To constitute an admission committee to consider the applications for admission into Preliminary Law Class during the current 1980-81 session and also to consider the question of admission of students into Intermediate and Final Law Classes during the current 1980-81 session.

Decision: The Council constituted an Admission Committee with the following members:

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i) Shri N.K. Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri
ii) Shri S.R. Sarkar, Advocate, Siliguri
iii) Shri B.B. Ghosh, Advocate, Jalpaiguri
iv) Shri P.C. Mitra, Advocate, Jalpaiguri
v) Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer, N.B.U. Law College.
vi) The Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College Convenor

It was also decided that the students might be admitted as per guidelines given by the above committee on the basis of the relevant rules of the Bar Council of India.

It was further decided that preference might be given to candidateswho passed the qualifying examination from any college affiliated to the North Bengal University. The above committee might, however, consider admission of students of other universities who have scored sixty percent or more marks in the qualifying examination.

Immediate action might be taken in the matter.

Item No. 4 — To constitute an Examination Elegibility Review Committee.

Decision: It was decided that in order to condone shortage in attendance of students a committee might be constituted with the following members:

i) Shri N.K. Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri
ii) Shri P.C. Mitra, Advocate, Jalpaiguri
iii) Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer, N.B.U. Law College.
iv) The Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College, Convenor

Immediate action might be taken in the matter.

Item No. 5 To approve the expenditure made during the financial year 1979-80 for purchase of books for the college library and also to approve the proposed purchase of books to the tune of Rs. 2000/- for the College Library from Eastern Law House, Calcutta.

Decision: The Council approved the purchase of books for the College Library as detailed below during 1979-80.

Purchase made from the College fund Rs. 1,764=35.
Purchase made under the UGC Scheme of Book Bank Rs. 1,392=20.

It was also noted that an amount of Rs. 6000/- (Rs. 4000/- from the UGC and Rs. 2000/- from the State Govt.) was received as grant and an amount of Rs. 6,625=01 was spent under thesoheme of Book Bank. The Lecturer-in-Charge reported that a further sum of Rs.2000/- was due from the UGC on this account. The Council requested the Lecturer-in-Charge to write to the UGC for release of the balance grant at a very early date.

The council also approved the proposed purchase of books to the tune of Rs. 2000/- from Eastern Law House, Calcutta for the College Library.

Item No. 6 To approve the expenditure made for purchase of furniture for College Library, Students' Cheap Canteen, Students' Association Room and Reading Room.

Decision: The Council approved the expenditure made for the purchase of furniture for the college as detailed below:

i) For Students' Cheap Canteen:

Steel Almirah	1 No
Table with Aluminium Top....	2 Nos.
Benches with Back Rest.....	4 Nos.

ii) For Students' Association Room:

Tables.....	2 Nos
Chairs with Arms.....	2 Nos
Chairs without Arms.....	4 Nos.
Steel Almirah.....	1 No.
Shelf.....	1 No.

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iii) For Library

Card Index Cabinets.....	2 Nos.
Vinarak Library Rack.....	1 No.
Chairs without Arms..... (for Reading Room)	8 Nos.
Wooden Almirah.....	1 No.

It was noted that the purchase was made with the approval of the Vice-Chancellor on the basis of the approval of the Purchase Committee.

Immediate action may be taken with regard to the payment of the pending bills.

Item No. 7 — To approve the expenditure made in connection with the conduct of University Examinations, 1979 (July/August, 1979 and Jan./Feb. 1980)

Decision: The Council approved the expenditure made in this regard.

Item No. 8 — To consider the question of admission of students coming from Assam due to recent disturbances.

Decision: The Council decided that action might be taken as per decision of the N.B.U. Council (Item No. 54(b) taken at its meeting held on 21.3.80) which is reproduced below:

"(b) The council also noted that there are a few students who wanted to appear in LL.B. Examination from this University. The Council decided that they must pass the qualifying examination of this University to be able to appear at the next examination. In other words, they must pass the Preliminary Law Examination of this University to be eligible to appear in the Intermediate Examination of this University and to be eligible to appear at the Final LL.B. Examination they must pass the Preliminary and Intermediate Examination of this University".

Item No. 9 — To consider the question of creation of two posts one for a full time clerk and the other for a full time peon (these posts will be in addition to those for which the State Govt. has been approached for approval.

Decision: The Council decided to recommend to the N.B.U. Council for creation of one more post of

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a full time peon for the College.
The consideration for creation of one more post of full-time clerk be deferred for the present.
In this connection the Council decided that one full-time clerk might be appointed on temporary and contingent basis at the daily rate of Rs. 12/- against the post already created and..... for which the State Govt. had been approached for approval. The said clerk should have some experience of accounts work and should know typing. The council also decided that the said clerk be appointed with the approval of the Vice-Chancellor on the basis of recommendation of the Selection Committee constituted with the following:

i) Shri P.C. Mitra, Advocate, Jalpaiguri
ii) The Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College, Convenor

A fresh list of ten candidates might be obtained from Siliguri Employment Exchange for the said purpose.
Immediate action be taken in this regard.

Item No. 10 Any other matter with the approval of the chair.

Decision: Since no other matter was brought for discussion, the meeting was terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- D. Paul
Lecturer-in-Charge & Secretary, N.B.U. Law College Council.

Sd/- P.K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN
N.B.U. Law College Council &
The Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U.

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE
P.O. North Bengal University
RajaRammohunpur, Darjeeling.

Minutes of the 25th meeting of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on Friday, the 25th July, 1980 at 4-30 P.M. at the University Guest House.

Members present:

1) Shri P.K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, in the chair.
2) Shri N.K. Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri
3) Shri S.R. Sarkar, Advocate, Siliguri
4) Shri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.
5) Shri D. Paul, Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College & Secretary, N.B.U. Law College Council.

Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer, N.B.U. Law College attended the meeting on special invitation.

Before transacting any business the Council noted with deep grief that the two members of the Council, Mr. Bibhuti Bhusan Ghosh and Mr. Paresh Chandra Mitra died in tragic circumstances in an accident on their way from Jalpaiguri to N.B.U. while they were coming to attend a meeting of the N.B.U. Law College Council on 14th May 1980. The Council notes that the Late Sarbashri Mitra and Ghosh who were eminent advocates of Jalpaiguri, were honorary teachers of the Law College. They were associated with the Law College as members of the Law College Council since the very inception of the College. In fact they were amongst the few founders of the College. The Council gratefully remembered the active association of the late Sarbashri Mitra & Ghosh with the College. They were very sincere and successful teachers. They spared no pains to come to the aid of the College authorities at times of stress and strain by way of suggesting remedies to the problems and in framing policies as well as executing the same. While deeply mourning their death the Council feels that their deaths have created a void which is not likely to be filled up.

The members observed two minutes' silence to pay respect to the memory of the late Sarbashri B.B. Ghosh and P.C. Mitra and decided to send a copy of the above resolution to the members of their bereaved families.

The Council decided to constitute a committee with the following persons to suggest ways and means to commemorate the services of the late Sarbashri B.B. Ghosh and P.C. Mitra:-

1) Shri N.K. Moitra
2) Shri S.R. Sarkar
3) Shri D. Paul
4) General Secretary and President of Law College Students' Association .
5) Lecturer-in-Charge, Convener.

Immediate action in respect of the above resolution be taken.

Item No. 1 To confirm the proceedings of the last meeting of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on 14th May, 1980 at 4-30 P.M. at University Guest House.

Decision: The minutes of the last meeting are confirmed subject to the following amendment:

In the first sentence of the Item No.1 after the words "The Revised Regulations" add the words "regarding LL.B. Course".

Matters arising out of the decisions of the last meeting:-

Regarding item No.3 the Council notes that the Vice-Chancellor included Shri Sudhin Bhattacharjee, Advocate, Siliguri, on the Admission Committee in anticipation of the approval of the Council. The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor.

Regarding item No. 9 the Council reconstituted the Selection Committee with the following persons:-

1) Shri N.K. Moitra
2) Shri D. Paul
3) Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College, (Convenor)

Immediate action in respect of the above resolution be taken.

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Item No. 2 To consider the question of appointment of some Part-time Honorary Teachers from Jalpaiguri and Siliguri Bars.

Decision: The Council decided to appoint Shri Biren Bose, Advocate, Jalpaiguri and Shri Bimal Kr. Hore, Advocate, Jalpaiguri as part-time honorary teachers of the College.

The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

Item No.3 To consider the question of appointment of Full-time Lecturer-in-Charge for the college.

Decision: The Council decided that Shri T.P. Mishra, Full-time lecturer, be appointed as Lecturer-in-Charge of the college with effect from 4th August, 1980. Shri D. Paul, Lecturer-in-Charge, may be requested to make-over charges to Shri Mishra. Shri Mishra will be entitled to administrative allowance at the rate of Rs. 100/- per month. The Lecturer-in-Charge will ordinarily remain in the college from 2 P.M. to 8 P.M.

It was also resolved that Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College be authorised to operate Bank Accounts in the name of "N.B.U. Law College" and it was further resolved that (1) Henceforth all cheques on the Banking Account in the name of "N.B.U. Law College" be signed and all Bills, Notes, and other negotiable instruments be drawn, accepted and made on behalf of the N.B.U. Law College; by the Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College. (2) that chequest, bills, notes and other negotiable instruments payable to the N.B.U. Law College may be endorsed for the North Bengal University Law College by the Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College, (3) that copy of the resolution signed by the Chairman be handed over to the State Bank of India, North Bengal University Campus Branch, together with the specimen

signature of Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College.

The above resolution was confirmed.

Item No. 4 To consider the applications of the office staff for enhancement of their part-time/Daily wage re-muneration and also to consider the application of Shri H.P. Sarkar for extension of tenure for a further period of six months and also for enhancement of his monthly emolument.

Decision: The Council considered the letter of Shri H.P. Sarkar, Part-time Office Superintendent for extension of his tenure and to increase his remuneration ~~xx~~ to Rs. 500/- per month.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in extending the tenure of Shri Sarkar by one month from 1.7.1980 to 31.7.80 on the existing terms. In view of the fact that Shri Sarkar has to attend office 12'0 clock onwards and is responsible for supervision of the office work including accounts of the College entirely on hisown, the Council decided as a very special case to extend the tenure of Shri Sarkar by a further period of six months from 1.7.1980 and to enhance his remuberation to Rs. 400/- per month with effect from the said date.

The Council also considered the letters of Shri S. Basak, Shri R.N. Roy, Sm. Sipra Bhowmik, Shri R. Dutta, Shri B. Dey for enhancement of their remuneration and regretted its inability to enhance their remuneration for the present.

The resolution be taken as confirmed.

Item No. 5 To nominate a new member in place of the Late Shri P.C. Mitra for the Students' Cheap Canteen Committee.

Decision: The Council decided to nominate Shri D. Paul in place of the Late Shri P.C. Mitra on the Students' Cheap Canteen Committee.

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Item No. 6 — To approve the present practice of allowing the students to use the Cheap Canteen Coupons within the month of issue.

Decision — The Council decided that the present practice may be continued.

Item No. 7 — To consider the question of opening of a savings account with the S.B.I., N.B.U. Sub-Office for setting apart the money realised from students as session-charge.

Decision: In principle the Council decided that the separate Bank Account may be opened and operated as per the constitution of the Law College Students' Association. It was further decided that the Finance Officer of the University of North Bengal might recommend the amount of funds which would be kept in the Bank Account in the light of the funds available to the Students of Raiganj University College since session charges are not clearly defined.

The Vice-Chancellor is authorised to take necessary action in this regard.

Item No. 8 — To consider any other matter with the consent of the chair.

Decision: The Council constituted the Centre Committee with the following persons:-

(i) Vice-Chairman, P.G. Council of Arts, N.B.U.
(ii) Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U.
(iii) Finance Officer, N.B.U.
(iv) Asstt. Medical Officer, N.B.U.
(v) Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College — Convenor

Immediate action may be taken.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- D. Paul
Lecturer-in-Charge &
Secretary, N.B.U. Law
College Council.

Sd/- P.K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN
N.B.U. Law College Council &
Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U.

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur, Darjeeling.

Minutes of the 26th meeting of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on Tuesday, the 16th September, 1980 at 4-30 P.M. in the University Guest House.

Members present:

1) Dr. P.K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, in the Chair
2) Sri S.N. Bhattacharjee, Advocate, Siliguri
3) Sri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.
4) Sri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer- in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College & Secretary, Law College Council.

Shri D. Paul, Part- time Lecturer, N.B.U. Law College attended the meeting as special invitee.

Item No. 1 To confirm the proceedings of the last meeting of the Council held on Friday, the 25th July, 1980.

Decision: The Council confirmed the minutes of the last meeting.

Item No. 2, To consider appointment of honorary lecturers in Law for N.B.U. Law College.

Decision: The Council noted that Sri B.M. Basu, Advocate Jalpaiguri has expressed his inability to undertake any teaching assignment. The Council, therefore, decided that the following Advocates be appointed as honorary part-time lecturers:

1) Sri Anil Kumar Bose, Advocate, Siliguri
2) Sri Chittaranjan Bhattacharjee, Advocate, Siliguri.
3) Sri Swapan Kumar Sarkar, Advocate, Siliguri

The above named persons may be requested to join as soon as possible.
The resolution is hereby confirmed for immediate action.

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Item No. 3 To consider appointment of an additional Peon for the college.

Decision: The council decided to recommend to the N.B.U. Council the creation of a post of full time Peon. Pending sanction of the post by the State Govt., the council decided that a full time peon may be appointed at the rate of Rs.6/- as daily wages after the Puja Vacation. On the appointment of such a peon, services of one of the existing part-time peons may be discontinued.

For the purpose of this contingent appointment names of candidates may be obtained from the Employment Exchange, Siliguri. Applications of other candidates may also be considered consistent with the decision of the N.B.U. Council in this context. The following selection committee is constituted for the above purpose:-

1) Sri N.K. Moitra, Honorary Lecturer, N.B.U. Law College.
2) Sri S.N. Bhattacharjee, Honorary Lecturer, N.B.U. Law College
3) Sri D Pant Part- time Lecturer
4) Sri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge & Convenor.

This may be done by the end of November, '80. The resolution is confirmed for immediate action.

Item No. 4 To consider appointment of part-time Library Attendant in the Law College.

Decision: The Council considered the need for appointing a part-time Library Attendant (Literate Peon) for the Law College Library from amongst the Library Attendents and Peons already employed in the University. The Selection Committee as constituted under the Item No. 3 may also consider this part-time appointment. Fixed remuneration (Part-time allowance) @ Rs. 50/- per month may be given to the incumbent.

This is also confirmed for immediate action.

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Item No. 5 To consider the matter of some furniture and other articles for the college.

Decision: The Council decided that the Lecturer-in-Charge may prepare an estimate for the purchase of Chairs, Desks and other Furniture for the LL.B. Class-Rooms, Teachers' Room and Library. Estimated expenditure may be put up before the Finance Officer, N.B.U. for submission to the Vice-Chancellor for approval.

The resolution is confirmed.

Item No. 6 To consider the purchase of a Type-Writer for the college.

Decision: The Council decided that the present Type-Writer may be got repaired shortly pending the purchase of a new one.

Item No. 7 To consider the matter regarding a direct phone connection to Siliguri.

Decision: The Council decided that the Finance Officer, N.B.U. may be requested to take-up the matter of the Direct Phone and also to do the needful.

Item No. 8 To review the proceedings (minutes) of the Teachers' Council dated, 9.8. 1980.

Decision: This item was withdrawn by the Lecturer-in-Charge and Secretary, College Council at the advice of the Chairman.

Item No. 9 Any other matters.

With the permission of the Chairman the following matters were also discussed and decision taken Thereon:-

(a) Purchase of a Filter

Decision: On the suggestion of the Lecturer-in-Charge the council decided that a Water Filter of abount 19 Litres Capacity be purchased.

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(b) Purchase of Kerosine Lamps.

Decision: The Council decided that big Table Lamps (Kerosine Lamps) may be purchased for the office-room, Lecturer-in-Charge's room and Teachers' Room.

(c) To consider the resolution of outgoing students of N.B.U. Law College regarding their offer for the gift of books.

Decision: The council noted the resolution passed by the outgoing students of this Law College to the effect that they would like to donate their Library Caution Deposits for purchase of Library books and towards expenses of a "get together" of old students.
It was decided that the Lecturer-in-Charge, Law College in consultation with Sri D. Paul, Sri S. Bhattacharjee and Finance Officer, N.B.U. may take necessary action in this connection.

(d) Purchase of Library Books.

Decision: The Lecturer-in-Charge proposed that there is an urgent need of purchasing Library Books for which there is unspent budget provision of about Rs. 3,000/-. The council decided that the Lecturer-in-Charge may prepare a list of books in consultation with Teachers' and taking into account the need of students.
The list should be put-up in the next meeting of the council.

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(e) Honorarium for teacher-invigilators.

Decision: The Council decided to consider the matter in due course in consultation with the Controller of Examinations, N.B.U.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- T.P. Mishra,
Lecturer-in-Charge,
N.B.U. Law College &
Secretary, Law College
Council.

Sd/- P.K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN
N.B.U. Law College Council &
Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U.

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur, Darjeeling.

Minutes of the 27th meeting of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on Wednesday, the 24th December, 1980 at 4 P.M. at the University Guest House.

Members Present:

1) Dr. P.K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, in the Chair
2) Shri N.K. Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri
3) Shri Swadesh Sarkar, Advocate, Siliguri
4) Shri S.N. Bhattacharjee, Advocate, Siliguri
5) Shri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.
6) Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College and Secretary, N.B.U. Law College Council.

Shri D. Paul, Part- time Lecturer, N.B.U. Law College attended the meeting as a special invitee.

Item No. 1 — To confirm the proceedings of the last meeting of the Council held on Tuesday, the 16th Sept., 1980.

Decision: The minutes of the last meeting held on 16th Sept., 1980 were confirmed.

Item No. 2 — To consider the Revised Estimate of the College for 1980-81 and Budget Estimate for 1981-82.

Decision: The Council requested the Finance Officer, N.B.U. to advise the Lect.-in-Charge to redraft the revised estimates for 1980-81 and Budget Estimates for 1981-82. The Council also authorised the Vice-Chancellor to approve the revised budget estimate for 1980-81 and Budget Estimates for 1981-82 as redrafted by the Lectr.-in-Charge in consultation with the Finance Officer according to University Rules.

Item No. 3 — To note and approve the Expenditure made in connection with the running of Students' Cheap Canteen from 31.8.79 to 31.3.80 and 1.4.80 to 31.10.80.

Decision: The Council noted and approved of the expenditure made in connection with the running of the Students' Cheap Canteen from 31.8.79 to 31.3.80 and 1.4.80 to 31.10.80.

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Item No. 4 To approve the Expenditure made in conducting the Law Examinations held in August and September 1980.

Decision: The Council approved of the expenditure made in conducting the Law Examinations held in August and September, 1980.

Item No. 5 To sanction funds for purchase of (a) Furniture (b) One type-writer machine (c) One Bycycle for the college.

Decision: The Council decided that the above matters should be taken into consideration while preparing the revised budget.

Item No. 6 To consider the application of Sri H.P. Sarkar, Part-time Office Superintendent for extension of his tenure of service and application of Smt. Sipra Bhowmik, Sri Sasthi Dey and Sri Subhasis Roy for enhancement of their remuneration.

Decision: The Council decided that the tenure of Sri Harimada Sarkar, Part- time Office Superintendent be entended for the next six months, i.e. with effect from 1.1.81 to 30th June, 1981. The Council regrets its inability to consider the application of Smt. Sipra Bhowmick for enhancement of her remuneration. Regarding the applications of Sri Subhasis Roy and Sri Baohchu Dey, the Council observed that theposts have already been created and referred to the Govt. for sanction. Until it is done, their demands cannot be granted.

Item No. 7 To approve the list of books as prepared by the Lecturer-in-Charge for immediate purchase for the College Library.

Decision: The Council approved the list of books as prepared by the Lecturer-in-Charge and decided that the orders may be placed after discussing the terms with the Finance Officer.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

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Item No. 8 To consider the question of payment of remuneration to invigilators and the office staff for the next January/February, 1981 Law Exams.

Decision: To consider the question of payment of remuneration to invigilators, the council first considered its previous decision taken at the last meeting held on 16th Sept., 1980. Then the council decided that reasonable honorarium should be paid to the invigilators and the office staff out of the Centre fee and the rate would be decided by the Centre Committee.

Item No. 9. To approve the holiday list of the College for 1981.

Decision: The Council approved the list of Holidays for the college for the year 1981.

Item No. 10 To approve the purchase of a wall clock and Water Filter for the College.

Decision: The council approved and sanctioned ex-post facto the purchase of wall clock and Water Filter for the college.

Item No. 11 To consider any other matter with the consent of the Chair.

a) To approve the selection of the Part-time Literate Library Attendant.

Decision: The Council noted and approved the selection of the Part-time literate attendant as recommended by the Selection Committee and directed the Lecturer-in-Charge to issue the appointment order to the incumbent. The council confirmed this resolution for immediate action.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- T.P. Mishra
Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U.
Law College & Secretary,
College Council.

Sd/- P.K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN
N.B.U. Law College Council &
Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U.

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur, Darjeeling.

Minutes of the XXVIII meeting of the North Bengal University Law College Council held on Thursday, 2nd of April, 1981 at 4 P.M. in the University Guest House.

Members present:

1. Dr. P.K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Shri N.K. Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri
3. Shri S.N. Bhattacharjee, Advocate, Siliguri
4. Shri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.
5. Dr. A.B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U. as special invitee
6. Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College & Secretary, N.B.U. Law College Council.

Item No. 1 To confirm the proceedings of the last meeting of the Council held on 24.12.1980.

Decision: The minutes of the last meeting of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on 24th December, 1980 were confirmed.

Item No. 2 To consider matters relating to temporary boarding arrangements for Law College Students.

Decision: The council approved the Law College Hostel Committee's recommendations with the following modifications:

"The Admission Committee will consist of Dr. A.B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, Lecturer-in-Charge of the Law College, the Secretary and President of the N.B.U. Law College Students' Association. And until separate Rules are framed, the Rules of Discipline applicable to P.G. Students hostels will also apply in case of Law Students' Hostel.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

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Item No. 3. To consider the Annual Accounts of the College for 1978-79 and 1979-80.

Decision: The council approved the Annual Accounts of the College for the years 1978-79 and 1979-80 (Annexure II & III) subject to the scrutiny by the Finance Officer (N.B.U.) to be reported at the next meeting with annexure.

Item No. 4. To consider the recommendation of the Centre Committee to enhance the Centre fee from Rs.5/- per candidate to Rs. 10/- (Rupees ten) per candidate from the next July/Aug., 1981 Examinations.

Decision: The Council considered the matter and decided to enhance the Examination Centre Fee from Rs. 5/- to Rs.7/- (Rupees seven only).

Item No. 5 To consider the question of constituting an admission Committee to deal with matters relating to admission of Students in different classes in Law in the next Academic Session.

Decision: It was resolved that the Committee as constituted hereinafter may frame guidelines relating to Admission affairs keeping in view the previous policy:

1) Shri N.K. Moitra, Hon.Lectr. N.B.U. Law College
2) Shri S.K. Sarkar, -do-
3) Shri S.N. Bhattacharjee, -do-
4) Shri R.K. Ghosh, -do-
5) Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge.

Item No. 6 To consider an Examination Elegibility Review Committee to deal with matters relating to sending up of candidates for the next University Law Examinations.

Decision: The Examination Elegibility Review Committee was constituted as follows:

1) Shri N.K. Moitra, Hony. Lectr. N.B.U. Law College.

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2) Shri S.N. Bhattacharjee, Hony. Lectr. N.B.U. Law College.
3) Shri S.R. Sarkar, -do-
4) Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge.

Item No. 7 To nominate a teacher as Chairman of the Canteen Committee in place of Shri D.Paul.

Decision: The Council decided to nominate Shri T.P. Mishra Lecturer-in-Charge as the Chairman of the Cheap Canteen Committee in place of Shri D. Paul.

Item No. 8 To consider the report relating to payment of conveyance charges to Hon. Teachers and also to approve the enhanced conveyance allowance being paid to Sri B.K. Hore, Hony., Lecturer.

Decision: The Council approved enhancement of Conveyance Allowance in case of Sri B.K. Hore only.

Item No. 9 To consider the leave application of Shri Haripada Sarkar.

Decision: The Council considered the application for leaveof Sri Haripada Sarkar, Office Superintendent and decided to sanction medical leave as per rules subject to his producing medical certificate.

Item No. 10 To note and approve the action taken in the matter of resignation of (1) Sri Ranendra Nath Roy, Part-time Cashier-cum-Accounts Clerk and (2) Sri Rabindra Ch. Datta, Part-time Peon of the college.

Decision: The Council noted and approved the action taken towards the resignation of Sri R.N. Roy, Part-time Cashier-cum-Accounts Clerk and Sri Rabindra Ch. Datta, Part-time Peon of the College.

Item No. 11 To approve the expenditure of LL.B. Exams. Feb./March, 1981.

Decision: The Council noted that as-per usual practice with all College Examinations non-teaching staff who may be essentially required for conducting the Examinations are paid a certain

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proportion of the Centre Fee. The Centre Committee may decide the allocation of Centre Fee for different heads of expenditure. The College Council resolved that the Centre Committee should so arrange that the expenses for conducting the examinations are borne out of the Centre Fee actually collected. Attempt should be made to provide for the ~~expndi~~ expenditure made on account of payment to Office Staff for the examination heldin Feb./March, 1981 out of the Centre Fee to be collected for the July/August, 1981 examinations. The expenditure incurred for examination of Feb./March, 1981 is approved subject to above.

Item No. 12 To consider any other matter with the consent of the Chair.

1) To approve the appointment of Sri Dilip Dhar as Part- time Cashier-cum-Accounts Clerk and Sri Pappuram Balmiki as Part-time Sweeper.

Decision: The Council approved the appointment of Sri Dilip Dhar as Part-time Cashier-cum-Accounts Clerk and Sri Pappuram Balmiki as Part-time Sweeper for the Law College with retrospective effect.

2) To consider the question of Identity Cards for Law Students.

Decision: The Identity Cards shall be issued as in the case of P.G. Students.

3) To consider the question of Diploma Course for reference to the Board of Studies in Law.

Decision: The Council decided that the tentative drafts of Diploma Courses may be brought before the College Council to consider the feasibility of starting the Diploma Courses before the question of drafting syllabi is referred to the Board of Studies in Law.

The Meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- T.P. Mishra
SECRETARY
College Council & Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College.

Sd/- P.K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN
N.B.U. Law College Council & Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U.

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur, Darjeeling.

Minutesof the meeting of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on 25th July, 1981 at 4 P.M. at the University Guest House.

XXIX MEETING

Members Present

1) Dr. P.K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2) Shri S.R. Sarkar, Advocate, Siliguri
3) Shri S.N. Bhattacharjee, Advocate, Siliguri
4) Shri A.B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U. Special Invitee
5) Shri R.K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar, N.B.U. Special Invitee
6) Shri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.
7) Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College & Secretary, N.B.U. Law College Council.

Item No.1 To confirm the proceedings of the last meeting of the Council held on 2.4. 1981.

Decision: The minutesof the last meeting held on 2.4. 1981 were confirmed.

Matters arising out of the minutes:
(College Council meeting dt. 2.4.81)

Item No.7 In modification of the earlier decision of the council the canteen committee is reconstituted as follows:

1. Dr. A.B. Majumdar, Chairman
2. Shri Swadesh Sarkar
3. Shri S.N. Bhattacharjee
4. Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College - Secretary.

Confiemed for immediate action.

Item No.10 It was noted that Shri R.N. Roy, former Part-time Cashier-cum-Accounts Clerk, while handing over the charge could not submit full accounts. It was decided that he should be immediately asked to submit full accounts after adjustment.

Confirmed for immediate action.

Item No. 2 — To consider the annual accounts of the college for the years 1978-79 and 1979-80 as they stand after scrutiny by the Finance Officer.

Decision: The council noted the above matter and approved it.

Item No. 3 — To nominate a teacher to act as Secretary of the Students' Cheap Canteen Committee in place of Shri T.P. Mishra who had been nominated as Chairman of the Committee by the Council at its last meeting.

Decision: The item was withdrawn.

Item No. 4 — To consider the sanction of Fund for purchase of (a) one By-cycle (b) one Type-writer Machine (c) one Iron Safe (d) some furniture including one counter for the office.

Decision: The purchase as above is approved upon the release of fund by the State Govt. In this connection the council constituted a Purchase Committee with the following members:

1) Shri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U. Chairman
2) Shri N.K. Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri
3) Shri D. Roy, Advocate, Siliguri
4) Shri R.K. Ghosh, Dy. Registrar, N.B.U.
5) Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge, Convenor.

Confirmed for immediate action.

Item No. 5. — To consider the recommendation of the Committee constituted by the Vice-Chancellor to advise on matters relating to the running of the Law College Students' Hostel including appointment of staff as suggested by the committee.

Decision: Rules and Regulations as recommended by the Hostel Committee were approved.

Confirmed for immediate action.

Item No. 6 — To consider the appointment of a Part-time temporary clerk for the Law College Students' Hostel.

Decision: This was felt as not necessary for the time being.

Item No. 7 — To consider the applications of Shri Shyamal Ch. Basak and Shri Dilip Kumar Dhar for enhancement of their remuneration.

Decision: It was decided that the part-time allowance of Rs. 100/- p.m. may be enhance to Rs. 125/- p.m. and that of Rs. 50/- to Rs. 60/- with effect from 1.8. 1981. Thus the following part-time employees will get the remuneration as noted below:

Clerical Staff

1) Shri Shyamal Ch. Basak ..... Rs. 125/-
2) Shri Mukul Ch. Majumdar..... Rs. 125/-
3) Shri Dilip Kr. Dhar ..... Rs. 125/-

Class IV Staff

1) Shri Nirmal Datta ..... Rs. 60/-
2) Shri Sailendra Nath Das..... Rs. 60/-
3) Shri Sudhir Ranjan Das..... Rs. 60/-
4) Shri Papuram Valmiki ..... Rs. 60/-

Confirmed for immediate action.

Item No. 8 — To consider the note of the Finance Officer with regard to appointment of a Part-time Office Superintendent for the Law College.

Decision: The council approved the extension for one month of Shri H.P. Sarkar, Office Superintendent and granted further extension for five months i.e. upto 31.12.81. Regarding the representation it was decided that the Vice-Chancellor may take suitable decision.

Item No. 9 — To consider whether tuition fee should be collected in 3 instalments.

Decision: It was decided that the students may be required to deposit the tuition fees as per the following schedule:

On the first 3 working days of the month - Preli. Inter. and Final classes one day each respectively.

Subsequently the first 3 working days of the 2nd week and first 3 working days of the 3rd week will also be correspondingly fixed for the collection of fees of Preli. Inter. and Final Law classes and the dates

Fees will be acceptable in advance on the specified days. The progress may be reported at the meeting to be held in December, 1981.

Item No. 10 / by — To consider the feasibility and prospects of starting Diploma Courses in view of the draft syllabi as directed the Council at its last meeting.

Decision: (a) The Council noted the suggestions of Teachers' Council of the N.B.U. Law College about undermentioned one year P.G. Diploma Courses -

(i) Taxation
(ii) Labour Laws
(iii) Mercantile Law

The council decided that the detailed syllabi in respect of the first two curses may be prepared by the Committee of Studies in Law and the same may be forwarded to the Academic Committee of North Bengal University.

Confirmed for immediate action.

(b) The council decided to recommend the following for approval of the North Bengal University Council -

(i) The student standing first in order of merit in the first class in Preliminary Law Examination shall be entitled to a prize or books of the value of Rs. 100/- and the student standing next in order of merit in the first class shall be entitled to a like prize of Rs. 50/- .

(ii) The student standing first in order of merit in the first class in Intermediate Law Examination shall be entitled to a prize or books of the value of Rs. 100/- and the student standing next in order of merit in the first class shall be entitled to a like prize of Rs. 50/-.

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(iii) The resultsof the Final Examination may be published in order of merit. The student standing first in order of merit in the First Class shall be entitled to a gold medal and a prize of books to the value of Rs. 200/- provided that he was placed in the First class also at either the Preliminary or the Intermediate Examination.

(c) The Council also approved the revised syllabi and scheme of examination recommended by Board of Studies in Law which may be introduced from the current session i.e. 1981-82.

Confirmed for immediate action.

Item No.11 (a) To review the Admission Policy adopted by the Admission Committee to consider the second list for admission to fill up the vacant seats as regards the following issues.

(i) Whether some seats are to be given to the candidates of defence services.

Decision: The council regretted its inability to consider the above matter.

(b) Whether some reservations are to be made for admission in favour of the candidates in service of this University & other services in public sector irrespective of their passing years and somewhat lesser percentage as well.

Decision: Regretted.

(c) To consider the applications of Ex-Students for re-admission in Law Classes.

Decision: Regretted.

(d) To consider the casesof re-admission of the candidates who have lost all the 6 chances of Exam.

Decision: The council regretted the cases of re-admission in Preli. year. Only cases of Inter. and Final classes may be put up for consideration to the Admission Committee.

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Item No. 12. Any other matter with the permission of the Chair.

Decision: Applications for admission of Shri S. Das, Shri S.K. Chakraborty and Shri S. Sanyal were considered. The council regretted its inability to consider the cases.

Meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- T.P. Mishra
(T.P. Mishra)
SECRETARY
N.B.U. Law College Council.

Sd/- P.K. Ghosh
(P.K. Ghosh)
CHAIRMAN
N.B.U. Law College Council.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

AGENDA PAPERS

for

the 57th meeting of the NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Date: 13.2.1982
Time: 11.00 A.M.

Place: Conference Room
Administrative Building
Raja-Rammohunpur.

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur(Darjeeling).

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The 57th meeting of the N.B.U. Council will be held on Saturday, the 13th February, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur to consider the following agenda:

A G E N D A

1. To confirm the minutes of the meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 14.1.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-I)

2. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

   Decision:

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for the appointment of non-teaching employees for the University.

   Decision:

4. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with the prayer of Sri Balaram Dutta, Binder for placing him in the post of Binder (in place of Gestetner Operator) from his date of joining i.e. w.e.f. 1.5.64.

   Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

5. To consider a letter from Sri Dyutish Chakraborty, Lecturer in Pol. Science praying for consideration of service rendered by him as lecturer in the leave vacancy w.e.f. 8.1.81 in order to protect seniority and continuity of his service.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

6. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C) in the department of Centre for Himalayan Studies.

Decision:

7. To consider constitution of Selection Committees for some non-teaching posts.

Decision:

8. To consider qualification for the post of Principal, University Law College.

Decision:

9. To consider a letter No. 6-Edn(CS) 4C-7/80 dated 2.1.82 received from the Govt. of West Bengal, Education Department with regard to granting of extension of affiliation in Economics in place of Sanskrit in the Degree (Pass) level w.e.f. 1981-82 session to Siliguri Mahila Mahavidyalaya.

Decision:

10. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the Akshaya Kumar Maitreye Museum Committee, N.B.U. held on 11.1.82.

Decision: (Annexure-II)

11. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the Building Committee held on 15.9.81.

Decision: (Annexure-III)

12. To consider extension of fellowship of Sri Amal Kumar Chakraborty, J.R.F. Centre for Life Science for six months.

Decision:

13. To consider leave petition of Sm. Krishna Pal, Research Scholar, Deptt. of History for one year.

Decision:

14. To consider matter relating to Sri Mihir Kumar Saha, Asstt. Cashier, N.B.U.

Decision:

15. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee, N.B.U. held on 13.11.81.

Decision: (Annexure-IV)

16. To consider the cases of the undernoted employees of the University for confirmation:

Sl. No.	Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1.	Sri, Dilip Kr. Kundu Jr. Asstt. Cum-Typist	27.1.81(Forenoon)	27.1.82
2.	Sri Nirode Singh Jr. Asstt. Cum-Typist	27.1.81(Forenoon)	27.1.82
3.	Sanjib Sarkar Jr. Asstt. Cum-Typist	27.1.81(Forenoon)	27.1.82
4.	Sri Sati Nath Ghosh Jr. Asstt. Cum-Typist	27.1.81(Forenoon)	27.1.82
5.	Sri, Sushanta Kanjilal Jr. Asstt. Cum-Typist	27.1.81(Forenoon)	27.1.82

Sl.No.	Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
6.	Sri Bikram Thapa Jr. Lab. Attendant	27.1.81(Forenoon)	27.1.82
7.	Sri Nayan Ranjan Ghosh Jr. Lab. Attendant	27.1.81(Forenoon)	27.1.82
8.	Sri Sipen Ch. Barman Jr. Lab. Attendant	27.1.81(Forenoon)	27.1.82
9.	Sri Ratan Kumar Ghosh Deputy Registrar.	28.1.81(Forenoon)	28.1.82
10.	Sri Ramesh Ch. Singha Jr. Asstt. Cum-Typist	28.1.81(Forenoon)	28.1.82
11.	Sri Atul Ch. Ray Jr. Lab. Attendant	28.1.81(Forenoon)	28.1.82
12.	Dr. Pattan Jaffar Ali Khan	- Joined as A.M.O. on 26.7.79. He has since been redesignated as M.O. w.e.f. 14.11.81.	

Decision:

17. To consider acceptance of qualifications of Sri Parameswar Mallick, Record Supplier, Registrar's Branch.

Decision:

18. To consider the evaluation report including the report of the viva-voce examination on the thesis submitted for the Ph.D. Degree of this University.

Decision:

19. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
The 4th February, 1982.

REGISTRAR.

AD/-

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur(Darjeeling).

Annexure-I

Minutes of the 56th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Thursday, the 14th January, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, /Raja-Rammohunpur/

Members present:-

1. Dr. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Prof. S. N. Sen, Professor of Physics, N.B.U.
3. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
4. Shri P. K. Majumdar, Lecturer, Siliguri College
5. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A. C. College, Jalpaiguri
6. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College
7. Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya
8. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College

Shri S. M. Roy, Actg. Finance Officer, Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, Shri R. K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar and Shri S. Majumdar, Deputy Controller of Examinations were requested to make themselves available during the meeting.

Dr. H. P. Bhaumick, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College intimated his inability to attend the meeting due to pre-occupation.

1. The minutes of the 55th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 24.12.81 were confirmed with the following amendments:

(i) Page 1 item 2 : In line 3 the name should be "Dr. D. K. Hazra" instead of "Dr. D. L. Hazra".

(ii) Page 2 item 3 : Add "by the Registrar" at the end.

(iii) Page 6 item 13: The word "services" arising in line 5 should be substituted by the word "duties".

(iv) Page 9 item Misc. 4 : Add the words "paragraph below" after the words "mentioned in" arising in line 3.

In line 7 in place of "held in 1981" write "to be held".

(v) Page 9 item Misc. 5 : The word "Society" be substituted by the word "Stores".

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Matter arising out of confirmation of the minutes of the 55th meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 24.12.1981

(i) Item Suppl. 2(b)

The Council nominated two experts on the Screening Committee to consider the proposal for re-employment of Dr. S. K. Chakravarti, Professor of Chemistry.

(ii) Item Suppl. 8

The Council considered a note submitted by the University Engineer to the Vice-Chancellor. Having discussed the matter and considering the assistance required by the University Engineer in the maintenance of essential services of water and power supply in the Campus, the Council decided that Shri D. B. Roy, Asstt. Engineer who is due to retire on 31.1.82, may be appointed on a contractual basis for one month w.e.f. 1.2.82 pending the joining of the new incumbent appointed to the post of Asstt. Engineer (Electrical). Shri Roy would be paid a consolidated monthly remuneration in accordance with the last pay drawn by him.

The decision was confirmed at the meeting.

(iii) Item Misc. 5

The Council noted and approved the nomination of the following persons made by the Vice-Chancellor as members on the Managing Committee of the N.B.U. Consumers' Cooperative Stores Ltd. with effect from 13.1.82 as per bye-laws of the Stores:

(a) Shri Anindya Kumar Pal,
Reader in Geography & Applied Geography

(b) Dr. Mihir Mohan Mukhopadhyay,
Lecturer in History

(c) Shri Jyotirmoy Roy
Assistant Librarian

2. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

No recommendation was placed.

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

No recommendation was placed.

4. To consider the recommendation of the Academic Committee in connection with granting of Study Leave to Smt. Chhanda Chakraborty, Lecturer in History, N.B.U.

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The Council approved the recommendation of the Academic Committee and decided to grant Study Leave to Smt. Chhanda Chakraborty, Lecturer in History, for one year with effect from the date she will actually go on leave. The leave so granted will be subject to the conditions laid down in Rule 14 and Rule 15(b) of the Rules relating to leave for the University employees.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

5. To consider letter of resignation submitted by Shri Shobhan Chakraborty, Research Scholar, Deptt. of Chemistry, w.e.f. 16.12.81.

The Council accepted resignation submitted by Shri Shobhan Chakraborty, J.R.F. (individual U.G.C. sponsored project) with effect from 16.12.81 subject to clearance of all dues.

6. To consider the case of Shri Ranjit Kr. Samanta, Jr. Technical Assistant, Research Service Centre, for confirmation. (His date of joining is 12th January, 1981).

The Council in consideration of the confidential report and recommendation of the Vice-Chancellor decided to confirm the services of Shri Ranjit Kumar Samanta, Junior Technical Assistant, Research Service Centre with effect from 12.1.1982 subject to (i) his being found medically fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) verification of age and academic qualifications and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose.

7. To consider suggestions from Dr. Pranay K. Kundu, Reader, Deptt. of Bengali in connection with formation of Research Committees and Selection Committees.

Noted.

8. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College (University College) held on 17.11.81.

Noted.

9. To consider the minutes of the meetings of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on -

1) 24th meeting held on - 14.5.80
2) 25th meeting held on - 25.7.80
3) 26th meeting held on - 16.9.80
4) 27th meeting held on - 24.12.80
5) 28th meeting held on - 2.4.81

6) 29th meeting held on 25.7.81

Noted.

10. To consider a letter from Smt. Sati Khastgir, wife of Late Prof. H. N. Khastgir, Ex-Professor of Chemistry, offering some books for the University Library.

The Council accepted with thanks the offer of 28 titles as donation by Mrs. Sati Khastgir, the wife of late Prof. H. N. Khastgir. The books are in the collection of the late Prof. H. N. Khastgir.

The Council decided that arrangements be made to collect the books from the residence of Mrs. Khastgir.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

11. To consider an appeal received from Sm. Saphali Chakraborti (Ganguli) regarding her termination of service from A. C. College.

The Council requested the Vice-Chancellor to take necessary action as per West Bengal College Teachers (Security of Service) Act 1975.

12. To consider a proposal for creation and filling up of the post of one Assistant Registrar provided in the Statutes.

The Council decided that necessary action for filling up the post might be taken. It was noted that the post is a Statutory post created long ago but remained vacant.

13. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with the prayer of Sri Balaram Datta, Binder, for placing him to the post of Binder (in place of Gestetner Operator) from his date of joining i.e. 1.5.64.

The Council directed that all papers relating to initial appointment, salary on initial appointment, order of placement, etc. be submitted at the next meeting for consideration.

14. To consider constitution of Selection Committees for some non-teaching posts.

The Council decided that the Committee previously constituted may recommend appointment to posts of cleaners and sweepers with the addition of the Deputy Registrar as the Secretary and one person to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor for each category of posts.

15. To consider the recommendation of the Committee formed by the Council for regularisation of pay scales of staff of USIC.

The Council considered the report of the Committee for recommending pay scales of employees appointed at the USIC. The pay scales as sanctioned by the University Grants Commission have been found to be not in-conformity with scales enjoyed by the other employees of this University in similar cadres. The Council approved the recommendation and decided the following scales for the officials mentioned:

(i) Senior Scientific Officer
UGC scale - Rs. 1100-1600/- , Recommended scale: Rs. 1200-1900/-

(ii) Technical Assistant Grade C
UGC scale: Rs. 380-560/-
Recommended scale: Rs. 500-1100/- (University grade 3)

(iii) Technical Assistant Grade B
UGC scale: Rs. 320-450/-
Recommended scale: 400-900/- (University Grade 5)

(iv) Technical Assistant Grade A
UGC scale: 225-308/-
Recommended scale: 375-800/- (University Grade 6)

(v) Sr. Technical Asstt.
U.G.C. scale: Rs. 550-900/-
Recommended scale: Rs. 550-1160/- (University Grade 2)

The Council directed that the matter might be taken up with the University Grants Commission immediately.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

/7Supplementary Agenda/7

1. To consider a proposal for constituting a Provident Fund Committee.

The Council considered the proposal and decided that a Committee to advise on investment and utilisation of P.F. accounts and also for services to the subscribers and other related matters be constituted with the following:

(i) The Finance Officer/Audit & Accounts Officer-Convenor
(ii) One nominee of the North Bengal University Teachers' Council
(iii) One nominee of the North Bengal University Employees' Association
(iv) One nominee of the North Bengal University Officers' Association

The Council directed that the Committee should ordinarily meet once every two months or any time as might be found necessary.

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2. To consider an application from Sri Mihir Bikash Chakraborty, Reader in Philosophy resigning from the post of Reader in Philosophy.

The Council decided to accept the resignation submitted by Shri Mihir Bikash Chakraborty, Reader in Philosophy, with effect from 14.10.80, when he went on leave without pay, on clearence of all dues.

3. To consider a letter from the Principal, Siliguri College regarding re-constitution of Governing Body of Siliguri College as per G.O. No. 1860-Edn(CS) dated 9.12.81.
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The Council nominated Dr. Ajoy Bose on the Governing Body of Siliguri College.

Confirmed for immediate action.

4. To consider a letter from Sri Dyutish Chakraborty, Lecturer in Pol. Science praying for consideration of service rendered by him as lecturer in the leave vacancy w.e.f. 8.1.81 in order to protect seniority and continuity of his service.

The Council directed that a detailed note should be prepared and submitted at the next meeting for consideration.

5. To consider a note from the Registrar in connection with the refund of Registration Fee of Miss Binapani Das.

The Council decided to refund the Registration Fee paid by Miss Binapani Das. It was noted that she was a registered student and she submitted fee afresh inadvertantly.

6. To consider resolutions of the Raiganj University College and University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar on certain demands.

Representatives of teachers and non-teaching staff of the Raiganj (University) College met the members of the Council during the Meeting. Sri M. B. Sen mentioned that many of their demands had been ignored by the University in the past resulting in complete deadlock in the matter of retirement benefits. The employees of the college have not been allowed to enjoy the tripple benefit scheme applicable to the University employees. They represented their case to the University authorities when they were assured that the same would be admissible in their case. Consequently they could not execute their option in the matter of retirement benefits as sanctioned to teachers of other colleges of the State. Sri Sen in this connection mentioned that the Minister-in-Charge of Education (Higher), Govt. of West Bengal clearly assured that the existing teachers and non-teaching staff of University Colleges would

receive all benefits including retirement benefits as enjoyed by the teaching and non-teaching staff of the North Bengal University. They were surprised to note that on an uncalled for interpretation sought by the University in the matter of G.O. No. 931-Edn(U) dated 28.11.80, the Govt. had intimated its inability to extend tripple benefit scheme to the teaching and non-teaching employees of the University Colleges.

In this connection Sri Sen demanded that the arrear house rent and medical allowances should be paid immediately.

The Council noted that similar representation has been made to the Vice-Chancellor by the teaching and non-teaching staff of University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar.

The Council after considering the matter in further details decided that in view of the fact that prior to the introduction of tripple benefit scheme in the University, the teaching and non-teaching staff of the University Colleges enjoyed retirement benefits similar to those enjoyed by the University employees, and in view of assurances given by the Hon'ble Minister-in-Charge of Higher Education, Govt. of West Bengal, on more than one occasion, tripple benefit scheme as enjoyed by the University employees should be extended to the University Colleges.

The Council could not agree with the proposal received from the Govt. (vide letter No. 1848/Edn(U) dated 30.12.81) for extension of retirement benefits as applicable to the teachers of non-Govt. Colleges.

Pending implementation of the tripple benefit scheme the Council resolved that the minimum amount of gratuity may be paid to the employees of University Colleges who had already retired.

The Council appreciated the views expressed by the representatives of the two Colleges. The Council further decided that the Vice-Chancellor along with two members of the Council be requested to take up the matter at the highest level of the Govt. immediately.

In view of the steps envisaged above the Council decided to appeal to the teaching and non-teaching staff of the University Colleges to desist from any movement at this stage.

In this connection the Council decided that the arrear House rent and Medical allowance might be paid in instalments at an early date.

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7. To consider the minutes of the Committee constituted by the N.B.U. Council in connection with the declaration of persons holding certain posts in the University as Officers of the University.

The Council approved the recommendation of the Committee and decided that the following persons be declared as Officers of the University in terms of Section 16 of the North Bengal University Act 1961 read with Statute 3 of the Statutes relating to Officers of the University:-

(i) Senior Scientific Officer (UGC)
(ii) Electro-Instrumentation Officer
(iii) Micro-analyst
(iv) Documentation Officers
(v) Programmer

The Council directed that the matter be sent to the Chancellor's Secretariat for approval.

In this connection the Council approved the recommendation of the Committee and decided that the following persons who help in teaching and research activities of various departments be given teacher's status:

(i) Scientific Officer, Department of Chemistry
(ii) Manuscript Reader, Deptt. of Bengali
(iii) Senior Research Assistant, Department of Physics

(Appendix I)

8. To consider evaluation reports for the thesis submitted by Sri Radha Gobinda Ghosh for the Ph.D. degree of the University.

The Council considered the reports of the Examiners and decided that action be taken as per suggestion made by one of the Examiners.

9. To report that, in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council, the Vice-Chancellor has appointed Prof. K.B. Dutta, Professor, Deptt. of Life Sciences as a member on the Academic Committee.

Noted and approved.

10. To report that the following dates have been fixed in connection with the M.A./M.Sc./M.Com Parts I and II classes:

1. Date of Commencement of Part II M.A./M.Sc/M.Com(1981-82)-.....
2. Last date for admission to M.A./M.Sc/M.Com Part II classes - 13.2.82.
3. Date of commencement of M.A./M.Sc./M.Com Part I classes - 1.3.82.

Noted and approved.

11. To report that the Govt. of West Bengal has granted extension of affiliation in Economics upto Pass standard to Thakur Panchanan Mahila Mahavidyalaya in place of Sanskrit vide letter No. 1860-Edn(CS) dated 4.12.81. 4C-7/81

Noted.

12. To report that the Govt. of West Bengal, Education Deptt. has nominated Shri Ahindra Sarkar, M.L.A., Gangarampur, Dist. West Dinajpur as a member of the Ad hoc Governing Body of the Degree College at Gangarampur vide letter No. 1903-Edn(CS) dated 15.12.81. 4C-15/81

Noted.

13. To consider the case of Dr. Nityalal Karmakar, Sr. Research Assistant, Deptt. of Physics, U.N.B.

The Council noted that Dr. Nityalal Karmakar did not join within stipulated time. The Council requested the Vice-Chancellor to take disciplinary measures as per rules.

In this connection the Council noted that letter to Dr. Suhas Guha Niyogi was not sent as per previous decision. The Council directed that a letter be sent immediately and Dr. Guha Niyogi be asked to join his post on or before 15.2.82.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

14. To consider a letter dated 8.1.82 received from Dr. Rabindra Nath Das regarding fixation of his pay as indicated by him and other matters.

The Council noted a letter from Dr. Rabindra Nath Das, who was selected for the post of Development Officer, wherein he wanted four advance increments. The Council approved the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee and decided that such advance increments could not be granted to Dr. Das.

In this connection the Council decided that no assurance could be given to Dr. Das in the matter of his post doctoral fellowship abroad.

Misc. 1 The Council nominated the experts to be on the Screening Committee for cases of promotion of teachers in Physics and Mathematics who have completed 15 years of continuous service (Vide G.O. No. 1505(6)-Edn(U) dated 18.9.81. IU(J)-34/81

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Misc. 2 The Vice-Chancellor reported to the Council that he had received information about serious disturbances, including damage to property and physical confinement of the Officer-in-Charge, which took place on 12.1.82 at the University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar, during the elections to the Students' Union of the Evening Section of the College. A full report from the Officer-in-charge was awaited.

Misc. 3 The Council noted with serious concern that the movement of non-teaching staff of private colleges since 2nd January, 1982 has prevented higher secondary students in colleges to submit their examination forms and fees. The Council appealed to the non-teaching employees to suspend their agitation in the interest of students. The Council also appealed to the teachers to use their good offices with the employees in this behalf.

Misc. 4 The Council considered the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee and decided that the principle which was adopted in the case of non-teaching employees promoted w.e.f. 1.10.80 may be adopted in the case of those employees who have completed 15 years of service and have been granted the next higher grade w.e.f. 1.10.81.

Misc. 5 The Council approved and confirmed the following decisions of the Promotion/Implementation Committee adopted at its meeting held on 12.1.82:

1. The Committee noted that Shri Chitta Chakraborty and Smt. Rekha Mishra were appointed as Junior Assistants although they did not possess the minimum (S.F) qualification and since then have been continuing in the same posts. The Committee considered the cases of Shri Chitta Chakraborty, Jr. Asstt., Smt. Rekha Misra, Jr. Asstt, as well as of Sri Passang Tamang, Electronics Technician, and decided to recommend that in view of their long experience and in view of the fact that they have completed 15 years of service in the same post Sri Chitta Chakraborty and Smt. Rekha Mishra may be placed in the next higher grade corresponding to the next higher post and Sri Passang Tamang in the next higher grade, as a very special case on condition that they will not get any other benefit afterwards involving relaxation of qualifications.

2. Having considered that the Govt. has since sanctioned some posts of Sr. Superintendents and that the existing Cashier was promoted to one of these posts of Sr. Superintendents, the Committee felt that the corresponding vacancy of Cashier may now be filled up on the basis of seniority from among the existing Assistant Cashiers having requisite

qualifications. The following employee is recommended for such promotional appointment:

Sri Mihir Kumar Saha

3. It was reported to the Committee that the N.B.U. Council had decided to place Sri Prabhat Dey, Jr. Asstt. in the next higher scale with effect from 1.10.81 which would mean the scale of pay of Rs. 450-1000/-. The pay scale of Sr. Asstt. being Rs. 500-1100/-, the Committee recommends that Sri Dey be put in the next higher grade (scale) corresponding to his next higher post of Sr. Assistant.

4. The Committee considered the case of Shri Parameswar Mallick, Record Supplier and recommended that he may be promoted to the post of Jr. Asstt. cum-Typist (provided he qualifies in the typing test) in accordance with the G.O. No. 133(52) F2M-100/62 dated 12.1.63 subject to acceptance of his qualification by the N.B.U. Council.

5. The Committee recommends that Sri Sunil Majee being the seniormost be designated as Sr. Electrician and Sri Muchu Singh being the seniormost Mali be designated as Head Mali. The designation of Sri Sunil Majee is subject to his fulfilling the prescribed qualifications.

Misc. 6 The Council considered a resolution of the Governing Body of Islampur College and decided that inspection be made by a team to be constituted by the Vice-Chancellor for report on opening of Honours courses in Bengali, History and Political Science.

Misc. 7 The Council considered the pending matter relating to retirement benefit to Shri T. K. Bhattacharjee, Ex-Lecturer and decided that the minimum amount of gratuity may be paid to Shri Bhattacharjee and others who have retired and are oligible as per Govt. Order for payment of gratuity.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

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Misc. 8 The Council approved the recommendation of the Academic Committee and decided to approve the following amendments to norms of appointment of papersetters, etc. in B.A./B.Sc/B.Com Examinations:-

(i) At the end of para 2, add "provided, however, that such teachers should ordinarily have 10 years Honours teaching experience but in no case it should be less than 5 years".

(ii) Sub-para (c) of para 3 be redrafted as follows:-

"One teacher from an Undergraduate college or P.G. department of any other University having at least 10 years Honours teaching experience in the case of Honours examination in the subject at the Undergraduate level".

(iii) In para 5 add the word "Honours" after the word "years" arising in line 3.

The meeting terminated with a note of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

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Appendix-I

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Committee constituted by the North Bengal Univereity Council in connection with declaration of persons as Officers of the University.

Members present:

1. Dr. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Prof. S. N. Sen, Member of the N.B.U. Council
3. Dr. H. Bhaumick, Member of the N.B.U. Council
4. Shri Bimal K. Das, Member of the N.B.U. Council
5. Shri B.K.Bajpaie, Registrar

1. The Committee after a detailed discussions decided to recommend that persons holding the following posts be declared as Officers of the University in terms of Section 16 of the North Bengal University Act 1961 read with Statute 3 of the Statutes relating to the Officers of the University:-

(i) Senior Scientific Officer
(ii) Electro Instrumentation Officer
(iii) Microanalyst
(iv) Documentation Officer
(v) Programmer

2. The Committee noted that certain posts in the University are meant for helping teaching and research in the various departments and deserved to be declared as teaching posts. The Committee recommended that incumbents of the following posts be given teacher's status:

(i) Scientific Officer
(ii) Manuscript Reader
(iii) Senior Research Assistant

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

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Annexure - II

AKSHAY KUMAR MAITREYE MUSEUM
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the meeting of the Akshaya Kumar Maitreye Museum Committee, North Bengal University held on the 11th January, 1982 at 2.30 P.M. at the University Guest House.

The following members were present :

1. Prof. P. K. Ghosh, Vice Chancellor, Chairman,
2. Prof. N. C. Chowdhury, Vice-Chairman
3. Sri S. Barma, District Magistrate, West Dinajpur, Ex-Officio member,
4. Sri Nirmal Chandra Chowdhury, Jalpaiguri
5. Sri Achintya Goswami, Lecturer, Balurghat College,
6. Dr. Arun Bhasal Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges,
7. Sri Ankush Bhatta, Department of Bengal, N.B.U.
8. Prof. P. K. Bhattacharyya, Secretary.

1. The proceedings of the last meeting held on 5th August 1981 were confirmed.
2. To report the acquisition of Raja Raja Ram Collections from Malda.

The acquisition of the collection of Raja Ram Museum of Sri S. P. Roychowdhury, Malda was reported to the Committee. It was decided that the objects acquired should be entered in the Accession Register and the serial nos. be indicated on each object. The work should be started immediately.

3. To consider publication of manuscripts and other related matters.

In modification of the acknowledgements noted, in the proceedings of the meeting held on 2nd April'81 (vide item No. 3), the Committee decided to acknowledge with thanks the donation made by Sri K. C. Sarkar (since expired) of Ashokgarh Calcutta through the good offices of Sri Nirmal Chandra Chowdhury, Jalpaiguri of the following manuscripts:

a) Fall of the Pala Kingdom by Akshaya Kumar Maitreya.
b) Ganda by Akshaya Kumar Maitreya.
c) One letter by A. K. Maitreya with notes on Ramacharitam.
d) One article (ms.) on an Inscription by A. H. Dani.

In the same context the Committee further noted and decided to thank Sri Sachindralal Acharya, son of Late Rajendralal Acharya for his donation of the manuscript Pancadevata (in Germany) by Akshaya Kumar Maitreya through the good offices of Sri Nirmal Chandra Chowdhury Jalpaiguri.

In this connection the Committee reiterated its earlier decision to publish the manuscript entitled Fall of the Pala Kingdom by A. K. Maitreye. The Committee thankfully acknowledged the receipt of a typed copy of the Fall of the Pala Kingdom and its Bengali Synopsis (published) written by Late R. C. Majumdar from Sri Nirmal Chandra Chowdhury.

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The Committee noted the contents of the letter of Sri Nirmal Chandra Chowdhury, dated 3rd December, 1981 and decided to record the acknowledgement of the following manuscripts donated by K. C. Sarkar (since expired) through the good offices of Sri Nirmal Chandra Chowdhury, Jalpaiguri.

a) Brahmesvara Temple Inscription of Kalinga King Udyata Kesari, edited by A. K. Maitreye.

b) Vaisesika - bhasyam (Prasatapada-pranitan) tatha nyaya kandati (Sri-dhara-bhatta-Virchita)

c) Sundara - rahasya - Vrttih (Tantra)

d) Hayasirsa - pancha- ratra (Saura- Kanda)

In accordance with the letter dated 3rd November, 81 by Sm. Usharani Sarkar, wife of Late K. C. Sarkar, and having noted the contents of the copies of the resolution of Varendra Research Museum, Bangladesh, dated 8.11.75 and a forwarding letter from Varendra Research Museum dated 14.11.75 (now in possession of Sri Nirmal Chandra Chowdhury Jalpaiguri) permitting the author to republish the book entitled Sculptures of Ancient Varendra on his own, the Committee decided that steps be taken to undertake publication the work. In this connection Sri Nirmal Chndra Chowdhury Jalpaiguri was requested to pass on t on the original letters and copy of the resolution of Varendra Research Museum, Bangladesh to the Secretary, Akshaya Kumar Maitreye Museum. It was also noted that the original photographs to go with the above publication might also be obtained from Sri B. K. Sarkar, son of Late K. C. Sarkar.

4. To consider matters in connection with the tenders for the publication of the manuscript on the Iconographic Study: Akshaya Kumar Maitreye Museum.

The Committee decided that a Committee consisting of the following members-should examine the proposals and quotations submitted by the printers and publishers and forward its recommendation to the Vice-Chancellor for necessary action.

a) Prof. N. C. Chowdhury, Vice-Chairman

b) Prof. P. K. Bhattacharyya, Secretary.

5. To consider matters relating to the Seminar on Early Historical Perspective of North Bengal Scheduled to be held on the 4th and 5th February, 1982 at the Balurghat College under the auspices of the Akshaya Kumar Maitreya Museum.

The Committee noted the report of Sri Achintya Goswami, Local Secretary of th the Reception Committee (Seminar) in connection with the publication of Souvenir on the occasion, Sri Goswami also discussed the arrangements and programmes to be finalised in this regard.

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The Secretary reported the content of the letter of Prof. R. S. Singh, Department of Rasa- Shastra, Banaras Hindu University, The committee decided that a letter should be written to Prof. Singh requesting him to submit his paper before extending formal invitation.

The letter of Prof. A. B. M. Mahmood, Department of History, Dacca University was noted. Prof. Mahmood who sent his learned paper earlier expressed his inability to attend the Seminar on account of his departure for U.S.A. at the end of January, 1982, but desired that the paper be published in the proceedings, if found suitable.

Sd/- P. K. Bhattacharyya,
Secretary,
Akshaya Kumar Maitreye Museum.

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
Vice-Chancellor
North Bengal University.

Annexure - III

OFFICE OF THE UNIVERSITY ENGINEER
NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE MEETING HELD IN THE OFFICE OF THE VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY ON 15.9.'81 AT 3-00 P.M. UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF DR. P.K.GHOSH, VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY.

The following members were present :-

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University, Chairman of the Building Committee.
2. Sri S.M.Roy, Finance Officer, North Bengal University.
3. Sri S.N.Sanyal, University Engineer, North Bengal University, Secretary , Building Committee.
4. Sri D.B.Roy, Asstt. Engineer, N.B.U. attended the meeting as an invitee.

Agenda.

Item No. 1.

To confirm the proceedings of the Building Committee meeting held on 17.8.81.

Decision:- The proceedings of the Building Committee meeting held on 17.8.81 were confirmed.

Item No. 2.

To discuss and approve the estimate for "pending of the roof leakage in different buildings of the University Campus. This item was placed in the Building Committee meeting held on 17.8.81 vide item No. 6 and was desired to submit phasewise estimate on the basis of priority.(Chargeable to maintenance).

Decision:-

The Committee discussed on the estimate and approved an amount of Rs.35,000/= for the work "Special roof treatment with Tarfelts for stopping roof leakages in different buildings of the University Campus " excluding tarfelting of the Humanities Building in view of a proposal pending with the U.C.C. for the construction of a second floor over Sociology Deptt.

Item No. 3.

To discuss and approve the estimate for "Draining out the accumulated water in front of Library Building. This item was placed in the Building Committee meeting held on 17.8.81 vide item No. 9 in which it was suggested to prepare detailed estimate. (Chargeable to maintenance).

Decision:-

The Committee discussed and approved the above estimate for Rs. 2,900/= renamed the title of work as "Construction of a roadside drain in front of Library Building. "

Item No.4.

To discuss and approve the estimate for " Construction of 5'-0" (Span) culvert in the Guest House road crossing" . This item was placed in the Building Committee meeting held on 17.8.81 vide item No. 11(a) and was desired to submit detailed estimate. (Chargeable to construction of Road).

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the above estimate for Rs.23,800/= and renamed the title of work as construction of 5'-0" (Span) culvert at the road crossing in front of the Guest House.

Item No. 5. To discuss and approve the estimate for "Construction of Culvert in the approach road of Childrens park, Western Sector . "This item was placed in the Building Committee meeting held on 17.8.81 vide item No. 11(b) and was desired to submit detailed estimate(Chargeable to maintenance).

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the estimate amounting to Rs.8,000/= for "Construction of Culvert in the approach road of Children's Park in the Western Sector.

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Item No.6.

To discuss and approve the estimate for "Construction of road infront of Continuous quarters and newly constructed Teachers' quarters in the Eastern Sector ". This item was placed in the Building Committee meeting held on 17.8.81 vide item No. 15 in which it was desired to place detailed estimate.

Decision: - Deferred.

Item No. 7. To discuss and approve the revised estimate for "Modification of the existing electrical connection of 25 K.W.Generatewing set for supplying pump loads" . This item is placed as per resolution of the Building Committee meeting held on 17.8.81 vide supplementary agenda item No. 5.(Chargeable to New fund for water supply).

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the revised estimate amounting to Rs. 4,305 for "Modification of the existing electrical connection of 25 K.W.Generating set for supplying pump loads". prepared by ~~Exxx~~ Dr. S.K. Bhattacharjee, Assistant Professor, Electrical Engineering Department, Jalpaiguri Engineering College consultant to the North Bengal University.

Item No. 8.

To discuss ~~x~~ about the letter of Sri Tapan Chakraborty , Contractor dated 27.7.81 in connection with "Construction of boundary wall in different places around the University Campus (Phase II)." This item was placed in the Building Committee meeting held on ~~xx~~ 17.8.81 against supplementary agenda item No. 10 in which it was decided to place the matter with necessary relevant details.

Decision: - The Committee discussed on the letter of Sri Tapan Charkraborty, Contractor dated 27.7.81 and the relevant details furnished by the University Engineer in connection with execution of the above work. It was noted that Sri Tapan Chakraborty had completed the work of Boundary wall in the site actually handed over to him . It was decided that completion of work in its present state may be accepted.

Item No. 9.

To discuss and approve the lowest tender of the contractor for Extension of Gents' Hostel Building in the North Bengal University (Second Phase)" Estimated amount put to tender is Rs. 2,85,522/=.(Chargeable to constn. of Gents' Hostel Building).

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved in principle the lowest tender of Sri A.K.Chakraborty and Sri Sumit Kumar Saha at 3.33% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for the above work . Estimated amount put to tender was Rs. 2,85,522/= and work order to be given for Rs. 2,95,030/= provided necessary funds have been released by Govt. and Finance Officer was ~~x~~ asked to move to the Govt. for this purpose.

Item No. 10.

To discuss and approve the lowest tender of the contractor for Sinking of 4 metre (Internal) dia . R.C.C.Well upto 15 metre deep" . Estimated ampunt put to ~~tx~~ tender is Rs.1,12,192/= (Chargeable to new fund for watersupply).

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of M/s Associated Contractors at 2.00% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for the above work. Estimate amount put to tender was Rs. 1,12,192/= and work order to be issued for Rs. 1,14,436 /=

Item No. 11.

To discuss and approve the lowest tender of the contractor for "Construction of quarters for Kitchen staff for Womens" Hostel" . Estimated amount put to tender is Rs. 32,750/= (Chargeable to maintenance.)

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of Sri P.K. Mitra at 3.00% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for the above work and it was decided that the work may be renamed as "Extension of Kitchen Block in Rani Bhavani Girls' Hostel" and the lowest tender might be asked to comply with the decision keepingall other matters same relating to the above tender for the work. Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.32,750/= and work order to be issued for Rs. 33,733.00 .

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Item No. 12.

To discuss and approve the lowest tender of the Contractor for "Renovation of the main discharge drain within the continuous quarters" . Estimated amount put to tender is Rs. 21,449/= (Chargeable to maintenance).

Decision.:- The Committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of Sri Prithiraj Banerjee, Contractor at 3.25% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for the above work. Estimated amount put to tender was Rs. 21,449/= and was order to be issued for Rs.22,146/= .

Item No. 13.

To discuss and approve the lowest tender of the contractor for "Modification of the existing electrical connection of 25 K.W. Generating Set for supplying pump loads".

Decision:- During discoussion of the item it was understood that the item to be counted against item No.7 and it was noted that the rates quoted by the tenderers were exarbitently high for which retendering of the work might be made.

Item No. 14.

To discuss and approve the estimate for "Renovation of the lavatories attached to old hollow brick office building ". This item was placed in the Building Committee meeting held on 27.1.81 vide item No. 19 , where in Rs.10,000/= was approved in principle for the above purpose. (Chargeable to maintenance)-

Decision:- Deferred.

Item No. 15.

To discuss and approve the action taken by the University Engineer for repairing breakdown of deep well pump No. 2 adjacent to Sal Forest. (Chargeable to maintenance).

Decision:- It was noted that the deep tube-well pump No. 2 was suddenly broken down on 1.9.81 creating a serious problem in water supply for the entire Western Sector. In view of the urgency of repair the local firm M/s Mukherjee & Sons was contacted. The estimated expenditure for replacement of shafts ,cleaning of the tubewell etc. was submitted for Rs.35,000/= In view of the urgency , the Vice-Chancellor in anticipation of approval of the Building Committee , approved the execution of the work by M/s Mukherjee & Sons on the basis of their single quotation.

Item No. 16.

To discuss on the letter of Sri A.B.Chakraborty , the chief Executive Officer, Siliguri-Jalpaiguri Development Authority asking release of 100 M.T. of cement on payment.

Decision:- The Committee considered a letter from the Chief Executive Officer, Siliguri-Jalpaiguri Development Authority requesting release of 100 M.T. of cement for urgent requirement. The Committee noted that inspite of the needs of the University,for the interest of the development work for which the cement is needed 100 M.T. may be spared on issue rate basis to the Siliguri -Jalpaiguri Development authority. In that case the loan of 50 M.T. cement from the Teesta Barrage Project Authority may be settled by cash payment.

Item No. 17.

To discuss and approve excess quantity of execution for Rs.59.00 against item No. 2 and 10 of the priced schedule of quantities for the work "Construction of Boundary wall in different places around the University Campus (Phase II) executed by the agency Sri Tapan Chakraborty.

Decision:- Item withdrawn.

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Item 18. (Agenda item recast as). To report to the Committee that the Vice-Chancellor, in view of urgency, had approved in anticipation of approval by the Building Committee execution of the work" Maintenance of pipe line in Sal Bagan quarters, Health centre, Vidyasagar Bhavan, Chemistry and Physics by-pass line."(Chargeable to maintenance).

Decision:- The Committee noted the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor and approved the action taken by the Assistant Engineer for execution of the work ~~xxxxxxx~~ through lowest bid offered by Sri Nanda Kumar Ghosh'at par' the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities which was prepared on the basis of the P.W.D.schedule 1979-80. Estimated amount put to bid was Rs.2,605/= and work order was issued by the Assistant Engineer for the same amount.It was further noted that the work was completed already.

Item No. 19.

To discuss and decide about the payment of 3rd R.A. and final bill for the bill for the work "Extension of the Street light line along the link road and maintenance of the over head line in both sector", by the ~~xxx~~ agency Sri Prasanta Kumar Sen.

Decision:- Deferred for consideration in the next meeting.

Item No. 20.

To discuss and decide about the security deposit for the work "Servicing of the Motor for pump and Alternator Set." by the Agency Sri Prasanta Kumar Sen.

Decision:- Deferred for consideration in the next meeting.

Item No. 21. To discuss and decide action to be taken for completion of the work "Arrangement of addl.source of water supply to Physics ,Chemistry and Life Science building by providing 3.65 m (internal) dia ring well with pump house and distribution line". of the contractor Sri Nirmal Chowdhury .

The work is nearly completed, ~~xxxxxx~~ though it stopped for pretty ~~xxx~~ t long time .If the contract is terminated the work can be completed departmentally and the water supply can be started with the help of the recently purchased diesel pump set. It was discussed in item No. 7(a) of Building Committee meeting ~~dated~~ 17.8.81 . But the decision of meeting could not be carried out due to some ~~different~~ difficulties.

Decision:- The Committee noted the difficulties involved in the suggested procedure and decided that the contractor may be ~~xxxx~~ terminated. In view of major part of the work having been completed , it was decided that the contractor Sri Nirmal Chowdhury may be released with a token panalty of 1% for non completion of the work to the full extent.

Item No. 22. Miscellaneous.

The committee discussed and approved of the excess quantity of execution for Rs.1,465.00 against item No. 1 of the priced schedule for the work "Provision of intermediate timber platform in the Magnetic Spectrograph Laboratory " by the agency M/s Joy Construction . Tendered amount of the work was Rs. 7,616.00

Secretary,
Building Committee,
University of North Bengal.

CHAIRMAN,
Building Committee,
University of North Bengal.

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Annexure - IV

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Minutes of the 27th meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee of the N. B. U. Council held on 13th November,81, at 3.30 P. M. in the Chamber of the Vice-Chancellor.

Present:

1. Dr. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor... Chairman.
2. Dr. I. K. Chatterjee, Prof. Kalyani University, Member.
3. Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer... Secretary.

Sri R. K. Ghosh, Dy. Registrar also attended the meeting on special invitation.

Item-1. To confirm the minutes of the 26th meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 13.8.81.

The minutes were confirmed.

Item-2. To consider the fixation of pay of Dr. Rabindra Nath Das, newly appointed as Development Officer.

Dr. R. N. Das has been appointed to the post of Development Officer in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-50-1300-60-1900. His appointment had been communicated by the Dy. Registrar with the request to send his last pay certificate from his last employer for consideration. In reply, he has submitted a monthly salary statement for the month of September,81 issued by the Administrative-cum-Accounts Officer, Calcutta, Pay & Accounts Officer wherein his total emoluments has been shown as under:-

Basic.	Rs.	965.00
D.Pay.	Rs.	39.00
Ad-hoc pay.	Rs.	25.00
Spl. pay.	Rs.	75.00
H.R.A.	Rs.	166.00
D.A.	Rs.	56.00
I.D.A.	Rs.	58.00
A.D.A.	Rs.	449.00
M.A.	Rs.	16.70
		Rs.1,849.70

(un-revised scale)

In absence of revised scale of pay it is difficult to arrive at his actual pay. Therefore, his pay may be fixed provisionally in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900.

On the basis of the particulars funished by Dr. Das in respect of his pay in the revised scale of pay it may be stated that his pay may be regularised by fixing the same as under on production of last pay certificate by him:-

Basic.	Rs.	1100.00
D.Pay.	Rs.	39.00
Ad-hoc pay.	Rs.	25.00
Spl. Pay.	Rs.	75.00
H.R.A.	Rs.	186.00
D.A.	Rs.	56.00
I.D.A.	Rs.	60.00
A.D.A.	Rs.	455.00
M.A.	Rs.	16.70
		Rs.2,012.70

The Finance Sub-Committee considered the leller from Dr. R. N. Das and noted the following:-

(1) His gross emoluments at present come to Rs. 1849.70. If the gross emolument is protected his pay will be fixed at Rs.1200/-. (minimum of the scale) + allowances which will in all come to Rs. 1899.70.

(2) It was noted that his pay may be revised as per recommendation of the Pay Commission.

The Finance Sub-Committee recommends that on verification of his revised pay in accordance with Pay Commission's recommendations his gross emolument may be protected and for that purpose if necessary advance increments may be granted.

The resolution was confirmed for consideration by the N.B.U. Council in its meeting to be held on 14.11.81.

Item-3. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri Goutom Biswas, Lecturer in Philosophy against a regular vacancy.

Sri Goutam Biswas joined the University as lecturer in the Deptt. of Philosophy on 9.7.81(F/N) on temporary basis against leave vacancy in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600.

His pay was fixed by the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 7.8.81 at Rs.700/- with D.N.I. on 9.7.82. Subsequently he has been appointed as lecturer in the same scale on substantive/regular vacancy. He joined the post on 239.81. At present he is drawing his basic pay of Rs. 700/- P.M.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D.N.I. on 9.7.82. The Committee decided that Sri Biswas would get the benefit of C.P.F., leave etc. with effect from 23.9.81.

Item-4. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri Manoj Kr. Roy on his promotion to the post of Sr. Professional Asstt. in the Library.

Sri Manoja Kr. Roy has been promoted to the post of Sr. Professional Asstt. in the scale of pay of Rs. 550-30-700-35-770-40-890-45-1160. He joined the post on 23.9.81 as Sr. Professional Asstt. At present he is drawing his basic pay of Rs. 715/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 400-24-625-30-805-35-910-45-1000. D.N.I. on 1st April.

His pay is to be fixed as per resolution of the N.B.U. Council in its meeting held on 4.7.81 vide Suppl. agenda item No. 1(1).

Pay fixed at Rs. 770/-. D.N.I. on 23.9.82.

Item-5. To consider the fixation of pay of some newly appointed teacher/non-teaching employees in the University.

(a) Sri Madhusudan Ghosh, Lecturer in Economics. Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Economics on 1.9.81. Pay to be fixed on 1.9.81 in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D. N.I. on 1.9.82.

(b) Sri Bijoy Kr. Sarkar, Engineering helper. Joined as Engineering helper in the Deptt. of Engineering Section on 22.9.81(F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 325-10-415-13-480-15-600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 325/-. D.N.I. on 22.9.82.

(c) Sri Narayan Ch. Das, Engineering helper. Joined as Engineering helper in the Engineering Section on 22.9.81(F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 325-600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 325/-. D.N.I. on 22.9.82.

(d) Sri Josheph Nagesia, Mali. Joined as Mali in the Care-Taking Section on 22.9.81. Pay to be fixed on 22.9.81 in the scale of pay of Rs. 300-6-324-8-346-10-434-13-525.

Pay fixed at Rs. 300/-. D.N.I. on 22.9.82.

Item-6. To consider a note from the Finance Officer, dated the 7.11.81, regarding deduction of loan received from M/S. Vivekananda Co-op. Housing Society Ltd., Jalpaiguri by Sri Nirode Ranjan Chakraborty, Sr. Asstt., Finance Branch in case of his default to pay the loan.

After due consideration, the Committee decided that the applicant might be asked to produce documents from the Housing Society re:

(1) The amount of loan he had applied for.

(2) Rate of interest.

(3) Monthly instalment he has to pay.

The Finance Sub-Committee would consider the matter on receipt of the above information.

There being no other item, the meeting ended with thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- S. M. Roy
(S. M. Roy)
Finance Officer
Secretary.

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
(P. K. Ghosh)
Vice-Chancellor
Chairman.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

AGENDA PAPERS

for

the 59th meeting of the NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Date: 6.3.1982
Time: 11-00 A.M.

Place: Conference Room
Administrative Building
Raja-Rammohunpur.

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

N o t i c e

The 59th meeting of the North Bengal University Council will be held on Saturday, the 6th March, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur to consider the following agenda:

A G E N D A

1. To confirm the minutes of the meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 13.2.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-I)

2. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

   Decision:

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

   Decision:

4. To consider the cases of the undernoted employees of the University for confirmation:

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Sri Sukhamoy Majumdar Dy. Controller of Exams. N.B.U.	16.2.81	16.2.82
2. Sri Dyutish Chakraborty Lecturer in Pol. Science N.B.U.	17.2.81	17.2.82

   Decision:

5. To report that in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council the Vice-Chancellor has accepted the resignation tendered by Smt. Banani Sarkar, Lecturer in Pol. Science, N.B.U. w.e.f. 22.2.1982.

Decision:

6. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on -

13.1.82
13.2.82

Decision: (Annexure-II)

7. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with leave of Sri Chandra Kanta Sharma, Guard, Watch & Ward Deptt. N.B.U.

Decision:

8. To consider a letter from the Lecturer-in-charge, N.B.U. Law College regarding nomination of Sri N.K.Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri on the N.B.U. Law College Council.

Decision:

9. To consider a note from the Finance Officer for determining of D.A. rates for field trips under Area Studies.

Decision:

10. To consider a proposal for institution of a fellowship of Rs. 300/- per month with an annual contingent grant of Rs. 4000/- under Dr. G.S.S. Murthi, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U. to investigate an industrial problem - "Examination of the waste products of the tea waste based Caffein Industry" initially for a period of one year received from the Managing Director, Peak Chemical Industries Limited, Siliguri.

Decision:

11. To report certain amendments with regard to Merit Promotion Scheme have been received.

Decision:

12. To consider the evaluation report including the report of the viva-voce examination on the thisis submitted for the Ph.D. degree of this University.

Decision:

13. To consider applications received for the Registration for Ph.D. Degree.

Decision:

14. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

Dy. Registrar 25/2/82
for REGISTRAR.

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
The 25th February, 1982.

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Raja-Rammohunpur(Darjeeling).

(Annexure I)

Minutes of the 57th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Saturday, the 13th February, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building /Raja-Rammohunpur/

Members present:

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Prof. I. K. Chatterjee
3. Dr. H.P.Bhaumick, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College
4. Dr. S.K.Biswas, Principal, North Bengal Medical College
5. Prof. S.N.Sen, Professor of Physics, N.B.U.
6. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
7. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
8. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
9. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College.

Shri S. M. Roy, Actg. Finance Officer, Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, Shri R. K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar and Shri S. Majumdar, Deputy Controller of Examinations were requested to make themselves available during the meeting.

Shri P. K. Majumdar and Dr. P. K. Gupta intimated inability to attend the meeting due to pre-occupation.

Shri A. Bhattacharjee intimated inability to attend the meeting due to indisposition.

1. The minutes of the 56th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 14.1.82 were confirmed with the following amendment:

(i) Item 7 Add the words "meeting held on 11.1.82" after the word "Committee" arising in 1st line.

Matter arising out of confirmation of the minutes of the 56th meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 14.1.82

(i) Item 15 The Council further considered the recommended revised scales of pay of certain employees of the USIC. The Council decided that the Committee may send a report on the recommended scales mentioning the reasons for the differences in the various grades.

(ii) Item Misc. 7 The Council decided that in making payment of pension to Shri T. K. Bhattacharjee and other eligible persons, arrear amount from the date they were eligible to draw pension should also be paid.

2. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

Lecturer in Mathematics (Two posts)

(a) The Council approved the panel recommended by the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Sm. Manjusha Tarafdar as Lecturer in Mathematics (Specialisation-Differential Geometry) in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus admissible allowances. Her initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. She will be on probation for a period of one year.

Sm. Tarafdar will have to obtain a Doctor's Degree or give evidence of published work of equivalent high standard within 5 years of her appointment, failing which she will not be able to earn future increments until she fulfils these requirements.

(b) The Council approved the panel recommended by the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Dr. Prasanta Kumar Choudhuri as Lecturer in Mathematics (Specialisation-Applied Mathematics/Statistics) in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus admissible allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

The above resolutions were confirmed for immediate action.

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for aprointment of non-teaching employees for the University.

The Vice-Chancellor reported the difficulty which has arisen in connection with the recent meetings of the Selection Committees which were held for appointment to the posts of Controller of Examinations and the Inspector of Colleges, arising out of applications received from common candidates, absence of one candidate due to official engagements and the time lag in communications. The Council noted that it is administratively necessary to fill up the posts of Controller of Examinations as well as that of the Inspector of Colleges. It was decided that the Selection Committee meetings for the two posts may be held again as soon as possible giving an opportunity to the absentee candidates to appear at the interview. It was further noted that it may be difficult to fill up both the posts within the month of March 1982. The Council also considered the necessity of filling up the post of Inspector of Colleges with an incumbent satisfying the minimum prescribed qualifications and having abilities to perform the responsibilities of the Inspector of Colleges who has also to function ex-officio as Secretary to the Committee of Residence and Discipline and Programme Co-ordinator of NSS activities in different colleges. In view of the above considerations, it was felt that the present incumbent

Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, who is due to retire with effect from 1.4.82 be requested to accept re-employment for a period of three months with effect from 1.4.82 on a contractual basis, his consolidated emolument being consistent with the last pay and allowances drawn by him.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

4. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with the prayer of Sri Balaram Dutta, Binder for placing him in the post of Binder (in place of Gestetner Operator) from his date of joining i.e. w.e.f. 1.5.64.

The Council considered the note and decided that the matter might be studied by a Committee consisting of the Finance Officer, the Deputy Registrar and the Registrar and a report be placed mentioning the detailed implications of any change as prayed for by Sri Balaram Datta.

5. To consider a letter from Sri Dyutish Chakraborty, Lecturer in Pol. Science praying for consideration of service rendered by him as Lecturer in the leave vacancy w.e.f. 8.1.81 in order to protect seniority and continuity of his service.

The Council decided that Sri Dyutish Chakraborty, Lecturer in Political Science might be permitted to enjoy the P.F. benefit, gratuity, leave and continuity of service with effect from 8.1.81 when he joined the service against a leave vacancy. He was absorbed against the permanent vacancy with effect from 17.2.81.

6. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) in the Centre for Himalayan Studies.

The Council considered the recommendation. It was noted that the post was reserved for SC/ST. In view of the fact that one of the applicants belong to SC/ST and secured more than 50% marks in M.A. Examination, the Council decided that the Selection Committee might reconsider the case in the above light.

7. To consider constitution of Selection Committees for some non-teaching posts.

The Council constituted Selection Committees for appointment to the following non-teaching posts:

(i) Junior Professional Assistant
(ii) Proof Reader, Machine man and Compositor (for University Press)
(iii) Junior Plumber, Work Assistant, Draftsman and Junior Mechanic for Engineering Department.
(iv) Medical Laboratory Technician for the Health Centre

(v) Junior Gas Plant Operator for Chemistry Department

(vi) Instrument Supervisor for Physics Department.

In this connection the Council recommended panels of experts for acting as referees in connection with merit promotion scheme for University teachers. The Council, further, decided that each of the referees would be paid a token honorarium of Rs. 100/- for reviewing the qualifications, etc.

8. To consider qualification for the post of Principal, University Law College.

The Council decided the following qualifications for appointment to the post of Principal of a Law College under this University:

Essential

(i) LL.M Degree

(ii) Good academic record with 2nd class Master's degree from an Indian University in relevant subject or an equivalent degree of a foreign University.

(iii) Must have at least 5 years teaching experience in a Law College.

(iv) Should be at least 40 years of age.

If the Selection Committee is of the view that the research work of a candidate as evident either from his thesis or from his published work is of a very high standard it may relax the qualifications prescribed in (ii) above.

Desirable

(i) Should have some experience of practice at the Bar.

(ii) Doctorate Degree in Law.

9. To consider a letter No. 6-Edn(CS) 4C-7/80 dated 2.1.82 received from the Govt. of West Bengal, Education Department with regard to granting of extension of affiliation in Economics in place of Sanskrit in the Degree (Pass) level w.e.f. 1981-82 session to Siliguri Mahila Mahavidyalaya.

Noted.

10. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the Akshaya Kumar Maitreye Museum Committee, N.B.U. held on 11.1.82.

Noted.

In this connection the Council requested Dr. A.B.Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges to forward a corrected copy of the proceedings to the Secretary, Akshaya Kumar Maitreye Museum Committee.

11. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the Building Committee held on 15.9.81.

Noted and approved.

12. To consider extension of fellowship of Sri Amal Kumar Chakraborty, J.R.F. Centre for Life Sciences for six months.

The Council decided to extend the fellowship of Sri Amal Kumar Chakraborty, J.R.F., Centre for Life Sciences for six months with effect from 19.3.82.

13. To consider leave petition of Sm. Krishna Pal, Research Scholar, Deptt. of History for one year.

The Council decided to grant leave to Sm. Krishna Pal, Research Scholar, Department of History for four months with effect from 15.1.82.

14. To consider matter relating to Sri Mihir Kumar Saha, Asstt. Cashier, N.B.U.

The Council noted that Sri Mihir Kumar Saha instituted a case against the University and hence he could not submit his option for the revised scale of pay. The Council further noted that Sri Saha has since withdrawn the case. Under the circumstances, and as per Govt. Order regarding implementation of revised pay scales of non-teaching employees, the Council decided that Shri Saha may be allowed to submit his option and his pay might be fixed as per rules.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

15. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee, N.B.U. held on 13.11.81.

Noted and approved.

16. To consider the cases of the undernoted employees of the University for confirmation:

Sl.No.	Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1.	Sri Dilip Kr. Kundu Jr. Asstt. Cum-Typist	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82
2.	Sri Nirode Singh Jr. Asstt. cum-Typist	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82
3.	Sri Sanjib Sarkar Jr. Asstt. cum-Typist	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82
4.	Sri Sati Nath Ghosh Jr. Asstt. cum-Typist	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82
5.	Sri Sushanta Kanjilal Jr. Asstt. cum-Typist	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82
6.	Sri Bikram Thapa Jr. Lab. Attendant	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82

Sl. No.	Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
7.	Sri Nayan Ranjan Ghosh Jr. Lab. Attendant	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82
8.	Sri Sipen Ch. Barman Jr. Lab. Attendant	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82
9.	Sri Ratan Kumar Ghosh Deputy Registrar	28.1.81 (Forenoon)	28.1.82
10.	Sri Ramesh Ch. Singha Jr. Asstt. cum-Typist	28.1.81 (Forenoon)	28.1.82
11.	Sri Atul Ch. Ray Jr. Lab. Attendant	28.1.81 (Forenoon)	28.1.82
12.	Dr. Pattan Jaffar Ali Khan - Joined as A.M.O. on 26.7.79. He has since been redesignated as M.O. w.e.f. 14.11.81.		

The Council in consideration of the confidential reports and recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor decided to confirm the services of the following employees of the University with effect from the date mentioned against each, subject to (i) their being found medically fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) Verification of age and academic qualifications and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose:

Sl. No.	Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1.	Sri Dilip Kr. Kundu Jr. Asstt. cum-Typist	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82
2.	Sri Nirode Singh Jr. Asstt. cum-Typist	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82
3.	Sri Sanjib Sarkar Jr. Asstt. cum-Typist	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82
4.	Sri Sati Nath Ghosh Jr. Asstt. cum-Typist	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82
5.	Sri Sushanta Kanjilal Jr. Asstt. cum-Typist	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82
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8.	Sri Ramesh Ch. Singha Jr. Asstt. cum-Typist	28.1.81 (Forenoon)	28.1.82
9.	Sri Atul Ch. Ray Jr. Lab. Attendant	28.1.81 (Forenoon)	28.1.82
10.	Dr. Pattan Jaffar Ali Khan		

The Council decided to confirm the services of Dr. P.J.Ali Khan as Assistant Medical Officer after expiry of one year from the date of his joining. However, as per earlier decision of the Council the post of Assistant Medical Officer was redesignated as Medical Officer with effect from 14.11.81 in the same scale of pay of Assistant Medical

Officer. This was done in accordance with the Govt. Order revising the pay scales of Officers of the Universities.

17. To consider acceptance of qualification of Sri Parameswar Mallick, Rec rd Supplier, Registrer's Branch.

The Council decided to approve the qualification of Sri Parameswar Mallick in the light of Govt. Order No.133(52)-F dated 12.1.1963 for F 2M-100/62 eligibility for consideration for appointment to the post of Junior Assistant-cum-Typist. The Council directed that necessary action in this regard might be taken immediately and the above resolution was confirmed.

18. To consider the evaluation report including the report of the viva voce examination on the thesis submitted for the Ph.D. degree of this University.

(a) The Council considered the evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examinations and decided to admit Shri Jagadbandhu Chakrabarti to the degree of Ph.D. (Science) for his thesis entitled "Studies on certain Aspects of Pesticides and their Residues".

Shri Chakrabarti worked under the guidance of Dr. B.R.Ray, Director, Central Food Laboratory, Calcutta.

(b) The Council considered the evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examinations and decided to admit Shri Nripen Paul to the degree of Ph.D. (Arts) for his thesis entitled "[illegible]".

Shri Paul worked under the guidance of Dr. Subodh Ranjan Ray.

The above results may be published immediately.

//Supplementary Agenda//

1. To consider an application from Shri Pabitra Kumar Roy, Lecturer, Deptt. of Philosophy, in connection with his confirmation.

The Council noted that Shri Pabitra Kumar Roy, Lecturer in Philosophy who has completed the period of probation has failed to submit his Matriculation Certificate in support of his age and other certificates/marksheets as per requirement. Shri Roy has stated that he had sworn an affidavit to the effect that he had lost all those documents. The Council decided that he should submit duplicatee of all the documents required for confirmation within three months.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

2. (a) To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of Research Scholar (University) in the Deptt. of Philosophy.

The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Sm. Purnima Roy, a SC candidate to the post of University Research Scholar in the Department of Philosophy. She will receive a scholarship of Rs. 600/- per month and Rs.3000/- per annum as contingent grant. She will be guided as per University Rules in this regard.

2. (b) To consider the case of Selection for the post of Junior Research Fellow in the Deptt. of Philosophy.

The Council noted the opinion of the members of the Selection Committee which met on 28.8.81 for appointment to the post of Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) in the Department of Philosophy. After considering all aspects and also the opinion of the members of the Selection Committee the Council decided to appoint Sm. Shyamali Sanyal to the post of Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.). She will receive a scholarship of Rs. 600/- per month and Rs. 3000/- per annum as contingent grant. She will be guided as per rules in this regard.

The above decisions were confirmed for immediate action.

3. To report that a letter No. BCI/D/227/1982(LE/INSP) dated 19.1.82 along with inspection report from the Secretary, Bar Council of India in the matter of inspection of Jalpaiguri Law College has been received.

The Council considered a letter No. BCI/D/227/1982(LE/INSP) dated 19.1.82 from the Bar Council of India addressed to the Secretary, Jalpaiguri Law College. The Council while noting the conditions laid down by the Bar Council of India decided that the Jalpaiguri Law College authorities should make all efforts tofulfil the conditions. It was also decided that since the Law College at Jalpaiguri was temporarily granted affiliation for one year, an inspection should be made by the University with regard to the conditions laid down by the Bar Council of India.

4. To consider a letter from Dr. Nitya Lal Karmakar, Sr. Research Assistant, Department of Physics, N.B.U.

The Council noted the letter from Dr. Nityalal Karmakar and decided that disciplinary proceedings should be instituted against him as per earlier resolution of the Council.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

5. To consider the Inspection report on Alipurduar College.

The Council considered report on inspection of Alipurduar College in the matter of extension of affiliation in Honours course in Chemistry and Economics and Pass course in Zoology and Botany. While approving the report including the conditions laid down therein the Council decided to request the Govt. to extend facilities for implementing the recommendations and also approving the report.

(Appendix I)

6. To consider the following proceedings of the meetings of the Law College Council held on -

10.9.81
22.12.81
15.1.82

Noted.

In the matter of the resolution No. 2 of the meeting held on 15.1.82 the Council noted that since the names of such students were struck off the rolls because of violation of rules of admission, the question of allowing them re-admission might entail further violation, and other complications might arise. The Council decided to refer the matter back to the College Council.

(Appendix II)

7. To consider an application from Sri M.M.Jana, Lecturer, Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography, N.B.U. praying for granting extraordinary leave for two years to enable him to join his new assignment at Nigeria.

The Council decided to grant extraordinary leave for two years to Sri M.M.Jana for allowing him to join his assignment at Nigeria under the sponsorship of the Govt. of India.

The Council decided to advertise the post with specialisation in Cartography.

8. To report that a letter No. 91-Edn(CS) dated 21.1.82 from the Asstt. Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Education Deptt. extending affiliation of Honours courses in Philosophy and Commerce to Cooch-Behar College w.e.f. 1980-81 session has been received.

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Noted.

9. To consider an application from Shri Goutam Kr. Basu, Lecturer in Pol. Science praying for granting of study leave. (Sri Basu joined as lecturer on 1.8.79).

The Council noted that Shri Goutam Kumar Basu, Lecturer in

Political Science has been awarded a Govt. of India scholarship to study abroad. The Council decided to grant him leave as per University Rules.

10. To consider an application from Sri Jahnabi Bhusan Basu, Teacher Fellow, Physics Department, N.B.U. praying for granting of extension of fellowship for another six months w.e.f. 21.2.82.

The Council decided to extend the teacher fellowship of Sri Jahnabi Bhusan Basu for a further period of six months with effect from 21.2.82.

11. To consider letter of resignation submitted by Sri Satyendra Ch. Das, Junior Research Fellow, Deptt. of Physics, N.B.U. w.e.f. 5.8.81.

The Council decided to accept resignation submitted by Sri Satyendra Ch. Das, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Physics with effect from 5.8.81 subject to clearance of all dues.

12. To consider a note from the Registrar in connection with relaxation of the Ordinances relating to admission to 3rd year Honours classes.

The Council noted that previously some concessions were allowed to SC/ST candidates in the matter of eligibility for admission to Honours course. The Council decided to extend the same concessions i.e. 5% of marks should be added as bonus marks for SC/ST candidates for admission to Special Honours course in Colleges.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

13. To consider applications received for the Registration for Ph.D. Degree.

The Council permitted the following persons who are graduates of other Universities to apply for registration for the Degree of Ph.D. :-

i) Sri Amiya Kr. Nandi
ii) Sri Amal Bhattacharjee
iii) Sri Deb Prosad Guin
iv) Smt. Saswati Biswas
v) Smt. Archana Roy
vi) Sri Laxmikanta Sharma
vii) Sri Ranjit Kr. Mukhopadhyay
viii) Sri Subir Kr. Sengupta
ix) Sri Partha Kumar Chakraborty

14. To consider a note from the Registrar in connection with prescribed application forms, etc.

The Council after noting the rising costs of printing, etc. decided that the prices for prescribed application forms for appointment to

various posts of the University be fixed at Rs. 5/-, and Rs. 3/- for applicants belonging to SC/ST.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

15. To consider a letter received from Dr. Suhas C. Guhaniyogi, Lecturer in Chemistry, N.B.U. praying for leave w.e.f. 1.11.81 for one year.

The Council considered the letter from Dr. Guha Niyogi. Since there had been no change in the situation, the Council decided to reiterate its earlier decision with regard to steps to be taken against unauthorised absence of Dr. Guha Niyogi. The Council directed that necessary immediate action be taken in this regard.

16. To report that an amendment in respect of introduction of promotion scheme for Teachers in state-aided Universities has been received from the Government of West Bengal vide their G.O. No. 61(6)-Edn(U) dated 15.1.82.

The Council noted the amendment. However, it was noted that steps regarding promotion under the scheme had already been taken by this University as per previous Govt. order.

17. To consider the recommendations of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee for B.A./B.Sc/B.Com 2 Yr. Pass and Part I, Part II Honours (3 Yr.) Examinations, 1981.

Approved.

(Appendix III)

18. To report to the Council the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor on the recommendations of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee for B.A./B.Sc/B.Com Part II (old) Examinations 1981.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor on the recommendation of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee made in its meeting held on 23.12.81 and 24.12.81 and as explained by the Deputy Controller of Examinations in his note dated 15.1.82 submitted to the Vice-Chancellor.

(Appendix IV)

19. To consider the recommendations of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee for B.E. Examinations 1981.

Approved.

(Appendix V)

20. To consider the recommendations of the emergent meeting of the Under Graduate Examination Advisory Committee held on 24.1.82.

While approving the recommendation the Council took serious note in the matter of discrepancies which have occurred in different colleges between the marks notified to the students on internal assessment and the percentage of marks as intimated to the Examinations Branch of the University; the Council decided that (a) the earlier resolution regarding the maximum marks to be allotted in respect of each internal assessment paper and the number of internal tests be strictly adhered to; (b) the conversion of marks into percentages should be made after all the internal assessment tests have been held and by aggregating the marks obtained in all the tests; (c) the fractional percentage of marks on the basis of aggregate should be rounded to the next higher integer; (d) the internal assessment marks must be sent to the Office of the Controller of Examinations after the receipt of which the admit cards of the students of the colleges would be sent.

It was directed that a circular on the basis of above along with the previous decisions of the authorities of the University in this regard be sent to all colleges immediately. (Appendix - VI)

21. To consider the recommendation of the Under Graduate Examination Advisory Committee held on 28.1.82.

(a) The Council approved the recommendation of the Under Graduate Examination Advisory Committee held on 28.1.82.

(Appendix VII)

(b) The Council while approving the recommendations of the Under Graduate Examination Advisory Committee held on 12.2.82 decided that a decision with regard to holding a Supplementary Part I (Old) Examinations could be made only after eliciting the opinions of the Principals and Teachers' Councils of affiliated colleges. Such Examinations, if held, would be a Supplementary Examination of 1981 and those who appeared and were unsuccessful in 1981 examination would be eligible to appear. It was directed that letters to the Principals and Secretaries to Teachers' Councils be sent immediately. In the matter of Item 10 the Council decided that no fresh internal assessment tests would be held for casual students; the marks obtained by them in the internal tests previously held would remain good. Confirmed for immediate action.

(Appendix VIII)

22. To consider the recommendation of the emergent meeting of the Post Graduate Examination Advisory Committee held on 9.2.82.

Approved.

(Appendix IX)

In this connection the Council decided that in future candidates appearing in M.A./M.Sc/M.Com Examinations as external would have to pay an amount of Rs. 15/- as Centre fee.

23. To consider the recommendation of the M.B.B.S. Examination Advisory Committee held on 8.2.82.

Approved.

(Appendix X)

With regard to item 1 the Council decided that the existing system might continue for the present and the recommendation will be taken up for consideration at later date. With regard to item 2 the Council decided that University Guest House accommodation would, as usual, be made available for external examiners and the University will arrange vehicles for the transport of external examiners if the schedule was intimated well ahead of time. In connection with remuneration for Conveners the Council decided to write to the Govt. for clarification.

The Council accepted the recommendation of rotational appointment of examiners as per MCI Rules.

24. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with the matter of extension of service of Sri S.N.Sanyal, University Engineer.

The Council decided to write to the Govt. for extending the period of deputation of Sri S.N.Sanyal, University Engineer, for a further period of one year only.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

25. To report that a letter No. 96-Edn(CS) dated 22.1.82 with regard 6A-46/79 to granting of extension of affiliation in Honours courses in Economics & Zoology to Siliguri College w.e.f. 1980-81 session subject to the grant of affiliation in those subjects by the University of North Bengal has been received.

Noted.

26. To appoint Dr. Ranjit Pal, Reader in Physics on the Academic Committee vice Dr. S. Mukherjee, Reader & Head of the Deptt. of Physics, N.B.U.

The Council decided to appoint Dr. Ranjit Pal, Reader in Physics

on the Academic Committee.

The resolution was confirmed.

27. To consider releasing of C.P.F. accumulations amounting to Rs. 10,991.33 of Shri Pulin Behari Deb, Ex-Sr. Laboratory Attendant, Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.

The Council decided to release an amount of Rs. 10,991=33 being the full and final payment against C.P.F. accumulation of Sri Pulin Behari Deb subject to adjustment of any dues.

In this connection the Council also decided to release an amount of Rs. 14,368/- being the full and final payment against C.P.F. accumulation of Shri M. Banerjee, Ex-Controller of Examinations subject to adjustment of any dues.

The decisions were confirmed for immediate action.

Misc. 1 The Council approved the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee meeting dated 13.2.82 and decided that the basic pay of Shri Ashutosh Sinha who has been offered the post of Assistant Engineer (Electrical) be fixed at Rs. 900/- which was the amount he claimed in his application for the post. The Council confirmed the decision and directed that Sri Sinha might immediately be informed about it including the amount he would receive as allowances.

Confirmed for immediate action.

Misc. 2 The Council decided that the date of the next annual Convocation of the University might be fixed between 29.3.82 and 3.4.82 in consultation with the Chancellor. The Council also approved some names for Chief Guest.

Misc. 3 The Council noted some difficulties in the matter of date of promotion of Sri Amulya Lohar, a SC employee of the University. The Council decided to authorise the Vice-Chancellor to take necessary action in consultation with the Promotion Committee.

Misc. 4 Three representatives of the North Bengal Medical College Students' Union met the Council and intimated that classes in Pre-Clinical and Para-Clinical courses were not being held at the College with effect from 3.2.82 on account of the decision of some teachers who were appointed by the North Bengal University previously not to take classes. The students requested the Vice-Chancellor and the members of the Council to intervene so that classes could be held.

The Vice-Chancellor informed the members that he had received a communication from those teachers wherein they informed that the Government had not yet done anything with regard to their long standing demands. The Vice-Chancellor also said that in December last year he met the Director of Health Services on this question who assured that the demands will be looked into and a communication would reach the University very soon.

However, in view of the difficulty the Council decided to request the Principal, North Bengal Medical College, who is also a member of the Council, to proceed to Calcutta and meet the Minister-in-charge of Health so that some arrangements could be made to resume classes. The Council also noted that the demands of those teachers were justified and needed immediate attention of the Government.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

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OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF COLLEGES
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Appendix-I

Ref.No. 22/12 /Insp-82 Dated. 9th Feb.'82.

To
The Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University.

Sub: Alipurduar College: Extension of Hons. affiliation in Chemistry and Economics and pass affiliation in Bio-Science.

Sir,

With reference to the above a duly constituted inspection team with Dr. P. Sarkar of the Economics Deptt., Dr. S. Majumder of Chemistry Deptt., Dr. K. B. Datta & Dr. A. K. Chakraborty of the Centre for Life Science accompanied the Inspector of Colleges to Alipurduar on 9th January'82. The purpose of the visit was to examine the feasibility of introducing the above courses of study in Alipurduar College from the next academic session.

For some time past the teachers, students and the Governing Body of Alipurduar College have been appealing the University authorities to consider the need for introducing the new courses of study in their college. After visiting the college and discussions were held with the teachers and students alike the inspection team felt that the need for those new courses of study was justified. Since the University desired students with Honours degree for admission into the Post Graduate study the introduction of Honours teaching in Chemistry and Economics would go a long way in helping the students of Alipurduar College to proceed for higher studies. Introduction of teaching in Zoology and Botany in the pass course at the moment would be also of immense benefit to the students; for colleges nearest to Alipurduar do not have any facility for teaching in those subjects. Also the Colleges situated at a distance cannot take the extra load of students of Alipurduar in addition to their own load of students. Thus, students of Alipurduar Sub-division are debarred from prosecuting their studies in Bio-Science at the Degree Level although at the Higher Secondary Level a strong inclination to Bio-Science is be found in them.

In consideration of this the inspection team was convinced of the viability of these new courses of study and recommended to the University for its kind consideration and

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communication to the Government for its approval for the same. Should the Govt. approve, the new courses may be introduced from the new academic session of 1982-83 subject to the following conditions:

Chemistry(Honours):

Space for lecture theatre and Lab. will not be a problem. Already there are 4 lecturers and three demonstrators in the deptt. Agains of the three deomonstrators, one has already secured the Ph. D. Degree and another is nearing completion of his research. Thus, should the Education Deptt. deeide to convert those two posts of demonstrators into posts of lecturers tho immediateproblem of providing adequate number of lecturer for teaching at the Honours Level can be solved. The question of appointment of additional lecturers, one is 1983-84, and another in 1984-85 may be taken up later on depending on the actual work-load. However, besides the usual grant for meeting the recurring expenditure on the Hons. Lab., a library grant of Rs. 5,000/- will be required for purchasing books in the subject.

Economics(Honours):

Adequate Class-rooms for Hons. students in Economics will be available. The present number of teachers in the subject is two. But two more teachers with suitable qualifications who are at present teaching in the Commerce section will be made availbble for teaching in the Hons. deptt. of Economics. Thus, immediately there is no need for appointing teachers. However, one teacher during 1983-84, and another during 1984-85 may be appointed depending on the work-load for the new subject, But a library grant of Rs. 5,000/- will be necessary during year 1982-83.

Zoology & Botany(Pass):

Details are enclosed in separate sheet.

Sd/- P. . Sarkar
Head of the Deptt. of
Economics.

Sd/- S. Majumder
(S. Majumder)
Reader, Deptt of Chemistry.

Sd/- A. B. Majumder
(A. B. Majumder)
Inspector of Colleges.

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RECOMMENDATION FOR EXTENSION OF AFFILIATION IN BOTANY AND ZOOLOGY (PASS) IN ALIPURDUAR COLLEGE, ALIPURDUAR, JALPAIGURI.

We visited Alipurduar College, Alipurduar on January 9, 1982. We had discussion with the Principal, teachers and students of the College and examined the existing facilities regarding opening of B. Sc. courses in Botany and Zoology (Pass). We are convinced that there is justification in opening courses in Biology in the College as there is no such facility in the adjoining areas. The College is providing facilities for studying Physical Sciences for a long time. At the begining of each academic session the college faces strong demand from the students of the locality and neighbouring areas to open courses in Biological Sciences. For want of this facility the students are compelled to take other courses against their desire. We feel that the teaching in science in an institution remains incomplete without the curriculum in Biological Sciences.

In view of these we recommend the extension of affiliation in Botany and Zoology (Pass), subject to fulfilment of conditions as mentioned in the appended list. It is suggested that not more than 20 students with Biological Science should be admitted in the first year.

Sd/- Dr. A.K.Chakravarty.
Reader in Life Sciences,
University of North Bengal.

Sd/- Dr. K. B. Datta.
Professor & Director
Centre for Life Sciences
University of North Bengal.

APPENDIX

Requirements :

1.

An approximately 2500 sq.ft. open space is available as roof-top of the gallery building where the construction of the laboratories, store and teachers' rooms for both Botany and Zoology is recommended. The Principal has assured that a sum of Rupees One lakh would be available immediately from the development fund of the college which can be utilized for the construction works. A tentative plan for the proposed building is given ₹ which can be used as a guide line. Additional fund may be necessary for this construction in view of recent rise in standard rate of construction.

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It has also been assured that an addi tional space of 1200 sq.ft. (appx) would be available in the second floor of the New Extension which is recommended to be used exclusively as lecture theatre for Biological Sciences.

2. Furniture - On reverse side.

3. Teaching staff

Existing - 1 Post sanctioned.

1st year - 4 lecturers (including the sanctioned post).

2 in Zoology
Specialisation - Invertebrate Biology/ Vertabrate Biology.

2 in Botany
Specialisation. Plant Froups/Cytogenetics.

2nd year - 2 lecturers

1 in Botany
Specialisation- Microbiology/Plant physiology

1 in Zoology
Specialisation- Cell Biology/Cyeotenetics/ Animal Physiology

4. Non-teaching Staff for Botany and Zoology Departments.

1st year - 2 Lab Attendants

1 Specimen Collector

2nd year - 1 Store Keeper

1 Specimen Collector cum plant & animal caretaker.

2. Furniture (For Botany and Zoology Departments)

1st. year

Item.	Specification	Quantity	Price.
i) Working Table for practical classes	2½' X 2½' X 12' (with two sinks water gas and electric connection for each table)	8	
ii) Sitting Stool	Standard Size	40	
iii) Half Secretariat Table	- do -	5	
iv) Chair with arms.	- do -	14	
v) Almirah (steel).	- do -	4	
vi) Almirah (wooden with glass)	-do -	8	
vii) What Not (wooden).	-do -	6	

2nd. Year.

i)	Same Item as in 1st. yr.	-	Same.	-	4
ii)	- do -	-	do	-	20
iii)	- do -	-	do	-	3
iv)	- do -	-	do	-	6
v)	- do -	-	do	-	2
vi)	- do -	-	do	-	6
vii)	- do -	-	do	-	6

5. Equipment.

1st. Year for Laboratories :

Item	Number for Botany	Zoology
i) Monocular Compound Microscope.	10	10
ii) Dissecting Monocular Microscope.	20	--
iii) Dissecting stereo Binocular Microscope	--	10
iv) Refrigerator 295 lt.	1	1
v) Hot air oven.	1	1
vi) Incubator.	2	1
vii) Rotary Microtome.	2	3
viii) Hot Plate.	1	1
ix) Distillation Apparatus.	4 each	4 each
x) Stage & Ocular Micrometer.	4	4
xi) Camera Lucida (Prism type).	4	4
xii) Eye Piece with indicator.	10	10
xiii) Microscope Lamp.	1	1
xiv) Water Bath.	2	2
xv) Chemical Balance.	10	20
xvi) Table Lamp (for Dissection).	--	25
xvii) Dissecting Trays.	20	20
xviii) Bunsen Burner.		

2nd. Year.

i) 10 more compound microscope will be needed for each of the laboratories.

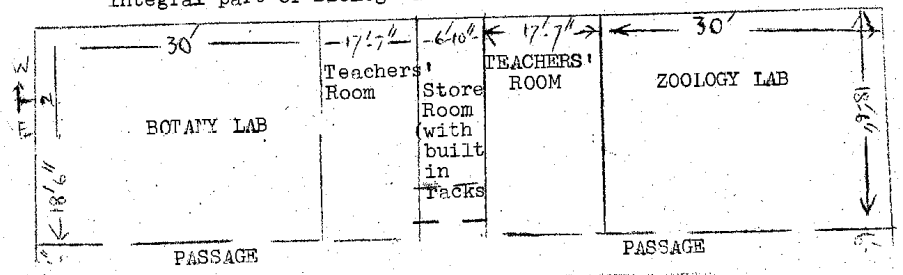
6. Glasswares (including Thermometer, glass apparatus etc.) and Chemicals (Initial requirement) Rs. 10,000 (for 2 laboratories).

7. Teaching Aids (Models, charts etc for 2 labs) Rs. 5,000/-

8. Book :

As there is no book on Biological Sciences in the library a lump grant will be needed to begin with Amount Rs. 10,000/-

9. Animal Contingent Fund for two laboratories (for Chemicals, Glasswares, Specimens and excursion which is compulsory and an integral part of Biological curricula). Rs. 30,000/-.



Appendix - II

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur, Darjeeling.

Minutes of the meeting of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on 10th September, 1981 at 4-30 P.M. at the University Guest House.

XXX MEETING

Members present

1) Dr. P.K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, (in the chair)
2) Sri S.N. Bhattacharjee, Advocate, Siliguri
3) Sri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.
4) Sri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge & Secretary, N.B.U. Law College Council.

Sri R.K. Ghosh attended the meeting as a special invitee.

ITEM NO. 1 To confirm the proceedings of the last meeting of the Council held on 25.7.1981.

Decision: The minutes of the last meeting held on 25th July, 1981 were confirmed.

Matters arising out of the minutes: Item No. 1

It was noted that the action had not been taken on the decision, which is pending approval of the N.B.U. Council.

ITEM NO. 2. To consider a letter (No. LC/Cir.No.2/1981 dt. 5.8.1981) from the Secretary, Bar Council of India, inviting our views on the Bar Council's proposal for conversion of the Evening Law Colleges into whole time day College.

Decision: The Council considered the note prepared by the Registrar (N.B.U.) in this connexion and resolved as follows:

The Council was in the opinion that teaching of LL.B. Courses should continue to be held in the evening in view of the following reasons:

1) The present system of teaching of LL.B. Course is profession oriented. Hence it is desirable that experienced practising lawyers should be associated in teaching the course as part-time Lecturers. If the course is taught during day time their services would not be available.
2) Students of LL.B. Course may, if it is held during the evening, spend more time in the library and also could gather experience for their observance of the work in the Law Courts.

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3) It is desirable that teaching for a profession should mainly be through exposure to the various legal and technical aspects. Such is the case for students of medicine and engineering who have the opportunity of being in the hospitals and workshops respectively during their study. The LL.B. students should be encouraged to be in the Law Courts during the working time so that they may not find difficulty in establishing relevance between theory and practice.

4) All authorities including the University Grants Commissionhave emphasised on maximum utilisation of existing physical facilities like lecture halls, etc., which is possible if the LL.B. classes are held during the evening.

The resolution was confirmed for further consideration by the N.B.U. Council at its meeting to be held on 14th September, 1981.

ITEM NO. 3 To consider the letter of the Dy. Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Education Department (U.C. Branch) No. 960-Edn(U) dt. 25. 7. 1981 and suggest measures for the utilisation of the grants.

Decision: It was reported that the State Govt. has released Rs. 52,600/- (Rs. 20,000/- for books and Rs.32,600/- for class rooms and office furniture) under order No. 960-Edn(U) dated, Cal. July, 24, 1981. It was decided that the purchase of furniture, etc. may be arranged as per decision of College Council in its meeting held on 25.7.81 (Agenda - Item No.4). It was further decided that a list of books may be prepared by the Lecturer-in-Charge in consultation with the teachers concerned including books for Preliminary Law Class (New Course) not exceeding Rs. 20,000/- and put up for approval to the President.

ITEM NO. 4 To consider the question of enhancement of actual conveyance charge by Rs. 10/- of Sri B. Hore.

Decision: The Council approved the enhancement of actual conveyance by Rs. 10/- payable to Sri B. Hore, Advocate, Jalpaiguri.

ITEM NO. 5 To consider the application of Sri Gopal Chakraborty regarding release of his pay for 20 days (April '81) along with the note of the Lecturer-in-Charge and endorsement of the Vice-Chancellor on the subject.

Decision: It was decided that detailed note on the case should be put up including his explanation at the next meeting of the Council.

ITEM NO. 6 To consider any other matter with the consent of the Chair.

Decision: a) The Council decided that the following members will constitute a Selection Committee for appointment of [illegible]

1) Sri S.N. Bhattacharjee, Advocate, Siliguri
2) Sri C. Sen, Librarian, N.B.U.
3) Sri R.K. Ghosh, Dy. Registrar, N.B.U.
4) Sri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U.L.C.

It was decided that the recommendation of the Selection Committee may be put up before the President for approval in anticipation of the approval of the College Council.

Confirmed for immediate action.

(b) The President reported that there will be an inspection of the Law College by the Bar Council of India on 26.9.81 in the afternoon and he expressed the view that it would be desirable for all teachers of Law College to be present at the Law College during the inspection. The Council decided that the President may write to the teachers in this respect with a special request. It was also decided that Sri R.K. Ghosh and Sri T.P. Mishra will discuss with the Registrar about preparation of a report for submission to the Inspection team of the Bar Council.

(c) The Council noted the representation from the Law College Students' Association, dated 8.9.81. It was decided that the General Secretary of the Students' Association will be ex-officio representative of the Law College Cheap Canteen Committee.

Confirmed for immediate action.

(d) The Council considered the letter dated 29.8.81 from Sri S.N. Kappor about the admission of Sri H. Pal, Corporal in LL.B. Course alongwith the latter's application. The Council regretted that the case cannot be considered.

(e) The Council noted that the last date for admission to Intermediate and Final Law Classes was 5.9.81. It was decided that the date may be extended upto 14.9.81 without any late fee and upto 19.9.81 with a late fee of Rs.5/- only.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- T.P. Mishra
SECRETARY
N.B.U. Law College
Council.

Sd/- P.K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN
N.B.U. Law College Council

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE
P.O. NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY
RAJA-RAMMOHUNPUR, DIST-DARJEELING.

Minutes of the meeting of the N.B.U. Law College Council(31st-Meeting) held on 22nd December, 1981 at 1 P.M. at the office of the Vice-Chancellor.

Members present :

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, (in the chair).
2. Sri A.Bhattacherjee, Judge, High Court of Sikkim.
3. Sri N.K.Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri.
4. Sri S.R.Sarkar, Advocate, Siliguri.
5. Sri S.N.Bhattacherjee, Advocate, Siliguri.
6. Sri S.M.Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.
7. Sri T.P.Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge & Secretary, N.B.U. Law College Council.

Dr. A.B.Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, attended the meeting as a special invitee.

ITEM NO.1 To confirm the proceedings of the last meetings of the College Council held on 10-9-81.

Decision : Minutes of the last meeting were confirmed.

ITEM NO.2 To consider the Revised Budget Estimates of the College for 1981-82 and Budget Estimates for 1982-83.

Decision : The Council considered the Revised Budget Estimates for the year 1981-82 and Budget Estimates for 1982-83 which were accepted and approved.

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ITEM NO.3 To consider the question of non-teaching posts for the Law College.

Decision : The Council approved in principle that the posts of a Clerk-cum-Typist in the pay scale of Rs. 230-5-275-7.50-365-10-425/- EB at the 8th & 16 stapes and a peon in the pay scale of Rs. 135-1-137-2-177-3-180 EB at the 8th & 16 stapes should be filled up on a regular basis after necessary administrative steps which may be taken by the President in anticipation of the sanctions of these posts by the State Govt. The Council also approved the proposal for recruitment in principle to the following posts and decided that administrative steps for notifying and filling of the posts in consultation with the Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U., should be taken in anticipation of Govt. Sanction -

1) Head Clerk-cum-Cashier in the pay scale of Rs. 330-10-400-15-550 EB at 8th Stape.
2) Librarian in the pay scale of Rs.550-25-750 EB 30-900/-

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3) Accountant-cum-clerk in the pay scale of Rs.230-5-275-7.50-365-10-425/- EB at the 8th & 16 stages.

Confirmed for immediate action.

ITEM NO.4 To consider the application of Sri Mukul Majumder and Sri Shyamal Ch. Basak for sanction of extra ordinary leave.

Decision The Council considered the application of Sri Mukul Majumder, Part-time Jr. Asstt-cum-Typist and sanctioned two days' C.L. (22.8.81 & 24.8.81) and 6 days' Compensatory Leave (25.8.81 to 29.8.81 and 31.8.81) and condoned the absence for the remaining period (1.9.81 to 15.9.81) in view of the circumstances, the death of his father.

The Council also noted the application of Sri S.C. Basak, Part-time Library Asstt. and decided that the period of his absence (5.9.81; 8.9.81; 15.9.81 & 16.9.81 and 5.11.81 to 9.11.81) be treated as unauthorised absence.

In this connection the Council also considered the application of Sri Nirmal Dutta, Part.time Peon and decided to condone the absence for the period 5.12.81 & 11.12.81.

ITEM NO.5 To consider the resignation of Sri Shyamal Ch. Basak, Part-time Library Assistant, North Bengal University Law College and Sri Gopal Chakraborty's case, Ex-part-time Peon, N.B.U. Law College.

Decision : The Council accepted the resignation of Sri S.C. Basak, Part-time Library Assistant from the date of handing over the charge, i.e., 10.11.81.

Regarding the application of Sri Gopal Chakraborty the Council decided that a note be pur up at the next meeting.

ITEM NO.6 To consider the application of Sri H.P.Sarkar, Office Superintendent for extension of his tenure for another six months.

Decision : The Council extended the tenure of Sri H.P.Sarkar, Office Superintendent, for another six months, i.e., from 1st January, 1982 to 30th June, 1982, and also decided to enhance his emoluments by Rs.100/- w.e.f. 1.8.81.

Confirmed for immediate action.

ITEM NO.7 To consider a note from the Lecturer-in-Charge dt. 7.9.81 to the Vice-Chancellor regarding sanction of benefit such as free accommodation, Superintendent's allowance etc. to the Superintendents, Law College Students' Hostel.

Decision : The Council noted that Sri T.P.Mishra is occupying teacher's flat on the Campus and is governed by the House Rent Allowance Rules like P.G. Teachers who are also Part-time Hostel Superintendents. The question of rent free accomodation was therefore not considered.

The Council decided that Sri T.P.Mishra who has been temporarily acting as Hostel Superintendent be paid an allowance of Rs. 100/- P.M. w.e.f. 1-4-81.

Confirmed for immediate action.

ITEM NO.8 — To approve the enhancement of conveyance charge from Rs. 45/- to Rs. 50/- to Siliguri Teachers.

Decision : A p p r o v e d .

ITEM NO.9 — To approve the minutes of the meeting of the Purchase Committee.

Decision : The Council noted the minutes of the meeting of the Purchase Committee dt. 21-12-81 and decided as follows : (i) Quotation of Steel Safe and Almirah be obtained with specification in consultation with the Finance Officer. (ii) Approved the purchase of a bi-cycle and a Type-writer.

Actual purchase should be made in consultation with the Finance Officer at the rates approved for the University Purchases of similar items.(iii) A list of books for the Library be prepared in consultation with Sri A.Bhattacherjee, Sri N.K.Moitra, Sri C.R.Bhattacherjee and Sri T.P.Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge and the same be placed before the President for approval. (iv) The other purchases as recommended by the Purchase Committee be made in consultation with the Finance Officer.

Confirmed for immediate action.

ITEM NO.10 — To sanction fund to meet the defecit of August/ September, 1981 Law Examination.

Decision : The Council decided that a statement of outstanding honoraria payable to invigilators be placed before the President for approval. A detailed break up of the expenditure with Budget as prepared by the Centre Committee be placed at the next meeting.

ITEM NO.11 — To approve the Holidays list for the calander year 1982.

Decision : A p p r o v e d .

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ITEM NO.12 — To consider the question of accounts of Law College Students' Association.

Decision : The Council decided that for the previous years' accounts the names of respective office bearers should be placed before the President for necessary administrative action. For the current year the Office Bearers should be intimated and notified immediately that they should submit accounts by 2nd January, 1982.

Confirmed for immediate action.

ITEM NO.13 To consider the question of repairing of acquired building for hostel and new admission therein.

Decision : The Council noted that a part of the University premises opposite Gate No.1 (besides the portion already occupied) has been handed over only with respect to civil work. Steps are being taken for the handing over of internal electrical installations. It was also noted that the electrical wrings and fittings of this portion are in a damaged condition. After electrical installations are handed over to the University steps will be taken for necessary repairs to be done by the Construction Board (P.W.D). Pending the steps the Hostel accomodation cannot be increased.

ITEM NO.14 To consider the question of opening of a Bank Account for the Law College Students' Hostel.

Decision : It is resolved that Sri T.P.Mishra, Hostel Supdt., N.B.U. Law College Hostel and Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College and Sri R.K.Ghosh, Dy. Registrar and part-time teacher, N.B.U. Law College be authorised to operate jointly a Bank Account in the name of 'Law College Hostel' to be opened as a new account with the State Bank of India, North Bengal University Campus Branch, and further resolved that -

a) Henceforth all cheques on the Banking Account in the name of North Bengal University Law College Hostel be signed and all bills, notes and other negotiable instruments be drawn, accepted and made on behalf of the North Bengal University Law College Hostel by the Superintendent Sri T.P.Mishra and Sri R.K.Ghosh jointly.

b) The cheques, bills, notes and other negotiable instruments payable to the Law College Hostel may be endorsed for the Law College Hostel by Sri T.P.Mishra and Sri R.K.Ghosh jointly.

c) A copy of this resolution signed by the Chairman be handed over to the State Bank of India, North Bengal University Campus Branch, together with the specimen signatures of Sri T.P.Mishra and Sri R.K.Ghosh.

Confirmed for immediate action.

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ITEM NO.15 To consider the question of a part-time Clerk or giving allowance for hostel work.

Decision : The Council decided that for the hostel work including accounts work and other clerical job relating to the hostel a sum of Rs. 50/- may be given to Sri Subhasis Roy, Jr. Asstt-cum-Typist, as monthly allowance. The hostel office work will be restricted between 11 A.M. to 1 P.M. All the hostel transactions should be performed during the above mentioned time i,e., outside working hours of the Law College office.

Confirmed for immediate action.

ITEM NO.16. Any other matter with the permission of the Chair.

Decision : i) Application of Sri Dilip Dhar for enhancement of his monthly allowance was noted and deferred.

ii) The Council noted the proceedings of Hostel Committee of North Bengal University Law College dated 18-12-1981 and decided that prorata subsidy for the daily wage staff of the hostel mess be paid in consultation with Finance Officer.

The Sweeper appointed on daily wage (no work-no pay) basis should be paid from Contingency Head of the College.

Confirmed for immediate action.

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair and other members.

Sd/- T.P.MISHRA
S E C R E T A R Y
N.B.U. LAW COLLEGE COUNCIL

Sd/- P.K.GHOSH
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NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur, Darjeeling.

Minutes of the 32nd meeting of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on 15th January, 1982 at 4-30 P.M. at the office of the Vice-Chancellor, University of North Bengal.

Members Present:

1. Dr. P.K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U. (in the chair)
2. Sri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.
3. Sri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge, & Secretary, N.B.U. Law College Council.

Dr. A.B. Majumder, Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U. and Sri R.K. Ghosh, Dy. Registrar, N.B.U. attended the meeting on special invitation.

ITEM NO.1 To confirm the proceedings of the meeting held on 22nd December, 1981.

Decision: Minutes were confirmed subject to the following corrections. -

Item No.4, I Para.

In place of words "condoned the absence for remaining period" the following may be substituted -

"the remaining period may be treated dias non".

II Para

The following words be added at the end of the para:
"and no payment be made to him for this period"

III Para

In place of words "to condone the absence" the following words be substituted -
"that the period of absence be treated dias non.

ITEM NO.2 To consider the report of admission Committee on the case of expelled candidates on account of double courses.

Decision: The Council considered the applications of the students whose names had been struck off the rolls of the Law College in November, 1981 as they were found to have been pursuing Post Graduate Courses. The Council also noted the report of the Admission Committee on the question. The Council further noted that all such students have already appeared in Part 2 End of Term examinations in December, 1981. Since these students have already pursued the Law course for some time (17 having joined the Prel. Law Class in July, 1981 and 6 others for a longer period) the Council decided to recommend that they may be allowed to continue their Law Courses subject to approval of the University Council. The Council expressed the view that in future the Admission Committee should particularly scrutinise

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applications for admission to avoid recurrence of similar situation.

The resolution is confirmed and a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Registrar for consideration of the University Council at its next meeting.

ITEM NO.3 To consider the resignation of Sri Gopal Chakraborty Ex-part-time Peon, North Bengal University Law College.

Decision: The Council considered the note submitted by Lecturer-in-Charge. Having discussed the case in detail, the Council decided to accept his resignation w.e.f. 21. 4. 1981.

Immediate steps be taken to notify for filling up of the vacancy by part-time appointment at Rs. 60/- P.M. The notice should indicate that the selected candidate would be appointed on condition that the service will be terminable with one month's notice on either side.

Confirmed for immediate action.

ITEM NO.4 To consider the Law Examination Account August/ September, 1981.

Decision: The Council approved the payment of outstanding bills subject to condition that the total deficit so far will be re-imbursed to the College Fund out of Centre Fee in 4 instalments and the Finance Officer is requested to advise the Lecturer-in-Charge in drawing up the budget for examination days accordingly.

Confirmed.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair and all other members.

Sd/- P.P. Mishra
SECRETARY
N.B.U. LAW COLLEGE COUNCIL.

Sd/- P.K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN
N.B.U. LAW COLLEGE COUNCIL

Appendix - III

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

RAJA RAMMOHUNPUR

DARJEELING

Proceedings of the malpractice Enquiry Committee for the B.A./B.Sc./B.COM. (Two Year Degree Course) and Three Years Degree Honours Course Examination 1981.

Date the 20th Jan'82.

Members Present

1. Prof. S.P. Sengupta, Deptt. of English, N.B.U.
2. Prof. K.B. Dutta, Deptt. of Life Science, N.B.U.
3. Dr. G.S. Banerjee, Deptt. of English, N.B.U.
4. Dr. Prabahesh Ray, Deptt. of Zoology, Siliguri College.
5. Shri Bimalendu Bhattacharjee, Deptt. of Geography, N.B.U.
6.
7.

Shri S.Mazumder, Dy. Controller of Examinations worked as convenor on behalf of the Examination Branch, North Bengal University.

Formulation

The malpractice enquiry Committee decided to formulate the rational of degree and measure of punishment taking into account the nature of offence and the statement submitted by the candidates.

The committee was also guided by the consideration that the candidates who did not turn up on the stipulated date and from whom no communication has been received in defence of their absence, examination for the year 1981 cancelled as a whole.

Application

The candidate expelled/Reported against were given reasonable opportunity to spelloat their cases in defence including personal hearing and submission of written statements and the malpractice enquiry Committee on an indepth scrutiny of all the papers and statements decided to recommend as follows.

The following candidates in respect of whom B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Examination, 1981 has been cancelled as a whole for their failure to turnup before the malpractice enquiry Committee and also for their failure to communicate anything in defence of their absence.

Dar (G) Sc. 41, Rai (Sc) 5, Rai (Sc) F 10, Sili(H)Sc. 3
Mal (Sc) 37, Rai (Sc) 4

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2. The following candidates who admitted offence and submitted statements in writing and appeared before the malpractice enquiry committee, their examination as a whole for the year 1981 was cancelled.

Aliduar (Sc.) 14, Balur (Com.) 11, Coo (Bt) F 1
Dar (G) Sc 17, Dar (G) H Sc. 20, Jal (H) 1,
Jal 67, Mal (Com) 66, Dar (St) Sc. 5, Kalim(Sc) 7
Dar (G) Sc 6, Dar (G) Sc 13

3. The following candidates against whom charges of malpractice could not be established were given the benifit of doubt and exonerated of the charges of malpractice.

Dar (G) Sc 2, Dar (G) Sc 24.

4. The members of the malpractice committee present requested the Controller of Examinations to see that the Principals/Officers in Charges of the Examination Centres in future send reports having specific charges and without any ambiguity in them.

5. Decission of the malprectice Enquiry Committee in respect of the following Roll no. is deferred.

Rai (Sc) 38

Sd/ S.P.Sengupta
Sd/ K.B. Dutta
Sd/ P. Roy
Sd/ G.S.Banerjee
Sd/
Sd/ Bimalendu Bhattacharjee

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Appendix - IV

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL
P.O. N. B. UNIVERSITY,
RAJA-RAMMOHUNPUR, DT.DARJEELING.

Proceedings of the meeting of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee for the B.A/B.Sc/B.Com. Part-II (Old) Examinations, 1981 held on 23rd and 24th December, 1981 at the office of the Controller of Examinations.

Members Present:

1. Dr.A.K.Sikdar, Deptt. of Bengali, N.B.U.
2. Shri K.K.Ray, Hd. of the Deptt. of English, N.B.U.
3. Shri Jeta Sankritayan, Deptt. of Economics, N.B.U.
4. Mrs.Bhaswati Bhattacharyya (Chakraborty), Deptt. of Philosophy, N.B.U.
5. Dr.A.K.Chakraborty, Centre for Life Sciences, N.B.U.
6. Dr.B.Pradhan, Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.
7. Prof.B.Bhattacharyya, Deptt. of Geography, N.B.U.

1. Examinations of the candidates whose Roll Nos. are shown below are cancelled as a whole for the year on charges of copying in the Examination Hall.

   B.A. Part II/81.

   Coo Ext.73, Cha 26, Din 8, Din Ext.31, Jal Ext.28, Islam 13, Jal Ext.69, Matha F 11, Aliduar FN 9.

   B.Sc Part-II/81 - Mal(Sc)6, Mal(Sc)32.

   B.Com Part II/81 - Aliduar(Com)13, Din(Com)6,7,12, Salli(Com)18.

2. Candidates who were summoned to appear before the Malpractice Enquiry Committee, but did not appear, their examination as a whole for the year has been cancelled. Roll Nos. of such candidates are shown below.

   B.A. Part II/81 - Mal 80, Mal Ext.10, Mal Ext.21, Jal F 23, Mal F 20, Samsi 56.

   B.Com. Part II(Old)/81 - Aliduar(Com)23, Kaliya(Com)6, Balur(Com)11 Balur(Com)17, Mal(Com)Ext.4.

3. In respect of the following candidate who was found in possession of papers having no bearing on the questions and against whom there is no evidence of copying, examination in the relevant paper cancelled for violation of examination rules.

   Balur(Sc)Ext.9, Chemistry(Pass) Cancelled.

Sd/- A.K.Sikdar
Sd/- K.K.Ray
Sd/- J.Sankritayan
Sd/- Smt.B.Bhattacharyya
Sd/- A.K.Chakraborty
Sd/- B.Pradhan
Sd/- B.Bhattacharyya

Sd/-
(S.Majumder)
Dy.Controller of Examinations,
Convener.

Appendix - V

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

The Proceeding of the Malpractice Inquiry Committee for B.E. Examination for the year 1981.

Date - 28.1.82.

Prof. S.N.Sen, Deptt. of Physics, University of North Bengal acted as the Chairman of the meeting and Sri Sukhomay Majumder, Dy. Controller of Examinations worked as the Convener on behalf of the Examination Branch, N.B.U.

The following candidates were given reasonable opportunity to spell out their cases in defence including personal hearing and submission of written statements and the Malpractice Inquiry Committee on an indepth scrutiny of all the papers and statements given in writing decided to recommend as follows.

1. The Examinations of the following candidates for the Semester be cancelled as a whole for the year 1981.

   Jal ME 54 - B.E. Final Sec.'B', 2nd Semester.

   Jal(M) 15 - B.E.Part II, 2nd Semester.

   Jal(M) 25 - B.E.Part II, 2nd Semester.

   Jal 28 - B.E. Part I, 2nd Semester.

   Jal 88 - B.E. Part I, 2nd Semester.

   Jal(C) 22 - B.E. Final Sec.'B', 2nd Semester.

2. The charges in respect of the following candidate was found inconclusive and he was given the benefit of the doubt and exonerated from the charges of Malpractice. The Committee recommends release of his result.

   Jal (C) 20 - B.E. Final Sec.'B', 2nd Semester.

Sd/- S.N.Sen
8.2.82

Chairman.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the emergent meeting of the Undergraduate Examinations Advisory Committee held on 24.1.82 at 3 p.m. in the office of the Controller of Examinations, N.B.U.

Members present :

1. Shri P.Majumdar, Siliguri College.
2. Prof.B.Bhattacharyya, Deptt.of Geography,N.B.U.
3. Shri Arun Bhusan Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges,N.B.U.
4. Prof.S.N.Sen, Deptt.of Physics,N.B.U.

Shri B.K.Bajpaie, Registrar, N.B.U. attended the meeting on special request.

Shri J.N.Ganguli, Officer-in-Charge, University B.T. & Evening College was also requested to attend the meeting as special invitee.

The meeting was convened on the advice of the Vice-Chancellor over phone to the Registrar, N.B.U. on 23.1.82 and communicated to the Deputy Controller of Examinations by the Registrar on 24.1.82 at 9 a.m.

Shri B.K.Bajpaie, Registrar explained the situation prevailing in the University B.T. and Evening College, Cooch Behar as revealed in the telegrams received from the Secretary, Teachers' Council, members of the teaching and non-teaching staff and the informations collected from the Officer-in-Charge of the College centering round the discrepancies reported in the submission of internal assessment marks from the College to the University in respect of the Examinees at the B.A. (Pass 2 yr.) Examination,1981 from the University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar and the discussions held with the Vice-Chancellor on this issue over phone on 23.1.82 at night.

Deputy Controller of Examinations reported that due to the extreme shortage of time and due to the very urgent and immediate nature of the situation no notice could be issued to all the members of the Advisory Committee save and except the locally available members as the Registrar suggested that the Vice-Chancellor desired the meeting to be held with the locally available members.

Shri J.N.Ganguli, Officer-in-Charge, University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar, explained the genesis of the problem and how the discrepancy in the submission of internal assessment marks occured. It was then recommended that the corrected marks submitted by the Officer-in-Charge of the College, subject to the submission of scripts of internal assessment and relevant registers to the University for verification, may be accepted and fresh marksheets,may then be issued.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Appendix - VII

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the meeting of the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 28.1.82 at 11 a.m.

Members present :

1. Dr. A.B. Majumder, N.B.U.
2. Shri P.K. Majumder, Siliguri College.
3. Shri B. Bhattacharyya, N.B.U.
4. Shri D. Ghosh, A.C. College.

Shri B.K. Bajpai, Registrar attended the meeting on special invitation.

Item No. 1 : To consider matters arising out of setting of questions from out of the syllabi in Bengali (Honours) Papers IV, VI and VII at the B.A. Part II (New 3 year Hons.) Examination, 1981.

Decision : The members present noted the direction of the Council and opinion of the Chairman, Committee of Undergraduate Studies in Bengali and recommended that those candidates who did not write answer to question No.5 in Papers IV, VI and VII might be given the benefit of prorata marks. Those candidates who wrote answers to the above questions and secured more than pro-rata marks or equal in those questions, they should be allowed to retain the marks already awarded. However, those candidates who wrote answers to the above questions but secured marks lower than the pro-rata, such marks as obtained by them against those answers be cancelled and pro-rata marks be awarded.

Item No. 2 : To consider the letter from one of the Tabulators of B.Sc. (New 2 year Pass and 3 year Honours) Examination, 1981 regarding award of tabulators' grace after re-examination.

Decision : The members unanimously recommended that there should not be any award of grace of any kind after the ~~publication of results~~ as per prevalent practice.

Item No. 3 : To consider the letter from the Tabulators of LL.B. Examination for consideration of cases of candidates of Intermediate Examination in Law, 1981 who are short of one mark for pass in the aggregate.

Decision : The members recommended award of one mark in the aggregate just to enable the candidates to pass the Examination.

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Item No.4 : To consider the representation of the candidates of B.A. Part II English Honours (New 3 year) of Siliguri College.

Decision : The members noted the contents of the petition and requested the Deputy Controller of Examinations to take necessary steps in subsequent Part II Examinations with a view to safeguarding the interest of the students.

There being no other item in the agenda, the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Proceedings of the emergent meeting of the U.G. Examination Advisory Committee held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 12.2.82 at 1p.m.

Members present :

1. Shri Debabrata Ghosh - A.C.College
2. Dr. A.B.Majumder - N.B.U.
3. Dr. M.Das Gupta - N.B.U.

Item No.1 : To consider petitions received from ~~failed~~ unsuccessful candidates of B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Part I(Old) Examination, 1981.

Decision : The Committee considered the applications received from the ~~failed~~ unsuccessful candidates of B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Part I (Old) Examinations, 1981. In view of the discontinuation of Part I (Old) Examination from 1982 and also in view of the difficulties expressed by the Principals of some Colleges in the previous year, the University earlier decided not to hold any examination from 1982 in respect of these candidates. In view of large number of representations the Committee requested the N.B.U.Council to reconsider the whole issue in consultation with the Principals and secretaries of the Teachers' Councils of the Colleges. In this connection the Committee also noted that Calcutta University is holding a supplementary Examination for such category of candidates this year.

Item No. 2: To consider the cases of the candidates who obtained 34.5% or above in the Honours subjects at the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.Part I(New 3 year Hons.) Examinations.

Decision : The Committee noted that as per University rules candidates are to obtain a minimum of 35% marks in the Honours subject at the Part I Examination to be eligible to continue studies in the 3rd year class. With a view to facilitate candidates to continue Honours at the 3rd year class the Committee recommends that in the matter of eligibility to prosecute studies in the 3rd year class by the candidates of Part I(Honours) Examination under New Course 34.5%, marks or above should be treated as 35% marks.

Item No.3 : To consider the cases of the candidates of B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Part I (Old) Examination praying for back paper benefit in subject/subjects having passed earlier but failing in subsequent examination.

Decision : The members present recommended granting of prayer of such candidates as per decision taken in similar cases earlier.

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Item.No. 4 : To consider the petition received from the students of Balurghat College regarding Internal Assessment in New Course.

Decision : The members present noted that decision in this regard was duly taken after considerable discussion in a meeting held on 3.7.81 duly approved by the Council in the light of the spirit laid down in the Ordinance and recommended that it is not desirable to deviate from the earlier decision.

Item No. 5 : To consider the cases of candidates who having cleared Part II (Old) earlier passed Part I Examination as external candidates in 1981.

Decision : The members noted that such candidates could not clear their Part I(Old) within the specified time limit of 3/4 years (one regular and 2/3 back paper benefits) but having appeared in Part II along with Part I (Back) they duly passed, their results/remained incomplete owing to non-clearance of Part I. The candidates having exhausted all chances to clear Part I (Old) as back paper candidates appeared and passed at the Part I Examination in 1981 in all the subjects. In view of the discontinuation of Part I (Old) Examination the members recommended release of Part II results of candidates of 1978 and onwards as very special case who cleared their Part I in 1981 as external candidates.

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Item No. 6 : To consider the cases of the External candidates who appeared in English (Compulsory) and or Vernacular under New 2 year Pass course in 1981 instead of the required Additional Compulsory Language.

Decision : The members noted that the first batch of external candidates appeared under New 2 year Pass course in the year 1981. In view of the fact that failure in the Additional Compulsory Language under New course does not affect the result of the examination the Committee recommends release of the results of such External candidates on the basis of their performances in Elective subjects only.

Item No. 7 : To consider extension of Back paper benefit to the New course Undergraduate candidates who appeared for the first time in 1980.

Decision : The Committee recommends continuation of back paper benefit in one subject only (Pass and Honours) to the candidates of B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.** Part I (New 3 year Hons.) Examinations of 1980 only as was granted last year.

** (New 2 year Pass) and B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.

Item No. 8 : To consider the petition of one Alo Chakraborty, a B.Ed.Candidate of 1982 of A.C.Training College praying for use of writer at the University examination.

Decision : The members considered the petition duly forwarded by the Principal and recommended that the prayer be granted subject to production of a medical certificate testifying to the candidate's illness.

Item No. 9 : To consider the letter No.81-82/B-5/346 dated 29.1.82 from the Principal, A.C.College, Jalpaiguri.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed the letter of the Principal requesting revision of marks in internal assessment of 3 candidates as some mistakes were committed by the College at the time initial computation of the internal assessment marks. The members present recommended acceptance of the revised marks on production of original documents (scripts etc.) and issue of fresh marksheets in the favour of candidates.

Item No.10 : To consider joint petitions of some failed candidates of Undergraduate Examinations under (New 2 year Pass course).

Decision : The petitioners appealed to allow themselves to appear afresh at the Internal Assessment test as they are required to reappear again at the University Examination as Casual candidates owing to their failure. The members noted that such candidates may only avail themselves of the opportunity to appear at the internal test at the end of 2nd year only, they are not in a position to appear afresh at the internal test held in the Colleges at the end of 1st year. After a detailed discussion the members recommended that such candidates may be given the option to appear again in the internal assessment at the end of 2nd year provided it is not/variance with the Ordinance. The final computation shall, however, be made by averaging the marks obtained in 1st and fresh 2nd internal assessment test.

Item No. 11 :To consider the letter addressed to Inspector of Colleges by Shri Rabindranath Bhattacharyya, of A.B.N.Seal College.

Decision : The members noted the contents of the letter of Shri Bhattacharyya of the Deptt.of Political Science, A.B.N.Seal College, Cooch Behar regarding very poor marks obtained by a candidate of his College at the B.A.Part I (New 3 year Hons.) Examination, 1981. During discussion it was

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reported that wide variation of marks between two examiners occurred in different examinations and subjects. The members felt that the Council should probe into the problem and suggest measures to prevent recurrence of such variation.

The meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the emergent meeting of the Post-Graduate Examination Advisory Committee held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 9.2.82 at 3p.m.

Members present :

1. Prof. S.N. Sen - Vice-Chairman, P.G.Council (Science),NBU
2. Prof. S.N. Roy - Political Science Deptt.,NBU.

Shri B.K.Bajpaie, Registrar,NBU attended the meeting on special invitation.

Item No. 1 : To consider matter arising our of non-receipt of marks and scripts from the Second Examiner in Physical Mathematics for the M.Sc.Part I (Mid Term) Examination, 1981 in Physics.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations apprised the members of the fact that the scripts in Physical Mathematics for the M.Sc.Part I (Mid Term) Examination, 1981 in Physics were sent to the Second Examiner on 26th September, 1981. But neither the marks nor the examined scripts have been received from him in spite of telegraphic request on several occasion. The candidates have duly completed their End Term Examination, 1981 and the Part II Classes can only be started on publication of results of the same. The publication cannot be made till finalisation of marks obtained by the candidates at the Mid Term Examination. As the Part II classes are to be started without delay the members recommended that the marks awarded by the First Examiner in Physical Mathematics be taken as the final marks in finalising the results of the M.Sc. Part I Mid Term Examination in Physics, 1981.

In this connection the members urge the Vice-Chancellor to take up the matter with the Vice-Chancellor of the Delhi University in order to ascertain the actual position. The members also request the Head of the Department of Physics, North Bengal University to make personal contact with the concerned examiner.

Item No. 2 : To consider the petition of one Sm. Menaka Pradhan on cancellation of her M.Sc.Part II Examination, 1979 in Botany.

Decision : The Committee noted the earlier decision of the Council and also the fact that as per Ordinances she cannot be permitted to appear in one Paper only. ~~The members also noted that owing to delay on the part of the University in taking decision~~ Since the candidate applied long ago decision could not be taken

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with regard to her appearance in Paper VII in 1979 at her home owing to illness, Sm.Pradhan could not avail herself of the opportunity to appear at the Examination of 1980. The Committee therefore, recommends, in consideration of her petition dated 7.9.81, that Sm. Pradhan may be allowed to appear once only in all the papers (including Practical) at the M.Sc.Part II Examination in Botany of 1981 to be held in April, 1982 as a very special case since she had already lost the number of chances admissible under the orginance.

Item No. 3 : To consider realisation of Centre fee from External candidates of P.G. Examinations.

Decision : The Committee recommends realisation of a sum of Rs.12/- as Centre fee henceforth from the External candidates along with their examination fee for meting expenses including payment to invigilators, Officers-in-Charges of Centres and others.

The meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Appendix - X

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceeding of the meeting of the M.B.B.S. Examination Advisory Committee held on 8.2.82 at 11 a.m. in the office of the Controller of Examinations.

Members present :

1. Dr.(Mrs.) R.Ram - Deptt.of P.S.M.,N.B.Medical College.
2. Dr. M.K.Sen - Deptt.of Medicine, Do
3. Dr.B.K.Roy Chaudhury- Deptt.of E.N.T., Do
4. Dr. M.M.Kapas - Deptt.of Obstretics, & Gynaecology, Do
5. Dr. A.K.Ram - Deptt.of Pharmacology, Do
6. Dr.A.Bandyopadhyay - Deptt. of Biochemistry,Do
7. Dr. D.N.Chaudhury - Deptt. of Anatomy, Do
8. Dr. J.N.Bhadhury - Deptt.of Physiology, Do
9. Dr. A.K.Mukherjee - Deptt. of Surgery, Do
10. Dr. B.Basu - Deptt. of Ophthalmology,Do

Item No. 1. To consider the dates of commencement of the various M.B.B.S.Supplementary Examinations,1981.

Decision : Some of the members questioned the propriety of holding the supplementary examinations 6 to 8 weeks after publication of results as according to M.C.I. regulations there should be two examinations in a year having a gap of 4 to 6 months. Others present expressed concern in case of deviation in holding the supplementary Examinations for failed candidates between 6 to 8 weeks in terms of earlier decision of the Advisory Committee (16.5.81) duly approved by the Council. After a prolonged discussion it was recommended that supplementary Examination for the current batch be held after 8 week of the publication of result on the following dates :

2nd Professional M.B.B.S. - 24.2.82
3rd Professional M.B.B.S. - 27.2.82
1st Professional M.B.B.S. - 3.4.82

It was also resolved that henceforth the supplementary examinations are to be arranged as per recommendation of the M.C.I. The Deputy Controller of Examinations was requested to intimate the M.C.I. in this regard in due course.

It was further recommended that a student who will fail at the University Examination may be given a fresh chance for internal assessment. The Heads of Departments will decide the mode of assessment.

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Item No.2 : To consider the difficulties in providing conveyance and other facilities to external examiners of Oral/Practical.

Decision : The Principal, N.B.Medical College informed the members that he had to face immense difficulties in arranging vehicles for return journey of the Examiners due to uncertainty in the availability of vehicles owing to breakdown etc./expressed his inability to undertake responsibility in this regard in future. Some members present also narrated their difficulties in getting accommodation in the University Guest House for External Examiners. The Committee feels that at least two rooms in the Guest House are to be kept reserved for external examiners during the progress of M.B.B.S. Oral/Practical examinations. After a detailed discussion it was recommended that the Heads of all departments would shoulder the entire responsibility in this regard, in case, they are appointed Convener in their subjects for Oral/Practical and are paid due remuneration for the same as per Govt. Order No. 1017(6)-Edn(U) IU-47/79 dt. 10.8.81.

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Item No.3 : To consider matters regarding appointment of internal examiners for M.B.B.S.

Decision : Besides the Head of the Deptt., the other teachers of the respective department who qualifies according to the M.C.I. rules should be appointed examiners rotationally. Head of the Deptt. will act as convener.

Item No.4 : To consider inclusion of one examiner each in Surgery and Medicine having specialisation in Orthopaedic Surgery and Paediatrics/P.S.M. according to M.C.I. rules.

Decision : The matter was considered and recommended for acceptance. The Heads of the Departments of Surgery and Medicine were authorised to take necessary steps in this regard.

There being no other item in the agenda, the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Annexure - II

Minutes of the 28th Meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee of the N.B.U.Council held on 13.1.1982 at 12 noon in the chamber of the Vice-Chancellor.

Members present :

i) Dr.P.K.Ghosh,Vice-Chancellor, ...Chairman
ii) Dr.S.N.Roy, Prof.Deptt.of Physics.. N.B.U. ....Member
iii) Sri S.M.Roy,Finance Officer, ...Secretary.

Item :1 To confirm the minutes of the 27th meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 13.11.1981.

Minutes were confirmed.

Item :2 To consider a note from the Finance Officer,dated,the 7.11.1981, regarding deduction of loan received from from M/S Vivekananda Co-Operative Housing Society Ltd., Jalpaiguri by Sri Nirode Ranjan Chakraborty, Sr.Asstt. Finance Branch in case of his default to pay the Loan.

Considering the net pay drawn by Sri Chakraborty it appears that he would find it difficult to pay the instalment with interest and deduction from his salary may be unavoidable.With such administrative work in this case there may be other cases which may have to be conceded. The present staff position and the volume of work in the Finance Branch does not warrant undertaking additional work load. Under the circumstances,the the Finance Sub-Committee regrets that the request of Sri Chakraborty can not be conceded.

Item :3 To consider the re-fixation of pay of Dr.B.P.Pradhan, Lecturer in the Chemistry Deptt.

Pay of Dr.Pradhan who joined as Lecturer in the Chemistry Deptt.N.B.U. on 28.12.1976 was fixed by the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 4.12.1976 at Rs.1,020/- in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40-1100-50-1600 with the date of next increment on 3rd December,1976 on the basis of L.P.C. issued by the Accounts Officer, N.B.U.Medical College.

Basic	....	Rs.760.00
D.A.	....	Rs.159.00
M.A.	....	Rs. 8.35
		Rs.927.35 +80/- interim relief.

D.N.I. on 3rd Dec,(i.e.Rs.800/- with effect from 3.12.1976).

His pay was fixed at Rs.1020/- in the following consideration :

Basic	.....	Rs.800.00
D.A.	....	Rs.135.00(Rs.159/-College D.A.
I.R.	....	Rs. 80.00 -Rs.24/-University D.A)
		Rs.1015.00 i.e. Rs.1020/-

The element of addl.D.A. @ Rs.32/-w.e.f. 1.4.1976 was not taken into account at the time of fixation of his pay as the amount was not shown in his L.P.C. The amount was paid to him on 8.8.77 i.e. he received the amount long after he had joined the University.

If the element of addl.D.A.@Rs.32/- is taken into account for the purpose of fixation of his pay as per revised L.P.C.issued by the Accounts Officer,N.B.Medical College, the amount stands as under.

The amounts stands as under :

Basic	.....	Rs.800.00
D.A.	.....	Rs.191.00(Rs.159/- + Rs.32/-)
I.A.	.....	Rs. 80.00
M.A.	....	Rs. 8.35
		Rs.1079.35

If Dr.Pradhan was in the Medical College he would have drawn Rs.1079.35 in December,1976. Accordingly his pay is to be considered to be fixed at Rs.1060/- with D.N.I. on 3rd December.

In principle the case of Dr.Pradhan is justified, and his current pay may be adjusted accordingly with effect from 1981. The Finance Sub-Committee regrets that inview of the present fund position and reported Govt. Policy of non sanctioning arrear payment, the consequential arrears due to Dr.Pradhan can not be recommended.

Item :4. To consider the fixation of pay of some non-teaching staff of the University who have completed 15 years of service and have been granted the next higher grade as per resolution of the N.B.U.Council meeting held on 14.11.1981.

The Finance Sub-Committee decided that the Principle which was adopted in the case of non-teaching employees promoted w.e.f.1.10.1980 may be adopted in the case of those employees who have completed 15 years of service and have been granted next higher grade w.e.f. 1.10.1981.

The item is confirmed for consideration of the N.B.U. Council in its meeting to be held on 14.1.1982.

Item : 5 To consider the fixation of pay of some newly appointed staff in the University.

(a) Sri Swapan Kr. Sengupta, Sr.Scientific Officer,last pay drawn as Lecturer in the A.C.College,Jalpaiguri in the Scale of pay of Rs.700-40-1100-50-1600/-.

Basic	.....	Rs.1060.00
D.A.	.....	Rs. 610.00
Morning Section		Rs. 125.00
N. C.C.	.....	Rs. 75.00
M.A.	.....	Rs. 16.70
		Rs.1786.70

D.N.I. on 1.1.1982.

Sri Sengupta had requested for 5 addl.increments for protection of his total emoluments.

Sri Sengupta's pay was fixed at Rs.1,100/-in the scale of pay of Rs.1,100/- 50-1600/-, D.N.I. after one year from the date of his joining the post.

The Committee considered a letter from Sri Sengupta regarding 5 advance increments. The Committee noted that with fixation of pay at Rs.1,100/-,Sri Sengupta will draw a gross amount of Rs.1,655.70.

This will protect his pay and admissible allowances. The allowances drawn by him for teaching in morning section and as N.C.C. Officer can not be taken into A/C as this has not been done in other cases.

(b) Sri Nirendra Nath Singha,Guard,Watch & Ward Deptt. joined as Guard on 11.12.1981(F.N).Pay to befixed in the scale of pay of Rs.300-525/-.

Pay fixed at Rs.300/-,D.N.I. on 11.12.1982.

(c) Sri Upendra Nath Ray,Guard,Watch & Ward Deptt.joined as Guard on 11.12.1981(F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay Rs.300-525/-.

Pay fixed at Rs.300/- D.N.I. on 11.12.1982.

(d) Sri Mahbahadur Rai, Guard, Watch & Ward Deptt.joined as Guard on 11.12.1981(F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.300/-525/-.

Pay fixed at Rs.300/-, D.N.I. on 11.12.1982.

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(e) Sri Chandra Mohan Singh ,Guard, Watch & Ward Deptt. joined as Guard on 11.12.1981(F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.300/- 525/-.

Pay fixed of Rs.300/- D.N.I. on 11.12.1982.

(f) Sri Narayan Ch.Ghosh,Guard, Watch & Ward Deptt. joined as Guard on 11.12.1981(F/N).Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.300/- 525/-.

Pay fixed at Rs.300/- D.N.I. on 11.12.1982.

(g) Sri Aloke Das,Jr.Asstt.Cum-Typist,Registrar's Branch, joined as Jr.Asstt.cum-Typist on 12.12.1981(F/N) pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.400-900/-.

Pay fixed at Rs.400/- D.N.I. on 12.12.1982.

(h) Sri Subrata Guha, Jr.Asstt.Cum-Typist,Registrar's Branch. Joined as Jr.Asstt.Cum-Typist on 12.12.1981(F/N).Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.400-900/-.

Pay fixed at Rs.400/- D.N.I. on 12.12.1982.

(i) Sri Chanchal Kr. Paul, Jr.Asstt.Cum Typist,Registrar's Branch,joined as Jr.Asstt.Cum-Typist on 12.12.1981(F/N).Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.400/-900/-.

Pay fixed at Rs.400/- D.N.I. on 12.12.1982.

(j) Sri Mridul Kanti Goswami, Jr.Asstt.Cum-Typist, Registrar's Branch,joined as Jr.Asstt.Cum-Typist on 12.12.1981 (F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.400-900/-.

Pay fixed at Rs.400/- D.N.I. on 12.12.1982.

(k) Sri Sundar Chhetri,Jr. Driver,Estate Dev.Section, joined as Jr. Driver on 7.12.1981(F/N).Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.375-15-480-20-600-25-800/-.

Sri Chhetri last pay drawn as cleaner Rs.454/-(basic). D.N.I. on 1.5.

Pay fixed at Rs.465/- D.N.I. on 7.12.1982.

(l) Sri Biswanath Ghosh, Sr.Research Asstt. Physics,Deptt. Joined as Sr.Research Asstt. in the Deptt. of Physics on 1.10.80 purely on temporary basis against leave vacancy. Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.600-35-670-40-870-45-1050-50-1250/-.

Pay fixed at Rs.600/- D.N.I. on 1.10.1981.

Item : 6 To consider the fixation of pay of Sri R.N.Das,as Development Officer.

After due consideration of a letter from Sri Das regarding 4 addl.increments, the Committee regrets that it is unable to recommend 4 advance increments to Sri Das.

The item is confimed for consideration of the N.B.U. Council in its meeting to be held on 14.1.1982.

Misc....1. Regularisation of the case of Shri Ashutosh Mukherjee, Ex-Deputy Registrar, North Bengal University.

Shri Ashutosh Mukherjee,W.B.C.S.(Judicial) Subordinate Judge,joined this University as Deputy Registrar,,with effect from 28.9.1973. As per Government Orders he was allowed his grade pay plus deputation allowance @ Rs.20% of pay aubject to the maximum of Rs.250/- per month and other allowances. In terms of Government Orders an employee retaining his own grade pay would be allowed to draw deputation allowance provided that the post to which the government servant is deputed does not carry identical, equavalent, or lower scale of pay. On the basis of option exercised by Shri Mukherjee as a result of revision of pay with effect from 1.3.74

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in his parent department, his pay was fixed as under :-

Period	Scale of pay as Deputy Registrar in the North Bengal University. 700-50-1250/-	Scale of pay in his parent department W.B.J.S. Rs.1150-50-1350/-
1.3.74 to 28.2.75	-	1200/-
1.3.75 to 31.3.75	-	1250/-

Thus the scale of pay attached to the post to which Shri Mukherjee was deputed became lower than the scale relating to his own post in his parent department. On this it was objected by the audit that Shri Mukherjee was not entitled to deputation allowance and the excess payment made to him during the period may be recovered.

The matter was placed before the Finance Committee for consideration.

In view of his sincere service with this University where he had to take added responsibility without remuneration in establishing and administering the University Law College, it is proposed that in all fairness he should not be made to suffer any financial loss. Under the circumstances it is recommended that the pay scale of the Deputy Registrar in the North Bengal University may be kept in abeyance during the period when Shri Mukherjee was attached to this University.

There being no other item, the meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- S.M.Roy.
Finance Officer
Secretary.

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh,
Vice-Chancellor.
Chairman.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Minutes of the 29th meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee of the N.B.U. Council held on 13.2.82 at 10.30 A.M. in the Chamber of the Vice-Chancellor.

Present:-

(1) Dr. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor..... Chairman.
(2) Dr. S. N. Sen, Prof. Deptt. of Physics, N.B.U., Member.
(3) Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer... Secretary.

Item-1. To confirm the minutes of the 28th meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 13.1.82.

Minutes were confirmed.

Item-2. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri Ashutosh Sinha as Asstt. Engineer (Electrical) in the University.

While applying for the post of Asstt. Engineer (Electrical) Sri Sinha expressed his willingness to accept Rs. 900/- as basic pay plus D.A. and other allowances. On that basis he was selected for the post. Now he has made an application that his present salary is Rs. 1980/- per month in the scale of pay of Rs. 1600-80-2400 plus other allowances as per rules (pay Rs. 1840/- as basic pay and Rs. 140/- as special pay). As per his original application for minimum pay of Rs. 900/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1600. This would mean five advance increments. The fixation comes as under:-

Pay.	Rs. 900.00	
A.D.A.	Rs. 509.00	
M.A.	Rs. 16.70	
H.R.A.	Rs. 135.00	Rs. 1560.70

After due consideration of a letter from Sri Sinha, dated 27.1.82, the Finance Sub-Committee recommends that he may be given 5(five) advance increments in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1600 and be informed accordingly.

The item is confirmed for consideration by the N.B.U. Council in its meeting to be held on 13.2.82.

Item-3. To consider the fixation of pay of some employees on their promotion to the post as per annexure.

The pay of some employees on their promotion to the post as per annexure was fixed by the Committee as per resolution of the N.B.U. Council in its meeting held on 4.7.81 vide Suppl. agenga item No.1(1).

(Annexure-I)

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

Sd/- S. M. Roy
Finance Officer
Secretary.

Sd/- P.K. Ghosh
Vice-Chancellor
Chairamn.

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Annexure- I

Sl No.	Name	Existing post.	Existing scale of pay.	Existing pay as on 30.9.81	Present scale of pay.	Present post.	Pay to be fixed on 1.10.81 with one Addl.increment.	Date of next increment
S/Sri.								
1.	Ganesh Bajpore.	Jamader	325-10-415-13-480-15-600	467.00	350-10-410-15-500-20-700	Head Jamader	485.00	1.10.82
2.	Sea Saran Mallick.	Sr.Sweeper.	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-
3.	Sripat Choudhuri.	Guard.	-do-	-do-	-do-	Security Nayak.	-do-	-do-
4.	Sibeswar Jha.	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-
5.	Bhola Kanpti.	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-
6.	Paltan Mahato.	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-
7.	Gyan Bahadur Rai.	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-	-do-

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

AGENDA PAPERS

for

the 60th meeting of the NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Date: 29.3.1982
Time: 11-00 A.M.

Place: Conference Room
Administrative Building
Raja-Rammohunpur

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

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The 60th meeting of the North Bengal University Council will be held on Monday, 29th March, 1982 at 11-00 A. M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur to consider the following agenda :

A G E N D A

1. To confirm the minutes of the meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 6.3.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-I)

2. To consider the minutes of the 58th meeting (Budget Meeting /) of the North Bengal University Council held on 27.2.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-II)

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

   Decision:

4. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

   Decision:

5. To approve the appointments to the posts of lecturers in St. Joseph's College.

   Decision:

6. To nominate an educationist as member on the reconstituted Governing Body of P.D. Women's College, Jalpaiguri.

   Decision:

7. To nominate an educationist as member on the Governing Body of Alipurduar College.
Decision:

8. To nominate an educationist as member on the Governing Body of Kalimpong College.
Decision:

9. To consider an application from Sri Asit Kumar Chakraborty, Jr. Research Fellow, Department of Mathematics, praying for granting of leave for six months without pay from 2nd March, 1982 in order to enable him to join in Dinhata College as a lecturer in Mathematics.

Decision:

10. To consider an application from Sri Charu Chandra Deb, Sr. Research Follow, Dopartmont of Chemistry, N.B.U. praying for granting of leave for five months without pay w.e.f. 5.3.82 in order to enable him to join in a permanent post as lecturer in Karimpur Panna Devi College.

Decision:

11. To consider a letter No. 221-Edn(CS) dated 20.2.82 from Dy. 4C-43/78 Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Education Department with regard to Government nominees on the Governing Bodies of non-Govt. non-Sponsored Colleges.

Decision: (Annexure-III)

12. To consider a letter No. 232(6)-Edn(U) dt. 3.3.82 from the Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal Education Department with regard to implementation of the Merit Promotion Scheme for University teachers.

Decision: (Annexure-IV)

13. To consider a letter of resignation submitted by Shri Biswanath Jha, Jr. Research Fellow, Department of Physics, N.B.U. w.e.f. 6.3.82.

Decision:

14. To consider a letter from Dr. Tapas Kumar Roy Choudhury, Superintendent, Ramkrishna Hall of Residence in connection with staying of the Secretary and the Vice-President of the Students' Union in the Hostel for discharging their duties.

Decision:

15. To consider a letter no. C.4/VC/16/82 dated 5.3.82 received from the Secretary, Association of Universities in West Bengal requesting the University to remit its share of contribution of Rs. 1000/- for the year 1981-82 at the earliest opportunity.

Decision:

16. To consider a letter dated 27.2.82 received from the Secretary, North Bengal University Consumers' Co-operative Stores Ltd for allowing them to avail of the University vehicle for four days a month (preferably once a week) instead of twice in a month for the purpose of marketing from Siliguri.

Decision:

17. To prescribe the qualifications for the post of Electrical Supervisor.

Decision:

18. To consider a letter No. F. 19-5/79(E-1) dated 3.3.82 received from the Dy. Secretary, U.G.C. on Development of Higher Education and Research in the Universities acceptance of the schemes during the 6th Plan Period.

Decision: (Annexure-V)

19. Miscellanneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

REGISTRAR

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
The 20th March, 1982.

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University of North Bengal
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Annexure-I

Minutes of the 59th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Saturday, the 6th March, 1982 at 11-00 A. M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur

Members present :

1. Dr. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
3. Shri P. K. Majumdar, Lecturer, Siliguri College
4. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A. C. College, Jalpaiguri
5. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
6. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College

Shri S. M. Roy, Actg. Finance Officer, Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, Shri R. K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar and Shri S. Majumdar, Deputy Controller of Examinations were requested to make themselves available during the meeting.

1. The minutes of the 57th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 13.2.82 were confirmed with the following amendment:-

(i) Item Suppl. 18 The Council directed that the note submitted by the Deputy Controller of Examinations to the Vice-Chancellor should be annexed.

(Appendix-I)

Matter arising out of confirmation of the minutes of the 57th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 13.2.82

(i) Item Suppl. 15 The Council noted a letter from Dr. Suhas Guha Niyogi wherein he has requested to grant him leave upto September, 1982. In view of the fact that Dr. Guha Niyogi left without notice and without any leave sanctioned to him, the Council decided to request the Vice-Chancellor to take immediate disciplinary action under Ordinance 18 of the Ordinances relating to appointment and terms and conditions of service of the teachers of the University.

2. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

(i) Lecturer in Commerce

The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Sri Palas Ranjan Sengupta as Lecturer in Commerce in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus

usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

Sri Sengupta will have to obtain a Doctor's Degree or give evidence of published work of equivalent high standard within 5 years of his appointment, failing which he will not be able to earn future increments until he fulfils these requirements.

(ii) Reader for the Centre for Himalayan Studies:

The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Dr. Bani Prasanna Misra as Reader for the Centre for Himalayan Studies in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

The above resolutions were confirmed for immediate action.

The Council, in terms of Govt. Order No. 1505(6)-Edn(U) IU(J)-34/81 dated 18.9.81 decided to appoint the following as Readers:

(A) Mathematics

Shri Malay Kumar Sen

(B) Physics

Shri Debdas Chakraborty
Dr. Rabin Ghosh
Dr. R. N. Gupta
Dr. Dhruba Das Gupta

Confirmed for immediate action.

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Technical Assistant (Mech) Grade C at the University Service and Instrumentation Centre. It was found that none of the candidates recommended possessed essential minimum qualifications. The Council decided / to re-advertise the post immediately.

4. To consider the cases of the undernoted employees of the University for confirmation:

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Sri Sukhamoy Majumdar Dy. Controller of Exams. N.B.U.	16.2.81	16.2.82
2. Sri Dyutish Chakraborty Lecturer in Pol. Science N.B.U.	17.2.81	17.2.82

The Council in consideration of the confidential reports and recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor decided to confirm the services of the following employees of the University with effect from the date mentioned against each, subject to (i) their being found medically fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) Verification of age and academic qualifications and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose.

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Sri Sukhamoy Majumdar Dy. Controller of Exams. N.B.U.	16.2.81	16.2.82
2. Sri Dyutish Chakraborty Lecturer in Pol. Science N.B.U.	17.2.81	17.2.82

5. To report that in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council the Vice-Chancellor has accepted the resignation tendered by Smt. Banani Sarkar, J.R.F., Political Science, w.e.f. 22.2.1982.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in accepting the resignation tendered by Smt. Banani Sarkar, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Political Science with effect from 22.2.82 subject to clearance of all dues.

6. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on -

13.1.82

13.2.82

While approving the proceedings of the meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee of 13.1.82 and 13.2.82 the Council directed that in item 2 of the meeting of 13.2.82 it should be clearly mentioned that the pay of Shri Ashutosh Sinha, Assistant Engineer (Electrical) has been fixed at Rs. 900/- plus usual allowances after allowing 5 advance increments.

7. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with leave of Sri Chandra Kanta Sharma, Guard, Watch & Ward Deptt, N.B.U.

The Council decided to grant leave for 179 days to Sri Chandra Kanta Sharma since 1.6.1981 as per following :

P. L. 132 days
Commuted leave 49 days.

8. To consider a letter from the Lecturer-in-charge, N.B.U. Law College regarding nomination of Sri N. K. Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri on the N.B.U. Law College Council.

The Council decided to nominate Shri N. K. Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri as a member of the N.B.U. Law College Council for one year with effect from 28.2.82.

9. To consider a note from the Finance Officer for determining of D.A. rates for field trips under Area Studies.

The Council decided that the Finance Officer and the Registrar should submit a note on the fixation of D.A. rates for field trips under Area Studies Programme to Sikkim and Bhutan.

10. To consider a proposal for institution of a fellowship of Rs. 300/- per month with an annual contingent grant of Rs. 4000/- under Dr. G.S.S. Murthi, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U. to investigate an industrial problem- "Examination of the waste products of the tea waste based Caffein Industry" initially for a period of one year received from the Managing Director, Peak Chemical Industries Limited, Siliguri.

The Council decided that the proposal should be considered by the Departmental Committee of Chemistry and that M/S Peak Chemical Industries Ltd be informed that the value of the scholarship should be Rs. 600/- per month and that they should deposit the full amount for one year with the University.

11. To report certain amendments with regard to Merit Promotion Scheme have been received.

Noted. (Appendix- II)

12. To consider the evaluation report including the report of the viva-voce examination on the theses submitted for the Ph.D. degree of this University.

(a) The Council considered the evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examinations and decided to admit Shri Sonamani Chakraborty to the degree of Ph.D. (Arts) for his thesis entitled "[illegible]".

Shri Chakraborty worked under the guidance of Dr. A. K. Sikdar, Professor of Bengali.

(b) The Council considered the evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examinations and decided to admit Shri Radha Gobinda Ghosh to the degree of Ph.D. (Arts) for his thesis entitled " [illegible] "

Shri Ghosh worked under the guidance of Dr. P. K. Kundu, Reader in Bengali.

The above results may be published immediately.

13. To consider applications received for the Registration for the Ph.D. Degree.

The Council decided to permit the following persons to apply for Registration for the Degree of Ph.D. :

i) Sri Gurusaday Dey - Bengali
ii) Sri Samar Kumar Misra - Commerce
iii) Sri Anis Chattopadhyay - Geography
iv) Sri Bhim Kanta Upadhyay - Nepali

//Supplementary Agenda//

1. To report that in anticipation of the approval of the .N.B.U. Council the Vice-Chancellor has accepted the open bid for selection of Tailoring Party for making all season Liveries.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in accepting tender on open bid for tailoring job for making all-season Liveries.

2. To report that a letter No. 115-Edn(CS) dated 27.1.82 with regard to the qualifications for recruitment to the posts of lecturer in the Non-Govt. including sponsored Training Colleges for Secondary School Teachers in West Bengal has been received.

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Noted.

(Appendix III)

3. To consider an application from Shri Rudra N. Agarwala, U.G.C. Research Fellow, Centre for Life Sciences, praying for granting of extension of Fellowship for a period of six months w.e.f. 15.5.82.

The Council decided to extend the tenure of fellowship of Shri Rudra N. Agarwala for a period of six months w.e.f. 15.5.82.

4. To consider the recommendation of Enhancement Committee for enhancement of Fellowship of Md. Ichhimuddin Sarkar, J.R.F., Deptt. of History from Rs. 400/- to Rs. 500/- for the period 24.10.79 to 30.10.80 and from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- from 1st October, 1982.

The Council considered the recommendation of the Enhancement Committee and decided to enhance the Fellowship of Md. Ichhimuddin Sarkar, J.R.F., Department of History from Rs. 400/- to Rs. 500/- for the period 24.10.79 to 30.10.80 and from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- from 1st October, 1982.

5. To consider a note from the Finance Officer in the matter of outstanding advances standing in the name of Late S. Banerjee, Ex-Lecturer-in-charge, N.B.U. Law College and release of his C.P.F. accumulations.

The Council decided to write off an amount of Rs. 649/- out of an amount of Rs. 769/- for which no vouchers could be traced. The Council also decided to release an amount of Rs. 2455.46 paisa being the full and final payment against C.P.F. accumulation in the name of the Late S. Banerjee, Ex-Lecturer, N.B.U. Law College.

Confirmed for immediate action.

6. To consider the recommendations of the Post Graduate Examination Advisory Committee meeting held on 22.2.82.

Approved.

(Appendix I V

7. To consider a D.O. No. BC 11019/39/81-SC & BCD-IV dated 19.11.81 received from B. N. Srivastava, Director, Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, regarding provision of coaching facilities for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes Candidates appearing in the various competitive examinations.

The Council decided that a scheme might be sent accepting the offer with a provision for capital grants for constructing of hostel for 32 trainees.

8. To consider a copy of the letter from Shri S. N. Ghosal, Secretary, Staff Council, University B.T. & Evening College, addressed to Officer-in-charge, University B. T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar.

The Council decided that the matter be referred to the University B.T. & Evening College. In this connection the Council noted that the West Bengal College Service Commission has sent a name for appointment to the post of Principal, University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar. The Council was of the opinion that the Vice-Chancellor as the President of the College Council may send the appointment letter to the person concerned.

9. To consider an application from Sri Subal Kar a blind student praying for taking up Philosophy as his combination subject in lieu of English.

The Council was of the opinion that at such late stage change of combination subject was not regular. However, in view of the fact that the applicant is a blind student and has been facing difficulties in pursuing the course of studies in Elective English, the Council as a very special case, decided to permit him to take up Philosophy in lieu of Elective English provided he appeared at the second internal test in Philosophy and the marks obtained by him in the first internal test in Elective English would be treated as '0'.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

10. To consider a confidential note received from Shri S. M. Roy, Acting Finance Officer, N.B.U.

The Council decided that Shri S. M. Roy, Audit & Accounts Officer may continue to act as Finance Officer as per order dated 10.12.79.

11. To consider Inspection report with regard to Honours Affiliation to Islampur College.

While approving the recommendation of the inspecting team the Council decided that affiliation in Honours course in Political Science, History and Bengali at Islampur College might be granted with effect from 1982-83 academic session subject to the fulfilment of conditions laid down with regard to purchase of books and appointment of additional teachers with effect from 1983-84. The Council decided to recommend to the Govt. for sanction of staff and funds for library.

(Appendix V)

12. To report that a G.O. No. 96-Edn(CS) 6A-46/79 dated 22.1.82 extending affiliation in Honours Course in Economics and Zoology to Siliguri College has been received.

Noted.

13. To report that a G.O. No. 141-Edn(CS) 6A-10/80 dated 1.2.82 extending affiliation in Honours course in Zoology and Commerce to St. Joseph's College has been received.

Noted.

14. To consider the following recommendation of the Academic Committee -

"The Committee recommended that any Graduate of the University of North Bengal or from any other University whose degree has been recognised as equivalent may appear in M.A. Examination as external candidate in such subject in which there is no practical work is involved provided he passed the B.A. (Pass) Examination in the relevant subject in which he wants to appear in the M.A. Examination. They might be

permitted to appear in one subject at the B.A. (Pass) standard."

The Council approved the recommendation of the Academic Committee and decided that any Graduate of the University of North Bengal or from any other University whose degree has been recognised as equivalent may appear in M.A. Examination as external candidate in such subject in which there is no practical work is involved provided he passed the B.A. (Pass Examination in the relevant subject in which he wants to appear in the M.A. Examination. They might be permitted to appear in one subject at the B.A. (Pass) standard.

15. To consider an application from Sri Mohan Prosad Dahal, Research Scholar, Department of Nepali, N.B.U. praying for granting of six months leave in order to enable him to join as lecturer in Darjeeling Govt. College.

The Council decided to sanction six months leave without fellowship in order to enable Sri Mohan Prosad Dahal, Research Scholar, Department of Nepali, to join as Lecturer in Darjeeling Govt. College.

16. To report that a G.O. No. 171(6)-Edn(U) dated 19.2.82 with regard to modification of qualification prescribed for recruitment to the posts of Officers of the Universities in West Bengal has been received from the Dy. Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal, Education Deptt., University Education Branch.

Noted.

(Appendix VI)

Misc. 1 The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Sri Pares Chandra Roy (under special consideration as Scheduled Caste candidate) as a Junior Research Fellow, U.G.C. at the Centre for Himalayan Studies on a fellowship of Rs. 600/- per month and Rs. 3000/- per annum as contingent grant. He will be guided by the relevant rules for such fellowship.

Confirmed for immediate action.

Misc. 2 The Council decided to sanction leave under Rule 16 of the University Leave Rules with full pay and allowances to Shri Nirmalendu Paul, Technical Assistant, Department of Physics for a period of 8 weeks with effect from 21.4.82 to enable him to attend a Programme on Digital System and Instrumentation. His case has been recommended by the teachers-in-charge of the Physics Laboratory and by the Head of the Department.

Confirmed for immediate action.

Misc. 3 (a) The Council considered the recommendation of the Committee for promotion and recruitment and decided to appoint Sri Asoke Kumar Roy as Junior Assistant-cum-Typist subject to his passing typing test. (Sri Roy's father has recently retired from the University Service) and Sri Roy has been working for more than 240 days on contingent daily rate basis. He was appointed on contingent basis as his name was in the previous panel). Sri Roy will be placed in the scale of pay of Rs. 400/- 900/- plus usual allowances. Sri Roy's initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee and he will be on probation for a period of one year.

(b) The Council also decided to appoint Smt. Chhaya Pal as Junior Assitant-cum-Typist subject to her passing typing test (Smt. Pal has been working for more than 240 days on contingent basis and was previously selected by a Committee consisting of the Inspector of Colleges, Development Officer and Dr. T. K. Roy Chowdhury). Smt. Pal will be placed in the scale of pay of Rs. 400/-900/- plus usual allowances. Her initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee and she will be on probation for a period of one year.

In this connection the Council decided to create three posts of Personal Assistants (with knowledge of Stenography) for the Registrar, the Controller of Examinations and the Finance Officer. It was noted that such posts exist in most of the Universities in West Bengal. The Council requested the Vice-Chancellor to take necessary action in this regard.

Confirmed for immediate action.

Misc. 4 The Council decided to constitute a Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Assistant Registrar.

Misc. 5 The Council considered a note from the Deputy Controller of Examinations in the matter of mistake of computation of marks obtained by some candidates of A. C. College, Jalpaiguri in the internal assessment tests. The Council approved the rectification suggested.

Misc. 6 The Council considered a note from the Finance Officer and decided that Dr. N. Chaudhuri may issue appointment letter to the person concerned for work in the DAE laboratory on a consolidated amount as per sanction given by the DAE.

Misc. 7 The Council considered the recommendation of the N.B.U. Law College Council meeting held on 3.3.82. The Matter was earlier referred back to the College Council. The Council took a sympathetic view and approved the recommendation of the College Council as under :

Item - To reconsider agenda item No. 2 of the College Council Meeting held on 15.1.82 relating to the case of some students whose names were struck off the rolls on account of double courses.

Decision - The College Council reconsidered the case of students of Law College, whose names were struck off the rolls on account of their pursuing double courses in violation of the admission rules. This item came up for reconsideration in the light of the decision of the N.B.U. Council in its meeting held on 13.2.1982 to refer back the matter to the College Council.

The Council noted that the names of 17 Prel. Law students were struck off the rolls in November 1981 on the grounds mentioned above. It was decided that these students may apply for admission to the Law College afresh in 1982-83. Their cases will be specially considered by the Admission Committee. Since they appeared at P.G. Part II end-of-term examination held in December 1981, those who fail in the P.G. examinations will not be permitted to continue the LL.B. course if they decide to pursue the P.G. course again.

It was noted that names of 3 students of Inter Law class were also struck off the rolls of the college on grounds stated earlier and they have already appeared at their P.G. Part II examinations in December 1982. It was decided that they may be allowed to seek admission in the Inter Law Class in 1982-83 session. If anyone fails in the said P.G. examination, he will not be allowed to pursue LL.B. course if he decides to continue his P.G. course. One student of P.G. Part I course who was also an Inter Law student and who had earlier withdrawn from Inter Law class shall not be entitled to be admitted to the Inter Law class in 1982-83 session.

Regarding one student of Final Law class, whose name was struck off the roll and who has appeared at his P.G. Part II end-of-term examination in December 1981 it was decided that he may be allowed to seek admission in Final Law class in 1982-83 session. If, however, he fails in P.G. examination, he will not be allowed to pursue LL.B. course if he decides to continue his P.G. course.

In this connection the Council noted a representation from the Students' Association of the Law College.

(i) It was noted that attempt for holding examinations and publication of results in time are being made.

(ii) Actions for appointment of whole time teachers and Principal have already been taken.

(iii) Regarding one annual examination the Council adopted regulations which were known to the students who joined the college in 1981-82 academic session and such rules could not be changed now.

(iv) The Govt. will be approached for a Generator Set.

(v) Regarding representation of students in the College Council, the same would be considered in due course.

(vi) The question of introducing Post Graduate Diploma Course in Taxation Law, Labour Law, etc. has been considered by the Board of Studies and the matter will be taken up at the level of funding authorities including the U.G.C.

Misc. 8 On a point raised by the Acting Finance Officer, the Council reiterated its earlier decision of 14th January, 1982 and directed that payment of gratuity be made as per University Statutes to all eligible persons [Govt. Order No. 1518(6)-Edn(U) dated 27th October, 1980 considered by the Council on the 29th November, 1980].

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

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Appendix - I

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL,
P.O. North Bengal University,
RajaRammohunpur, (Dt. Darjeeling).

Appendix IV

Recommendations of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee for B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.Part II(Old) Examinations,1981 as explained by the Deputy Controller of Examinations in his note dated 15.1.82 submitted to the Vice-Chancellor.

As desired in the Council meeting on 14.1.82, the recommendations of the Malpractices Enquiry Committee in respect of B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Part II (Old) Examinations,1981 are explained as follows:

1. Examinations of the candidates whose Roll Nos. are shown below are cancelled as a whole for the year on charges of copying in the Examination Hall.

   B.A. Part II/81.

   Coo Ext.73, Cha 26, Din 8, Din Ext.31, Jal Ext.28, Islam 13, Jal Ext.69, Matha F 11, Aliduar FN 9.

   B.Sc.Part II/81 - Mal (Sc) 6, Mal(Sc) 32.

   B.Com.Part II/81 - Aliduar(Com) 13, Din(Com)6,7,12, Sili(Com)18.

2. Candidates who were summoned to appear before the Malpractice Enquiry Committee, but did not appear, their examination as a whole for the year has been cancelled. Roll Nos. of such candidates are shown below.

   B.A. Part II/81 - Mal 80, Mal Ext.10, Mal Ext.21, Jal F 23, Mal F 20, Samsi 56.

   B.Com.Part II(Old)/81 - Aliduar(Com)23, Kaliya(Com)6, Balur(Com)11,Balur(Com)17,Mal(Com)Ext.4.

3. In respect of the following candidate who was found in possession of papers having no bearing on the questions and against whom there is no evidence of copying, examination in the relevant paper cancelled for violation of examination rules.

   Balur(Sc) Ext. 9, Chemistry(Pass) cancelled.

Sd/

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Appendix - II

Government of West Bengal
Education Department
University Education Branch.

No.121(6)-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the Feb.8/9.1982,

From:G.S.Banerjee, IAS.
Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal.

To: The Registrar,

1.Calcutta University, Senate House, Calcutta-73.

2.Jadavpur University, Calcutta-32.

3.Kalyani University, Po.Kalyani, Dist. Nadia.

4.Rabindra Bharati University,56A, B.T.Road, Calcutta-50.

5.North Bengal University, Rajarammohunpur, Dist-Darjeeling.

6.Burdwan University, Rajbati, Po.& Dt.Burdwan.

Sub:Implementation of the Merit Promotion Scheme for University teachers.

Sir,

In partial modification of the Govt. Order no.957(6)-Edn(U) dated 22.7.81 on the subject noted above I am directed by order of the Governor to say that clauses (5)+ (8)of the said Order shall be substituted as indicated below:

Clause(5) While the final selection of persons to be promoted shall be made by the University in accordance with its normal statutory procedure, it would be necessary to refer the work(i.e. research publications, books,reviews, curricular development, teaching aids, innovation in teaching methods, equipment development, etc.) presented by the individual teacher to at least two referees in the subject/discipline concerned. The referees are to be selected by the Vice-Chancellor according to the procedure prescribed by the University for selection of experts. The evaluation reports of these referees should be kept confidential and made available to the selection committee. The final selection would be based upon the evaluation comments of the referees and the decision of the selection committee.

Clause(8) Not more than one-third of the numbers of total permanent position of Lecturers or Readers within a department may hold such merit promotions at next higher level at any given time.

Provided that if the number of candidates of outstanding merit recommended for promotion by the selection committee under the aforesaid scheme is in excess of the ceiling fixed under this clause the University may refer such cases to the State Govt. along with the recommendations of the selection committee for sanction of additional post.

This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide their U.O.No. Group B 3191 dt.30.12.81.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-G.S.Banerjee.
Secretary.

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Appendix - III

Government of West Bengal
Education Department
C. S. Branch

No. 115-Edn(CS)
10 M-3/79 Calcutta, the 27th Jan., 1982

From : Shri R. Chowdhury,
Deputy Secy. to the Govt. of West Bengal.

To : The Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal.

Sub : Qualifications for recruitment to the posts of lecturer in the Non-Govt. including sponsored Training Colleges for Secondary School Teachers in West Bengal.

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The undersigned is directed to say that in terms of G.O. No. 256-Edn(CS) dt. 28.2.80, the Governor was pleased to prescribe the minimum qualifications for recruitment to the posts of Principal in the Non-Govt. including sponsored Training Colleges for Secondary School Teachers in West Bengal. Tho question of laying down the minimum qualifications for recruitment to the posts of lecturer in the Non-Govt. including sponsored Training Colleges for Secondary School Teaohers has been under consideration of Govt. for some time past. After careful oonsiderations the Governor has been pleased to Order that the candidates to be eligible for recruitment to the posts of Lecturer in the Non-Govt. including sponsored Training Collcgos for Secondary School Teachers should satisfy the minimum qualifications as prescribed in the Statement enclosed.

2. In the matter of selection of candidates for recruitment to the posts of lecturer in the Non-Govt. including Sponsored Training Colleges for Secondary School Teachers due priority and weightage should be given to those who have secured higher percentage of marks in different examinations.

3. Separate orders will follow prescribing qualifications for the posts of lecturer in Art, Craft, Music, etc.

Sd/- R. Chowdhury
Deputy Secretary

No. 115/1(3)-Edn(CS)

Copy with a copy of its enclosure forwarded to the :-

1. Deputy Director of Public Instruction (Trg), West Bengal.
2. Deputy Director of Public Instruction (P&S), West Bengal.
3. Deputy Director of Public Instruction (PPS), West Bengal, for information and necessary action

Sd/- Illegible
Assistant Secretary

Calcutta,
The 27th Jan., 1982.

No. 115/2(6)-Edn(CS)

Copy with a copy of its enclosure forwarded to the :-

1. Registrar, University of Calcutta.
2. " Jadavpur University.
3. " University of Bardwan.
4. " North Bengal University.
5. " Kalyani University.
6. " Rabindra Bharati University.

for information.

Sd/- Illegible
Assistant Secretary

Calcutta,
The 27th Jan., 1982
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No. 115/3(1)-Edn(CS)

Copy with a copy of its enclosure forwarded to the Secretary, West Bengal College Service Commission, 147A, Rash Behari Avenue, Calcutta-29 for information.

Calcutta,
The 27th Jan., 1982

Sd/- Illegible
Assistant Secretary.

Statement enclosed with G.O.
No. 115-Edn(CS) dt. 27.1.82.

Qualifications for recruitment to the Teaching posts in the Non-Govt. including Sponsored Training Colleges for Secondary School Teachers in West Bengal.

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For the post of Lecturer

A. Age : Upper age limit - 35 years, relaxable in case of exceptionally qualified candidates upto 40 years.

B. Academic qualifications:

A. (i) Matric/H.S./S.F./P.U./U,E. etc. ... 45% marks
B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. - (Hons) ... 40% marks
M.A./M.Sc./M.Com. ... 50% marks
B.T./B.Ed./Post Graduate Diploma in Basic Education or equivalent qualifications. ... 50% marks

(ii) M.Phil/Ph.D. Degree or any recognised degree after Masters level of University, or evidence of published work of high standard.

If candidates possessing the additional qualifications beyond Master's level be not available or not considered suitable for appointment candidates who satisfy the other basic qualifications may be selected for appointment on the specific condition that such candidates, if appointed, shall be required to acquire the M.Phil/Ph.D. Degree or show evidence of published work of high standard within five years of appointment, failing which they shall cease to earn future increment in the respective scale of pay.

Or B.(i) Matric/H.S./S.F./P.U./U.E. etc. ... 45% marks
B.A./B.Sc./B.Com ... Pass
M.A./M.Sc./M.Com ... 1st Class.
B.T./B.Ed./Post Graduate Diploma in Basic education, or equivalent qualifications. ... 50% marks

(ii) M.Phil/Ph.D. Degree or any recognised degree after Master's level of a University, Or evidence of published work of high standard.

If candidates possessing the additional qualifications beyond Master's level be not available Or not considered suitable for appointment, candidates who satisfy the other basic qualifications may be selected for appointment on the specific condition that such candidates, if appointed, shall be required to acquire the M.Phil/Ph.D. Degree or show evidence of published work of high standard within 5 years, of appointment, failing which they shall cease to earn future increment in the respective scale of pay.

Or C. (i) Matric/H.S./S.F./P.U./U.E. etc. ... 45% marks
B.A./B.Sc./B.Com ... Pass
M.A./M.Sc./M.Com. and a Doctorate Degree ... 50% marks.

(ii) B.T./B.Ed./Post Graduate diploma in Basic Education or equivalent qualification ... 50% marks.

Relaxation of qualification

Relaxation of qualification may be made in case of candidates possessing D.Litt/D.Sc., Degrees.

Sd/- Illegible
Deputy Secretary.

Appendix - IV

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL,
P.O. North Bengal University,
RajaRammohunpur, (Dist.Darjeeling).

Proceedings of the emergent meeting of the P.G.Examination Advisory Committee held on 22.2.82.

Members present :

1. Prof.S.K.Chakravarti, Deptt. of Chemistry,N.B.U.

2. Prof.N.C.Chaudhury,Deptt.of Physics,N.B.U.

3. Prof.S.N.Roy,Deptt.of Pol.Science,N.B.U.

4. Shri J.N.Chakraborty,Reader & Head,Deptt.of Commerce,N.B.U.

Item No.1: To consider the petition of a candidate of M.Sc.Part I Examination,1981 in Chemistry.

Decision : The members noted that the candidate failed to qualify to join the Part II Classes for his failure to obtain 30% marks in theoretical by one mark only and recommended that in the matter of eligibility to prosecute studies in the P.G. Part II Class by the candidates of P.G.Part I, 29.5% marks or above should be treated as 30% marks. The members also recommended that this need not require issue of any general circular; only tabulators are to be apprised at the time of tabulation work.

There being no other item the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF COLLEGES
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Appendix-V

Ref. No. 38/27/Insp-82 Dated, 3 March, '82

To
The Vice-Chancellor
North Bengal University.

Sub: Islampur College: Feasibility of Honours Affiliation.

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Sir,

An inspection team composed of Dr. D.J.Bhowmick of the Deptt. Pol. Science, Dr. S. Lahiri of Bengali and Dr. T.Roychowdhury of History accompanied the Inspector of Colleges on 10 Feb'82 to examine the feasibility of extending Honours affiliation in Pol. Science, Bengali and History to the above colleges from next academic session.

The inspection team moved around the college to examine the class rooms that would be required for theHonours classes. The rooms to be provided by the college for these classes were found adequate.

Records of the last three sessions' admission of students indicated a fair increase in the number of students offering these subjects. Thus, once Honours teaching was introduced in those subjects there would not be any dearth of suitable students for the new courses of study. Besides, it was learnt from the teachers that every year some suitable students either went to Raiganj or Siliguri college which provided facilities for Honours teaching or they were constrained to carry on their study in the pass course in Islampur College itself. The inspection team felt that the University might sympathetically consider the matter.

The three subjects, Political Science, Bengali and History for which the college GB prayed for extension of Honours affiliation have each two wholetime teachers. In History there is an additional advantage, for the Principal of the college is also a teacher of the subject. Therefore, in judging the feasibility of granting Honours teaching in these subjects the inspection team noted this point too. In the first year of teaching the college will not require additional posts of teachers in any of these subjects. The existing teachers can well look after the need of theHonours students. The teachers also, on their part, confirmed what the team had felt. However, additional wholetime teachers will be required phase-wise from the session 1983-84; one teacher in each Pol. Science, History and Bengali in 1983-84, and another one in each in 1984-85 will have to be provided for theHonours classes.

The library of the college only very recently began to take shape. The college authorities were promised a grant of Rs. 25,000/- for the development of the college from the North Bengal Development Board. Since introduction of Honours teaching was considered by the college authorities essential for the development of the college, the inspection team was assured of a sum of Rs. 20,000/- earmarked for the purchase of books and journals in subjects' to be taught at theHonours level. The members of the team, however, advised the teachers in respective subjects to draw up a list of recommended books in consultation with the teaching Deptts of the university. This advice, the teachers and the Principal welcomed and accepted.

The inspection team was, therefore, of the opinion that Honours teaching in Pol. Science, History, and Bengali was feasible in Islampur College from the academic session 1982-83. No immediate financial commitment of the Government was involved in this. The University might favourably consider the case and recommend to the Government for its concurrence. Subject to the fulfilment of the conditions given affiliation in Honours in the above three subjects is recommended.

Sd/- D. J. Bhowmick
Head of the Deptt. of Pol. Science
N.B. University.

Sd/- S. Lahiri
Head of the Deptt. of Bengali
N. B. University.

Sd/- T. Roy Chowdhuri
Head of the Deptt. of History, N.B.U.

Sd/- A.B.Majumder
Inspcetor of Colleges, N.B.U

Copy forwarded to the Registrar, N.B.U. for his kind information and necessary action.

Sd/- A. B. Majumder

Inspection Report

In connection with affiliation in Political Science upto Honours course I visited Islampur College on 10.2.1982.

Though the college has been established only recently still it has been rapidly developing. The college has now been offering political Science in Pass Course. Examination performance in the subject has been highly satisfactory. Political Science is a very popular subject for a large number of students offer Political Science as one of their subjects in B.A. Pass course. A good number of meritorious students are willing to offer Political Science in Honours course. If these students are to take Honours they are to go far away from the town at prohibitive cost.

At present, there are two teachers in the subject. Both are well-equipped to teach up to Honours standard. If the college is given affiliation up to Honours in Political Science no commitment to recruit additional teachers in the first year would be required. Because these two teachers have promised to bear the burden of additional load of teaching. Hence, the Government of West Bengal has not to bear any financial burden at present. Gradually the number of teachers may however be raised to four, one teacher in a year, for maintaining teaching efficiency.

If the Honours course is opened the provision for small class rooms would have to be made. The college authorities have given assurance that there would not be any difficulty in this regard. The college Library is not equiped with the books required for Honours. This is, however, the picture of almost all colleges in North Bengal. But in this case, the redeeming feature is that the college is likely to receive a huge grant from North Bengal Development Board and the college authorities have promised to earmark Rs. 25,000/- for the purchase of books out of which Political Science's share would be in the region of Rs. 9,000/-.Against this, it is hoped that the college library would suitably equipped for teaching Honours.

In the light of above observations, it is hoped that Islampur College would be permitted to open Honours course in Political Science from the next academic session.

(Dhrubajyoti Bhowmik)

Appendix - D

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Government of West Bengal
Education Department
University Education Branch

No. 171(6)-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the Feb. 19, 1982

From : T. H. Sengupta, IAS
Dy. Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To : The Registrar,
University of _____

Sub : Modification of qualification prescribed for recruitment to the posts of Officers of the Universities in West Bengal.

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Sir,

In partial modification of Govt. Order No. 559(7)-Edn(U) dt. 3.4.80 on the subject noted above I am directed by order of the Governor to say that on the recommendations of the Sub-committee of the Vice-Chancellors the Governor has been pleased to direct that the following provisos may be inserted at the end of the qualifications laid down in the aforesaid Govt. order in respect of the following posts, namely :-

Registrar, Inspector of Colleges, Controller of Examinations, Dean of Students' Welfare, Deputy Registrar, Deputy Controller of Examinations, Deputy Inspector of Colleges, Secretary, Council of Post-Graduate Studies, etc., Development and Planning Officer, Development Officer, Asstt. Registrar or equivalent posts.

1) Provided that in absence of suitable candidates having the required administrative xperience if the candidate has been either a Professor/Reader/Principal for at least two years, the essential qualifications pertaining to administrative experience required for such post may be reduced or waived on the recommendations of the Selection Committee. For candidates having the required administrative experience the essential academic qualifications may be relaxed on the recommendations of the Selection Committee but the selected candidate must have at least the academic qualifications prescribed for teachers of colleges.

2) Provided further that in case of employees of the University who are otherwise found suitable for the posts of Asstt. Registrar, Dy. Registrar and other equivalent posts, the prescribed academic qualification may be reduced or waived on the recommendation of the Selection Committee.

The essential qualification with regard to administrative experience shall be 10 years in case of Registrar and equivalent posts, 7 years in case of Deputy Registrar and equivalent posts and 5 years in case of Asstt. Registrar and equivalent posts.

As regards Finance Officer, Audit and Accounts Officer/Accounts Officer, a separate communication will follow in due course.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- T. H. Sengupta
Deputy Secretary.

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University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Annexure-II

Minutes of the meeting of the North Bengal University Council to consider the Budget Estimates of the University for the year 1982-83 and the Revised Estimates for the year 1981-82 held on 27.2.82 at 11-00 A. M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur.

Members present:

1. Dr. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Prof. S. N. Sen
3. Prof. I. K. Chatterjee
4. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
5. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A. C. College, Jalpaiguri
6. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College,
7. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, University College, Raiganj.

Shri S. M. Roy, Actg. Finance Officer attended the meeting on special invitation.

1. The Budget Estimates for the year 1982-83 and the Revised Estimates for the year 1981-82 of the University including the University Colleges as recommended by the Finance Sub-Committee were passed subject to availability of funds and subject to - paragraph 3 below.

2. The Council decided that the Budget Estimates of the University Colleges as passed should be sent separately to the Government since the procedure would facilitate receiving of grants more smoothly. The Colleges, however, would receive such grants from the University as usual.

3. The Council noted that pay fixation of teachers of Raiganj University College has not yet been made as per Government order No. 372-Edn (CS) dated 7.4.75. The Council further noted that the Principal of the College in his letter No. 172/81-(88), dated 10.3.81 intimated that payment of special allowance, demonstration allowance etc. were being made to some teachers even after ad-hoc payment of salaries as per revised pay scales in terms of Government order mentioned above.

The Council decided that the Finance Officer should take immediate steps for fixation of pay of the teachers of the Raiganj University College as per Government order No. 372-Edn (CS), dated 7.4.75. The Council, however, approved the total Budget Estimate of Raiganj University College for 1982-83 and Revised estimate

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for 1981-82 subject to the condition that the detail itemwise provision would be finalised only after the pay of the teachers is fixed within one month. Meanwhile, the Council decided that ad-hoc release of fund would be made in accordance with the arrangement made on the basis of Vice-Chancellor's order No. F. 70/244/VC-81 dated 24.3.81.

4. The Council decided that the provision for "Financial assistance to teachers for attending Conference abroad" under V.C's Esttb. be raised from 15,000/- to 25,000/- and corresponding provision for "attending conference abroad by college teachers" be Rs. 20,000/- in the Budget Estimates for 1982-83 (at P.75).

5. The Council decided that DAE Magnetic spectrograph laboratory be treated as a part of the Physics Department.

6. The Council considered a letter from the Secretary North Bengal University Teachers' Council and decided that any excess expenditure on the item "Contingency, Research etc." departmentwise be accommodated in the Revised Budget Estimates for 1982-83 in due course.

7. The Council decided that the word "Research" be inserted under the head "Contingency" in those teaching departments where there is no such word mentioned in the Budget Estimates for 1982-83.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN.

Government of West Bengal
Education Department
C. S. Branch

Annexure-III

No. 221-Edn(CS)
4C-43/78

Dated Calcutta, the 20th Feb., 1982

From : Shri S. Ghosh,
Deputy Secretary to the Government of West Bengal

To : The Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal.

Sub : Government nominees on the Governing Bodies of non-Govt. non-Sponsored Colleges.

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The undersigned is directed to say that according to Statutes/Ordinance/Rules of the affiliating Universities there should be one Government nominee on the Governing Body of each non-Government non-Sponsored College. It has been decided by Government that the existing Government nominee on the Governing Bodies of such colleges, which have since been reconstituted or to be reconstituted, should be renominated for another term or until further orders whichever is earlier.

Colleges which have at present no Government nominee on their Governing Bodies may immediately approach Government for sending the names of Government nominees.

All non-Government non-Sponsored Colleges, which are required to include a Government nominee in their Governing Bodies as per Statutes/Ordinance/Rules of the affiliating Universities, may be informed accordingly.

Sd/- S. Ghosh
Deputy Secretary

No. 221/1(300)-Edn(CS)

Copy forwarded, for information, to the :-

1. Deputy Director of Public Instruction (NGC), West Bengal.
2. Registrar, North Bengal University, Raja Rammohunpur, P.O. North Bengal University, Dt. Darjeeling.
3. Principal/Teacher-in-Charge, _____

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Calcutta,
The 20th February, 1982

Deputy Secretary

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Government of West Bengal
Education Department
University Education Branch

Annexure-IV

No. 232(6)-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the March 3, 1982.

From : G. S. Banerjee, IAS
Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To : The Registrar,
University of _____

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Sub : Implementation of the Merit Promotion Scheme for University Teachers-

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Sir,

In continuation of this Department Memo No. 121(6)-Edn(U) dated 8.2.82 on the subject mentioned above I am directed by order of the Governor to say that the Governor has been pleased to decide that a teacher shall be eligible for promotion under this Scheme provided he has not got any promotion so far in his service career under any scheme and that a teacher shall be eligible for promotion under this scheme approved in terms of Govt. Order No. 957(6)-Edn(U) dated 22.7.81 only once during his service career.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- G. S. Banerjee
Secretary

No. 232/1(11)-Edn(U)

Copy forwarded to the :-

1. Accountant General, West Bengal, Calcutta.
2. Finance Department of this Govt.
3. Department of Agriculture, Govt. of West Bengal.
4. Finance Officer, University of North Bengal, Raja Rammohunpur, Siliguri, Dist. Darjeeling. for information.

Sd/- Illegible
Deputy Secretary

Calcutta,
The March 3, 1982.
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Annexure-V

UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION
BAHADUR SHAH ZAFAR MARG
NEW DELHI

No. F. 19-5/79(E-1) 3rd March, 1982

The Registrar
University of North bBengal
Raja Rammohunpur
(Darjeeling, W.B.)

Subject: - Development of higher eduoation and research in the universities - acceptance of the schemes during the sixth plan period.

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Sir,

In pursuance of the discussions held with the University, I am directed to say that the University Grants Commission has approved the schemes involving a total estimated expenditure of Rs. 14,73,000/- as part of VI plan development schemes of the University, details of which are given in Annexure-I. The details of schemes, if any, approved earlier by the Commission as a charge to the Sixth Plan allocation to the University including basic grants for books and equipment amounting to Rs. 16,69,632/- are given in Annexure-II. With this, the total assistance approved so far during the VI Plan period comes to Rs. 31,42,632/- against the ceiling of Rs. 100.00 lakhs.

The terms and conditions for the grants approved by the Commission for various schemes as part of VI Plan development schemes of universities are given in Annexure-III.

It is requested that the University may proceed with the implementation of the schemes approved above. Grants for various approved schemes will be released in suitable instalments in accordance with the procedure indicated in the terms and conditions.

Receipt of this letter may kindly be acknowledged.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- Illegible
Deputy Secretary

Copy to:
1. Secretary to the Government of West Bengal (Education Deptt.) Calcutta.
2. Secretary to the Government of West Bengal (Planning Deptt.) Calcutta.
3. Secretary to the Government of West Bengal (Finance Deptt.) Calcutta.
4. Director of public Instructions, West Bengal, Calcutta.
5. Dr. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University, Raja Rammohunpur (Darjeeling, W.B.).
6. CF Section.
7. P. A. to Secretary - UGC.

Sd/- G. R. Vasdev
For Secretary

ANNEXURE-I

Schemes approved by the Commission during the Sixth Plan Period on the basis of discussions held with the University.

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(A) NON-RECURRING ITEMS

S.No.	Scheme/ Item	Total amount approved	UGC share	Remarks if any
		Rs.	Rs.	
1.	i) Books & Journals	2,00,000	2,00,000	This is in addition to basic grant of Rs. 3.00 lakhs already approved.
2.	i) Equipment	3,00,000	3,00,000	This is in addition to basic grant of Rs. 4.00 lakhs already approved.
	ii) Equipment (Life Science Dept.)	3,00,000	3,00,000	
3.	i) Const. of extension of Building for Life Sciences Dept. (1st Floor)	4,00,000	2,00,000	
	ii) Extension of Sociology Dept. Building (2000-3000 sqft. carpet area)	3,76,000	1,88,000	
	Total:	15,76,000	11,88,000	

(B) RECURRING ITEMS

S.No.	Department/ Scheme	Number and designation of the post	Estimated expenditure upto 31.3.1985 UGC share	Remarks if any
1.	Life Science	Lecturer-4	1,80,000	Two Lecturers with specialisation in Botany/Life Science and two Lecturers with specialisation in Zoology/Life Science
2.	Law	Reader-1, 0.60 Lecturer-1, 0.45	1,05,000	(Upto 31st March, 1985) Provided University will appoint 2 Lecturer from its own resources)
		Total:	2,85,000	
		Grand Total:	Rs. 14,73,000	

ANNEXURE II

Schemes already approved during the Sixth Plan Period to the university including basic grants for books and equipment as charge to VI Plan allocation.

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S.No.	UGC letter number and date of approval	Scheme/ Item	Amount Approved	UGC share	Remarks
1.	F.19-4/79(E-1) dated 9-6-81	Construction Hotel for Research Scholars	Rs. 19,39,264	Rs. 9,69,632	
2.	F.5-1/80(E-1) dated 11-11-1980	Basic grant for Books & Journals	3,00,000	3,00,000	
3.	F.5-2/81(E-1) dated 12-8-81	Basic grant for equipment	4,00,000	4,00,000	
		Total	26,39,264	16,69,632	

Annexure III

Terms and conditions of grants approved by the University Grants Commission to the universities for General Development during the Sixth Plan Period.

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(A) General

(i) The University may set up an Academic and Planning Board which may also include Faculty members and intimate its composition to the Commission as soon as it is constituted. The schemes approved by the Commission during the Sixth Plan Period for general development may be implemented by the university in consultation with the Board which may also regularly evaluate and monitor the progress of various schemes approved by the Commission to ensure their proper implementation and timely completion.

(ii) The Commission's assistance for various schemes/items will be available on the approved sharing basis during the Sixth Plan Period. The University and/or the State Government will contribute its matching share for the schemes which have been approved on sharing basis and utilise the same alongwith the grants payable by the U.G.C. The Commission's assistance for schemes approved on sharing basis will be limited to its share of actual approved expenditure or the approved amount whichever is less. In such cases, where Commission's assistance is available on 100% basis, its liability will be limited to the amount approved or the actual expenditure incurred by the university on the concerned item, whichever is less.

(iii) The grants approved by the Commission alongwith the university's matching share if any, should be utilised for the purposes for which these are sanctioned and no portion of the grant be spent on meeting audit fee or any other administrative expenditure

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(iv) The amount paid during a year should be utilised as far as possible during the same financial year. Any amount left unspent at the end of a financial year would be refundable to the Commission.

(v) The approved grant will be released by the Commission in suitable instalments depending on the progress of the scheme. The University may send progress reports in the prescribed form (Appendix I) separately for each approved scheme/item while making proposal for release of next instalment of grant for that scheme/ item

(vi) After the approved scheme has been completed, the university may send all the required information and certificates including audited statement of accounts and the utilisation certificate from Statutory auditors of the university in the prescribed proforma as at Appendix-II.

(vii) If the university is unable to take up implementation of any scheme approved by the Commission within a year of its approval, including construction of a building, the approval given by the Commission shall be considered as having lapsed. The university will have to send fresh proposal, if necessary to the Commission for its consideration for revival of such scheme.

(viii) The assets acquired wholly or substantially by the university out of the grants whether on 100% or on sharing basis from the University Grants Commission shall not be disposed off, encumbered or utilised for purposes other than those for which the grant was approved without prior approval of the University Grants Commission. Such assets shall revert to the UGC if the grantee institution ceases to function at any time. The university, for this purpose, shall maintain a register

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of permanent and semi-permanent assets acquired wholly or partly with assistance from the Commission and give a certificate to this effect in the progress report.

B. Recurring

(i) The teaching and non-teaching posts approved by the Commission will have to be created on permanent basis and filled as per university rules. The Commission's assistance for approved posts will be available on 100% basis upto 31st March, 1985. The University thereafter will have to meet the expenditure on maintaining the posts as committed expenditure. The Commission's assistance for approved posts will be available only if the appointment to the post is made on permanent basis as per university rules in the prescribed scale of pay. If the appointment to the approved post is made on ad-hoc or temporary basis or by transfer/deputation the Commission will not pay any grant for the approved post. In case the university desires to appoint a superannuated person, to any of the posts approved by the UGC, prior concurrence of the Commission may be obtained.

(ii) The appointment of a person is to be made on the minimum of the prescribed scale for that post. In cases where the university proposes to give more than 5 increments to a selected person on the advice of the selection committee, it should obtain concurrence of the Commission. In case the Commission does not concur with the recommendation of the university no grant will be payable for meeting such additional expenditure.

(iii) In such cases where any person working in the university in the same department or in any other department is appointed to a new post approved by the

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UGC in the 6th Plan, i.e. a Reader as a Professor or a Lecturer as Reader, the university should take necessary steps to effectively fill the resultant vacancy within 6 months of the appointment.

(iv) The first instalment of grant will be released to the university on receipt of the following information which may be sent immediately after the person is appointed in the post :

(a) Name of the person appointed.
(b) Academic qualifications and experience.
(c) Post held by the incumbent prior to his appointment against the 6th plan post, and the name of the institution where he was working.
(d) Date of joining the new post.
(e) Details of monthly pay including allowances in the scale of pay offered.
(f) Amount payable upto the end of the Financial Year.
(g) Number of increments if any to be given.
(h) Has action been taken to fill the resultant vacancy, in case the person appointed belongs to the same university? If not, the reasons therefor.

(v) While sending the above information the university should certify that the appointment has been made in accordance with the procedure prescribed as per university rules.

(vi) The second and subsequent instalments will be released on receipt of statement of expenditure actually incurred up to the end of the previous financial year alongwith utilisation certificate from the Registrar

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Pending audit of accounts and the statement of estimated expenditure during the next financial year.

(C) Non-recurring items

(1) Books and additional journals

(i) Assistance from the Commission for books and additional journals will be available on 100% basis.

(ii) The grants approved by the Commission for books and additional journals should be utilised by the university on obtaining text books, reference books and for subscribing to additional journals needed by the university departments.

(iii) The grant approved for books and additional journals should not be utilised by the university for meeting expenditure on continuing the subscriptions to journals which were being subscribed by the university upto the end of V Plan. These journals would continue to be subscribed by the university from its own resources/maintenance grant.

(iv) Additional journals which are subscribed by the university out of the grant approved by the Commission during the Sixth Plan Period will continue to be subscribed after 31st March, 1985 and expenditure thereon from April 1, 1985 will be taken over by the university as committed expenditure. The university should ensure that the books obtained for the library are accessioned and catalogued as soon as these are procured within a maximum period of one month of their acquisition and made available for use.

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(v) An amount upto 10% of the grant approved by the Commission for books and additional journals could be utilised by the university for meeting expenditure on the appointment of temporary professional staff required for accession, processing and cataloging of the new books and for stacking purpose.

(2) Equipment

(i) Assistance from the Commission for equipment will be available on 100% basis.

(ii) The grant approved by the Commission for equipment should be utilised by the university for meeting the needs of the departments concerned unless otherwise specified. An amount upto two-third of the general allocation made for equipment may be utilised for meeting the teaching needs in the departments. The allocation for equipment should not normally be utilised for obtaining consumable articles like glass-ware or routine chemicals for laboratories. Purchase of highly sophisticated equipment may be made from funds, if any, specifically approved or sanctioned under research projects by the Commission.

(iii) The University should make every effort to put all the equipment available in the laboratories to effective use. A provision for maintenance of equipment and technician services if any needed should be made in the normal budget of the university.

(iv) A maximum of 5% of the general allocation made for equipment could be utilised by the university on each of the following items wherever necessary :

(a) Chemicals needed for advanced study and research

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(b) Providing storage facilities for the new equipment.

(c) Maintenance/repair/purchase of spares/service contracts and other maintenance needs for the new equipment in addition to the provision made in the university budget for maintenance of equipment.

(iv) An amount upto 20% of the allocation made for equipment could be utilised by the university for obtaining materials, components and other items required for fabrication and development of specific equipment in any of its department, for improving the standard of teaching with the help of workshop facilities available in the university/town. Details of such equipment indegenously fabricated or developed by the university should be specifically indicated in the progress reports.

(v) The Commission will have the right to transfer any equipment of the value of Rs. one lakh or more purchased by the university out of funds approved by the Commission to any other institution or university, if it feels that the same is not being utilised in the university. A list of such items of apparatus/equipment the cost of which exceeds Rs. one lakh may be sent to the Commission along with the progress report in the prescribed form.

3. Buildings

Terms and conditions for building projects approved by the Commission will be sent separately.

APPENDIX I

UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION

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Progress report for releasing 2nd and subsequent instalment of grants approved by the Commission for development during the Sixth Plan period to the universities.

1. Name of the University _____

2. Period to which the report relates. _____

3. Name of the approved Item. _____

4. No. and date of the UGC approval letter. _____

5. Total amount approved including University's share if any. _____

6. UGC share of approved amount _____

7. Total expenditure actually incurred so far including bills paid for work done or supplies received excluding the amount for which orders have been placed or commitments entered into _____

8. UGC share of expenditure _____

9. Amount received from the UGC. _____

10. Balance amount available with the university
(a) Total _____
(b) Out of UGC grant _____

11. Amount needed to meet expenditure likely to be incurred in the next six months. _____

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UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION

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APPENDIX-II

UTILISATION CERTIFICATE

It is certified that the total grant of Rs._____ including university's share, if any approved by the University Grants Commission for _____has been utilised by the university as per details given in the attached statement in accordance with the terms and conditions laid down by the University Grants Commission in its letter No._____dated_____and that all these terms and conditions have been fulfilled by the university and the grant has been utilised for the purpose for which it was approved.

The university has contributed its matching share of Rs._____ for completing the above project. (In case assistance from the Commission is available on sharing basis).

It is further certified that inventories of permanent or semi-permanent assets created/acquired wholly or mainly out of the grants given by the University Grants Commission as indicated above are being maintained in the prescribed form and are being kept up-to-date and these assets have not been disposed of, encumbered or utilised for any other purpose.

Signature_____
Auditor

Signature_____
Registrar

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NB : 1. The utilisation certificate should be accompanied by audited statement of accounts indicating expenditure on various items.

2. The asset certificate is to be given only for grants approved for books equipment, buildings and other non-recurring items.

12. Brief account of the steps taken by the University to implement the approved scheme and progress achieved so far. In case of a building project, the University should give brief discription of construction work so far accomplished on a separate sheet of paper along with a certificate that the construction of the building is being carried out in accordance with the plans & estimates accepted by the Commission duly signed by the Engineer/Architect and the Registrar.

13. It is certified that inventories of permanent or semi-permanent assets created/acquired wholly or mainly out of the grants given by the University Grants Commission are being maintained in the prescribed form and are being kept upto date.

14. It is further certified that amount of Rs._____ as indicated in Col. 7 has been spent for the purpose for which it was sanctioned and in accordance with the terms and conditions laid down in the Commission's letter No._____dated_____and that all the terms and conditions have been fulfilled.

If as a result of Check or Audit objection, some irregularity is noticed at a later stage, action will be taken by the university to refund/adjust or regulariese the objected amount.

Signature _____
Registrar

Annexure-IV

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the 61st meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Tuesday, the 6th April, 1982 at 9-15 A. M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Dr. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Shri G. S. Banerjee, Secretary, Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal
3. Dr. I. K. Chatterjee
4. Shri Subrata Chanda
5. Dr. Dr. H. Bhaumik, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College
6. Dr. G. C. Chatterjee, Principal, Malda College
7. Dr. S. N. Sen, Professor of Physics, N.B.U.
8. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
9. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
10. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
11. Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya
12. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj (University) College.

1. The Council approved the Programme of the 16th Convocation.

(Appendix I)

2. The records of Diplomas to be conferred at the Convocation were signed by the Chancellor when he came to the University after the meeting was over.

3. The Council approved the list of candidates admitted to the degree of Ph.D. in Arts and Science.

4. The Council approved the list of recipient of Medals.

(Appendix II)

5. The Council while approving the recommendation of the Committee decided that the First Vice-Chancellor's Medal be awarded to Shri Dilip Kumar Sarkar, a student of Political Science.

The Chancellor came at 9-30 A.M. and met the members of the Council.

As per programme the Convocation was held where the Chancellor presided.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

AGENDA PAPERS

FOR

the 62nd meeting of the NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Date: 16.4.1982
Time: 11-00 A.M.

Place: Conference Room
Administrative Building
Raja-Rammohunpur

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

N o t i c e

The 62nd meeting of the North Bengal University Council will be held on Friday, the 16th April, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur to consider the following agenda :

A G E N D A

1. To consider the minutes of the 60th meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 29.3.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-I)

2. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

   Decision:

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

   Decision:

4. To consider matters relating to the proposed Co-ordinated Research Programme on Eco-development in the hill areas of Darjeeling and Sikkim.

   (Annexure-II)

   Decision:

5. To consider the matter relating to the loan from Provident Fund Account requested by the Vice-Chancellor.

   Decision:

6. To consider matters relating to the temporary leave of absence of the Vice-Chancellor as approved by the Chancellor.

Decision:

7. To consider a letter No. 204 dated 17.3.82 received from the Principal, Darjeeling Govt. College regarding accommodation of Students in M.Sc class in Botany & Zoology.

Decision:

8. To consider re-constitution of the Committee of Under-graduate Studies in Botany and Zoology.

Decision:

9. To consider a letter received from Sri Nirendra Lal Dutta, Lecturer in Commerce, University B.T. & Evening College Cooch-Behar praying for permission to practice as an Advocate, in the District Courts of Cooch-Behar including Tax authorities.

Decision:

10. To consider a note from the Registrar in connection with the refund of permission fee and Registration Fees.

Decision:

11. To consider re-appointment of Prof. S. K. Chakraborty, Deptt. of Chemistry, North Bengal University.

Decision:

12. To reconstitute the Board of Research Studies in Botany.

Decision:

13. To consider the cases of undernoted employees for confirmation.

	Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1.	Dr. Malay Kanti Roy Lecturer in Chemistry, N.B.U.	1.4.81 (Forenoon)	1.4.82
2.	Dr. Praphulla Kr. Paria Micronalyst, Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.	9.4.81 (Forenoon)	9.4.82

Decision:

14. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the College Council (Raiganj College) held on 8.2.82.

Decision: (Annexure-III)

15. To consider the results of Typing test of Sri Ashok Roy and Sm. Chhaya Paul.

Decision:

16. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

REGISTRAR

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
The 8th April, 1982.

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University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Annexure-I

Minutes of the 60th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 29.3.82 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Prof. I. K. Chatterjee
3. Dr. S. N. Sen, Professor of Physics, N.B.U.
4. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
5. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
6. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
7. Dr. P.K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya

Shri S.M.Roy, Actg. Finance Officer, Dr. A.B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, Shri R.K.Ghosh, Deputy Registrar and Shri S. Majumdar, Deputy Controller of Examinations were requested to make themselves available during the meeting.

Shri P. K. Majumdar intimated inability to attend the meeting due to indisposition.

Shri A. Bhattacharjee intimated inability to attend the meeting due to pre-occupation.

Before commencement of any business the members observed two minutes' silence in memory of Acharyya J.B. Kripalani and Prof. Haripada Bharati who died on 19.3.82.

1. The minutes of the 59th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 6.3.82 were confirmed with the following amendments :

Item Misc. 3

(i) Add the following which was approved by the Council, being the para 1 of the recommendation of the Committee for promotion and recruitment, and was left out in advertently :

"The Committee was given to understand that the uniform promotion policy which was accepted to be formulated by the State Govt. has yet to be considered by the Advisory Committee of Vice-Chancellors. This may take time. In view of the fact that some other Universities have adopted promotion policies analogous to ours for their non-teaching staff and these are continuing to be implemented pending the finalisation of an uniform policy for all Universities, the Committee

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recommends that the promotion policy adopted by this University Council in its meeting held on 14.9.81 may be continued to be implemented until an uniform promotion policy for all Universities is adopted."

(ii) Item Suppl. 4 The Council noted that the dates mentioned in the item were wrong. The enhancement of the fellowship of Md. Ichhimuddin Sarkar, J.R.F. will be from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- from 25.10.81.

Matter arising out of confirmation of the minutes of the 59th meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 6.3.82.

(i) Item Suppl. 8 The Vice-Chancellor reported that the person who was offered the post of Principal of the University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar has, while accepting the offer, requested that he might be permitted to join during the first week of July 1982. The Council was of the opinion that extension of time may be allowed.

2. The minutes of the 58th meeting (Budget Meeting) of the North Bengal University Council held on 27.2.82 were confirmed.

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

A. Lecturer in Economics (Specialisation-International Trade)

The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Shri Pinaki Chakraborty as Lecturer in Economics in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

Shri Chakraborty will have to obtain a Doctor's Degree or give evidence of published work of equivalent high standard within 5 years of his appointment, failing which he will not be able to earn future increments until he fulfils these requirements.

B. Lecturer in Political Science (temporary, lien bound)

The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Dr. Manas Chandra Chakraborty as Lecturer in Political Science on a purely temporary basis in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

C. Lecturer in Nepali (temporary, lien bound)

The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Sm. Lakshi Devi Sundas as Lecturer in Nepali on a purely temporary basis in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus

usual allowances. Her initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

D. Lecturers in Law (Two posts)

The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint the following as Lecturers in Law in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus usual allowances:

(i) Shri Imtiaz Gulam Ahmed
(ii) Shri Sankar Bandopadhyaya

Their initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. They will be on probation for a period of one year.

Shri Ahmed and Shri Bandopadhyaya will have to obtain a Doctor's Degree or give evidence of published work of equivalent high standard within 5 years of their appointment, failing which they will not be able to earn future increments until they fulfil these requirements.

Appointment against Merit Promotion Scheme for University teachers as per Govt. Order No. 957(6)-Edn(U) dated 22.7.81.

(i) The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and the evaluation comments of referees decided to appoint Dr. T.K.Das Gupta, Lecturer in Chemistry as Reader in Chemistry.

(ii) The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and the evaluation comments of referees decided to appoint Dr. Ranjit Paul, Reader in Physics as Professor of Physics.

The above appointments would be subject to the conditions laid down in the relevant Govt. Orders.

The above resolutions were confirmed for immediate action.

4. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

A. The Council noted the recommendations of the Selection Committees for the posts of Controller of Examinations and Inspector of Colleges. The Council, in the light of the Govt. Order No. 171(6)-Edn(U) dated February 19, 1982 modifying qualifications prescribed for recruitment to the posts of Officers of the Universities of West Bengal, decided that the posts might be re-advertised immediately incorporating the provisions mentioned in the above Order. Those who had applied earlier will not be required to apply again.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

B. The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment to the posts of Sweepers and while approving the panel decided that the following be appointed as Sweepers :

(i) Sri Sitaram Balmiki son of Sri Malasi
(ii) Sri Papuram Balmiki
(iii) Sri Upen Mallick (physically handicapped)
(iv) Sri Gopal Bajpore

in the scale of pay of Rs. 300-525/- plus usual allowances. Their initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. They will be on probation for a period of one year.

C. The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Sri Mridul Kar as Plumber (Junior) in the scale of pay of Rs. 325-600/- plus usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

D. Junior Professional Assistant (Two posts)

The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee and while approving the panel decided to appoint the following as Junior Professional Assistants (in the library) in the scale of pay of Rs. 450-1000/- plus usual allowances :

(i) Sri Chandanlal De Khan
(ii) Sri Ranjit Kumar Mitra

Their initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. They will be on probation for a period of one year.

E. Compositor (Junior)

The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee and while approving the panel decided to appoint Sri Sabindra Nath Ghosh in the scale of pay of Rs. 400-900/- plus usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

F. Machineman (Junior)

The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee and while approving the panel decided to appoint Sri Radheshyam Chanda as Machineman (Junior) in the scale of pay of Rs. 400-900/- plus usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

G. Senior Proof Reader

The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee and while approving the panel decided to appoint Dr. Subrata Bagchi as Senior Prof Reader in the scale of pay of Rs. 500-1100/- plus usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

H. The Council approved the panel recommended by the Selection Committee for appointment to the posts of Skilled Helper (Junior) for making appointment, as and when needed, on contingent basis. Preference will be given to persons empanelled and belonging to SC/ST.

5. To approve the appointments to the posts of lecturers in St. Joseph's College.

The Council approved the qualifications of the following teachers appointed by the St. Joseph's College :

(i) Miss M. Rai, Lecturer in English
(ii) Miss M. Mukherjee, Lecturer in English
(iii) Fr. S.J. Rajanayagam S.J., Lecturer in Economics
(iv) Mr. D.K. Giri, Lecturer in Nepali.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

6. To nominate an educationist as member on the reconstituted Governing Body of P.D. Women's College, Jalpaiguri.

The Council nominated Sri Jiten Das, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri on the Governing Body of P.D. Women's College, Jalpaiguri.

7. To nominate an educationist as member on the Governing Body of Alipurduar College.

The Council nominated Sri Manojit Nag, Advocate, Alipurduar, on the Governing Body of Alipurduar College.

8. To nominate an educationist as member on the Governing Body of Kalimpong College.

The Council nominated Sri Ramasankar Prasad, Kalimpong, on the Governing Body of Kalimpong College.

9. To consider an application from Sri Asit Kumar Chakraborty, Jr. Research Fellow, Department of Mathematics, praying for granting of leave for six months without pay from 2nd March, 1982 in order to enable him to join in Dinhata College as a Lecturer in Mathematics.

The Council decided to sanction leave to Sri Asit Kumar Chakraborty for six months with effect from 2.3.82.

10. To consider an application from Sri Charu Chandra Deb, Sr. Research Fellow, Department of Chemistry, N.B.U. praying for granting of leav for five months without pay w.e.f. 5.3 82 in order to enable him to join in a permanent post as Lecturer in Karimpur Panna Devi College.

The Council decided to sanction leave to Sri Charu Chandra Deb for five months with effect from 5.3.82.

11. To consider a letter No. 221-Edn(CS) dated 20.2.82 from Dy. Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Education Department with regard to Government nominees on the Governing Bodies on non-Govt. non-Sponsored Colleges. 4C-43/78

Noted.

12. To consider a letter No. 232(6)-Edn(U) dated 3.3.82 from the Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal Education Department with regard to implementation of the Merit Promotion Scheme for University teachers.

The Council while noting the Govt. Order under reference felt that the restriction of allowing Merit Promotion once only during the service career of a teacher does not seem to be consistent with the spirit of Merit Promotion Scheme. The Council decided to refer the matter to the Govt. for reconsideration.

13. To consider a letter of resignation submitted by Shri Biswanath Jha, Jr. Research Fellow, Department of Physics, N.B.U. w.e.f. 6.3.82.

The Council decided to accept resignation submitted by Shri Biswanath Jha w.e.f. 6.3.82 subject to clearance of all dues.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

14. To consider a letter from Dr. Tapas Kumar Roy Choudhury, Superintendent, Ramkrishna Hall of Residence in connection with staying of the Secretary and the Vice-President of the Students' Union in the Hostel for discharging their duties.

The Council decided that the President/the Vice-President and the General Secretary of the Students' Association may be permitted to stay in the Students' Hostel till end of April 1982 or till the next election of the Students' Association is over, whichever is earlier.

In this connection the Council while approving the Office Order No. F 76/1015/VC-81 dated 24.12.81 of the Vice-Chancellor, who is the Rector of the N.B.U. Students' Association, suspending the provisos to Rule No. 8 of the Rules relating to the N.B.U. Students' Association, decided to extend the tenure of office of the Secretariat for a

further period of one month or till the next election of the Students' Association whichever is earlier.

The resolution was taken as confirmed.

15. To consider a letter No. C.4/VC/16/82 dated 5.3.82 received from the Secretary, Association of Universities in West Bengal requesting the University to remit its share of contribution of Rs. 1000/- for the year 1981-82 at the earliest opportunity.

The Council decided that a sum of Rs. 1000/- per year with effect from 1981-82 be paid to the Association of Universities in West Bengal as share of the North Bengal University's contribution.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

16. To consider a letter dated 27.2.82 received from the Secretary, North Bengal University Consumers' Co-operative Stores Ltd for allowing them to avail of the University vehicle for four days a month (preferably once a week) instead of twice in a month for the purpose of marketing from Siliguri.

The Council decided that additional trip by the University vehicle for the purpose of N.B.U. Consumers' Co-operative Stores Ltd might be allowed subject to availability of University vehicle. However, such availablity will not exceed more than four days a month.

17. To prescribe the qualifications for the post of Electrical Supervisor.

The Counoil decided to prescribe the following qualifications for the post of Electrical Supervisor :

Essential

(i) S.F. or equivalent

(ii) Supervisor's Competency certificate from State Licensing Board, Govt. of West Bengal for Parts I, II, III, IV, V, VI(A), VI(B), Part II (A), Part II (B) and XI with 8 years experience in installation and maintenance of Transformers, HT (II KV) and LT (440 V), Overhead and underground lines, House wiring, motor wiring including maintenance of Pump Sets and specialisation in estimates and bills, etc.

(iii) Age : Below 35 years subject to relaxation in exceptional cases.

Preference will be given to persons with L.E.E. or equivalent academic qualification with 3 years experience.

18. To consider a letter No. F.19-5/79(E-1) dated 3.3.82 received from the Dy. Secretary, U.G.C. on Development of Higher Education and Research in the Universities acceptance of the schemes during the 6th Plan Period.

The Council noted the communication from the University Grants Commission and decided to create the following posts :

4 Lecturers in Life Sciences
1 Lecturer in Law

It was further decided that the rest of the matters mentioned in the U.G.C. letter will be taken up at the next meeting.

—//Supplementary Agenda//—

1. To amend Ordinances relating to the conferment of Degrees, etc.

The Council decided to amend the Ordinances relating to the Convocation of the University and dirooted that the records of the Diplomas to be conferred at the Convocation will be placed before the Chancellor at the meeting of the Council to be held prior to the inauguration of the Convocation for affixing his signature.

2. To consider the proceedings of the meetings of the following Boards of Research Studies :

1. English	3. Chemistry	5. Economics
2. Bengali	4. Commerce	

The Council approved the proceedings of the meeting of the following Boards of Research Studies :

1. English	3. Chemistry	5. Economics
2. Bengali	4. Commerce	

(Appendix I)

3. To consider applications for Ph.D. Registration.

The Council permitted the following persons to apply for registering their names for the degree of Ph.D. at this University as per Ordinances :

(i) Sri Bedprakash Shyam Roy
(ii) Mrs. Prasanneswari Balagopal

The resolution was taken as confirmed.

4. To consider refund of permission Fee deposited by Shri B.B. Prodhan inadvertently.

The Council decided to refund the fee deposited by Shri B. B. Prodhan.

5. To nominate a member each from the Departments of Sociology & Social Anthropology and Philosophy on the Academic Committee.

The Council decided to nominate the following on the Academic Committee :

(i) Dr. B.Chaudhuri, Sociology & Social Anthropology
(ii) Smt. Manjulika Ghosh, Philosophy

6. To consider replies received from Teachers' Councils of Undergraduate Colleges regarding holding of Part I B.A./B.Sc/B.Com (old) Examination.

The Council considered the replies received from the Teachers' Councils of Undergraduate Colleges and decided that a special Supplementary Examination in B.A./B.Sc/B.Com (old) Part I might be held at a suitable date to be fixed latter for those candidates only who were enrolled for the examinations in 1981.

In this connection the Council further decided that such candidates will deposit their permission fees and examination fees at a time. It was, further directed that to expedite the matter the questions will be set by one Paper-Setter in each paper.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

7. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with the prayer for 4 advance increments received from Dr. Rabindra Nath Das, who was appointed as Development Officer.

The Council while reiterating its earlier decision regarding 4 advance increments and study abroad to Dr. R. Das decided that he should be intimated that in case he failed to join the post within a time to be fixed by the Vice-Chancellor the post be readvertised.

8. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with unauthorised absence of Sri Kharga Bahadur Khati, Guard, Watch & Ward Department, N.B.U. w.e.f. 19.11.78 to 25.2.82.

The Council could not accept the explanation submitted by Sri Kharga Bahadur Khati.

Misc. 1 The Council decided to extend the fellowship of Sri Rabindra Nath Datta, J.R.F., Department of Physics for a period of six months after the completion of 4 years tenure i.e. from 4.5.82.

Misc. 2 The Council noted that in the resolution regarding granting of study leave to Smt. Chhanda Chakraborty, a typographical error took place wherein the Rule quoted as Rule 15(b) should be read as Rule 15(6). In this connection the Council noted that Smt. Chakraborty will get full pay and allowances during the period of her study leave.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

Misc. 3 The Council decided to grant extraordinary leave without pay to Dr. K.K. Nandi, Lecturer in Mathematics, for 8 months from the date he will leave for availing the fellowship at Rome. The resolution was taken as confirmed.

Misc. 4 The Council decided that a team with the following should visit the newly established colleges at the end of the current academic session for reviewing the progress :

(a) Inspector of Colleges
(b) Dr. P.K. Gupta
(c) Shri Madhusudan Das

Misc. 5 The Council decided that the Principals of Colleges be requested to return the unused answer scripts supplied to them earlier immediately. The Council, further, decided that the answer scripts issued to them previously shall not be used during future examinations. It was also decided that if any candidate is found to use answer scripts issued earlier, his examination will be treated as cancelled.

Misc. 6 The Council noted the recommendations of the Committee who took typing test of Sri Parameswar Mallick and Sri Dhiresh Pal and decided that they shall appear in typing test again. They will be appointed after passing the typing test.

Misc. 7 A delegation of post-graduate students led by the General Secretary of the Students' Association represented before the Council about some of their problems and demands. The Council considered the points made by the Students representatives and decided as follows :

i) Provision of adequate supply of water, repair of electrical fittings for proper lighting and reparing the roads connecting Gate No. 3 and the Humanities building :

The Council requested the Vice-Chancellor to get the problems examined for necessary action by the Engineering Department.

ii) Provision for supply of Cheap Canteen Coupons of the value of Rs. 15/- in place of Rs. 10/- per month to each student :

Considering the rise in prices of food articles, tea, sugar, etc., the Council decided that post-graduate students may be given cheap canteen coupons of the value of Rs. 15/- per month on a trial basis from

1st April 1982 till 15th May 1982, the position to be reviewed thereafter as regards financial implications. The resolution was be taken as confirmed.

iii) Facility for borrowing four books on loan from the University Library :

The Council felt that extending the borrowing facility by allowing the post-graduate students to borrow four books instead of three as at present, would serve the genuine interest of students, and decided to recommend to the Library Sub-Committee that this proposal of the students may be favourably considered at its next meeting. The Council also decided to recommend that the facility of borrowing one additional books should be stopped if any student fails to return the books on due date of return. The facility should be stopped even if the student pays the fine for late return of books.

The resolution may be teken as confirmed.

iv) Starting Diploma Courses in Library Science and Business Management :

The Council noted that steps have been initiated for starting these courses and necessary approval was awaited from the State Govt. and the UGC respectively.

v) Starting a Coaching Centre for higher service competitive examination :

The Council decided that the scheme for starting Coaching Centre which is pending with the State Govt. should be taken up and pursued with the Govt. authorities for expeditious approval.

vi) Training courses for computer programming :

The Vice-Chancellor reported that training courses in computer programming had already been organised by the Research Service Centre for Research Scholars and teachers of the University and Colleges. The Research Service Committee is expected to organise a similar training programme for post-graduate students during the next summer vacation.

vii) Problem of accommodation in the post-graduate hostels :

The Council was informed that a meeting of the Hostel Superintendents and the representatives of the Students' Association and Teacher Advisors had been convened by the Inspector of Colleges where steps would be considered for providing accommodation for as many of the newly admitted students as possible.

viii) Problem of improving the public bus service connecting the University with Siliguri :

The Council noted that the Vice-Chancellor had already taken up the matter with the Minister-of-State, Department of Transport, Govt. of West Bengal, and on his reference the matter will be pursued with G.M., North Bengal State Transport Corporation.

ix) Publication of the results of post-graduate examination within three months and rationalising the system of examination :

The Council noted that steps have already been initiated for making administrative arrangements more systematic and publishing the results of post-graduate examinations within 90 to 100 days.

x) Free studentship to 30% of post-graduate students :

The Council noted that this will require closer examination before consideration of the proposal in view of the financial effects not only in respect of the University, but also the University Colleges. Any step in this connection would also have to be disoussed at the Advisory Committee of Vice-Chancellors for the sake of uniformity in the State aided Universities in West Bengal.

xi) Starting M.A. course in Islamic History :

The Council decided that the proposal may be examined by the Committee of Post-Graduate Studies in History and the Academic Committee. The matter will also have to be referred to the University Grants Commission for necessary approval and sanction of teaching staff.

xii) Providing additional facilities for disabled students :

The Council decided that the nature of assistance required by the disabled students may be examined on the basis of the nature of disability in the respective cases.

xiii) The problem arising out of delay in the stipends for SC/ST Students :

The Council noted that the stipends of SC/ST students are received generally in instalments and sometimes there is delay in the release of amounts by the Govt. Under such circumstances the students concerned are always given advance of necessary amount subject to adjustment later on after the release of their stipends.

Misc. 8 The Council approved the proceedings of the meeting of the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee held on 25.3.82 with the following observations :-

i) Item 1 In the matter of withdrawal of internal assessment system for Special Honours candidates the Council decided that it should be referred to the Academic Committee.

ii) Item 2 and 4 The Council directed that the matter should be further considered by the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee.

iii) Item 7 The Council considered the recommendation and decided that if a candidate secures pass marks in the elective subjects but secures 1 mark less than 30% in the aggregate of Honours papers in the University Examinations in B.A./B.Sc/B.Com (new course) Part I, he may be awarded 1 mark in the aggregate of Honours papers (theoretical/practical).

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Misc. 9 The Council approved the proceedings of the meeting of the Examination Advisory Committee for Engineering Examination held on 26.3.82 with the following observations :-

i) Item 2 The date of examination shall be fixed by the Deputy Controller of Examinations.

ii) Item 3 In this connection the Council decided that the appeals made by 4 students of the Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College be referred to the Committee of Undergraduate Studies in Engineering & Technology.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

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Appendix-I

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in English held on 27.3.82.

Members present:

1. Prof. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor
2. Dr. S.P.Sengupta, Deptt. of English, N.B.U.

The Board approved the panels of examiners for adjudicating the theses entitled "Transcendental and Democratic Trends in Whitman's Poetry" submitted by Sri G.S.Banerjee.

REGISTRAR.

VICE-CHANCELLOR.

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Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Commerce held on 27.3.82.

Members present:

1. Prof. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor
2. Prof. K.P.Dev, Deptt. of Commerce, N.B.U.
3. Sri J.N.Chakraborty, Head of the Deptt. of Commerce, N.B.U.
4. Dr. Ashim Chowdhury, Deptt. of Economics, N.B.U.

The Board approved the panels of examiners for adjudicating the theses entitled "A Study of Problems and Prospects of Retail Trade of Consumer Goods in Siliguri, District Darjeeling, North Bengal: 1977-1980" submitted by Sri Sankar Chakraborty.

REGISTRAR VICE-CHANCELLOR

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Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Economics held on 27.3.82.

Members present:

1. Prof. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor
2. Prof. M.Dasgupta, Deptt. of Economics, N.B.U.
3. Dr. P.C.Sarkar, Head of the Deptt. of Economics
4. Dr. Ashim Chowdhury, Reader, Deptt. of Economics

The Board approved the panels of examiners for adjudicating the theses entitled "ECONOMIC PROBLEMS OF TRIPURA WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO ITS TRIBAL POPULATION SINCE 1947" submitted by Sri Gopal Chandra Haldar.

REGISTRAR

Sd/-
VICE-CHANCELLOR

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Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Chemistry held on 27.3.82.

Members present:

1. Prof. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor
2. Prof. A.K.Ghosh, Head of the Deptt. of Chemistry
3. Prof. S.K.Chakraborty, Deptt. of Chemistry
4. Sri B.K.Das, Reader, Deptt. of Chemistry

The Board approved the panels of examiners for adjudicating the theses submitted by the persons mentioned below:

1. Mrinal Kanti Roy - "Studies on some organophosphorus compounds: Spectral properties, Biological activities and hydrolytic properties".

2. Prabir Roy - "Synthesis, Insecticidal activity, Toxicity, Anticholinesterase activity and other Biological properties of some Saligenin cyclic Phosphorus compounds."

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Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Bengali held on 27.3.82.

Members present:

1. Prof. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor
2. Dr. S.C.Lahiri, Head of the Deptt.of Bengali
3. Dr. Pulin Das, Reader in Bengali, N.B.U.

The Board approved the panels of examiners for adjudicating the theses entitled " কামরূপী উপভাষা অন্তর্ভুমিত অঞ্চলের লোক সাহিত্য ও লোক সংস্কৃতির বিশ্লেষনমুলক সমীক্ষা" submitted by Sri Ramendra Nath Adhikari.

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Sd/-
VICE-CHANCELLOR

Appendix - II

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Proceedings of the meeting of the U.G. Examination Advisory Committee held in the Office of the Controller of Examinations on 25.3.82 at 1 p.m.

Members present :

1. Shri P.K.Majumder, Siliguri College.

2. Principal P.K.Gupta, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya

3. Dr.A.B.Majumder, Inspector of Colleges.

Shri B.K.Bajpaie, Registrar attended the meeting as a special invitee.

Item No.1 : To consider matters relating to internal assessment marks in Bengali (Honours) and Elective Bengali.

Decision : Internal assessment marks in Bengali (Honours) and Elective Bengali to be revised as per decision of the Academic Committee. In this connection the members recommended that internal assessment marks of Special Honours candidates would be based on one internal test. In view of the fact that the Special Honours candidates are to join in the 2nd year Honours Class of Part I on their successful completion of 2 year Pass Examination, the Committee recommended withdrawal of internal assessment for the Part I Special Honours candidates under the new course from 82.

Item No.2 : To consider representations received from the students of 3 Colleges at Jalpaiguri for shifting of date of commencement of B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Part II (New 3 Year Honours) Examination, 1982.

Decision : The members present recommended to refer the matter to the N.B.U.Council for a decision.

Item No.3 : To consider the petition of one unsuccessful candidate of B.Sc.Part I(New 3 Year Honours) Examination, 1981 praying for permission to appear as a Pass course candidate in 1982.

Decision : The Committee recommended to allow her to appear in the Pass course as a very special case. With regard to internal assessment marks in Honours subject the Committee recommended necessary conversion for computation to pass course at the time of carrying over in 1982.

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Item No.4 : To consider representation of few candidates to defer the B.Com.Part II (Old) Examination,1982.

Decision : The Committee regretted deferment of the Examination.

Item No.5 : To consider the letter of Dr.M.Dasgupta, Officer-in-Charge, A.B.N.Seal College,Cooch Behar forwarding resolution of the Teachers' Council to extend back paper benefit under New course.

Decision : The members noted that decision in this regard was taken earlier and duly communicated to the Colleges. The members recommended that there should be no deviation from earlier decision.

Item No.6 : To consider the cases of the candidates of Preliminary Law Examination,1981 (July '81) who are short of Pass in the aggregate by one mark only.

Decision : The members recommended award of one mark to the candidates to make up the deficiency.

Item No.7 : To consider the cases of the candidates who having appeared at the Part I (New 3 Year Honours) Examination in 1981 failed to secure 30% marks in Honours subject by one mark only.

Decision /mark : The Committee noted that in cases where a candidate fails by one/in various examinations are allowed to get the benefit of one mark to enable them to pass the examination. In case of the candidates who appeared in Part I (New Honours Course) and secured one mark short of 30%, which might enable him to join the 3rd Year Class for his obtaining 35% marks in the aggregate or enable him to opt for Pass degree, the Committee recommended that in all such cases the benefit of one mark be extended as a special case.

There being no other item the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Annexure - II

MEMBER
PLANNING COMMISSION
JOJANA BHAVAN
NEW DELHI-110001

D.O.No.M(S)-PC/82-2174 March 22, 1982

Dear Colleague,

I am most grateful to you for the very valuable contribution you made at the meeting held on March 20, 1982 to finalise the format of the coordinated action research projects in the Himalayan, Western Ghats and Ganges regions. I wish to reiterate once again the following sentiments expressed by Shri S.B.Chavan, Planning Minister and Deputy Chairman, Planning Commission, in the inaugural address he had prepared for our meeting:

> "If these three action research projects strike roots during this Plan period, we can consider expanding such programmes during the VII Plan period. This will mark the beginning of a new movement in our country where learning by doing becomes an instrument of bringing institutions of higher learning and the community at large together in a shared endeavour to conserve and enrich our basic environmental assets."

I would like to summarise briefly some of the points which require immediate attention and action, so that all the three projects get fully operational during 1982-83.

(1) Preparation by each University of an integrated research and educational plan in the area of eco-development:

Each University will prepare a total plan indicating all the research and educational programmes under way in the different faculties and colleges of the university in studies relating to the conservation and enrichment of basic life support systems. In this paper details of the various projects funded by different agencies will be given. The additional funds that will become available through the planning Commission would be utilised to fill major gaps in on-going work, to maximise the impact of various studies and to promote student involvement. Thus the additional amount will serve as a supplement to other projects and should be used in such a way that it can generate a multiplier and catalytic effect. This integrated paper may kindly be sent to the Planning Commission by May 1, 1982.

(2) Intra-University Coordinating Committee:
Each University will establish a suitable coordinating mechanism under the chairmanship of the Vice-Chancellor with representatives from all the participating faculties and student groups interested in ecology. This Coordinating Committee would meet periodically and ensure the success of the totality of the eco-development programmes of the University. The University level coordinating

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committee may include representatives of Central and State Government organisations such as ICAR, ICMR, CSIR, etc. and State Council of Science and Technology as well as non-governmental organisations which may be working in the field of eco-development in the geographic region covered by the University.

(3) Linkages between University and State Government: Lingages between the University eco-development group and appropriate agencies of the State Government should be established with particular reference to -

(a) informing the University about the development projects being undertaken in the region;

(b) inter-action with credit institutions and participation in the preparation of the District Credit Plan;

(c) interaction with the State Council for science and Technology and the District Rural Development Agency;

(d) public policy issues involved such as the calculation of teacher work load; and

(e) housing and other facilities for staff and students who will be working in remote areas, etc.

The Planning Commission will extend its assistance in ensuring a close tie-up between Universities and State Governments.

(4) Student involvement: Student involvement in the University eco-development programmes in exceedingly important, since our country is predominantly a land of the youth and the future is in their hands. The nature of involvement could be in the following lines:

(a) Integration of eco-development courses in the curriculum;

(b) Assignment of research projects;

(c) Participation in field projects; and

(d) Organisation of Eco-development Camps.

Participation in field projects should be optional and to start with only those sections of the student community who are deeply involved in ecological issues may be encouraged and assisted in extending their work. Gradually more and more students could be involved depending upon the interest generated. Academic credit and recognition should be given to field work.

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(5) Software development for environmental education: Universities should prepare radio and T.V. programmes and audiovisual aids for the purpose of generating an awareness of environmental problems. The Department of Environment of the Government of India will also extend support to such programmes as well as to the organisation of Eco-development Camps by N.S.S. and N.C.C.

(6) Organisation of clusters for integrated regional work:

The following functional clusters will be organised for the purpose of co-operative action:

(i) Himalayan Project:

(a) North-Eastern Region - Coordinator: Vice-Chancellor, North-Eastern Hill University.

(b) Eastern Himalayas - Coordinator: Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University.

(c) Central Himalayas - Coordinator: Vice-Chancellor, Pant Nagar University.

(d) Western Himalayas - Coordinator: Vice-Chancellor, Kashmir University.

(ii) Ganga Project:

(a) Gangotri to Narora - Coordinator: Vice-Chancellor, Roorkee University.

(b) Narora to Ballia - Coordinator: Vice-Chancellor, Kanpur University.

(c) Ballia to Sagar Island - Coordinator: Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University.

(iii) Western Ghats Project:

(a) Bombay-Mangalore - Coordinator: Vice-Chancellor, Poona University.

(b) Mangalore to the end of the Ghats in Kerala - Coordinator: Vice-Chancellor, Calicut University.

(7) Inter-University Coordination Cell: This will be established at a suitable University and will be headed by a Project Coordinator. One of the important tasks of the project Coordinator will be the compilation of annual reports and the upkeep of research project files. A computerised data collection system will be

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developed and a newslatter will be issued periodically. The Coordinator will organise an annual workshop.

(8) Apex level policy guidance committee: This will be constituted by the Planning Commission with the Vice-Chancellors of the concerned Universities and representatives of various Central and State Government agencies.

(9) Funding: Funds for this project will be provided by the Planning Commission from the amount set apart for coordinated action research projects in hill areas. The funds will be routed through the State Government or the North-Eastern Council as may be appropriate. Each University will be provided with a block allocation and the detailed project proposal of the University should indicate the manner in which the funds will be utilised. Each University will have the primary responsibility for developing the priorities and articulating the precise programmes in the context of a total eco-development frame work. Release of funds will be made after the integrated project proposal is received and examined. The likely availability of funds to each of the Universities participating in the Coordinated Action Research Projects during the remaining part of the Sixth Plan may be of the following order:

1982-83	: Rs.	9 lakhs
1983-84	: Rs.	10 lakhs
1984-85	: Rs.	12 lakhs

25% of these funds should be earmarked for field action projects involving students.

I enclose another copy of the paper on "University and Eco-Development" for your use.

It is our hope that these projects will become catalysts of co-operative activity among Universities in an area of supreme national relevance. I thank you once again for your enthusiastic response and participation. Please share the contents of this letter with the members of the University level co-ordinating Committee and others concerned.

With my best regards,

Yours sincerely,

Sd/-
(M.S.Swaminathan)

Encl: As stated.

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Annexure- III

MINUTES OF THE NINETYSECOND MEETING OF THE COLLEGE COUNCIL.

The ninetysecond meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College (University College), was held on 8th February,1982 at 2.30 P.M. at the Guest House of the University of North Bengal.

PRESENT :

Prof.P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U.

Prof.A.K.Ghosh, Head of the Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.

Shri S.M.Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.

Dr.B.C.Bagchi, Raiganj.

Shri S.K.Sarkar, Teachers' Representative on the College Council.

Shri B.Choudhury, Teachers' Representative on the College Council.

Shri S.N.Roy, Principal & Secretary.

Dr.A.B.Majumder, Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U., was present by special invitation.

ABSENT :

The District Magistrate, West Dinajpur.

The Sub-Divisional Officer, Raiganj.

Shri K.C.Mitra, Advocate, Raiganj.

Shri K.N.Singha, M.L.A., Raiganj.

Shri Dipak Chatterjee, Raiganj Coronation School.

Shri H.K.Sarkar, Kaliyaganj College.

1. Minutes :-

Minutes of the last meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College (University College), held on 17th November,1981 were read and confirmed.

2. Business Arising :-

a) Selection of N.S.S. Programme Officer :-

Decided that the Committee constituted for this purpose earlier may select the candidate and appointment may be offered to the selected candidate in anticipation of approval by the College Council.

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3. Monthly Estimates for January,1982 :-

Monthly Estimates for the month of January,1982 were placed before the meeting.

Decision : Decided to approve of the monthly estimates for January,1982 subject to Finance Officer's scrutiny.

4. Annual Accounts for 1980-81 :-

Annual Accounts for 1980-81 were placed before the meeting.

Decision : Decided to approve of the Annual Accounts for 1980-81 subject to scrutiny by the Finance Officer.

5. Budget Estimates for 1982-83 and Revised Estimates for 1981-82:-

Budget Estimates for 1982-83 and Revised Estimates for 1981-82 were placed before the meeting.

Decision : Decided to approve of the Budget Estimates for 1982-83 and Revised Estimates for 1981-82 subject to Finance Officer's scrutiny.

It was noted that the amount of gratuity payable to Shri G.C. Majumder and Shri J.N.Majumder is to be included in the Budget Estimates. The Principal is requested to send their Service Books to the Finance Officer for necessary action.

6. Extension of services of Dr.M.K.Mukherjee, M.A., D.Phil.,Head of the Deptt. of Philosophy, Raiganj College (University College) :-

It was noted that on the recommendation of the Principal the President granted provisional extension of service to Dr.M.K. Mukherjee, Head of the Deptt. of Philosophy, pending approval by the College Council.

Decision : Decided to grant Dr.M.K.Mukherjee extension of service for one year with effect from 24.12.81. The case be forwarded to the N.B.U. Council for approval.

7. Applications of Shri Dilip De Sarkar, Shri Upendra Nath Das and Shri Tapan Kumar Majumder -- all lecturers in Botany -- praying for extension of benefit of H.R.A. and Medical Allowance as per para 5 of the G.O.1664-Edn(U),dated 8.11.80 :-

The Principal placed before the meeting applications of

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Shri Dilip De Sarkar, Shri Upendra Nath Das and Shri Tapan Kumar Majumder, Lecturers in Botany, praying for extension of benefit of H.R.A. and Medical Allowance as per para 5 of the G.O.No. 1664-Edn(U) dated 8.11.80.

Decision : Decided that the G.O. under reference and the previous G.O. whereby pay and allowance of the existing staff were brought ~~in~~ at par with those of the University may be examined by the Finance Officer and recommendation submitted to the next meeting of the College Council.

The item is confirmed for immediate action.

8. Application of Shri Gurupada Choudhury, M.Sc., Substitute Lecturer in Physics, praying for pay protection i.e. fixation of his pay as per salary last drawn by him at Siliguri College :-

Application of Shri Gurupada Choudhury was placed before the meeting. It was noted that Shri Gurupada choudhury, substitute Lecturer in Physics, served for two years in a Leave Vacancy at Siliguri College and that he was granted by that College usual increments in the salary scale of Rs.700 - 1600/-.Shri Choudhury's last pay at Siliguri College was Rs.780/- basic plus D.A. of Rs.464/-. Shri Choudhury now prays for protection of his last pay and requests for usual increments.

Decision : The Principal is requested to submit a report in the next meeting as to whether any other lecturer holding substantive post in the College will be drawing a basic pay less than that of Shri Choudhury if Shri Choudhury is granted pay protection as prayed for by him.

9. Part-time allowance of Shri H.D.Ghosh, M.Sc., M.Phil., Head of the Deptt. of Mathematics, since Sept.,1981 -- Amendment of item No.6 of the College Council meeting of 26.8.81 :-

The Principal reported that through oversight the minutes under item 6 of the meeting of 26th August, 1981 were not fully written. The minutes under item No.6 are amended as follows :-

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"In this connexion the Principal reported that teaching of Mathematics and Statistics of Economics and Commerce Honours would badly suffer till the substantive lecturer in Economics was available. He suggested that Shri H.D. Ghosh, Head of the Deptt. of Mathematics, be offered temporary part-time appointment in the Evening Section to teach this portion of Economics and Commerce Honours with effect from 1st September,1981 on usual remuneration pending appointment of a full-time lecturer in Economics.

Decided that Shri H.D.Ghosh, M.Sc., M.Phil., be appointed part-time lecturer in the Evening Section to teach Statistics in Economics Honours and Commerce Honours with effect from 1st September,1981 on usual part-time remuneration till the appointment of a full-time lecturer in Economics with Statistics."

10. Extension of service of Shri Nikhil Chakraborty, M.A., Part-time teacher of Philosophy & Logic for Plus 2 Course :-

As per appointment letter of the Principal, the part-time service of Shri Nikhil Chakraborty as a teacher of Philosophy & Logic on purely temporary basis for Plus 2 Course was up to 30th November,1981. Pending approval of the College Council, his service was extended until further notice in view of the fact that the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Mamata Banerjee was not yet then filled up.

Decision : Resolved to extend the service of Shri Nikhil Chakraborty up to 30th April,1982.

11. Extension of date of joining of Shri Ranjit Kumar Choudhury,M.Sc., who has been offered appointment as a Lecturer in Botany :-

An application of Shri Ranjit Kumar Choudhury, M.Sc., seeking extension of time up to 15th March,1982 for joining the Deptt. of Botany as a Lecturer was placed before the meeting.His name was recommended by the W.B.College Service Commission.

Decision : The Council decided to permit him to jointhe post by 15th March,1982 as prayed for.

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12. Appointment to teaching posts :-

a) Two part-time teachers of Bengali for Plus 2 Course on a purely temporary basis :-

The Principal reported that as kindly approved by the Vice-Chancellor he advertised the posts of two part-time teachers of Bengali for Plus 2 Course. The Selection Committee duly constituted by the Vice-Chancellor, held interview and recommended the names of Shri Biplab Kumar Tarafder and Shri Ramen Ghosh for the posts. On the basis of recommendation, the Principal offered appointment to Shri Biplab Kumar Tarafder and Shri Ramen Ghosh, subject to the approval by the College Council, with effect from 3rd February, 1982.

Decision : Decided to approve of the action of the Principal in appointing Shri Biplab Kumar Tarafder and Shri Ramen Ghosh part-time teachers of Bengali for Plus 2 Course on a purely temporary basis on usual monthly part-time allowance of Rs.125/- fixed each with effect from 3rd February, 1982. Decided further that the period of appointment in each case would be up to 30th April,1982.

b) One part-time teacher of Chemistry for Plus 2 Course on a purely temporary basis :-

The Principal reported that as kindly approved by the Vice-Chancellor he advertised the post of a part-time teacher of Chemistry for Plus 2 Course. The Selection Committee duly constituted by the Vice-Chancellor held interview and recommended the name of Shri Goutam Kumar Mitra, the only applicant, for appointment to the post. The Principal on the recommendation of the Selection Committee offered appointment to Shri Goutam Kumar Mitra as a part-time teacher of Chemistry on a purely temporary basis for Plus 2 Course, subject to the approval of the College Council, with effect from 3rd February,1982, on a fixed monthly remuneration of Rs.125/-.

Decision : Decided to approve of the action of the Principal in offering appointment to Shri Goutam Kumar Mitra as a part-time

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teacher of Chemistry for Plus 2 Course on a purely temporary basis on usual fixed monthly remuneration of Rs.125/- with effect from 3rd February,1982. Decided further that the period of appointment would be up to 30th April,1982.

c) Appointment of Shri Prabhat Kumar Bhattacharya, M.A. as a part-time teacher of Philosophy & Logic for Plus 2 Course on a purely temporary basis from 25th Nov.,1981 :-

The Principal reported that on the recommendation of the Selection Committee he offered appointment to Shri Prabhat Kumar Bhattacharya, M.A., as a part-time teacher of Philosophy & Logic on a purely temporary basis, for Plus 2 Course, subject to the approval of the College Council, on a fixed monthly remuneration of Rs.125/-, with effect from 25th November,1981.

Decided to approve of the action of the Principal in offering appointment to Shri Prabhat Kumar Bhattacharya, M.A., as a part-time teacher of Philosophy & Logic on a purely temporary basis for Plus 2 Course on a fixed monthly remuneration of Rs.125/- with effect from 25th November,1981. Decided further that the period of appointment would be up to 30th April,1982.

d) Appointment of Shri Sidhi Charan Sarkar, M.Com.,as a part-time teacher of Commerce for Plus 2 Course on a purely temporary basis from 23rd November,1981 :-

The Principal reported that on the recommendation of the Selection Committee he offered appointment to Shri Sidhi Charan Sarkar, M.Com., as a part-time teacher of Commerce on a purely temporary basis for Plus 2 Course, subject to the approval of the College Council, on a fixed monthly remuneration of Rs.125/- with effect from 23rd November,1981.

Decided to approve of the action of the Principal in appointing Shri Sidhi Charan Sarkar, M.Com., as a part-time teacher of Commerce on a purely temporary basis for Plus 2 Course, on a fixed monthly remuneration of Rs.125/- with effect from 23rd November,1981. Decided further that the period of appointment would be up to 30th April,1982.

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e) Appointment of Shri Ashis Kumar Basu, M.Com., as a part-time teacher of Commerce for Plus 2 Course on a purely temporary basis from 23rd November,1981 :-

The Principal reported that on the recommendation of the Selection Committee he offered appointment to Shri Ashis Kumar Basu, M.Com., as a part-time teacher of Commerce on a purely temporary basis for Plus 2 Course, subject to the approval of the College Council, on a fixed monthly remuneration of Rs.125/- with effect from 23rd November,1981.

Decided to approve of the action of the principal in appointing Shri Ashis Kumar Basu, M.Com., as a part-time teacher of Commerce on a purely temporary basis for Plus 2 Course, on a fixed monthly remuneration of Rs.125/- with effect from 23rd November,1981. Decided further that the period of appointment would be up to 30th April,1982.

f) Provisional appointment as a Lecturer in Commerce offered to Shri Amlan Majumder, M.Com., w.e.f. 15th February,1982 on the basis of the West Bengal College Service Commission letter of recommendation No.3161/Apptt/82, dt.1.2.1982 :-

The Principal reported that the College Service Commission recommended the name of Shri Amlan Majumder for appointment as a Lecturer in Commerce in the substantive vacancy caused by the retirement of Shri G.C.Majumder. In order to facilitate early joining of the selected candidate the Principal offered a provisional appointment to Shri Amlan Majumder, subject to the approval of the College Council, and Shri Amlan Majumder was called upon to join by 15th February,1982.

Resolved to approve of the action taken by the Principal. Resolved further that Shri Amlan Majumder be appointed a Lecturer in Commerce in the substantive post with effect from 15th February, 1982 at the initial pay of Rs.700/- in the usual pay scale of Rs.700 - 1600/- plus allowance as prescribed by the Govt. of West Bengal from time to time for Sponsored Colleges of West Bengal, and that a formal letter of appointment be issued to him in conformity with the proforma attached to the

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West Bengal College Service Commission letter of recommendation No.3161/Apptt/82, dated 1.2.1982.

13. Appointment to Non-teaching posts -- Selection Committee Report re : appointment of Store-Keeper for the Deptt. of Botany, Store-Keeper cum Laboratory Assistant for the Deptt. of Zoology, One Laboratory Attendant for the Deptt. of Zoology, and Two Laboratory Attendants for the Deptt. of Botany :-

As sanctioned under G.O.No.1664-Edn(U) dated 8.11.80, appointment to a few non-teaching posts in the departments of Botany and Zoology was necessary. The posts were duly advertised in the Amrita Bazar Patrika and Uttar Banga Sambad. The Selection Committee, constituted in this behalf by the College Council, held written and iral tests. Recommendations of the Selection Committee were as follows :-

a) Store-Keeper for the Deptt. of Botany :-

The Committee recommended the name of Shri Ratan Kumar Pal for the post.

Resolved to accept the recommendation of the Selection Committee and that appointment be offered to Shri Ratan Kumar Pal as the Store-Keeper of the Deptt. of Botany of the College with effect from 22nd February,1982 on an initial basic pay of Rs.230/- in the scale of pay of Rs.230-5-275-7½-365-10-425/- plus allowances as prescribed by the Govt.of West Bengal for Sponsored Colleges of West Bengal for such posts. He would be on probation for one year with effect from the date of joining.

b) Store-Keeper cum Laboratory Assistant for the Deptt. of Zoology :-

The Selection Committee recommended the following names in order of preference for appointment to the post of Store-Keeper cum Laboratory Assistant for the Deptt. of Zoology of the College :-

a) Shri Subrata Chakraborty.

b) Shri Anjan Roy.

Decision : Resolved to accept the recommendation of the Selection Committee and offer appointment to Shri Subrata Chakraborty, the candidate recommended first in order of preference, as the Store-Keeper cum Laboratory Assistant in the Deptt. of Zoology of the College with effect from 22nd February, 1982 on an initial basic pay of Rs.230/- in the pay scale of Rs.230-5-275-7½-365-10-425/- plus allowances as prescribed by the Govt. of West Bengal for the Sponsored Colleges of the State for such post.

(c) <u>One Laboratory Attendant for the Deptt. of Zoology and Two Laboratory Attendants for the Deptt. of Botany</u> :-

The recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of Laboratory Attendants — one for the Deptt. of Zoology and two for the department of Botany — was placed before the meeting. The Selection Committee recommended a panel of six names in order of preference. It was noted that there were only three vacancies. Decided to accept the recommendation of the Selection Committee and offer appointment to first three candidates as recommended by the Selection Committee.

i) Resolved to offer appointment to Shri Taranimohon Biswas as Laboratory Attendant in the Deptt. of Zoology with effect from 22nd February,1982 on an initial basic pay of Rs.135/- in the pay scale of Rs.135-1-137-2-177-3-180/- plus allowances as prescribed by the Govt.of West Bengal for the Sponsored Colleges of the State for such post. Resolved further that he would be on probation for one year with effect from the date of joining.

ii) Resolved to offer appointment to Shri Tarun Kumar Mukherjee as Laboratory Attendant in the Deptt. of Botany of the College with effect from 22nd February,1982 on an initial basic pay of Rs.135/- in the scale of Rs.135-1-137-2-177-3-180/- plus allowances as prescribed by the Govt. of West Bengal for the Sponsored Colleges of the State for such post. Resolved further that he would be on probation for one year with effect from the date of joining.

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(iii) Resolved to offer appointment to Shri Jyotirmoy Bhatta-Charya as Laboratory Attendant in the Deptt. of Botany of the College with effect from 22nd February,1982 on an initial basic pay of Rs.135/- in the pay scale of Rs.135-1-137-2-177-3-180/- plus allowances as prescribed by the Govt. of West Bengal for the Sponsored Colleges of the State for such post. Resolved further that he would be on probation for one year with effect from the date of joining.

(iv) In this connexion as recommended by the Selection Committee it was decided that Shri Kalidas Biswas, a disabled candidate, be appointed on contingent daily wage basis in the office in view of the fact that Shri Tarunimohon Biswas was appointed in the substantive post in the Department of Botany. It was noted further that the appointment of Shri Ratan Kumar Pal as the Store-Keeper in the Deptt. of Botany will cause vacancy of an Attendant in the Deptt. of Botany. In this connexion the Principal reported that Dr.G.C.Sarkar, Acting Head of the Deptt. of Botany, requested for the appointment of a Gardener in lieu of an Attendant. Dr.Sarkar pointed out that the post of a Gardener was essential for thd Department. It was decided that the matter be referred to Dr.P.K. Basu of Life Science Deptt. of the University and Dr.A.K.Ghosh, Head of the Deptt. of Chemistry of the University for necessary xxxxxxx opinion.

All the above items are confirmed for necessary action.

14. Application of Shri C.R.Acharya, Head of the Deptt. of Physics, re : appointment of a Store-Keeper for the Deptt. of Physics :-

Decision : Decided to recommend the post to be created by the North Bengal University Council with appropriate designation and the appropriate designation may be decided by the Principal in consultation with the Inspector of Colleges.

15. Application of Shri Latif Rahaman, Day-wage Cycle Guard for the Night Section praying for enhancement of his wage from Rs.6.62 to Rs.7.34 per day :-

The application was placed before the meeting. It was noted

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that similar cases were being considered by the University. Decided that the item would be considered only after necessary decision was taken by the University in similar cases.

16. Application of Shri Subhda Dom, Day-wage Sweeper, praying for his absorption in the substantive post :-

It was reported that Shri Subhda Dom has been in the muster roll of the College on day-wage basis for a fairly long time. It was decided that the matter would be considered in the light of the West Bengal Govt. Labour Department Memo in this behalf. The Principal may submit his recommendation to the President, College Council, for his kind consideration.

17. Application of Shri Chinmoy Basu, M.Sc., Lecturer in Physics, seeking permission to apply for the post of a Lecturer in Physics at Jadavpur University :-

The application of Shri Chinmoy Basu was placed before the meeting. It was noted that he was granted leave under F.I.P. Scheme on the undertaking of his serving the College for five years. In view of this and rules of the UGC the College Council regrets that his application cannot be forwarded unless he refunds the entire amount of salaries and allowances paid to him during the period of his leave.

18. Protection of Physics Laboratory with Grille-cum-Collapsible Gate with an estimated cost of Rs.1140/- -- A quotation from Modern Grille Works :-

Deferred.

19. Principal's observation on the charter of demands placed by the Employees' Association of the College :-

a) Promotion of the Head Clerk :-

Principal's comment in this behalf was noted. The Principal reported further that he was pursuing the case with the Govt.

Decision : The Principal be requested to pursue the case so that the case may be expedited.

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b) Pay Scale of the Accountant :-

It was noted that the question was discussed repeatedly by the College Council. Decided that the application be forwarded to the University Council with a note from the Finance Officer.

c) Pay Scale of the Lab.Asstt.cum-Store-Keeper :-

It was noted that the item was disposed of as per college council resolution No.31 dated 26.3.1981.

d) Pay Scale for the Skilled Bearers for the members of Class IV Staff of the Library and Laboratories :-

The Principal reported that the papers were already sent to the Finance Officer for necessary action. The matter was noted.

Decision : The Finance Officer was requested to expedite action in this behalf.

e) Triple Benefit Scheme :-

The item was considered under item No.25.

f) Store-keeper and Store-Keeper cum Lab.Asstt. for the Deptt. of Zoology/Botany -- Promotion of Shri Ratan Kumar Pal to and absorption of Shri Akhil Ranjan Mandal, who has been transferred to General Office, in the posts :-

The Employees' Association demanded that Shri Ratan Kumar Pal be promoted to and Shri Akhil Ranjan Mandal be absorbed in the posts of Store-Keeper (For Botany) and Store-Keeper cum Laboratory Assistant (For Zoology). The Council noted that Shri Ratan Kumar Pal on the basis of written and oral tests against an open advertisement was recommended for appointment to the post of Store-Keeper for the Deptt. of Botany. Shri Akhil Ranjan Mandal's case was discussed. The Council felt that at this stage his case could not be considered.

g) Absorption of the son of Shri D.K.Chakraborty in one of the posts of Lab.Attendants :-

It was noted that the son of Shri D.K.Chakraborty appeared in the written and oral tests conducted by the Selection Committee in this behalf. His case was considered by the Selection Committee, but the Selection Committee failed to recommend his case for appointment.

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h) Additional appointments in different departments :-

The Principal is requested to look into the matter and make necessary recommendation in this behalf.

20. A bill for Rs.3,859/- submitted by Shyama Press dated 21.11.81 in connexion with printing of College Magazine PLABAN for the session 1979-80.

It was noted that the College had no connexion with Shyama Press, and the bill could not be considered by the College Council.

Re : release of marksheet to the student-editor, PLABAN (1979-80) Sardar Zaherul Hoque, it was seen from the bill submitted that out of 900 copies, only 485 copies were submitted to the College. The student-editor, Sardar Zaherul Hoque, should account for other copies of the magazine, and submit an account of Rs.3,250/-, the amount released in his favour for publication of the magazine.

21. Programme of a proposed seminar on Folk-culture in connexion with the Birth Centenary of Gurusaday Dutta placed by the Deptt. of Bengali of the College :-

A proposal for seminar on folk-culture in connexion with the Birth Centenary of Gurusaday Dutta submitted by the Deptt. of Bengali of the College was placed before the meeting.

Decision : The Principal is requested to write to the UGC for necessary fund in this behalf. It is expected that for Regional Seminars an amount of Rs.3,000/- would be granted by the U.G.C.

22. Application of Shri Debendranarayan Bhattacharya, M.A., Teacher-Fellow, praying for extension of F.I.P.tenure for one year more up to March, 1983 :-

An application of Shri Debendranarayan Bhattacharya of the Deptt. of Economics, now a teacher fellow, seeking extension of his fellowship tenure for one more year was placed before the meeting.

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Decision : In view of the special circumstances narrated in his application it was decided that Shri Debendranarayan Bhattacharya be granted extension of teacher fellowship tenure for six months only with effect from 18th March,1982. The Council decided further that no further extension would be possible. The Principal reported in this connexion that a serious situation had arisen in the Deptt. of Economics with regard to teaching Statistics for want of a suitable teacher in this behalf. It was reported that no suitable teacher in place of Shri D.N.Bhattacharya was available and the students had to suffer painfully in the past few years, and the situation reached a critical stage at the present moment. In view of the report of the Principal the Council resolved that attempts may be made to invite a qualified person from other colleges or institutions as visiting lecturer to the College on a suitable remuneration which may be Rs.500/- plus T.A./D.A. for delivering a suitable course of lecture.

23. Holding of Joint Entrance Examination,1982 from 24th to 26th April,1982 at Raiganj College (University College) :-

The Principal reported that he gave his consent to the Registrar, West Bengal Board of Examination for admission to Engg.,Medical and Tech.Degree Colleges, on the basis of the permission of the Vice-Chancellor.

Decision : The Council approved of the action taken by the Principal.

24. Teaching performance -- Principal's letter to the Inspector of Colleges :-

The Principal reported that the respective departments have been requested to submit their particulars, and he expected to place the matter before the next meeting of the College Council.

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25. G.O.No.1773-Edn(US), dated 4.11.1981 re : change of option exercised by Non-Govt. College teachers to come under CPF Scheme or Pension Scheme :- 1 P-2/80

The College Council noted that a representation was submitted by the representatives of teachers and employees of the College at the meeting of the North Bengal University Council re : fixation of Triple Benefit Scheme and other issues. The Vice-Chancellor was pleased to report that the North Bengal University Council adopted the following resolution :-

"6. To consider resolutions of the Raiganj University College and University B.T.& Evening College,Cooch Behar on certain demands :-

Representatives of teachers and non-teaching staff of the Raiganj (University)College met the members of the Council during the meeting. Sri M.B.Sen mentioned that many of their demands had been ignored by the University in the past resulting in complete deadlock in the matter of retirement benefits. The employees of the College have not been allowed to enjoy the Triple Benefit Scheme applicable to the University employees. They represented their case to the University authorities when they were assured that the same would be admissible in their case. Consequently they could not execute their option in the matter of retirement benefits as sanctioned to teachers of other colleges of the State. Sri Sen in this connection mentioned that the Minister-in-Charge of Education (Higher), Govt. of West Bengal clearly assured that the existing teachers and non-teaching staff of University Colleges would receive all benefits including retirement benefits as enjoyed by the teaching and non-teaching staff of the North Bengal University.They

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were surprised to note that on an uncalled for interpretation sought by the University in the matter of G.O.No. 1931-Edn(U), dated 28.11.80, the Govt. had intimated its inability to extend triple benefit scheme to the teaching and non-teaching employees of the University Colleges.

In this connection Sri Sen demanded that the arrear house rent and medical allowances should be paid immediately.

The Council noted that similar representation has been made to the Vice-Chancellor by the teaching and non-teaching staff of the University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar.

The Council after considering the matter in further details decided that in view of the fact that prior to the introduction of triple benefit scheme in the University, the teaching and non-teaching staff of the University Colleges enjoyed retirement benefits similar to those enjoyed by the University employees, and in view of assurances given by the Hon'ble Minister-in-charge of Higher Education, Govt. of West Bengal on more than one occasion, triple benefit scheme as enjoyed by the University employees should be extended to the University colleges.

The Council could not agree with the proposal received from the Govt. (Vide letter No. 1848/Edn(U) dated 30.12.81) for extension of retirement benefits as applicable to the teachers of non-govt. colleges.

Pending implementation of the Triple Benefit Scheme the Council resolved that the minimum amount of gratuity may be paid to the employees of University

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colleges who had already retired.

The Council appreciated the views expressed by the representatives of the two colleges. The Council further decided that the Vice-Chancellor along with two members of the Council be requested to take up the matter at the highest level of the Govt. immediately.

In view of the steps envisaged above the Council decided to appeal to the teaching and non-teaching staff of the University Colleges to desist from any movement at this stage.

In this connection the Council decided that the arrear house rent and medical allowance might be paid in instalments at an early date."

The Vice-Chancellor further reported that in accordance with the resolution of the N.B.U.Council a meeting was held at Calcutta on 21st January,1982 in which the Minister of Higher Education assured the Vice-Chancellor and the two members of the N.B.U.Council (Dr.P.K.Gupta and Prof.D.Ghosh) that he would pursue the matter at the meeting of the Adbisory Committee of the Vice-Chancellors on 21.1.1982. The Hon'ble Minister agreed to the genuineness of the case of extending triple benefit scheme to the existing employees -- teaching and non-teaching -- of the University Colleges.Accordingly the matter was raised in the Advisory Committee of Vice-Chancellors.In the meeting of the Advisory Committee of Vice-Chancellors it was agreed that the matter should be taken again with the Finance Secretary for a favourable decision. The Finance Secretary who was present at the meeting also agreed to reconsider the matter and the Vice-Chancellor has already written to the Minister of Higher Education in this behalf.

Regarding payment of arrear house rent, the Vice-Chancellor assured that the payment of one instalment would be made as soon as the deficit grant is restored for the current year and it is expected that the deficit grant would be restored in the month of March,1982.

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26. G.O.No.819-Edn(CS), dated the 4th May,1981 re : revision of salary scales of Librarians of non-govt.Colleges :- 5 P-65/76 Pt.II

Withdrawn.

27. Application of Dr.Dhirendra Kumar Das, Superintendent, Girls' Hostel of the College, praying for enhancement of allowance from Rs.60/- to Rs.100/- as has been done at the University :-

An application of Dr.D.K.Das, Superintendent of the Girls' Hostel of the College, requesting enhancement of monthly allowance from Rs.60/- to Rs.100/- in conformity with the allowance granted to the Superintendents of the University hostels was placed before the meeting.

Decision : It was noted that the number of boarders in the University hostels was much higher than that of the College hostels. Hence the Council regretted inability to accept the request of Dr.D.K.Das.

28. Adoption of any one of the alternatives suggested by the UGC in their letter No.F.4-3/81-(UC) dated 11 SEP 1981 for execution of building projects including Planning, Architectural and Structural design, Estimates and Construction Work :- (Vide Annexure - I).

Contents of the letter were noted.

29. Resignation of Shri J.K.Sen, M.A., from headship of the Deptt. of English of the College :-

Decided to request Shri Sen to continue in his post.

30. G.O.No.1356-Edn(CS), dated the 4th August, 1981 re : of recruitment of underqualified librarians in non-Govt. Colleges :- 5 P-65/65 Pt.II

Withdrawn.

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31. Application of Shri Sisir Kumar Majumder, M.A., Lecturer in Bengali, praying for T.A./D.A. to enable him to present a paper on Folklore and National Integration at the Indian Folklore Congress, Calcutta, to be held on 5th and 6th February, 1982 :-

Decision : Action taken by the Principal on the advice of the Vice-Chancellor was approved.

32. Representation from the Students' Union Day Section Rep. (a) Cheap Canteen, (b) Additional Lending Card and Increase in the number of Library Books :-

(a) Cheap Canteen :-

Deferred.

(b) Additional Lending Card and increase in the number of Library books :-

The Principal informed that he asked the Librarian to collect information from different colleges in this behalf. Decided to await the information.

33. Leave Cases :-

a) Deputy Registrar's letter No.3584/R-61, dated 12.8.1981 sanctioning different types of leave to Shri Sisir Kumar Majumder, Lecturer in Bengali -- Clarification with regard to some points :-

The Principal may write to the Deputy Registrar for necessary clarification.

b) Application of Shrimati J.Sengupta, Lecturer in Philosophy :-

The Principal placed before the meeting two letters of Shrimati J.Sengupta informing the Principal of her inability to join the College in time after the Winter Vacation.

Decision : Decided that Shrimati J.Sengupta should submit an application for the full period stating reasons for the the type of leave she would pray for.

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c) Application of Shri J.K.Sen, Head of the Deptt. of English, for leave from 20.11.81 to 24.11.81 :-

Decided that Shri J.K.Sen be granted Commuted Leave for the period from 20.11.81 to 24.11.81 as per rules.

d) Application of Shri Atul Krishna Saha, Part-time Teacher for Plus 2 Commerce, from 5.1.82 to 19.1.82 :-

Decision : Leave was necessary for performing the obsequies of his dead father, and henoe leave with full part-time allowance for the entire period be granted to Shri Atul Krishna Saha as a speoial case.

e) Application of Dr.Dhirendra Kumar Das, Lecturer in Chemistry, for the period from 4.12.81 to 18.12.81 :-

Decision : Leave was necessary for performing the obsequies of his dead father, and hence leave with full pay for the entire period be granted to Dr.D.K.Das, Lecturer in Chemistry, as a special case.

f) Case of Shri Sourindra Kumar Ghosh, Librarian :-

The Council noted that Shri Sourindra Kumar Ghosh, Librarian, applied for one day's Casual Leave for 29th December,1981 only and absented himself up to 9th January,1982 without any further information to the College. He submitted an application for Earned (Privilege) Leave on the ground of illness on the 12th January, 1982 (Received by office on 13th).

Decision : He is directed to submit Medical Certificate in support of illness for which he was absent.

g) Application of Shri Ranjit Sengupta, Steno-cum-P.A. to the Principal, for leave on 18th November,1981.

Since the Principal already granted the leave, the item be withdrawn.

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34. P.F.Loan : - Applications of -

a) Shri B.C.Guha, Head of the Deptt. of Political Science. : For Rs.4500/-
b) Shri U.Sarcar,Lecturer in Political Science. : For Rs.2200/-
c) Shri S.K.Majumder,Lecturer in Bengali:For Rs.7000/-
d) Shrimati B.Ghosh Roy,Lecturer in Bengali :For Rs.6200/-
e) Shri C.Basu,Lecturer in Physics, : For Rs.6000/-
f) Shri I.L.Saha, Lecturer in Physics : For Rs.2000/-
g) Shri H.D.Ghosh,Head of the Deptt. of Mathematics. : For Rs.9000/-
h) Shri A.K.Bhattacharya,Lecturer in Mathematics. : For Rs.6800/-
i) Shri K.K.Sarkar,Lecturer in Chemistry:For Rs.4000/-
j) Dr.G.C.Sarkar,Acting Head of the Deptt. of Botany. : For Rs.4800/-
k) Shri S.Bhowmick,Demonstrator : For Rs.6840/-
l) Shri R.C.Basak, Demonstrator. : For Rs.4320/-
m) Shri A.K.Chatterjee, L.D.Clerk cum Typist. : For Rs.2500/-
n) Shri B.N.Ghosh, L.D.Clerk : For Rs.1500/-
o) Shri A.K.Pal, Bearer,Physics Lab. : For Rs.2800/-
p) Shri A.K.Das, Bearer, Chemistry Lab.: For Rs.2900/-
q) Shri M.Roy, Night Guard,Boys'Hostel : For Rs.1400/-

Decision : Decided to approve of the action of the Principal in sanctioning loan from the Provident Fund to the above applicants as per rules.

35. Application of the Secretary, Staff Recreation Club,Raiganj College (University College), for financial assistance :-

Decision : The Council regretted inability to sanction any grant due to stringent financial condition at the University.

ADDITIONAL AGENDA

36. Application of Shri M.Roy, Accountant, praying for fixation of his pay in the revised scale of Rs.550- 1160/- :-

Discussed under item No.19 (b).

37. Application of Shri Biswanath Bhattacharjee, Acting Head Clerk cum Cashier, praying for his promotion :-

Discussed under item No.19 (a).

38. Application of Shri D.K.Basu Roy, Bearer, seeking retirement from service due to ill health and benefit ofTriple Benefit Scheme :-

Deferred.

39. An application signed by resident-teachers of Staff Quarters re : House Rent Allowance :-

An application signed by the resident-teachers of theCollege

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Staff Quarters seeking extension of the benefits of House Rent Allowance Rules as applicable to the resident-teachers of the University was placed before the meeting.

Decision : The Finance Officer was requested to supply necessary rules to the Principal, and the Principal may send specific proposal to the Vice-Chancellor.

40. Letter from the Secretary, Teachers' Council, for sanctioning the purchase of fifteen chairs with steel frame and cushion :-

Deferred.

41. Arrear House Rent Allowance and Medical Allowance for the teachers and release of Minimum Gratuity for Shri J.N.Majumder and Shri G.C.Majumder who have retired from service -- Finance Officer's observation on the letter of the Principal.-

Discussed under item No.25.

42. Application of Shri Amitava Ghosh, Work Assistant, on day-wage for Construction Work, praying for payment of wage for the period from 14.1.82 to 31.1.82 during which he remained absent for an attack of Jaundice :-

Decision: The College Council regretted inability to help Shri Amitava Ghosh in this behalf as such financial help was not possible under rules.

43. D.P.I. Letter No.1709(250)C, dated the 26th November,1981
4C-16 C/80
re : Fixation of pay of the Librarians/Asstt.Librarians/Deputy Librarians in the revised scale of Rs.500-25-750-E.B.-30-900/- :-

Withdrawn.

44. Assistance for living room furniture in the Student Hostels-- Letter No.F.12-6/76(CP), dated 26 SEP 1981 of the UGC :-

The Principal placed before the meeting letter from the U.G.C. offering grants for furniture for the Student-hostels, provided the College concerned offers the matching share.

Decision : Decided that the U.G.C. be approached for necessary grant and that necessary matching share would be provided by the University.

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45. Appointment of substitute lecturer in Botany in place of Shri Benoy Kr.Das -- Letter from Shri Chandan Sengupta in this behalf :-

Shri Chandan Sengupta, who has been offered appointment as a substitute lecturer in Botany in place of Shri Benoy Kr. Das, asked for extension of joining time up to 24th February, 1982.

The College Council decided to grant him the desired extension of time for joining the post.

46. Estimate of expenditure for Rs.3560/- submitted by the Deptt. of Bengali in connexion with LANGUAGE COLLECTION at Palamou :-

The application of the Deptt. of Bengali requesting a grant of Rs.3560/- for the purpose of the Language Collection was placed before the meeting.

Decision : Decided that the Dialect Study should be undertaken in the area in which the college is situated.

47. Students' Union Representation re : N.B.U. Sports Board :-

A letter from the General Secretary, Students' Union, alleging indifference of the Sports Board to the College was placed before the meeting. A notice of the Sports Board advising the students of the college to participate in a particular item of sports on two days' notice only was also placed before the meeting.

Decision : It was decided that the attention of the Sports Board be drawn to the delayed despatch of notices for which the students of the college failed to take part in different items of sports of the University.

48. Application signed by Shri Rajkumar Sinha and Shri Latif Rahaman praying for enhancement of Daily-wage-rate as per Govt.rule :-

Discussed under item No.15.

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49. U.G.C. Circular No.F.1-73/81(CP), dated 19 Nov.1981 re : Provision for suitable ramp on the ground floor to enable access to the disabled students in the plans for various building projects :-

The contents of the circular were noted. Decided to provide necessary ramp as and when such construction would be made.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- S.N.Roy
(S.N.Roy)
Secretary,
College Council,
Raiganj College
(University College),
&
Principal,
Raigahj College
(University College).

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh,
(P.K.Ghosh)
President,
College Council,
Raiganj College
(University College)
&
Vice-Chancellor,
University of North Bengal.

ANNEXURE - I (Vide item No.28 of the minutes of the meeting of the College Council dated 8.2.1982).

University Grants Commission
Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg
New Delhi.

No.F.4-3/81(UC) 11 SEP 1981.

To
The Registrar,
North Bengal University,
P.O.North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur
Darjeeling-734430.

Subject : Building Grants -- Procedure of -

Sir,

In the light of the observation made by the Public Accounts Committee the Commission has been considering for some time whether it is feasible to entrust all UGC-financed Building Projects of University/Colleges to the State PWD/CENTRAL PWD, to whom the grant money may be paid directly by the UGC. After careful consideration, the Commission has decided that one of the following alternatives may be adopted by Universities/Colleges for entrusting Construction of building projects including Planning, architectural design,structural design,estimates and construction work :

(i) The work of planning,architectural design,structural design, estimates and construction work may be assigned to CPWD or a State PWD in toto as deposit work.

(ii) The University may engage the services of a firm of architects for planning, architectural design,structural design and estimates and supervision of the construction work to and the execution of work may be entrusted to CPWD.

(iii)The work of planning,architectural design,structural design and estimates may be attended to by a firm of architects and the execution of work may be entrusted to the CPWD/State PWD/ University.

(iv) The architects may prepare the architectural design and the rest of the job viz. structural design preparation of detailed estimates and execution of work could be entrusted to the CPWD/State PWD/University.

2. In accordance with the above it is for the University/College to adopt any of the above alternatives except that not more than 2 agencies should involve in the planning and execution of work.

3. It has further been decided that each University must constitute a Building Committee which among others should have a representative of theCPWD or the State PWD as the case may be. Similarly the affiliated colleges should constitute a Building Committee to finalise their plans for building projects. Necessary instructions about constitution of these committees are being issued separately.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- R.K.Chhabra
Secretary.

No.223-UGC/4322/R-81 Date : 19-9-81.

Copy forwarded for information to :-
1. The Vice-Chancellor, , NBU.
2. The Finance Officer, N.B.U.
3. The University Engineer, NBU.
4. The Principals of all affiliated to the University of North Bengal.
/colleges

Sd/- B.K.Bajpaie
Registrar.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

AGENDA PAPERS

FOR

the 63rd meeting of the NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Date: 3.5.1982
Time : 11-00 A.M.

Place: Conference Room
Administrative Building
Raja-Rammohunpur

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

N o t i c e

The 63rd meeting of the North Bengal University Council will be held on Monday, the 3rd May, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur to consider the following agenda :

A G E N D A

1. To consider the minutes of the 62nd meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 16.4.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-I)

2. To consider the recommendation of the Seleotion Committee for appointment of University teachers.

   Decision:

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

   Decision:

4. To consider the proposal for creating a special cell in the Registrar's Deptt. as per resolution No. Misc. 3 of the meeting of the N.B.U. Council dt. 16.4.82.

   Decision:

5. To report that a G.O. No. 363(6)-Edn(U) dated 31.3.82 has been received from the Dy. Secretary, Deptt. of Education, Govt of West Bengal regarding modification of qualification prescribed for recruitment to the posts of Finance Officer, Audit and Accounts Officer, Account Officer/Audit Officer of the State-aided Universities in West Bengal.

   Decision: (Annexure-II)

6. To consider the case of Dr. Nitya Lal Karmakar, Sr. Research Assistant, Deptt. of Physics, N.B.U.

Decision:

7. To consider the case of increment of Sri Sahadev Mallick, Swcopor, Health Centre, N.B.U.

Decision:

8. To consider the case of Sri Somnath Choudhury, Asstt. Superintendent, University Press for confirmation w.e.f. 1.5.82 (His date of joining to substantive post is 1.5.81).

Decision:

9. To consider a letter No. 367(6)-Edn(U) dated 8.4.82 received from the Deputy Secretary, Govt of West Bengal, Education Department, University Education Branch with regard to equalisation of ratos of Dearnees Allowance of University teachers with those under Government.

Decision: (Annexure-III)

10. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for the recruitment of a Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) in the department of Chemistry, N.B.U.

Decision:

11. To consider a letter from Shri Bhriguram Mondal, Jr. Research Fellow (U.G.C) Bengali Deptt, N.B.U. praying for granting of extension of leave for a further period of six months w.e.f. 1st June, 1982.

Decision:

12. To consider a letter No. Sales Counter/82-83/55 dated 16.4.82 received from Sri Dibyendu Hota, Chief Executive Officer, West Bengal State Book Board in connection with holding exhibition and selling of books on the University Campus.

Decision:

13. To consider the report of the Meeting of the Advisory Council of the Centre for Himalayan Studies dated 1.4.82.

Decision:

14. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with leave application and documents submitted by Sri Muneswar Bajpore, Sweeper, University Health Centre along with the comments of the University Medical Officer.

Decision:

15. To consider a note from the Dy. Controller of Examinations, regarding issue of a few diplomas of 1972.

Decision:

16. To consider a letter No. Seminar/82-83/41 dated 13.4.82 received from Sri Dibyendu Hota, Chief Executive Officer, West Bengal State Book Board communicating the proposal of the commission for scientific and technical terminology under the Ministry of Education and Social Welfare, Govt of India for holding a seminar on preparation of Pan Indian Terminology pertaining to Psychology, Eduoation and Sociology on the University Campus some time in the first week of June this year.

Decision:

17. To consider a letter No. NBUEA/6 dated 22.4.82 received from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. with regard to supply of electric fans to olass IV employees of the University.

Decision:

18. To consider the action taken as per resolution No. 11 of the meeting of the N.B.U. Council dated 14.1.82.

Decision:

19. To oonsider a letter from Prof. Gobinda Pada Pal, who has been appointed as Principal, University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar.

Decision:

20. To consider a note from the Finance Officer for releasing the balance amount of C.P.F. money of Prof. H.P. Chakraborty, Retd. Vidyasagar Adhyapaka, Deptt. of Bengali, North Bengal University.

Decision:

21. To report a communication No. 239-Edn(U) dated 8/11.3.82 received from the Dy. Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Deptt. of Education with regard to admissibility of House Rent Allowance to the spouse occupying the University Quarters.

Decision:

22. To consider evaluation reports including the reports of viva-voce examinations for the theses submitted for the Ph.D. Degree.

Decision:

23. To consider applications received for Ph.D. registration.

Decision:

24. To consider a joint note from the Registrar and Finance Officer, N.B.U. in respect of D.A. rates for field trips under area studies programme to Sikkim and Bhutan.

Decision:

25. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
The 24th April, 1982.

REGISTRAR

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University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Annexure-I

Minutes of the 62nd meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Friday, the 16th April, 1982 at 11.00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Dr. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Prof. I. K. Chatterjee
3. Dr. H. P. Bhaumik, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College
4. Dr. S. N. Sen, Professor of Physics, N.B.U.
5. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
6. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
7. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
8. Shri Raj Narayan Pradhan, Lecturer, St. Joseph's College, Darjeeling
9. Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya
10. Shri P. K. Majumdar, Lecturer, Siliguri College
11. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, University College, Raiganj
12. Shri Hiten Nag, Lecturer, Dinhata College

Shri S. M. Roy, Actg. Finance Officer, Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, Shri R. K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar and Shri S. Majumdar, Deputy Controller of Examinations were requested to make themselves available during the meeting.

1. The minutes of the 60th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 29.3.82 were confirmed with the following amendments :

(i) Item No. 4(H) Add the words "The above resolutions were confirmed for immediate action" at the end.

(ii) Item Misc. 4 Add "(d) Shri Debabrata Ghosh" at the end.

(iii) Item Misc. 9(ii) The words "The Committee of Undergraduate Studies in Engineering & Technology be substituted by the words "Advisory Committee for Engineering Examinations."

2. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

Appointment against Merit Promotion Scheme for University Teachers as per Govt. Order No. 957(6)-Edn(U) dated 22.7.81.

The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and the evaluation comments of referees decided to appoint Dr. Suhas

Chandra Roy, Reader in Chemistry as Professor of Chemistry in the scale of pay of Rs. 1500-2500/- plus admissible allowances subject to the conditions laid down in the above Govt. order. Dr. Roy's initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

Assistant Registrar

The Council approved the panel recommended by the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Shri A. K. Chatterjee to the post of Assistant Registrar in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus admissible allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

4. To consider matters relating to the proposed Co-ordinate Research Programme on Eco-Development in the hill areas of Darjeeling and Sikkim.

The Vice-Chancellor explained the background of the scheme of integrated action oriented research for eco-development in the Himalayas sponsored by the Planning Commission (vide Appendix 4-A). The Council endorsed the proposals made in the letter (Annexure II) from Dr. M.S. Swaminathan, Member, Planning Commission, addressed to the Vice-Chancellor, regarding co-ordinated research projects to be undertaken for eco-development in the Himalayas.

The Vice-Chancellor reported to the Council that the Planning Commission, Govt. of India, had allotted funds for this University for the approved research projects on the eco-development in the hill areas of Darjeeling district (Ref. Copy of letter No. PC(P)/19/Eco./81-MLP dated 29.3.82 from the Deputy Adviser (MLP), Planning Commission, to the Secretary, Development & Planning Department, Govt. of West Bengal, endorsed to the Vice-Chancellor). He further reported that funds have also been allotted to the Govt. of Sikkim for a similar purpose (Copy of letter of even No. and date endorsed to the Vice-Chancellor) to be utilised by the Govt. of Sikkim in collaboration with North Bengal University, Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta, and ICAR Complex for North-East Region. (Vide Appendix 4-B, 4-C).

Having noted the contents of the letters referred to above and having considered the relevant aspects, the Council decided to constitute an Intra-University Committee to be known as "Co-ordinated Research, Planning and Evaluation Committee for Eco-Development" (CRPEC) with the following members :

(i) Vice-Chancellor - Chairman

(ii) Dr. S.N.Sen, Sr. Professor of Physics & Vice-Chairman P.G. Council (Science)

(iii) Prof. N.C. Choudhury, Vice-Chairman (Arts), P.G. Council
Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology

(iv) Investigators in charge of Research projects approved so far:
Prof. B. Bhattacharyya, Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography

Dr. S.K. Choube, Centre for Himalayan Studies

Dr. S.K. Chakravarti, Dept. of Chemistry

Dr. A.K. Ghosh, Dept. of Chemistry

Dr. M. Dasgupta, Dept. of Economics

Dr. P.K. Basu, Centre for Life Sciences

Shri B. K. Das, Dept. of Chemistry

(v) Investigator(s) in charge of other projects which may be approved.

(vi) Member-Secretary, Hill Development Council, Govt. of West Bengal.

(vii) Development Commissioner, Govt. of Sikkim

(viii) One representative of the Govt. of Sikkim (not below the rank of a District/Divisional authority or Dy. Secretary).

(ix) Officer-in-charge, ICAR Complex for North East Region, Tadong, Sikkim.

(x) Officer-in-charge, Comprehensive Area Development Project (CADP), Kalimpong.

(xi) Special Officer (Hill Development), Govt. of West Bengal, Darjeeling.

(xii) Officer-in-charge, I.A.R.I. Research Centre, 8th Mile, Kalimpong (Dist. Darjeeling).

(xiii) Director, Indian Institute of Hill Economy, Hayden Hall, Laden La Road, Darjeeling

(xiv) Director, Indian Institute of Management, Diamond Harbour Road, Joka, 24-Parganas, or his nominee.

(xv) Inspector of Colleges, North Bengal University

(xvi) Convener, Research Service Centre Committee, North Bengal University

(xvii) Professor-in-Charge, USIC, North Bengal University

(xviii) Dr. B. Dasgupta, Principal, Darjeeling Govt. College

(xix) Principal, Degree College, Gangtok, Sikkim.

(xx) Finance Officer, North Bengal University

(xxi) Registrar, North Bengal University - Convener

(xxii) Not more than five experts who may be co-opted by the Committee.

The Committee will appoint a Project Co-ordinator from among its members.

The Committee will perform the following functions :

(i) Adopt an integrated research and education plan for the University as indicated in para (1) of the letter dated 22.3.82 from Dr. M. S. Swaminathan;

(ii) Lay down priorities and articulate the programmes to be pursued in the context of a total eco-development framework;

(iii) Allocate funds for the approved research projects and other relevant purposes as per Item 10 of the Terms and Conditions governing the grants in aid;

(iv) Prescribe norms of expenditure in accordance with the terms and conditions for grants in aid and indicate the manner in which the funds will be utilised keeping in view the project proposals and funds available;

(v) Evaluate reports on the progress of research projects and arrange consolidated Quarterly Progress Reports indicating physical and financial achievements to be submitted to the State Govt. and the Govt. of India. (The Reports will fall due on 30th June, 1982, 30th September, 1982, 31st December, 1982 and 31st March 1983);

(vi) Take such decisions as may be necessary for implementation of the programme in accordance with the guidelines which may be issued from time to time by the State Govt. and the Central Govt.

Since the funds to be available are earmarked specifically for the programme, the Council resolved that a separate bank account be opened to be known as "North Bengal University Eco-development Account" for the receipts and disbursements in connection with the programme, to be operated by the Finance Officer, North Bengal University.

The Council authorised the Vice-Chancellor to take such steps as may be necessary to initiate action on the approved projects including provisional sanction of amounts for preparatory work to be started immediately on the approved projects pending allotment of funds by the CRPEC.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

5. <u>To consider the matter relating to the loan from Provident Fund Account requested by the Vice-Chancellor</u>.

The Council decided to sanction Rs. 8,016/- as advance to Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor from his C.P.F. account.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

6. To consider matters relating to the temporary leave of absence of the Vice-Chancellor as approved by the Chancellor.

The Council noted that on the request of the Vice-Chancellor, the Chancellor had approved of leave of absence (privilege leave with full pay) of the Vice-Chancellor from 12.4.82 to 19.5.82. The Vice-Chancellor reported that communication for the approval having been received in the first week of April, the matter could not be placed earlier before the Council for appointing a member of the Council to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Vice-Chancellor during his absence on leave as required under sub-sec.(2) of Section 18 of the North Bengal University Act 1961, read with sub-sec. (6)(b)(1) of Section 57 of the North Bengal University Act, 1981. The Vice-Chancellor also reported that under the circumstances he had intimated the Secretary to the Chancellor about his decision to proceed on leave w.e.f. 19.4.82. The Council approved it and decided that Dr. S.N.Sen, Professor of Physics, and Member, North Bengal University Council, will exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Vice-Chancellor during his leave of absence w.e.f. 19.4.82.

To enable Dr. S.N.Sen to exercise the powers and perform the duties as above, the Council further decided to sanction leave with full pay to Dr. S.N.Sen, Professor of Physics, under Rule 16 of the Leave Rules of the University w.e.f. 19.4.82. For the same period, Dr. Sen will draw an acting allowance @ 20% of his basic pay per month over and above his existing pay and allowances.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

7. To consider a letter No. 204 dated 17.3.82 received from the Principal, Darjeeling Govt. College regarding accommodation of Students in M.Sc. class in Botany & Zoology.

The Council noted the letter.

In this connection the Council decided to establish Post Graduate teaching departments in Zoology and Botany on the Campus. It was noted that on the basis of requirement sent by the University for the Sixth Plan the University Grants Commission has approved opening of such teaching departments and had sanctioned fund for appointment of teachers, purchase of equipments and construction of additional building within the complex of the Centre for Life Sciences. The teachers appointed at the Centre for Life Sciences will teach Botany and Zoology and would belong to respective department as per their fields of specialisations. It has been provisionally decided, subject

to necessary arrangements, that such P.G. teaching will commence with effect from 1982-83 academic session.

The Council reconstituted the Board of Research Studies in Botany and Zoology as under :-

Botany

(i) The Vice-Chancellor;
(ii) The Head of the University Department of teaching in Botany;
(iii) One seniormost teacher in the subject of Darjeeling Govt. College;
(iv) Prof. Asoke Banerjee, Professor of Bio-Chemistry, N.B. Medical College;
(v) The Supervisor

Zoology

(i) The Vice-Chancellor;
(ii) The Head of the University Department of teaching in Zoology;
(iii) One seniormost teacher in the subject of Darjeeling Govt. College;
(iv) Dr. J.N.Bhaduri, Professor of Physiology, N.B. Medical College;
(v) The Supervisor.

In this connection the Council decided that the question of seniority in the newly established departments of Zoology & Botany will be determined from the date of establishment of those departments.

8. To consider re-constitution of the Committee of Under-graduate Studies in Botany and Zoology.

The Council decided that the Head of the Post Graduate Departments of teaching in Botany and Zoology and two other teachers in order of seniority would be members of the existing Committees of Undergraduate Studies in Botany and Zoology, and that the Heads of such Departments would be the Chairmen of those Committees. In this connection the Council decided to reconstitute the Committees of Post Graduate Studies in Botany and Zoology as under :-

(i) The Heads of Post Graduate teaching departments at the University would be Ex-Officio Chairmen;
(ii) All teachers of such Post Graduate Departments at the University;
(iii) Two seniormost teachers each of the departments of Zoology & Botany at Darjeeling Govt. College.
(iv) One teacher each in Botany and Zoology in order of seniority from other affiliated colleges teaching in Honours in the subjects.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

9. To consider a letter received from Sri Nirendra Lal Dutta, Lecturer in Commerce, University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar praying for permission to practice as an Advocate, in the District Courts of Cooch-Behar including Tax authorities.

The Council regreted that permission could not be granted to Sri Nirendra Lal Dutta, Lecturer in Commerce, University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar to practice as an advocate.

10. To consider a note from the Registrar in connection with the refund of permission fee and Registration Fees.

The Council, as a very special case, decided to refund permission fee and registration fee submitted by Sri Padam Kumar Tamang.

11. To consider re-appointment of Prof. S.K. Chakravarti, Deptt. of Chemistry, North Bengal University.

The Council considered the report of the Screening Committee and decided to re-employ Dr. S.K.Chakravarti as Professor of Chemistry for two years with effect from 1.5.82 in terms of Govt. Order No. 2883(7)-Edn(U) dated the 15th November, 1979.

The terms and conditions of service of Dr. Chakravarti would be as per Govt. Orders received from time to time in this regard.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

12. To reconstitute the Board of Research Studies in Botany.

Decision taken under item No. 7 above.

13. To consider the cases of undernoted employees for confirmation.

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Dr. Malay Kanti Roy Lecturer in Commerce N.B.U.	1.4.81 (Forenoon)	1.4.82
2. Dr. Praphulla Kr. Paria Microanalyst, Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.	9.4.81 (Forenoon)	9.4.82

The Council in consideration of the confidential reports and recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor decided to confirm the services of the following employees of the University with effect from the date mentioned against each, subject to (i) their being found medically fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) Verification of age and academic qualifications, and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose :

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Dr. Malay Kanti Roy Lecturer in Commerce N.B.U.	1.4.81 (Forenoon)	1.4.82
2. Dr. Praphulla Kr. Paria Microanalyst Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.	9.4.81 (Forenoon)	9.4.82

14. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the College Council (Raiganj College) held on 8.2.82.

Noted.

Regarding Item 19(b) the Council considered a note from the Finance Officer. It was noted that in the case of the Accountant, North Bengal Medical College, the Govt. approved placing him in the scale of pay (unrevised) of Rs. 300-25-500/-.

(Appendix I)

Under the circumstances the Council decided that the Accountant, Sri Madhusudan Ray of Raiganj University College may also be placed in the same scale with effect from the date when the non-teaching employees of the College were allowed pay scales of the non-teaching employees of the University.

The Council, however, decided that no arrear could be paid to Sri Ray in consequence of such placement till the money is received from the Govt. on this account.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

15. To consider the results of Typing test of Sri Ashok Roy and Smt. Chhaya Paul.

The Council noted the result of typing test and decided to appoint Sri Ashok Roy to the post of Junior Assistant-cum-typist in the scale of pay of Rs. 400-900/- plus usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee He will be on probation for a period of one year. It was further decided that another test of Smt. Paul be taken after one month.

//Supplementary Agenda//

1. To consider the minutes of the 30th meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee of the N.B.U. Council held on 30.3.82.

Approved.

(Appendix II)

2. To consider a note from the Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U. regarding recommendations of National Council of Teachers Education, NCERT.

The Council considered the note and decided that a Committee consisting of the Principal, David Hare Training College, Sri Hiten Nag and the Inspector of Colleges should submit a report on the B.T. Colleges under this University in the perspective of the note submitted by the Inspector of Colleges.

(Appendix-III)

3. To consider the resolution adopted in the 13th meeting of the Library Sub-Committee held on 2.4.1982.

Noted and approved.

(Appendix IV)

The Council directed that the weeding out of some books should not be undertaken till the next meeting of the Council. With regard to item No. 2 the Council felt that the matter be reconsidered by the Library Sub-Committee in the light of the report of the U.G.C. Visiting Team during the Fifth Plan period in the matter of decentralization of the University Library.

The resolution was taken as confirmed.

4. To consider correction of the decision of the N.B.U. Council held on 6.3.82 under item No. 7 regarding leave of Shri Chandra Kanta Sharma, Guard, Watch & Ward Department, N.B.U.

The Council noted some discrepancies in the resolution adopted at its meeting held on the 6th March, 1982 in connection with leave granted to Sri Chandra Kanta Sharma. The Council decided that the leave should be granted with effect from 2.6.81 in place of 1.6.81; and the commuted leave would be for 47 days instead of 49 days mentioned in the said resolution.

5. To consider the recommendations of the Engineering Examinations Advisory Committee meeting held on 12.4.82.

Approved.

With regard to Item No. 2 the Council decided to defer decision.

(Appendix V)

6. To consider the recommendations of the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee meeting held on 13.4.1982.

Approved.

With regard to Item 2 the Council decided that no benefit of appearing in back paper would be extended to such candidates.

In this connection the Council decided that those candidates who would appear in B.A./B.Sc/B.Com Part I (Old) Examination in 1982 would not pay any permission fee; they would appear in failed subject/ subjects only; the examination will be a Special Supplementary one and is under no circumstances be held in future.

In this connection the Council decided that colleges would be requested to cooperate in holding that examination in the interest of a large number of candidates and also in view of the fact that a majority of affiliated colleges have already agreed to hold the examinations in College Centres.

(Appendix VI)

Misc. 1 The Council considered representation from the Law College Students' Association and decided that the matter be referred to the College Council for consideration and comment.

Misc. 2 The Council considered an application from Mrs. Smriti Kana Majumdar and noted that she applied long ago for permission to register her name for the degree of Ph.D (Arts). Mrs. Majumdar passed B.Sc. (Econ) Examination of the University of London which, as per existing Ordinance, does not allow her the benefit for such registration. However, the Academic Committee agreed to consider the matter in the light of practice followed at the University of Calcutta regarding equivalence of B.Sc (Econ) London to M.A. (Econ) in Indian Universities. The Council decided to refer the matter to the Academic Committee for expeditious decision.

Misc. 3 The Vice-Chancellor reported that the review and amendment of Statutes, Ordinances, Regulations, etc. for the implementation of the new University Act, 1981, were in progress. Statutes relating to the election to various bodies of the University have already been reviewed and amended with the assistance of the Statute Committee and forwarded to the Chancellor for his approval. In this connection it was felt that for the work of review and amendments which remains to be done as well as for implementing the provisions of the new Act, Statutes, Ordinances, etc., it is neceesary to have a Cell in the Registrar's Branch to perform the Secretarial work in that connection. The Registrar had earlier suggested to the Vice-Chancellor (Vide Appendix: Copy of Registrar's note to the Vice-Chancellor dated 16.5.81) that there should be a special unit to assist him in the work connected with the review and amendment of Statutes, Ordinances, etc., and implementing the provisions of the new Act and the Statutes. The Vice-Chancellor proposed that the University Council may consider the establishment of a Special Unit in the Registrar's Branch with the following staff as suggested in the Registrar's note :

Junior Officer	- 1
Stenographer	- 1
Steno-typist	- 1
Assistant	- 1
Peon	- 1

The Vice-Chancellor mentioned that under Section 57(8) of the new Act, the Vice-Chancellor can appoint such administrative, clerical and other staff as he deems necessary for giving effect to the provisions of Sec. 57, subject to the approval of the Chancellor.

The Council decided that the proposal would be considered at the next meeting of the Council to be held on 3.5.82.

(Appendix-VII)

Misc. 4 The Council considered the proposal of the Departmental Committee of Commerce and decided that Dr. P. Chattopadhayay, Ex Director of Research ICWAI may be appointed as visiting Professor for a period of 4 months under the U.G.C. scheme. The Council decided to write to the U.G.C. for approval.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

Misc. 5 The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in suspending the proviso to clause (c) of Rule 28 of the Rules of the North Bengal University Students' Association.

Misc. 6 The Council noted two letters from the Professor-in-charge of University Service & Instrumentation Centre and decided that such proposal should be routed through the Advisory Committee of the Centre.

Misc. 7 The Council noted that in his recent letter, Dr. R. N. Das who was appointed to the post of Development Officer has declined to join. The Council decided that the post be readvertised immediately.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

Appendix 4-A

A Conference of Vice-Chancellors and Development Commissioners of the Himalayan region was held in October, 1980 under the auspices of the Planning Commission. Arising out of the deliberations at the Conference, the Planning Commission decided to enitiate a co-ordinated programme of action and field oriented research with a Centre in each one of the Universities in the Himalayan region. This was communicated to the University in May 1981 (vide d.o. letter No. M(S)-PC/81-2804 dated 28.5.81 - Annexure (1) to Appendix 4-A). The major focus of the programme was stated to be eco-development in the hill regions.

As desired in the said communication, a Project Preparation Group was set up consisting of senior members of the teaching faculties and Centres in the University with the Registrar as Convener.

Dr. Virendra Kumar, Consultant, Planning Commission, visited this University in the first week of August 1981 (4-6 August, 1981) and discussed various aspects of the proposed research programmes with members of teaching faculties and the Project Preparation Group. On the advice of Dr. Virendra Kumar, a programme of eco-development research in the hill areas of North Bengal and Sikkim was drawn up and forwarded to the Planning Commission on 18th August 1981 (vide Annexure (2) to Appendix 4-A).

In response to the programme of research submitted, the Planning Commission desired that specific research proposal should be submitted as early as possible. Indications of the nature of project to be submitted were given in a letter dated 18.1.82 (vide d.o. No. Cons. (HA)/PS/82 dated 18.1.82 from Dr. Virendra Kumar - Annexure (3) to Appendix 4-A). Research Projects were accordingly forwarded on 3.3.82 in the pro-forma applications prescribed by the Commission (vide Annexure (4) to Appendix 4-A). Copies of these Projects were given to the members of the Council at the meeting. A number of other research projects received from Post-Graduate teachers during March 1982 were also forwarded on 2.4.82 to the Planning Commission for screening and approval.

Vice-Chancellor

MEMBER
PLANNING COMMISSION
YOJANA BHAVAN
NEW DELHI-110001.

D.O. No.M(S)-PC/81-2804 May 28, 1981

Dear Vice-Chancellor,

On the basis of a recommendation made at the Conference of Vice-Chancellors of Universities in the Himalayan Region, we are planning to initiate a co-ordinate programme of action and field-oriented research with a Centre in each one of the Universities. Prof. Virendar Kumar, who has joined in the Planning Commission as a Consultant for developing this programme, will be visiting your University soon. We shall write to you the exact programme. Meanwhile, I shall be grateful if you could kindly set up a small project Preparation Group in your University which could develop a suitable proposal. The major focus of this programme will be the promotion of ecodevelopment. It is our hope that the programme could be developed soon, so that the implementation of the project can start from October, 1981.

I shall be very grateful if Prof. Virendra Kumar will be given the necessary facilities, so that he can work with your group in articulating the precise goals and technical programme.

With my best regards,

Yours sincerely,
Sd/- M.S. Swaminathan

Dr. P. K. Ghosh,
Vice-Chancellor
North Bengal University
P.O. Raja Rammohunpur,
DARJEELING - 734430.

DR. VIRENDRA KUMAR,
CONSULTANT (HILL AREAS)

D.O.No.Cons.(HA)/PS/82

PLANNING COMMISSION
NEW DELHI

January 18, 1982

Dear Prof. Ghosh,

The Planning Commission has set up an Interim Project Screening Committee to identify the projects for financial support under the Coordinated Research Project on Himalayan Eco-development Scheme. The Committee has recommended that the projects referred to in portion 'A' Nos. 2,3,4 & 7 may kindly be suitably integrated with reference to specific locations, preferably a watershed/sub-catchment area. The selection of the site should be based on the nature of the soil/forest cover degredation, the backwardness of the area and the needs of the people. You may select more than one such site in the foothills/Darjeeling Hills and essentially in Sikkim.

2. In Part 'B', The items referred to under items 2 & 6 may be suitably merged. This aspect of study could be integrated with specific locations and also with the degraded watershed projects. Since the fundamental idea behind these two projects (II & IV) is to study the soil properties in a comprehensive manner with reference to the altitude and climatic gradients, the site selected could vary from the Sub-Himalayan tract to the temperate/alpine zones, it will be desirable if this project gets integrated with other studies on the selected locations so that we are able to present a comprehensive picture, including the socio-economic, socio-cultural and the ecological aspects in terms of the environment and also the physical and biological resources.

3. Such exercises will help us to sharpen our selection of parameters at micro level for effective balanced human development programmes with minimal disturbance to the ecology of the area.

4. Since your University has the privilege of having facilities for conducting researches in the field of biochemistry and medicine, these Departments may also be requested to submit projects for the selected areas, where certain basic screening of the human population could be done with reference to the incidence of infectious or genetical diseases. There are reports that the tribal populations in certain remote areas have high incidence of diseases like colour blindness, sickle cell anemia etc.

5. In selected locations, you may kindly also incorporate the projects referring to the use of pesticides and its harmful effects, which bring ecological imbalances.

6. The main theme of the projects for ecological development is that research which helps in solving a particular problem, could be easily linked to an effective action programme. For the later purpose, linkages with the Government voluntary agencies are to be worked out.

P.T.O.

7. Regarding the needs for equipment and infrastructure for running these projects, the emphasis is that whatever facilities are available with the Departments should be utilized to the maximum extent. However, the genuine needs with reference to the above could be asked for under the projects keeping in view the cost-benefit relationship.

8. I shall be grateful if you would kindly bring the points referred to above to the notice of your colleagues and request them to re-cast the projects individually and then integrate them under the directions of the Project Preparation Group for the consideration of the Committee. Since the time is running short, I will request you to kindly give this matter urgent attention so as to complete this exercise at your earliest convenience and return the projects to reach me by 5th February, 1982. The Committee will meet on 10th February and I shall be needing some time to prepare the final financial requirements from the current year's budget for all the projects in 13 Himalayan universities.

9. Regretfully, already the process has undergone considerable unavoideble delay; further saving of time will help in utilizing the current years financial allocation.

10. I am enclosing a copy of the Report on the Coordinated Research Projects on Himalayan Eco-development and would request you to kindly set up the University Committee as indicated on pages 13-14 of the Report. The projects may be sent as per the proforma, which is enclosed.

With my warm personal regards,

Yours sincerely,

Sd/-
(VIRENDRA KUMAR)

Dr. P.K.Ghosh,
Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University,
P.O. Rajarammohunpur-734430
Dist. Darjeeling,
West Bengal.

P.S. I shall inform you later about the norms and financial allocation for setting up the sub-Centre as mentioned in Dr. M.S.Swaminathan's letter to you.

APPENDIX TO THE APPLICATION FOR GRANT OF RESEARCH PROJECTS UNDER THE COORDINATED RESEARCH PROJECTS ON HIMALAYAN ECO DEVELOPMENT

PROJECT BUDGET

	Ist Year	II nd Year	IIIrd Year	Total
A. * Salaries and Wages :				
1. Investigator				
2. Research Associat				
3. Supporting teachnical staff or other personnel, if any				
Grand Total :				

* Please specify the rate of salary and wages per month for each category.

B. ** Permanent equipment :				
GRAND TOTAL :				

** Please specify various individual items of equipment.

C. @ Expendable equipment and supplies :				

@ Please specify items.

D. Travel

E. Other Project costs, if any.				
Cost of Project Grand Total :				

F. Whether the same Investigator(s) are receiving funds from other agencies.

If yes, Yes/No

Name of the Investigator

Title of the Project

Agency

Amount

APPLICATION FOR GRANT FOR PROJECTS UNDER THE COORDINATED RESEARCH PROJECTS ON HIMALAYAN ECO DEVELOPMENT

(To be completed by the Principal Investigator)

1. Title of the Project _____
2. Name and Designation of the Investigator(s) _____
3. Postal address of the investigator(s) _____
4. Name of the Institution/Organization in which the project will be carried out _____
5. Name of other institution(s)/ organization(s) involved in the project _____
6. (a) Time required for commencement of the project on receipt of approval _____
   (b) Duration of project _____
7. Total amount of assistance required
   (First year) _____
   (Second Year) _____
   (Third Year) _____
   Total : _____
8. Following documents are enclosed:
   i) Statement I - An abstract, not exceeding one page, and submitted separately, describing the background, objectives, methodology and figures of yearwise budget.
   ii) Statement II - giving detailed project proposal which should include state-of-the-art of the subject giving background of the work already done for the region or elsewhere in India (or elsewhere), and defining clearly the objectives and methodology and year-wise phasing of the project. A PERT chart showing the major phases of the project must be included.
   iii) Statement III - giving brief background of the Investigator(s) who will carry out the project.
   iv) Statement IV - indicating facilities available at the institution/organization for carrying out the project.
   v) Statement V - Project Budget in the prescribed format.

I/We have carefully read the terms and conditions of ERC/HAP research grants and agree to abide by them.

Signature of the Investigator(s) _____
Date _____
Place _____

ENDORSEMENT

Certified that the basic facilities needed for undertaking the proposed project are available at our institution/organization and these will be extended to the Investigator's together with such other administrative facilities required by the terms and conditions of the grant.

Signature of the Head of the Institution/Organization _____
Name and Designation _____
Date _____
Place _____

F.121/645/VC-81 18th August 1981

Dear Dr. Swaminathan,

This has reference to your D.O. letter No. M(S)-PC/81-2804 dated 28.5.81 and my letters No. 475/VC-81 dated 13.5.81 and No. F.121/620/VC-81 dated 10.8.81.

The Project Preparation Group had discussions with Dr. Virendra Kumar covering various aspects of the proposed Eco-development programme for theHill region to be undertaken by the University of North Bengal.

The major problems of socio-economic development and ecological imbalance were identified during the discussion. Field oriented research and action programmes which may be undertaken with the involvement of local people through Panchayats, Schools and Colleges were also discussed.

An outline of the project arising out of the discussions is attached herewith for your perusal and observations, if any.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,
Sd/- P. K. Ghosh

Encl: As above.

Dr. M. S. Swaminathan,
Member,
Planning Commission,
Yojana Bhawan,
New Delhi - 110001.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL ECO-DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

Programme of Eco-Development in the North Bengal/Sikkim regions of the Himalayas.

OBJECTIVES

1. Identification of and programme implementation in connection with (a) ecological imbalance (b) eco-restoration (c) eco-development.

2. Identification of the socio-economic aspects of the region and programme development in terms of eco-system restoration activities and development programme for the upliftment of the hill people.

ORGANISATION

1. Faculty members of the relevant departments of the University of North Bengal will be involved in activities relating to the programme made by them. The civil authorities including specific development agencies in the hill region will also be associated. It has been thought essential that the local people will have to be motivated and actually involved in the implementation survey and/or action programme.

For the purpose of a consolidated proposal the following action-oriented programmes have been accepted for implementation during the first phase. The regions have been selected as one in Darjeeling District and the other in Sikkim. The programmes as laid down will be taken up simultaneously with emphasis to be identified by the Senior Investigator of a particular activity :

A (i) Survey and monitoring of pesticide residues in different local food crops, river water, soil, etc. for environmental and ecological considerations.

(ii) Collection of different types of seeds (forest trees and other plants) and control of fungal diseases by use of pesticides.

(iii) To investigate proper conditions for germination of the above mentioned seeds and seedling growth in laboratory, green house andin fields, if necessary

(iv) Districution of seeds to local people for wowing.

(v) Survey of folk medicine.

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(vi) Survey of toxicological principle in food and fodder.

(ii) Identification of plants for aforestation in natural condition.

(viii) Collection of insects, nematodes and other pests including fungi in different seasons for finding out their growth dynamic and economic damage to make farmers conscious of the use of different pesticides for crop protection and to distribute pesticides to the farmers for monitoring the effects.

(ix) Preservation of fruits, vegetables and wood.

B (i) Analysis of inorganic and organic components of soil qualitative and quantitative.

(ii) Physico-Chemical characteristics :

(a) Soil moisture and its retentivity.

(b) Tillage properties, Texture, etc.

(c) Soil temperature.

(d) Clay minerals and fixed oxides.

(iii) Electrochemical studies.

(iv) Polarographic studies.

(v) Variation of the properties with the change of altitudes.

(vi) Distribution pattern and properties of the organic matter, clay minerals, free oxides andminerals as functions of altitudes and climatical conditions, etc.

(vii) Chemical analysis.

C (i) Socio-economic Survey of Sample villages in different altitudinal zones of the Sikkim-Darjeeling Himalaya for understanding socio-economic conditions, health & hygiene, food and folk medicine, interaction with nature demographic trends, impact of modernisation;

(ii) Identification of land-slide prone areas and physical constraints on the life and economy of the hill people.

(iii) Identification of the exposed sides of the roads and suggesting measures for checking water flow and soil erosion.

(iv) A study of the marketing system of the hill products which are dying-out or stagnating due to lack of marketing facility.

(v) A study of the possibilities of growth and revival of Cottage Industries in the hills.

(vi) Continuing projects include prospects of poultry and piggery, bee-keeping sericulture, cattle breeding, impact of slopecultivation and terrace cultivation on the soil since these are partly responsible for the denundation of forest and soil erosion. Forest resources, policy and management covering different stages of plantation, rearing, maintenance, felling and marketing.

Estimated financial requirements for the first phase of the above action oriented programme

Recurring

*1. Co-ordinator-1 @ Rs.2500/- per month ...		Rs. 30,000 p.a.
*2. Senior Investigators-5 @ Rs.2000/- per month ...		Rs.1,20,000 p.a.
3. Investigators-10 @ Rs.800/- per month ...		Rs. 96,000 p.a.
4. Lab-cum-Field Assistant-10 @ Rs.500/- per month ...		Rs. 60,000 p.a.
5. Local Participants ...		Rs.1,50,000 p.a.
6. Office of the Co-Ordinator:		
(a) One Steno-typist @ Rs.700/-per month		Rs, 8,400/-
(b) One Clerk-typist @ Rs.500/- per month		Rs. 6,000/-
(c) One Accounts Clerk-cum-Assistant @ Rs.500/- per month ...		Rs. 6,000/-
(d) One Peon @ Rs.400/- per month		Rs. 4,800/-
7. Chemicals/Solvents/Glass-Wares-....		Rs.1,00,000/-
8. Contingencies;		
(i) Office	20,000	
(ii) Laboratory	20,000	
(iii) Field	20,000 ...	Rs. 60,000/-
9. T.A. & D.A. ...		Rs. 50,000/-
		Rs.6,91,200/-

* It is proposed that the services of faculty members concerned with the suggested programmes would be available on a full-time basis for a year or two. The expenditure shown is to provide for appointment of substitutes in the Post-Graduate departments.

Non-Recurring

1. Space for Laboratory, Green House, Seed Room and Office	Rs. 5,00,000/-
2. Equipments (including Rs. 1,50,000/- for Air Conditioning and Additional Processors, etc. of the existing Computer Centre) ...	Rs. 6,00,000/-
3. Photo Copier ...	Rs. 1,00,000/-
4. Books & Journals ...	Rs. 25,000/-
5. Typewriter Machine and other office accessories ...	Rs. 20,000/-
Total	Rs.12, 45,000/-

Note: Equipments of the value of about Rs.1.5 lakhs which would be required for soil testing and analysis, if ordered now, could be installed after a year or so.

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No.PC(P)19/CA/Eco./81-MLP
Planning Commission
Government of India

Yojana Bhavan
Sansad Marg, N.Delhi 1
29.3.82

Sh. P.C.Benerji
Secretary,
Development & Planning Deptt.
Govt. of West Bengal,
Caloutta

Sir,

Under the Hill Area Development Programme, the Planning Commission has decided to fund certain Coordinated Action Research Projects for Himalayan Eco Development to be undertaken by Universities in the Himalayan Region. The following Researoh Projects have been selected for funding to the Universities through your State :

(Rs. in lakhs)

Title of the Project	University which will be undertaking the project	Amount allotted 1981-82
1. Coordinated Eco-Development Programme of the Mirik Sukna Region of the Eastern Himalayas Region of the Darjeeling District.	North Bengal University, Darjeeling, (WB)	17.85
2. Integrated Demographic & Socio-Economic Studies including Small Scale industries in Darjeeling District.	University of North Bengal, Rajaram-mohanpur.	
3. Participation of graduate/ under-graduate and non-college youths in ecological restoration activities.	-do-	2.00
	Total	19.85

The Ministry of Finance have been requested to release a sum of Rs.19.85 lakhs to your State earmarked for the above purpose. This amount may kindly be placed at the disposal of the University of North Bengal. A copy of the terms and conditions of the sanction is enclosed.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-
(K.V.Sundaram)
Deputy Adviser (MLP)

Copy to: Vice-Chancellor, University of North Bengal, Rajarammohanpur.

Ministry of Finance, Plan Finance Section I, Deptt. of Expdr. North Block. New Delhi.

Sd/-
(K.V.Sundaram)
Deputy Adviser(MLP)

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2. The expenditure on specific item shall not exceed the amount approved during the year for that item. Any shortfall in expenditure in any approved item shall not be adjusted against any other item without the specific approval of the Government of India.

3. An audited statement of account showing the expenditure incurred by the University/Organisation during the current financial year out of the funds sanctioned by the Government shall be furnished to the Government as soon as possible after the close of the financial year together with a certificate from the auditor to the effect that the grant-in-aid was utilised for the purpose for which it was granted.

4. The accounts for the University/Organisation will be open for the test check by the Controller and Auditor General of India at his discretion.

5. Any balance of the grant-in-aid left unspent at the close of the financial year (or any other date and may be specified) will be surrendered to the Government of India.

6. The grant-in-aid should be spent only against recurring items of expenditure.

7. In case of incurring expenditure on any non-recurring items such as purchase of equipment etc. other than already approved, special sanction should be obtained before-hand from the Government of India for such purposes.

8. After the completion of the project, any equipment purchased or infrastructure built-up with the grants-in-aid would be the property of the University and its maintenance would be the responsibility of the University.

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No.PC(P)19/CA/Eco/81-MLP
Planning Commission
Government of India

Yojana Bhavan
Sansad Marg, N.Delhi 1.

29.3.82

Sh. R.Narayanan,
Development Commissioner,
Government of Sikkim,
Gangtok.

Sir,

Under the Hill Area Development Programme, the Planning Commission has decided to fund certain Coordinated Action Research Projects for Himalayan Eco Development to the undertaken by Universities in the Himalayan Region. The following Research Projects have been selected for funding to the Universities through your State :

Title of the Project	University/Institution which will be undertaking the project	Amount allotted 1981-82
Coordinated Eco-Development Programme of some sub-catchment area in Sikkim (Rangpoo and Singtum area).	North Bengal University Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta and ICAR Complex.	7.62
Participation of graduate/ under-graduate and non-college youths in ecological restoration activities.	-do-	2.00
	Total	9.62

The Ministry of Finance have been requested to release a anum of Rs.9.62 lakhs to your State earmarked for the above purpose. This amount may kindly be utilized for the sanctioned projects in collaboration with North Bengal University & Indian Insitute of Management, Calcutta. A copy of the terms and conditions of the sanction is enclosed.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-
(K.V.Sundaram)
Deputy Adviser(MLP)

Copty to : Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University,
West Bengal.

Indian Institute of Management,
Calcutta.

Ministry of Finance,
Plan Finance Section I,
Deptt. of Expdr. North Block,
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Government of West Bengal
Office of the Principal, N.B. Medical College
Sushrutanagar

Appendix-I

No. Estt/6614/7M-3/78 Calcutta, the 17th September '79

From : The Deputy Secretary to the Government of West Bengal.

To : The Director of Health Services, West Bengal.

Sub : Revision of the pay scales of the Accountant, Cashier, Assistant Cashier, Librarian & Asstt. Librarian of the North Bengal Medical College.

M e m o r a n d u m

The undersigned is directed to say that before the takeover of the North Bengal University Medical College under the control of the State Government with effect from 17.8.78, a pay committee was appointed by the North Bengal University to consider the question of revision of pay-scale of the employees of the University including those who were in service in the Medical College. The recommendations of the Pay committee regarding revision of the pay scales of the marginally-noted posts sanctioned by the University authorities for the North Bengal Medical College were placed before a sub-Committee for consideration but the Executive Council of the University had no opportunity for considering the report of the sub-committee on the said recommendations of the pay committee before the institution was taken over by the State Government. However, in a meeting of the Council held on 30.8.78, a resolution was passed to the effect that the report submitted by the sub-committee should be recommended to the State Govt. for acceptance.

1. Accountant - Rs. 300-25-550/-
2. Cashier - Rs. 275-15-350-20-550/-
3. Asstt. Cashier - Rs. 225-15-300-20-500/-
4. Librarian - Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1300/-
5. Asstt. Librarian - Rs. 500-25-750-30-900/-

2. After careful consideration of the circumstances of the case with specific reference to G.O. No. Medl/V/8387/3M-31/78 dt. 14.8.78, the Governor is now pleased to order that the scales of pay of the marginally noted posts shall be revised as indicated on the margin against each of the posts with effect from the dates of appointments of the persons concerned to their respective posts subject to the following conditions :-

i) the persons concerned possess the requisite qualifications and experience prescribed by the University authorities for corresponding posts under them;

ii) identical posts, if any, sanctioned in the Govt. set up for the Medical College shall be held in abeyance and shall not be filled up till the persons concerned continue to hold their respective posts;

iii) none of the marginally noted posts shall, after they are vacated by their present incumbants, be filled up except with the sanction of Government.

3. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide their U.O. No. Group B/1416 dt. 1.9.79.

Sd/- L. K. Sukul
Deputy Secretary.

No. Estt/6614/7M-3/78/1(2)

Copy forwarded to the :-

1. Accountant General, West Bengal
2. Treasury Officer, Siliguri
3. Principal, North Bengal Medical College, Sushrutanagar, Dt. Darjeeling.

for information and necessary action.

Calcutta,
the 17 the September, 1979.

Sd/-
Deputy Secretary.

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Appendix - IV

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Minutes of the 30th meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee of the N.B.U. Council held on 30th March,82 at 11.30 A.M. in the Chamber of the Vice-Chancellor.

Present:-

(1) Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, Chairman.
(2) Dr. I.K.Chatterjee, Prof. Kalyani University, Member.
(3) Dr. P.K.Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj College, Member.
(4) Dr. S.N.Sen, Prof. Deptt. of Physics, Member.
(5) Sri S.M.Roy, Finance Officer, Secretary.

Item-1. To confirm the minutes of the 29th meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 13.2.82.

Minutes were confirmed.

Item-2. To consider the fixation of pay of some newly appointed teachers in the University.

(a) Miss Manjusha Tarafdar, Lecturer in Mathematics. Joined as Lecturer in the Mathematics Deptt. on 12.3.82. Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D.N.I. on 12.3.83.

(b) Dr. P.K.Choudhuri, Lecturer in Mathematics, N.B.U Last pay drawn at A.B.N.Seal College, Cooch-Behar.

Basic.	Rs.	1150.00
A.D.A.	Rs.	502.00
D.A.	Rs.	48.00
I.D.A.	Rs.	60.00
M.A.	Rs.	16.70
	Rs.	1,776.70

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40-110-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1150.00. D.N.I. after one year from the date of joining the post.

(c) Sri Abhijit Bhattacharyya, Lecturer in Chemistry. Joined as Lecturer in Chemistry, N.B.U. on purely temporary basis against leave vacancy on 15.1.82. Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D.N.I. on 15.1.83.

Item-3. To consider a Note from the Finance Officer regarding transfer T.A. of Sri M.B.Sen, Lecturer in Economics from Raiganj College (University College) to University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar to act as Lecturer -in-charge as per resolution of the N.B.U. Council.

The matter was discussed. It was desired by the Committee that the case may be ~~examined~~ examined with reference to Govt. Rules in respect of trasfer T.A. and the case may be put up again for consideration.

Item-4. Correction to previous resolution of Finance Sub-Committee meeting held on 13.8.81 & approved by the N.B.U. Council in its meeting held on 3.12.81 on the fixation of pay of the staff mentioned below:-

S/Sri.	As already done.	As should be	D.N.I. on
1. S.K.Datta, Jr.Asstt.	Rs.655.00	Rs.630.00	1.5.79
2. N.Saha, -do-	-do-	-do-	-do-
3. Smt.Rakhu Saha Choudhuri. -do-	-do-	-do-	-do-
4. Smt.Dipti Chakraborty. -do-	-do-	-do-	-do-

Reported and approved.

Item-5. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri Passang Tamang, Electronics Technician, Physics Deptt. on his placement in the higher grade.

Sri Tamang was drawing his basic pay Rs.890/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 550-1160.

Sri Tamang's pay on his placement in the higher grade in the scale of pay Rs. 600-1250 w.e.f. 1.10.81 was fixed at Rs.1050/-. D.N.I. on 1.10.82.

Item-6. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri Chitta Ranjan Chakraborty, Jr. Asstt., Finance Branch and Smt. Rekha Misra, Jr. Asstt., V.C's Estb. in the next higher grade corresponding to the next higher post w.e.f. 1.10.81 as a very special case.

Sri Chakraborty, Finance Branch & Smt. Misra, V.C's Estb. were drawing their basic pay of Rs. 745/- and Rs.745/- respectively in the scale of pay of Rs.400-900. Pay of each of them on their placement in the next higher grade corresponding to the next higher post w.e.f. 1.10.81 in the scale of pay of Rs. 500-1100 was fixed at Rs. 810/- with D.N.I. on 1.10.82.

Item-7. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri M.K.Saha, Asstt. Cashier on his promotion to the post of Cashier w.e.f. 1.10. 81.

The matter was considered. It was desired that the case may be put up again with a comparative statement showing the stages and benefits enjoyed by Sri A.K.Roy & Sri M.K. Saha in their respective scale of pay since the beginning of their service in the University.

Item-8. To consider the pay of some U.S.I.C. staff in the University in the U.G.C. scales.

The matter was discussed. The Committee decided that their pay ~~xx~~ may be drawn as usual (i.e. as drawn in the past) pending revision of their scales of pay as recommended by the Committee constituted by the N.B.U. Council for consideration of the U.G.C.

The Committee further decided that the yearly increment may be given to them in the present U.G.C. scales.

Misc.item:

1. To considera note from the care-taker, regarding increase in rate to the labourers from Rs.5.50.

Due to increase in market price, the Supdt., Care-Taking Section had suggested that the rates of Labourers may be considered for revision by the Finance Sub-Committee at Rs.6/- - 7/- per day.

The matter was discussed and the Committee recommended that the existing rate at Rs.5.50 may be increased to Rs.6/- per day with effect from 1.4.82.

2. To consider an application from Sri A. Sinha, Electrical Engineer for protection of his pay of Rs.1980/- which he was drawing from previous employeer.

The Committee examined the case. In view of the fact that his pay had already been fixed at Rs.900/- after allowing 5 increments (total emoluments being Rs.1560.70) it was regretted that his appeal could not be considered.

3. The Committee noted that in the resolution of 21st meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 17.3.81 vide item No.1(m) &(n), the date of joining of Sri Sanjib Kr. Sarkar,Jr. Asstt. & Sri Ramesh Ch. Singha,Jr. Asstt. were wrongly recorded. The correct date has been shown against each.

Datd shown in previous resolution.		As should be
(a) Sri Sanjib Kr. Sarkar.	28.1.81	27.1.81
(b) Sri Ramesh Ch.Singh.	27.1.81	28.1.81

Date of next increment would be after one year from the date of joining the post. The Committee directed that the Estb. Section may take steps accordingly for rectification of the dates of joining

The items were confirmed.

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

Sd/- S. M. Roy
Finance Officer
Secretary.

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh
Vice-Chancellor
Chairman.

Appendix - III

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF COLLEGE
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL.

Ref.No.32/29/Insp-82 Dated 25 Feb.'82.

Note to the Vice-Chancellor

Sub:- Recommendations National Council of Teacher Education.

This has reference to the letter from the Head of the Deptt. of Teacher Education, NCERT dated 12 February, 1982.

Some time ago a team of the Department of Teacher Education visited S.R.B.T.College, Darjeeling alongwith some other Training Colleges in India, Later on the NCERT send us general observations and recommendations for the improvement of the conditions existing in Training Colleges keeping in view a national norm. A brief resume of these are indicated below for the Vice-Chancellor's kind perusal and advice.

(a) Particular emphasis is to be given on periodical assessment of the maintenance of conditions of affiliation by the institution;

(b) Affiliation to an institution on a temporary basis may be stopped; only permanent affiliation may be given after all the required conditions are fulfilled;

(c) Adequate number of books and journals, addition of new titles every year and adequate space for an expanding library and the reading room may be insisted upon;

(d) Provision for appointing part-time teachers in the condition of affiliation is detrimental to the standards of teacher education.

(e) Better coordination is necessary between the university and the State Government in the matter of getting the required teaching posts sanctioned and filled up as quickly as possible.

(f) The Teacher-pupil ratio of 1:10 as recommended by the U.G.C. may always be kept in view; increase in students' strength, in case of necessary, be suitably met by an increase in Teachers' strength.

(g) Revision of the prevailing conditions of affiliation in the light of emerging needs is necessary;

(h) Inspection team for the purpose of granting affiliation may be made comprehensive and effective; in order to do so the team may consist of atleast three educationists of whom one may be from an institution of education located outside the jurisdiction of the University;

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(i) The University may so work out its conditions of affiliations with specific staff and other requirements that the Government may revise its policy of making provision for these;

(j) The University should accord recognition to a college only when the State Government assured to provide all the necessary staff and other facilities according to the prescribed norms.

In relevance to the above recommendations it is submitted that most of the Training Colleges affiliated to this University are not in an ideal state of affairs. Want of adequate space and an inadequate library are the common deficiencies found in the colleges with the exception of Govt.Teachers Training College in Malda; As to Teacher-pupil ratio the less said the better. Teaching staff pattern initially sanctioned by the Education Deptt. in the year 1957 still remains unchanged. Emphasis on content portion of a subject, as previously done, is no longer there in the new syllabus; but the Method subjects taught in college also require preparation of lesson plans in which the conncoerned teacher is expected to guide the trainees with confidence. But as it happens, a Method subject is taught by a teacher who himself read the subject at the time of his graduation only. Such teachers confessed to the undersigned that they did not feel comfortable in teaching the Methodology of a particular subject without imself having incurred any advanced knowledge in the subject. This was due to the want of adequate teaching-staff in the college, and to more reliance upon part-time teachers. This is not a very healthy practice.

The undersigned, therefore, submits that the Vice-Chancellor may kindly consider the necessity of making a thorough probe into the existing defects in the B.Ed. colleges with the help of atleast one expert from another University.

Sd/- A.B.Majumder
Inspector of colleges.

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Appendix - IV

The 13th meeting of the Library Sub-Committee was held on 2.4.1982 at 3 p.m. at the Library Conference Room :

The following members were present :

Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor in the Chair
Dr. S.C.Lahiri, Head of the Department of Bengali
Dr. P.K.Bhattacharyya, Head of the Department of History
Dr. S.K.Sen , " " " Philosophy
Dr. D.Bhowmick , " " " Political Science
Shri S.P.Pal, " " " Mathematics
Dr. S.Mukherjee, " " " Physics
Dr. A.K.Ghosh, " " " Chemistry
Dr. S.R.Basu, " " " Geography & Applied Geography

General Secretary, Research Scholars' Association and Shri Badal Bhattacharyya, represented the Students' Association. Dr. A.Banerjee, Head of the Department of English had earlier informed of his inability to attend the meeting.

Minutes :

1. The proceedings of the 12th meeting of the Library Sub-Committee held on 15.1.1982 were confirmed.
   It was noted that the name of Dr. S.R.Basu, Head of the Department of Geography & Applied Geography, was left out from the proceedings of the 12th meeting. He was present at the meeting.
   In connection with the Miscellaneous item no. 1 of the 12th meeting, it was decided that henceforward all applications regarding loss of books by students/scholars/fellows be routed through the Head of the Department.

2. In connection with the proposal of transfer of text books and current periodicals to the Department of Geography & Applied Geography, it was decided that opinion of the Departmental Committees of all Departments be sought on the following points :
   a) availability of adequate space in the department for display and storage of the books and periodicals
   b) whether such Seminar Library would cater for students or teachers or scholars or for all of them
   c) a list of such books should be prepared for consideration of the Library Sub-Committee
   d) whether the departments would require any additional staff, furniture for the purpose.

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As regards the proposal of the Head of the Department of Physics for keeping current periodicals in the department for one month, all departments be requested to submit their views on the feasibility of the proposal taking into account the question of staff, space and furniture.

The reports are to be submitted within a fortnight. The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

3. The Vice-Chancellor reported that the Vidyasagar Bhavan has to be temporarily used for accommodating students of P.G. Part I class. In view of this the Library Sub-Committee decided that the books kept in Vidyasagar Bhavan Library (Day Students' Home) be transferred to the University Library. The Staff of Vidyasagar Bhavan be posted at the University Library.

4. It was decided that the Rules as framed below be forwarded to The Registrar for implementation

a) All scholars/teacher-fellows should return all books to the library before going on leave for 3 months or more. Leave may be considered on production of Library clearance.

b) All scholars/teacher-fellows are required to produce Library clearance at the time of submission of theses to the Registrar.

The resolution was taken as confirmed.

5. It was resolved that 32 books (list enclosed) be weeded out. The books however may be kept for 14 days and unless any valid suggestion is received for preserving them by the time, the books would be destroyed. This was confirmed at the meeting.

6. To report the framing of Rules for the use of the University Library by students of Librarianship training to be organized by the B.L.A.

a). Students who are desirous of using the University Library are required to produce certificate from the Bengal Library Association. Students should register their names with the University Library, and obtain a membership card with a photograph.

b). Such registered students are required to deposit a sum of Rs. 20/- only which is refundable at the end of the course.

c). Such students may utilize the University Library for the purpose of reference only.

d). Students must observe the rules and discipline of the University Library.

The rules framed for the students of Librarianship training organized by the Bengal Library Association were noted.

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7. It was noted that Shri Dhiraj R. Raichamling had lost a book : Politimetrics; an introduction to quantitative macropolitics by T.R.Gurr; 320.01 G 978 p (40939) £ 4.85. He may be requested to pay the rupee equivalent of £ 4.85 for loss of the book.

8. The stock taking report was accepted and it was recommended that the books be written off. The total loss is 423 books (The report is enclosed).

9. The question of raising the charge for Xerox copy to Re 1/- per page was deferred.

Any other matter :

1. It was noted that the North Bengal University Council in its meeting held on 29.3.1982 Miscellaneous item no. 7(iii) recommended that the post-graduate students be allowed to borrow to the extent of 4 books at a time for a period of 10 days. The following rules in this connections are recommended for adoption.-

   i) Students should return the book on the date specified. It he fails to return the book a fine of 20 paise per day would be charged upto five days after the expiry of loan period. If a book is kept beyond that period he would be debarred from borrowing the 4th book. Fine would be imposed as follows 20 paise per book per day beyond the period from the 10th to 30th day, and beyond the 30th day Re 1/- per book per day. Fictions would however not be issued to students not studying literature.

2. The Library Sub-Committee noted with gratitude that Mrs. Usha Rani Sarkar offered to donate 44 titles to the University Library from the collection of Shri Kshitish Chandra Sarkar.

It was decided that a rubber stamp be embrossed on the accessioned books indicating the name of the donor . An acknowledgement would be sent to the donor on receipt of the books.

The meeting was terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- C. Sen
Secretary,
Library Sub-Committee.

Sd/- P.K.Ghose
Chairman,
Library Sub-Committee.

Appendix V

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the meeting of the Advisory Committee for Engineering Examinations held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 12.4.82 at 1p.m.

Members present :

1. Principal H.Bhaumik, Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
2. Prof.T.K.Roy, Head of the Deptt.of Mechanical Engg., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.

Item No.1 : To consider matters arising out of non-appearance of candidates of the B.E.Part III(Second Semester) Examination,1981 in Public Health Engineering I and Thermal Power Engineering.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations reported to the members that he had received an appeal from the students to consider their cases with sympathy. The Principal also informed the members that the students expressed their repentance for their non-appearance at the papers according to schedule. In consideration of all these facts the members present recommended holding of examinations in Public Health Engineering I and Thermal Power Engineering on a suitable date to be suggested by the Principal.

Item No.2 : To consider the petition of some candidates of B.E.(Second Semester) Examinations whose examinations were cancelled for alleged adoption of unfairmeans.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed the applications of the students before the members present. He also placed the letter addressed to the Vice-Chancellor by the General Secretary, Students' Union for favourable consideration of the cases. In view of the unconditional apology of the students and also because of the fact that the students are in a disadvantageous position as they have been lagging behind the Academic session by a considerable period (more than 6 months) which is adversely affecting the administration of the College also to some extent, the committee recommended relaxation of the punishment by allowing the students concerned to sit in all the five papers for the Second Semester Examination,1981 along with the next First Semester Examination of 1982 to save the students from losing one full academic year. The Committee recommended realisation of prescribed fee from the candidates.

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Miscellaneous items :

(i) To consider the letter No.10(1)/82 dated 6.4.82 of the Secretary, Govt.College Engineering Teachers' Association regarding intimidation of two Professors of Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.

Decision : The letter was duly presented and discussed at length. In this connection the Deputy Controller of Examinations informed the members that he has already written a letter to the Secretary requesting him to extend necessary cooperation in matters of examinations as the Principal has already been requested to take appropriate action in this regard. The Principal also informed the Committee that he has already initiated action by demanding explanation from the concerned students, and that one of the students has already apologised to the teachers concerned for his misconduct.

However, the Committee further requested the Principal to take appropriate action to prevent recurrence of such incident in future.

(ii) To consider the petition of one second year Engineering student of 1979-80 session.

Decision : It was noted that the candidate could only appear in 1st Assessment test and could not take the other two tests owing to his illness. In view of the fact that the computation of internal assessment marks had to be made on the basis of 2 out of 3 internal tests during the session 1979-80, the members recommended arrangement of another internal assessment test for the candidate. As regards the modus operandi of the test, the same is to be decided by the Department concerned.

The meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Appendix VI

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee meeting held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 13.4.82 at 1 p.m.

Members present :

1. Shri P.K.Majumder - Siliguri College.
2. Dr. P.K.Gupta - Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya.
3. Dr.A.B. Majumder - Inspector of Colleges,N.B.U.
4. Shri B.Bhattacharyya- Prof. in Geography, N.B.U.

Item No. 1 : To consider matters regarding rescheduling of dates of various Undergraduate Examinations,1982.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations explained in detail the problems arising out of non-receipt of fees and forms both from the Colleges as well as from the External candidates due to closure of the Colleges owing to the strike of the non-teaching employees. The announcement by the Election Commission to hold Assembly Election in West Bengal on the 19th May,1982 has posed another problem with regard to holding of the Examinations scheduled to be held from the 3rd May,1982. After a detailed discussion the members present recommended the following rescheduling of dates of various Undergraduate Examinations. The Committee recommended to hold the B.Ed.Examination according to schedule i.e. from the 3rd May, 1982 as the period of deputation of the teachers is to be completed on the 15th May,1982 and the teachers shall have to report for duty to their respective institutions from that date. In this connection the members requested the Deputy Controller of Examinations to write to the District Magistrates to exempt the teachers concerned from Election Duty and also not to utilise the College buildings as booths upto 17.5.82.

	Original Date.	Revised date.
1. B.Ed., 1982	3.5.82	3.5.82
Last date for submission of fees and forms without fine	- 19.4.82	
2. B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.Part II (Old) Examination,1982.	3.5.82	14.6.82
Last date for submission of fees and forms without fine	- 28.4.82	
Last date with fine	- 4.5.82	

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In view of the holding of the Examinations during the summer recess, the members of the Committee request the Vice-Chancellor to write to the Principals, Secretaries, Teachers' Council, General Secretary, W.B.C. U.T.A. and District Secretaries, W.B.C.U.T.A. of North Bengal Districts for extending co-operation with regard to invigilation by the teachers during the vacation.

	Original date.	Revised date.
3. B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Two Year Pass)	2.7.82	2.7.82
Last date for submission of fees and forms without fine	- 15.5.82	
Last date with fine	- 22.5.82	
4. B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.Part II (New 3 year Hons.)	25.6.82	30.7.82
Last date for submission of fees and forms without fine	- 15.5.82	
Last date with fine	- 22.5.82	
5. B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.Part I (New 3 year Hons)	25.6.82	31.7.82
Last date for submission of fees and forms without fine	- 15.5.82	
Last date with fine	- 22.5.82	
6. Final Law	6.5.82	24.6.82.
Last date for submission of fees and forms without fine	- 22.4.82	
Last date with fine	- 29.4.82.	

Item No.2 : To consider the petition of a Part I (New 3 year Honours) candidate for permission to appear in Elective English as a back paper candidate.

Decision : The members present noted the fact that the candidate having obtained 40% marks in Honours subject became unsuccessful at the Part I (Honours) Examination, 1981 for his failure to obtain pass marks in Elective English only. The members also noted in this connection the Committee's earlier recommendation not to allow back paper benefit to the new course candidates who first appeared in 1981. The Committee took a sympathetic view of the case and recommended that the candidates who appeared at the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.Part I (New 3 year Honours) Examination, 1981 and obtained 40% or more marks in Honours but failed in one subject/group only may be permitted to appear in that failed subject/group as a special case. They may also appear at the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Part II (Honours) in 1982 in case of their completion of the courses of study. They will not be entitled to get the class even if they qualify for Honours on the combined results of Parts I and II. They will be declared to have passed with Honours.

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Item No.3 : To consider the case of seniority of service of Shri Biswanath Bhattacharyya, Lecturer in Sanskrit, Malda College.

Decision : Shri P.K.Majumder raised the issue. On scrutiny of all relevant documents available with the office of the Controller of Examinations it was established that Shri Biswanath Bhattacharyya actually started his career as a lecturer in Sanskrit from 29.11.69 at Malda College. The Committee, therefore, recommended that the service seniority of Shri Bhattacharyya as a lecturer in Sanskrit be counted from that date i.e. 29.11.69.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL Appendix-VII

REGISTRAR 16th May 1981

Note to the Vice-Chancellor

This has reference to his order in connection with reviewing and amending of University Statutes, Ordinances and Regulations in implementing the provisions of the various sections of the North Bengal University Bill 1981.

In view of the fact that a large number of new Statutes, Ordinances and Regulations have to be framed and also the existing Statutes, Ordinances, Regulations have to be radically amended, it is proposed that a special unit should be established for the purpose. The unit should, at the minimum, consist of :

(i) Junior Officer	- 1
(ii) Stenographer	- 1
(iii) Steno-typist	- 1
(iv) Assistant	- 1
(v) Peon	- 1

It is needless to say that such persons should preferably have knowledge of the functioning of a University. The Vice-Chancellor may also consider that in implementing many provisions of the Bill a large number of staff will have to be appointed including some officers.

Placed for information and order.

Sd/- B.K.Bajpaie
Registrar

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Government of West Bengal
Education Department
University Education Branch

Annexure-II

No. 363(6)-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the March 31, 1982

From: T.H.Sengupta, IAS
Dy. Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal.

To : The Registrar,
University of North Bengal.

Sub : Modification of qualification prescribed for recruitment to the posts of Finance Officer, Audit and Accounts Officer, Account Officer/Audit Officer of the State-aided Universities in West Bengal.

Sir,

In continuation of this Government Order No. 171(6)-Edn(U) dated 19.2.82 on the subject mentioned above I am directed by order of the Governor to say that in partial modification of Govt. Order No. 559(7)-Edn(U) dated 3.4.80 the Governor after careful consideration has been pleased to prescribe the essential qualifications in respect of the following posts shown against each.

Name of the post	Required Qualification
Finance Officer	i) Bachellor's Degree with good academic record.
	ii) Chartered Accountant or Cost Accountant or equivalent professional qualification. OR Masters Degree in Business Administration with specialisation in finance.
	iii) Seven years of working experience in management of finance in a Government/ University/Commercial Establishment.
Audit and Accounts Officer	i) Bachelor's Degree with good academic record.
	ii) Chartered Accountant or Cost-Accountant or Business Management Degree.
	iii) Experience in Audit and Accountancy work for atleast five years in a senior position involving Supervision, Control and Planning and Management of Audit and Accounts.
Account Officer/ Audit Officer	i) Honours Graduate in Commerce with good academic record.
	ii) Three years of working experience in Supervision, Control, Planning and Management of Accounts and Audit, preparation of Budget in Government, Quasi-Government or University or Commercial Establishment.

Provided that the prescribed academic qualifications may be relaxed on the recommendation of the Selection Committee in respect of the employees of the University who are other wise found suitable for the posts of Audit and Accounts Officer and Account Officer/ Audit Officer.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- T.H.Sengupta
Deputy Secretary.

Annexure - Appendix III

Government of West Bengal
Education Department
University Education Branch

No.367(6)-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the March 31, 1982
8-4-82

From : T.H. Sengupta, IAS
Dy. Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To : The Registrar,
University of North Bengal
Raja-Rammohunpur, P.O. North Bengal University
Siliguri, Dist. Darjeeling.

Sub : Equalisation of rates of Dearness Allowance of University Teachers with those under Government.

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Sir,

I am directed by order of the Governor to say that, after careful consideration of the recommendations of the 2nd Pay Commission, the Governor is pleased to direct that with effect from 1st April, 1981 the teaching staff of the Universities shall get Dearness Allowance elements at the rates shown in Column 2 of the enclosed statement. Further Additional Dearness Allowance sanctioned with effect from 1-8-81 in Education Department Memo. No. 1439(6)-Edn(U) dated 1-9-81 shall, however be drawn in addition to the Dearness Allowance elements sanctioned above.

The existing total Dearness Allowance elements already drawn with effect from 1-4-81 should be deducted from the figure under Column 2 and the balance, if any will be the additional amount admissible with effect from 1st April, 1981. In those cases where the existing Dearness allowance element is more than the figure shown in Column 2, there should be no further increase and future increase(s) in Dearness Allowance should be adjusted so that there is exact equalisation in the matter of Dearness Allowance between Government employees and the teaching staff of the Universities.

This order issues with concurrence of the Finance Department vide their U.O.No.192/Group-J dated 2-3-82.

The Pay and Accounts Officer and the Accountant General, West Bengal are being informed.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- T.H. Sengupta
Deputy Secretary.

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ANNEXURE - II.

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

AGENDA PAPERS

FOR

the 64th meeting of the NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Date: 28.6.1982
Time: 11-00 A.M.

Place: Conference Room
Administrative Building
Raja-Rammohunpur

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

N o t i c e

The 64th meeting of the North Bengal University Council will be held on Monday, 28th June, 1982 at 11-00 A. M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur to consider the following agenda :

A G E N D A

1. To confirm the minutes of the adjourned meeting (63rd) of the N.B.U. Council held on 3.5.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-I)

2. To confirm the minutes of the 63rd meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 31.5.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-II)

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

   Decision:

4. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

   Decision:

5. To consider the report of the meeting of the Advisory Council of the Centre for Himalayan Studies dated 1.4.82.

   Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)
   (Annexure-III)

6. To report a communication No. 239-Edn(U) dated 8/11.3.82 received from the Dy. Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Deptt. of Education with regard to admissibility of House Rent Allowance to the spouse occupying the University Quarters.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)
(Annexure-IV)

7. To consider a joint note from the Registrar and Finance Officer, N.B.U. in respect of D.A. rates for field trips under area studies programme to Sikkim and Bhutan.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)
(Annexure-V)

8. To consider a letter No. F.6-1/81(AE) dated 17.3.82 received from the Secretary, U.G.C. in connection with the revised Guide-lines of Programmes of Adult and continuing education and extension through Universities and Colleges.

(Annexure-VI)

9. To consider the representation received from some non-teaching employees.

Decision:

10. To consider the decisions of the Conference of the Vice-Chancellors with the Chancellor held on 5.3.82.

(Annexure-VII)

Decision:

11. To consider matter relating to Sri Subhas Guha Neogi, Lecturer, Deptt. of Chemistry.

Decision:

12. To consider the prayer of Smt. Chhanda Chakraborty, Lecturer, Deptt. of History for Study allowance.

Decision:

13. To consider Inspection Report on Raiganj B.Ed College.

(Annexure-VIII)

Decision:

14. To consider recommendation of the Committee formed for the staff of USIC.

Decision:

15. To report the Govt. letter relating to Non-Practising Allowance of University Medical Officer.

Decision:

16. To consider a note from University Engineer for creation of a post of S.A.E. (Electrical).

Decision:

17. To consider prayer of Sri Kamal Kumar Nandi, Lecturer, Deptt. of Mathematics for treating his absence as leave on duty.

Decision:

18. To consider a note of Finance Officer for creation of some posts.

Decision:

19. To consider the cases of the following non-teaching employees.

(a) Sri Satyendra Nath Ghosh - Binder
(b) Sri Benu Kumar Das - Plumber Helper
(c) Sri Prabhat Kumar De - Jr. Assistant
(d) Sri Muneswar Bajpore - Sweeper

Decision:

20. To consider the recommendations of promotion implementation Committee.

Decision:

21. To approve the appointments of teachers and Principal of Falakata College selected by the West Bengal College Servioe Commission.

Decision:

22. To consider the cases of the undernoted employees for confirmation :

Sl No.	Name	Date of appointment	Date of confirmation
1.	Sri Gopal De Sarkar (Guard)	1.6.81 (Forenoon)	1.6.82
2.	Sri Monoj Kr. Kundu (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
3.	Sri Sachin Ch. Singh (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
4.	Sri Chandra Bahadur Thapa (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
5.	Sri Sufal Ch. Singha Skilled Helper (Jr.) Deptt. of Chemistry	17.6.81 (")	17.6.82
6.	Sri Gobinda Gopal Raha (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
7.	Sri Narayan Ch. Dutta (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
8.	Sri Krishna Kr. Chakraborty (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
9.	Sri Phani Bhusan Singh (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
10.	Sri Satya Ranjan Das (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
11.	Sri Shyamal Kr. Singha	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82

Decision:

23. To report that the Registrar received a copy of a letter No. MC-82(1)/82-Med/2070 dated 3.5.82 alongwith a copy of the Inspection Report on North Bengal Medical College from the Secretary, Medical Council of India derecognising the M.B.B.S. degree granted by the N.B.U. in respect of the students being trained at the N.B. Medical College.

Decision:

23.(a) To consider communication No. HEALTH/MERT/541/HPT/31 M-3/82 dated 15.5.82 received from the Govt. of West Bengal, Deptt. of Health & Family Welfare regarding constitution of a Committee for devising measure towards fulfilment of the Medical Council of India's stipulations in the matter of recognition of the North Bengal Medical College.

Decision:

24. To approve the appointments of teachers and Principal of Gangarampur College selected by the West Bengal College Service Commission.

Decision:

25. To consider the proceedings of the 29th meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 28.5.82.

Decision:

26. To consider a letter of resignation submitted by Shri Alok Majumder, Senior Research Fellow, (U.G.C) Deptt. of Chemistry, w.e.f. 14.4.82.

Decision:

27. To consider the recommendation of the enhancement Committee for enhancement of fellowship of Shri Partha Chattopadhyay, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Chemistry, from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 29.2.82.

Decision:

28. To report that 7 candidates have completed their one year's compulsory internship training after passing the M.B.B.S. examination held in April, 1981.

Decision:

29. To consider a note from the Registrar for determining eligibility of candidates who have passed B.A./B.Sc/B.Com examination in Pass Course under New Two Year degree course to appear at the M.A./M.Sc/M.Com Part-I examination as external candidates.

Decision:

30. To consider a representation received from employees of Watch & Ward Department.

Decision:

31. To consider certain resolutions of the North Bengal University Law College Council dated 11.5.82.

Decision:

32. To consider an application from Sri Somnath Choudhury, Asstt. Superintendent, University Press praying for permission for enrolling his name in the panel of experts for assignment to the developing Countries of Asia, Africa and Latin America.

Decision:

33. To consider the minutes of the 31st Adjourned meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 1.6.82. (Annexure-IX)

Decision:

34. To consider a proposal from the Head of the Deptt. of Physics, in connection with filling up one U.G.C. Ressarch Fellowship.

Decision:

35. To consider an application from Shri Sreeman Darjee, Guard, N.B.U. praying for granting of House Rent allowance from the date of vacating the University Quarter i.e. (1st January, 1980).

Decision:

36. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

REGISTRAR

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
The 18th June, 1982.

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Annexure-I

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the 63rd meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 3.5.1982.

Members present :

1. Prof. S. N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Sri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
3. Sri P. K. Majumdar, Lecturer in English, Siliguri College
4. Sri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer in Bengali, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri

Since there was no quorum for the meeting the Chairman adjourned the meeting till 11-00 A.M. of 31st May 1982, the venue remaining the same.

Dr. H. P. Bhowmick and Sri M. Das arrived after the meeting was declared adjourned when one member had already left.

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Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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Annexure - II

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the 63rd meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Monday, the 31st May, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Prof. S. N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Prof. I. K. Chatterjee
3. Sri A. Bhattacharyya, Judge, High Court, Sikkim
4. Sri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
5. Sri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
6. Sri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
7. Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya
8. Sri P. K. Majumdar, Lecturer, Siliguri College
9. Sri Prabhat Acharjee, Lecturer, Malda College

Sri S. M. Roy, Actg. Finance Officer, Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, Shri R. K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar and Shri S. Majumdar, Deputy Controller of Examinations were requested to make themselves available during the meeting.

1. The minutes of the 62nd meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 16.4.1982 were confirmed with the following amendments :

(i) Item No. 2 Read "Subhas" in place of "Suhas".
(ii) Item No. Suppl. 6 For the word "is" the word "in" be read.

Matter arising out of confirmation of minutes

(i) Item No. 7 and 8 The Council considered some questions in connection with implementation of the decisions and decided that necessary action be taken for immediate implementation of the resolution.

(ii) Item No. 6 The Chairman reported that he has received a letter from Prof. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor intimating that he had already written to the Chancellor for extension of his leave for a further period of two months. The Council decided that Prof. S.N. Sen would continue to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Vice-Chancellor during the leave of absence of Prof. P. K. Ghosh under previous terms and conditions. It was further decided that the matter might be referred to the Chancellor for approval as per North Bengal University Act 1961.

Confirmed for immediate action.

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2. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

No recommendation was placed.

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

No recommendation was placed.

4. To consider the proposal for creating a special cell in the Registrar's Deptt. as per resolution No. Misc. 3 of the meeting of the N.B.U. Council dt. 16.4.82.

The Council after considering all aspects of the matter decided to request the Vice-Chancellor to take appropriate action under Section 57(8) of the North Bengal University Act 1981. Confirmed for immediate action.

5. To report that a G.O. No. 363(6)-Edn(U) dated 31.3.82 has been received from the Dy. Secretary, Deptt. of Education Govt. of West Bengal regarding modification of qualification prescribed for recruitment to the posts of Finance Officer, Audit and Accounts Officer, Account Officer/Audit Officer of the State-aided Universities in West Bengal.

Noted. In view of the changes mentioned in connection with essential qualifications for appointment to the post of Finance Officer, the Council decided that a fresh advertisement be inserted for the post of Finance Officer, it should be mentioned that those who applied before need not apply again, their cases would be considered along with other applications. Confirmed for immediate action.

6. To consider the case of Dr. Nityalal Karmakar, Sr. Research Assistant, Deptt. of Physics, N.B.U.

The Council decided that the Show cause notice sent to Dr. Nityalal Karmakar might be sent again under registered post to his last known address. Confirmed for immediate action.

7. To consider the case of increment of Sri Sahadev Mallik, Sweeper, Health Centre, N.B.U.

The Council decided that Sri Sahadev Mallik might be allowed to earn increment during the period of the extra-ordinary leave granted to him. His date of increment will be the anniversary date of joining.

8. To consider the case of Sri Somnath Choudhury, Asstt. Superintendent, University Press for confirmation w.e.f. 1.5.82 (His date of joining to substantive post is 1.5.81).

The Council in consideration of the confidential reports and

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recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor decided to confirm the service of the following employee of the University with effect from the date mentioned against him, subject to (i) his being found medically fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) Verification of age and academic qualifications, and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose :

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
Sri Somnath Choudhury Asstt. Superintendent University Press.	1.5.81 (Forenoon)	1.5.82

Confirmed for immediate action.

9. To consider a letter No. 367(6)-Edn(U) dated 8.4.82 received from the Deputy Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Education Department, University Education Branch with regard to equalisation of rates of Dearness Allowance of University teachers with those under Government.

Noted.

10. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for the recruitment of a Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) in the department of Chemistry, N.B.U.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in appointing Sri Amaresh Ch. Lahiri as Junior Research Fellow against a personal project of Dr. J. L. Das Kanungo, Reader in Chemistry, Sri Lahiri was recommended by a properly constituted selection committee. He will be appointed on a temporary basis till the completion of the project and would receive Rs. 600/- (fixed) p.m. as Fellowship and Rs. 3000/- p.a. as contingency grant.

11. To consider a letter from Shri Bhriguram Mondal, Jr. Research Fellow (U.G.C.) Bengali Deptt. N.B.U. praying for granting of extension of leave for a further period of six months w.e.f. 1st June, 1982.

The Council decided that the U.G.C. might be requested to extend the leave of Sri Bhriguram Mondal, J.R.F. in Bengali for a further period of six months with effect from 1st June, 1982.

12. To consider a letter No. Sales Counter/82-83/55 dated 16.4.82 received from Sri Dibyendu Hota, Chief Executive Officer, West Bengal State Book Board in connection with holding exhibition and selling of books on the University Campus.

The Council decided that facilities might be extended for holding an exhibition of books published by West Bengal State Book Board on the Campus of the University.

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13. To consider the report of the meeting of the Advisory Council of the Centre for Himalayan Studies dated 1.4.82.

The Council decided that the report should be annexed with the papers for consideration at the next meeting.

14. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with leave application and documents submitted by Sri Muneswar Bajpore, Sweeper, University Health Centre along with the comments of the University Medical Officer.

The Council decided to request the Vice-Chancellor to take necessary action as per discussion.

15. To consider a note from the Dy. Controller of Examinations, regarding issue of a few diplomas of 1972.

The Council decided that the Principals of concerned colleges might be requested to send written report on the matter.

16. To consider a letter No. Seminar/82-83/41 dated 13.4.82 received from Sri Dibyendu Hota, Chief Executive Officer, West Bengal State Book Board communicating the proposal of the commission for scientific and technical terminology under the Ministry of Education and Social Welfare, Govt. of India for holding a seminar on preparation of Pan Indian Terminology pertaining to Psychology, Education and Sociology on the University Campus some time in the first week of June this year.

The Council decided to extend all facilities for holding a seminar on preparation of Pan Indian Terminology pertaining to Psychology, Education and Sociology on the University Campus in June 1982.

17. To consider a letter No. NBUEA/6 dated 22.4.82 received from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. with regard to supply of electric fans to class IV employees of the University.

The Council decided that one small size fan to be installed in each of the University quarters occupied by class IV employees in a phased manner subject to availability of necessary funds. It was also decided that on the installation of fans electric metres should be installed. Confirmed for immediate action.

18. To consider the action taken as per resolution No. 11 of the meeting of the N.B.U. Council dated 14.1.82.

The Council while rescinding the earlier resolution dated 14.1.82 decided under the provision of Section 13 of the West Bengal College Teachers (Security of Services) to delegate the power conferred upon it by Section 12 of the West Bengal College Teachers (Security of Services) Act, 1975 to Sri B.K.Bajpaie, Registrar, North Bengal

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University w.e.f. 22.4.82 in connection with an appeal preferred by Smt. Shefali Chakraborty (Ganguli).

19. To consider a letter from Prof. Gobinda Pada Pal, who has been appointed as Principal, University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar.

The Council noted that Dr. Gobinda Pada Pal who was recommended by the College Service Commission has intimated his inability to join as Principal of University B.T. and Evening College, Cooch Behar. The Council requested the Vice-Chancellor to write to the College Service Commission for another name. Confirmed for immediate action.

20. To consider a note from the Finance Officer for releasing the balance amount of C.P.F. money of Prof. H.P. Chakraborty, Retd. Vidyasagar Adhyapaka, Deptt. of Bengali, North Bengal University.

The Council considered a note No. 1508-F-82 dated 23.4.82 and decided that a some of Rs. 2538.31 be released as full and final of accumulated C.P.F. money to Prof. H.P. Chakraborty, Ex-Prof. of Bengali of this University. In this connection the Council further decided to release C.P.F. money to the amount mentioned against the following names :

1.	Sri A. R. Datta Ex Officer-in-Charge Watch & Ward Deptt.	Rs.	488=75
2.	Sri Mihir Bikas Chakraborty... Ex Reader in Philosophy N. B. U.	Rs.	41,570=00
3.	Sri D. B. Roy Ex Asstt. Engineer N. B. U.	Rs.	35,474=00

In this connection the Council also decided that a some of Rs. 10,000=00 be paid to Dr. A.B.Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges who retired in March 1982 against the final accumulated amount of his C.P.F.

The Council further decided to sanction a loan of Rs. 16,032 to Prof. P.K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor from his C.P.F. account.

The Council also considered a communication from the Regional Officer of Provident Fund and decided that the University should request for exemption since the C.P.F. of employees of this University is controlled by University Statute framed under the North Bengal University Act 1961.

Confirmed for immediate action.

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21. To report a communication No. 239-Edn(U) dated 8/11.3.82 received from the Dy. Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Deptt. of Education with regard to admissibility of House Rent Allowance to the spouse occupying the University Quarters.

The Council decided that the matter would be considered at the next meeting and that the communication be annexed with the papers.

22. To consider evaluation reports including the reports of viva-voce examinations for the theses submitted for the Ph.D. Degree.

(a) The Council considered evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examination and decided to admit Sri Shyama-prasad Majumdar to the degree of Ph.D. (Arts) for his thesis entitled "Farm Financing of Small Farmers - A Study of Jalpaiguri District (1975-1978)". Sri Majumdar worked under the guidance of Dr. S. N. Bhatta-charyya, Formerly Assistant Professor at Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College.

(b) The Council considered evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examination and decided to admit Smt. Mitra Ghosh to the degree of Ph.D (Arts) for her thesis entitled "Functional Classification and Hierarchy of Settlements in North Bengal." Smt. Ghosh worked under the guidance of Prof. B. Bhattacharyya, Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography. The above results may be published immediately.

23. To consider applications received for Ph.D. registration.

The Council decided to permit Sri Subhas Ch. Ghosh to apply for registration for the degree of Ph.D in Sociology and Social Anthropology.

24. To consider a joint note from the Registrar and Finance Officer, N.B.U. in respect of D.A. rates for field trips under area studies programme to Sikkim and Bhutan.

The Council directed that the note be circulated as annexure with the papers of the next meeting.

Supplementary Agenda

1. To consider constitution of Selection Committee for some non-teaching posts.

The Council decided to constitute Selection Committee with Dr. P. K. Gupta, Sri Debabrata Ghosh, Sri Bimal K. Das and one expert to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor to sit on a particular Selection Committee for appointment to the following posts :

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(A) (1) Draftsman
(2) Work Assistant
(3) Skilled Helper (Jr.) (Engineering Br.)
(4) Jr. Mechanic
(5) Jr. Gas Plant Operator
(6) Stock Varifier
(7) Cook (Guest House)
(8) Medical Laboratory Technician (Health Centre)

(B) The Council decided to constitute the following Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Instrumentation Supervisor (Deptt. of Physics) :

(1) Head of the Deptt. of Physics
(2) Prof. R. Pal, Deptt. of Physics
(3) Sri Asoke Guha, Member, North Bengal University Council

Suppl. 2 To consider a note from the Finance Officer in connection with fixation of pay of certain teaching staff of the Raiganj College during the pre-take over period.

The Council considered note No. 1503/F-82 dated 23.4.82. After detailed discussion it was decided that such extra allowances drawn by Principal and teachers of Raiganj University College should be stopped forthwith since these are against the relevant Govt. Order revising the pay scales of the teachers of colleges. The Council further decided that the money received by the teachers w.e.f. 1.1.1973 or from the dates they opted to accept the revised scales of pay should be realised at suitable instalments.

Suppl. 3 To consider a letter dated 22.4.82 received from the Secretary, N.B.U. Teachers' Council for enlargement of the Committee for Ecological Development Research.

The Council noted that such teachers of the University who would be approved investigator of project would automatically be members of C.R.P.E.C.

Suppl. 4 To report that the Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council has refixed the date of B.Ed examination on 14th June, 1982.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in refixing the date of B.Ed examination on 14th June 1982.

Suppl. 5 To consider a note from the Finance Officer for writing off the outstanding balance amounting Rs. 488=75 against the advances taken by Sri A.R.Dutta, Ex Officer-in-Charge, Watch & Ward Department.

Decision has been taken under Item No. 20.

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Suppl. 6 To consider a letter No. F.6-1/81(AE) dated 17.3.82 received from the Secretary, U.G.C. in connection with the revised Guidelines of Programmes of Adult and continuing education and extension through Universities and Colleges.

The Council directed that the University Grants Commission's letter under reference be circulated among the members for consideration.

Suppl. 7 To consider a letter dated 12.4.82 received from Smt. Lakhi Devi Sundas who has been appointed as lecturer in the department of Nepali, temporarily against a leave vacancy.

The Council decided that Mrs. Sundas be advised to join the post. Her continuance in the post will be considered when the post becomes lien-free. The matter of fixation of her pay will be considered by the Finance Sub-Committee.

Confirmed for immediate action.

Suppl. 8 To consider a representation submitted by Sri Birendra Nath Dutta, Internal Auditor, with a request to place him in the scale of pay of Rs. 600-1250/- alongwith a note from the Dy. Registrar.

The Council decided that further communication be made with the Govt. of West Bengal alongwith all relevant papers.

Suppl. 9 To consider the cases of undernoted employees for confirmation.

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Sri Nayan Ranjan Ghosh Jr. Laboratory Attendant Deptt. of Life Science, N.B.U.	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82
2. Sri Bikram Kumar Thapa Jr. Laboratory Attendant Deptt. of Life Science, N.B.U.	27.1.81	27.1.82

The Council in consideration of the confidential reports and recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor decided to confirm the services of the following employees of the University with effect from the date mentioned against each, subject to (i) their being found medically fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) Verification of age and academic qualifications, and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose :

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Sri Nayan Ranjan Ghosh Jr. Laboratory Attendant Deptt. of Life Science, N.B.U.	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82

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Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Sri Bikram Kumar Thapa Jr. Laboratory Attendant Deptt. of Life Sciences, N.B.U.	27.1.81 (Forenoon)	27.1.82

In this connection the Council in consideration of the confidential reports and recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor also decided to confirm the services of the following employees of the University with effect from the date mentioned against each, subject to (i) their being found medically fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) Verification of age and academic qualifications and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose :

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Sri Ladly Roy Assistant Librarian N.B.U.	4.5.81 (Forenoon)	4.5.82
2. Smt. Ratna Roy Lecturer in History N.B.U.	5.5.81 (Forenoon)	5.5.82
3. Sri Swapan Kanti Choudhuri Lecturer in Commerce N.B.U.	5.5.81 (Forenoon)	5.5.82

Confirmed for immediate action.

Suppl. 10 To consider the following proposals received from Dr. P. Jaffar Ali Khan, Medical Officer, University Health Centre.

1. Introduction of Duty Card (Monthly) for Sweepers and Jamadars.
2. Introduction of Duty Chart for Jamadar & Head Jamadars of Sanitary Deptt.
3. Publication of Quarterly Health Bulletin from the University Health Centre.

In the matters of (1) and (2) above the Council directed that the Medical Officer should take administrative step with the approval of the Vice-Chancellor.

In connection with (3) above the Medical Officer be advised to take advantage of existing North Bengal University News Bulletin.

11. To consider recommendation of the Committee for revision of pay scale of the staff in the USIC.

The Council approved the recommendation of the Committee and decided to recommend the following pay scales for the Technical Staff (UGC) in the USIC :

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		U.G.C. scale	Proposed scale
A)	Sr. Technical Asstt.	Rs. 550-900/-	Rs. 550-1160/- (Grade II)
B)	Technical Asstt. (Jr.) (Grade C)	Rs. 380-560/-	Rs. 450-1000/- (Grade IV)
C)	Technical Staff (Grade B)	Rs. 320-450/-	Rs. 400-900/- (Grade V)
D)	Technical Staff (Grade A)	Rs. 225-308/-	Rs. 375-800/- (Grade VI)

Misc. 1 The Council constituted a Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Principal, University Law College.

Misc. 2 The Council noted the recommendation of the Engineering and Technology Advisory Committee. The Council decided that B.E. Part IV examination should not be held separately in different dates for the three branches of study. It was further decided that dates should be recommended by the Advisory Committee. The Council also noted and approved that the B.E. Part II examination scheduled to be held with effect from 31.5.82 had been deferred on the recommendation of the Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College.

In this connection the Council rcoonstituted the B.E. examination Advisory Committee as follows :

1) The Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engg. College
2) Heads of all departments of teaching;
3) The Senior most teacher each in Civil, Mechanical and Electrical Engineering Branches;
4) Sri Debabrata Ghosh, Member, N.B.U. Council;
5) Sri Bimal K. Das, Member, N.B.U. Council;
6) Deputy Controller of Examinations/Assistant Controller of Examinations - Convenor

Confirmed for immediate action.

(Appendix - I)

Misc. 3 The Council considered the recommendation of the Post-Graduate examination Advisory Committee (meeting on 28.4.82). The Council decided that pro-rata marks might be awarded for viva-voce examination of M.A. Part II examination 1967 in Bengali to Sri Phani Pal.

The Council decided that no reassesment of scripts of M.A. examinations in Pol. Science could be made.

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Misc. 4 The Council considered the recommendation of the Under-graduate examinations Advisory Committee (meeting dated 29.5.82). While approving the recommendations the Council decided that the special supplimentary examination of the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com Part I (Old) should be held with

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effect from 22.11.82. As decided earlier only those candidates who were enrolled at the examinations in 1981 would be eligible to appear at the said examination. They might opt to appear at the examination as a whole or they might appear in those subjects in which they were unsuccessful at the 1981 examination.

Misc. 5 The Council considered the representation submitted by the NBUEA and also heard verbal representation made by a member of the delegation consisting of Sri Amitava Choudhuri-President, Sri Rati Kanta De- General Secretary, Sri Dhiren Ch. Das - Asstt. Secretary and Sri Panchu Kumar Kar- Asstt. Secretary.

(a) The Council while accepting the representation for consideration decided that an inventory should be made as to how many of the non-teaching employees would retire before the completion of 15 years in a particular post.

(b) The Council noted that the Govt. have been approached for funds for construction of more quarters for non-teaching employees.

(c) In the matter of house building loans communication started by Prof. P. K. Ghosh might be followed up.

(d) Cases of those who have been working on Master Rolls and have completed stipulated period of working days will be reviewed.

(e) Cases of individuals mentioned in the verbal representation will be further considered.

(f) In the matter of approval for the post P.A. the Govt. of West Bengal will be approached again.

(g) To make the Service Books upto-date more efforts will be made.

Misc. 6 Some members reported that they had received representation signed by Sri Mukul Majumdar and others and handed over to them by some employees who came alongwith the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. The Council decided that the matter will be considered at the next meeting.

S. N. Sen

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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Appendix I

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the meeting of the Engineering Examination Advisory Committee held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 26.4.82 at 2p.m.

Members present :

1. Principal H.Bhaumik, Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College
2. Prof.N.Majumder,Head of the Electrical Engg.Deptt., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
3. Prof.T.K.Roy, Head of the Mechanical Engg.Deptt., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.

Shri B.K. Bajpai, Registrar attended the meeting as a special invitee.

Item No.1 : To consider fixation of the dates of commencement of B.E.Parts II, III and IV (1st Semester) Examination,1982 (Academic Session 1981-82).

Decision : Initiating the discussion the Principal reported that with a view to completing the First Semester Examination in May, 1982 the courses of studies in respect of students of Mechanical Engineering Branch of B.E.Part IV have been completed through holding of additional classes. Even holidays were not spared. This was also reported by the Head of the Mechanical Engineering Department. But the courses of studies of candidates of other two Branches (Civil and Electrical) are yet to be completed. Under the circumstances it was proposed that the B.E.Part II Examination of Mechanical Engineering students be arranged in early May and those for Civil and Electrical students in the last week of June,1982.

The Head of the Electrical Engineering Department however could not agree with this idea of holding Part IV Examination on two different dates. The Deputy Controller of Examinations also expressed the view that holding of examination of the same batch of students on two different dates is likely to create a precedent which may have its repercussions in future.

After a detailed discussion the members recommended to refer the matter to the College Council. The Principal was authorised to communicate the decision of the College Council to the University.

With regard to dates of commencement of B.E.Parts II and III (1st Semester) Examination, 1982 (Academic Session 1981-82) the members unanimously recommended as follows :

B.E. Part II - 31.5.82

B.E. Part III - 31.5.82

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With a view to maintaining the Examination schedule it was recommended that appointment of Papersetters/Examiners/Moderators should be restricted to persons within the State of West Bengal as far as practicable.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

Appendix - 5

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the meeting of the P.G.Examination Advisory Committee held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 28.4.82 at 11 a.m.

Members present :

1. Prof. S.N.Ray, Deptt.of Political Science,N.B.U.
2. Shri J.N.Chakraborty,Hd.of the Deptt.of Commerce,N.B.U.

Dr. S.C.Lahiri,Hd.of the Deptt.of Bengali,N.B.U. and Shri B.K.Bajpaie,Registrar attended the meeting on special invitation.

Item No.1: To consider the petition of one Dr.Phani Pal, an exstudent of the University regarding award of marks in Bengali Viva-Voce at the M.A.Part II Exam.,1967.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed all available papers before the members from which it appeared that the mark awarded by the examiners in Viva-Voce was somehow misplaced and was not received by the Examination Branch. Dr.S.C.Lahiri, however, reported that the Viva-Voce examination of Shri Pal was held with him and Prof.H.P.Chakraborty, former Head of the Deptt.of Bengali as examiners.

The members present to be fully assured of no other earlier resolution in this regard, requested the Deputy Controller of Examinations to arrange further verification of papers. The item was deferred till the next meeting.

Item No.2: To consider the petition of M.A.Part I(End Term) candidates in Political Science.

Decision : Representation received through Head of the Department from candidates alleging undermarking in 2nd halves of 1st and 2nd Papers in Political Science for the M.A.Part I (End of the Term)'81 was placed before the members. The Committee noted the marks obtained by the candidates. The members also noted that there is no scope for reassessment of scripts of M.A. Examination under the rules of the University. After a detailed discussion the members recommended to refer the matter to the N.B.U. Council for a decision.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

Appendix - III

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL.

Proceedings of the meeting of the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 29.5.82 at 11a.m.

Members present :

1. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, A.C.College, Jalpaiguri.
2. Shri P.K.Majumder, Siliguri College.
3. Sr. Arun Bhusan Majumder, Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U.
4. Dr.M.Dasgupta, Prof.in Economics, N.B.U.

Item No.1 : To consider matters relating to visiting Teams during the progress of various Undergraduate Examinations of 1982.

Decision : The members noted that out of the four coordinators of 1981 examinations reports from only two were received. The members present after a prolonged discussion recommended the names of following persons as Zonal Coordinators of Visiting teams.

1. Principal J.Talukdar, Balurghat College or his nominee - For Colleges in Malda and West Dinajpur Districts except Islampur.
2. Shri Haren Ghosh, ~~Vice~~-Principal, Siliguri College of Commerce (Acfg.) - For ~~Hill~~ Colleges in the Darjeeling District & Sikkim and Colleges in Jalpaiguri, Islampur and Siliguri.
3. Dr.M.Dasgupta, Prof.-in-Charge, A.B.N.Seal College, Cooch Behar. - For Colleges in Cooch Behar Districts and Alipurduar College.

Item No.2 : To consider the cases of the examiners who submitted marks and scripts long after the expiry of due date.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed before the members a list of teachers who submitted marks and scripts to their Chairmen long after the expiry of due date resulting in subsequent delay in publication of results. After a detailed discussion the members recommended that the examiners who submitted scripts more than three months after the expiry of due date be debarred from examinership for two years. Others be served with a note of caution not to indulge in such delay in future.

Item No.3 : To consider a note from the Registrar regarding issue of permission to a Part I Honours candidate to appear as an external candidate at the Part II Pass course examination.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed the note of the Registrar before the members who noted that the candidate was short of obtaining 30% marks in Papers I and II of the Honours Papers at the Part I by one mark only i.e. he obtained 59 marks instead of

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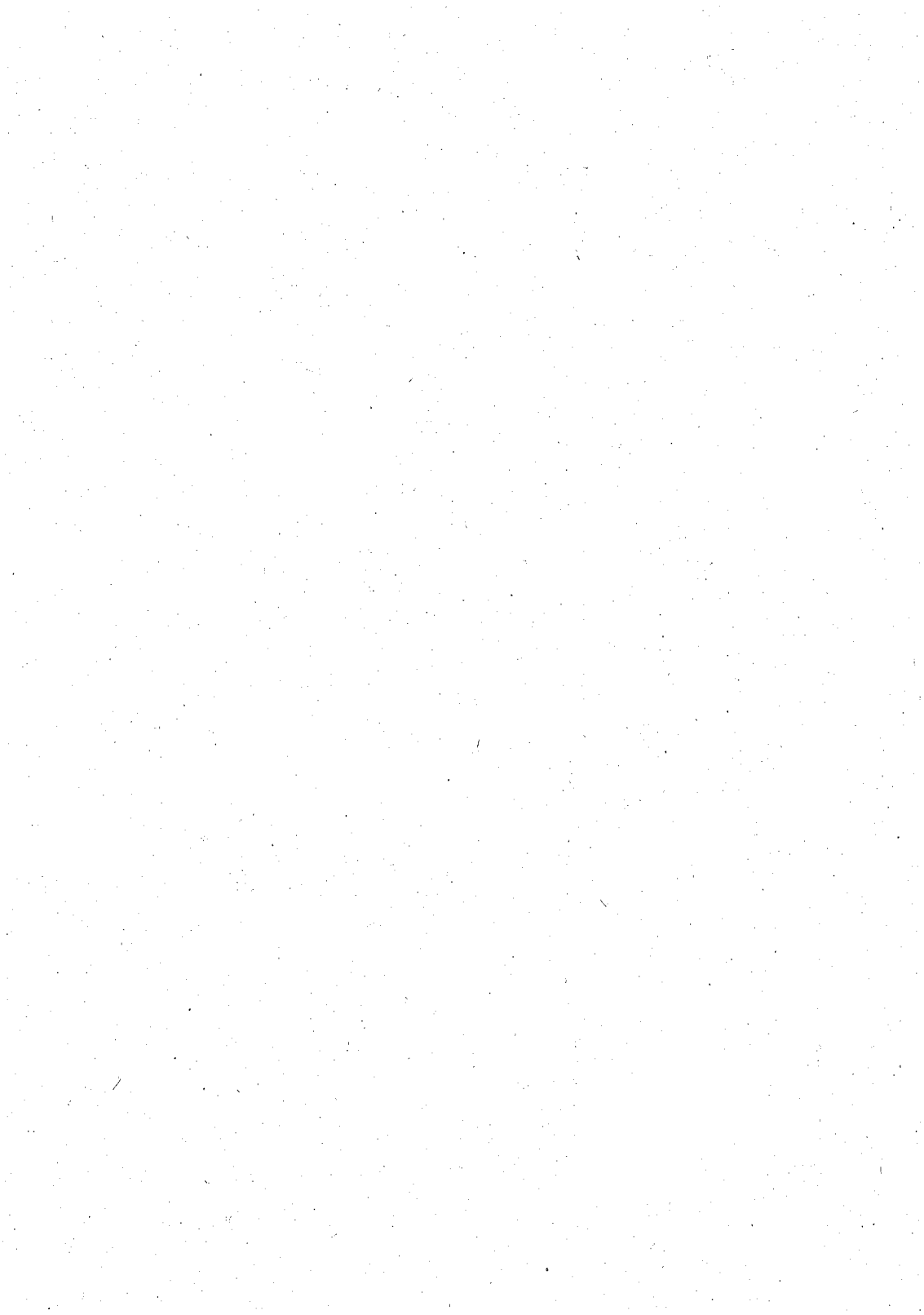

60 for being eligible to opt for the Pass course at the Part II Examination. The candidate applied for permission to appear as an external candidate in the Pass course in terms of the special benefits extended to the candidates who having passed Part I as a Collegiate candidate failed to pass the Part II within the stipulated period of 3/6 years. His prayer for permission was granted and the candidate appeared at the B.A.Part II Examination,1981. At the time of tabulation of results the fact that he was short of 30% in the aggregate of Papers I and II of Part I was detected and his result was withheld. The members recommended award of one marks to the candidate in Paper I/II of Honours subject and release of his Part II result.

Item No.4 : To consider the letters received from the Principal, Alipurduar College and University B.T. & Evening College regarding anomalies in Internal Assessment marks.

Decision : The members noted that the Colleges detected error in their computation of internal assessment marks after the receipt of marksheet and requested the office of the Controller of Examinations to rectify the same. The members also verified the College records sent by the Principals in support of their statement. The members felt that the records need further clarification and accordingly requested the Deputy Controller of Examinations to request the Principal to send teachers of the subject concerned to further clarify the error.

Final recommendation in this regard would be made only on placement of clarification at the next meeting.

Item No.5 : To consider fixing of the date of commencement of B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.Part I (Old) Special Supplementary Examination,1982.

Decision : In the perspective of the appeal made by the Vice-Chancellor to the Colleges the members recommended holding of the Special Supplementary Examination from 22.11.82 ~~15.12.82~~ in respect of the candidates who were enrolled for the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.Part I (Old) Examination but 1981 were unsuccessful.

Item No.6 : To consider representations received from the students of Siliguri College and Dinhata College to defer B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Two year Pass) Examination,1982.

Decision : The members present expressed regret to consider any such prayer at this stage.

The meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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CENTRE FOR HIMALAYAN STUDIES
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Annexure-III

Report of the meeting of the Advisory Council of the Centre for Himalayan Studies, University of North Bengal, April 1, 1982

Members present :

1. Professor P.K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U. - Chairman
2. Dr. Suhas Chattapadhyaya
3. Dr. A. B. Majumdar
4. P. K. Gupta
5. Dr. S. K. Chaube, - Convener

The Registrar, NBU, was present for some time on invitation.

Proceedings:

The report of the meeting of the Advisory Council dated May 10, 1980, was read and confirmed.

The Council then discussed a Report on the working of the Centre for Himalayan Studies submitted by the Director.

It was decided that the members of the Advisory Committee will be requested to suggest specific and detailed research schemes within the framework of the research priorities determined by the Advisory Committee in its meeting on May 10, 1981. The Centre will circulate such schemes among the teachers of the affiliated colleges and sponsor the projects that may come up. Within its limited resources the Centre will offer guidance and extend support to intending researchers. Dr. A. B. Majumdar was requested to prepare a scheme of research on the sub-Himalayan regions.

The Council endorsed the proposal for opening an M. Phil course in the Centre for Himalayan Studies preparatory to the degree of Ph.D. On the Registrar's advice, it was recommended that, as in the case of Ph.D. degree in the NBU, the M. Phil degree in Arts would be conferred, and the certificate shall specify the theme of dissertation.

The Council approved the proposal for publication of the proceedings of the seminar on 'Modernization and Adaptation in the Himalayas with special reference to the Eastern Himalayas', held in the Centre for Himalayan Studies in March 1981, by Sterling Publishers, Delhi, and authorized the Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies, to settle the terms in consultation with the Vice-Chancellor.

The Council advised the Director to pursue with the UGC the proposal for another seminar on 'Development Strategies in the Himalayas with special reference to the Eastern Himalayas'.

The Council advised the Director to approach the scholars interested in the region to deliver series of lectures with typed copies for which taken honoraria would be paid. The Centre may publish such lectures as occasional papers.

The Vice-Chancellor agreed to make a typewriter available to the Centre for Himalayan Studies for documentation work. The Centre may undertake the necessary repairs and also appoint a typist on daily payment basis from its contingent fund.

The Director was advised to approach the Vice-Chancellor with estimates for the purchase of three almirahs for preservation of Documents and raw data of the Centre.

The proceedings were confirmed with immediate effect.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- S. K. Chaube

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh

Annexure-IV

Government of West Bengal
Education Deptt.
University Education Branch

No. 239-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the March 8, 1982
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From : T. H. Sengupta, IAS
Dy. Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To : The Registrar, North Bengal University,
Raja Rammohunpur, Siliguri, Dist. Darjeeling.

Sub : University of North Bengal-Admissibility of House Rent Allowance to the spouse occupying the University Quarters of the -

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S i r,

I am directed to refer to your letter No. 2698-F.81 dated 18.8.81 on the above mentioned subject and to say that if the allottee pays the "full assessed rent" as prescribed in Finance Deptt. No. 3743-F dt. 9.6.73 for the quarter he will be entitled to draw the House Rent Allowance. The other spouse will be eligible to draw house rent allowance if both of them draw pay within Rs. 500/- per month each. If the pay of both or either of them exceeds Rs. 500/- house rent allowance will be admissible to either the husband or the wife, which ever is favourable to them. If, however, the allottee pays rent on the basis of the principle as laid down in rule 225 of the WBSR Pt. I house rent allowance will not be admissible to him/her not to the other spouse.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- T. H. Sengupta
Deputy Secretary

No. 239/1(7)-Edn(U)

Copy forwarded to the Registrar, University of _____ for information.

Calcutta,
The March 8, 1982

Sd/- T. H. Sengupta
Deputy Secretary

Annexure-V

Note in respect of D.A. rates for field trips under area studies programme. (as desired by the N.B.U. Council meeting held on 29.3.82 item No. 9 of the Agenda).

Rates for Bhutan.

The matter was examined by the Finance Officer and the Registrar. After consulting various rates it is recommended that all inclusive rates of Rs. 144=00 for Grade I, Rs. 104=00 for Grade II/III and Rs. 46=00 for Grade IV may be extended to the University officials of different categories visiting Thimpu in Bhutan. For places in the plains the University rates should be adopted.

Rates for Sikkim

University rules regarding Darjeeling should be applicable for journey in Sikkim.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- S. M. Roy
FINANCE OFFICER

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Annexure-VI

Notes on the revised guidelines of programmes of adult and continuing education and extension through Universities and Colleges.

1. The Centre to be established in the University be known as Department/Centre of continuing education and extension work.

2. The Department should have the same status for the representation on academic bodies of the University and the Director of the Department should enjoy the same status and privileges of any other uni-disciplinary departmental head.

3. The U.G.C. assistance would be available for a period of 5 years from the date of the approval of the proposal after which it would be treated as committed expenditure by the University.

4. The colleges to be identified for introducing the programmes should have a rich potential to participate.

6. The academic inputs for the programmes of continuing education and extension work should come from the academic departments.

6. The relevance of continuing and extension education should be treated as the third essential function of the University in addition to teaching and research.

7. The staff pattern, qualifications and pay scales of the academic staff have been laid down. For approval in the matter of creation of posts both academic and non-academic the State Government should be approached.

8. For preparing proposals of the University as also of the colleges extensive survey is needed as per approach and focus and also objectives of the programmes.

9. After the U.G.C. assistance ceases the recurring liability of the programmes has to be borne by the University and colleges and the State Government should be approached for approval.

10. For project formulation by the Director 'Seed Money' would be available.

11. Since the programmes are to be of permanent nature the organisation set-up has to be ensured and financial sanction of the Government is needed.

(B. K. Bajpaie)
Registrar

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Annexure - V)

UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION
BAHADUR SHAH ZAFAR MARG
NEW DELHI-110002

No. F. 6-1/81(AE) March 17, 1982

The Registrar
North Bengal University
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur
Darjeeling-734430.

Sub: Revised Guidelines of Programmes on Adult and Continuing Education and Extension through Universities and Colleges.

Sir,

I am to refer to the subject cited above and to say that the Commission in its meeting held on 18th January, 1982, considered the revised guidelines on Programmes of Adult and Continuing Education and Extension through universities and colleges as formulated by the UGC Standing Committee on Adult and Continuing Education and Extension. The Commission generally approved the revised guidelines as indicated in the Annexure and desired these may be circulated to the universities and proposals be invited for the consideration of the Commission.

2. The Commission also agreed that the universities be advised that the staff to be appointed under this programme be treated as non-vacation academic staff.

3. The assistance of the UGC will be available for a period of five years from the date of approval of the proposal in accordance with the sharing basis/ norms indicated in the guidelines and there after it should be taken over as committed expenditure by the Institution. The assistance will be outside the plan-allocation of the University.

4. The guidelines may be circulated by the University to the colleges. The University while sending the proposals of the colleges may kindly ensure that the colleges have a rich potential to participate in the programme. Proposals of the colleges received through the Universities with the specific recommendations will only be considered.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- R. K. Chhabra
Secretary

Copy to :
The Secretary to the Government of _____ Department of Education.

(M. L. Mehta)
Deputy Secretary

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ADULT & CONTINUING EDUCATION & EXTENSION PROGRAMME

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III. Objectives

IV. Programmes and Target Groups

V. Organisational Set up

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I. PREFACE

During the last decade, after the programme of continuing education was initiated in 1970, 21 Universities were selected for the above Programme.

After the introduction of the National Adult Education Programme in 1978, 68 Universities and 705 Colleges are being assisted for the above purpose.

An effort is made to reflect the new needs of the programme in the new guidelines in the light of experience gained in this area.

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II. APPROACH AND FOCUS

1. Universities have been largely concerned with two important functions viz., teaching and research. There is now a growing realisation that the Universities though concerned with higher learning have an obligation to get intimately involved in the development of the community. So far these institutions of higher learning have been accessible largely to limited number of people. In India large masses of people are deprived of any tangible benefits of our educational system as such. Consequently illiteracy, social and cultural deprivations and poverty are on the increase. Thus large sections of our population are denied of the legitimate socio-economic opportunities so essential for removal of inequitable social order.

2. The country which has accepted democracy, socialism and secularism as its national goals to achieve development, cannot afford to restrict the knowledge only to privileged few. Plans to realise their objective of improving the level of living of all and to narrow the inequalities have to look towards a system of education which will achieve the maximum spread of knowledge and skills to less privileged and underprivileged sectors of population. Viewed in this perspective it is imperative that the universities and colleges become sensitive to the learning needs of community and respond to same through relevant learning programmes and tools. The relevance of continuing and extension education, which is the third essential function of universities, in addition to teaching and research should be conceived in a more comprehensive manner. It should comprising all spheres of life. This will require in inorganic linkage between continuing and adult education on one side and teaching and research on the other.

3. In order to facilitate such comprehensiveness and integration, it is necessary to bring all aspects of continuing education, adult education adult education and population education, planning forums etc. under a single umbrella and adopt a uniform nomenclature for the Department, namely, Department/Centre of Continuing Education and Extension work. This Department/Centre should have the same status for the representation on academic bodies of the university, recognising its inter-disciplinary nature and functions. In concrete terms the Director of this Department/ centre should enjoy the same status and privileges of any other unin-disciplinary subject head.

4. The programmes of continuing and adult education and extension work should use non-traditional approaches and innovative methods which will be participatory and work centred in content. The techniques of distance education and mass media should be explored and used. Different resources available with the university and colleges should be used to the fullest for the programmes through continuous inter-action between different departments. The distinct characteristic and features of the institution should leave its mark on the programmes undertaken.

5. It is not adequate that universities alone should participate in this programme; it is imperative to involve colleges in this work to extend this programme to absorb local needs. Particularly, involvement of women's colleges located in tribal/backward/rural areas and professional colleges dealing in areas like medicine engineering, teachnology, agriculture, home science, nursing, pharmacy, law education, etc. should be encouraged.

The programme of continuing and adult Education and extension work should have interalia, following objectives which are based on approach and focus of the programme indicated above.

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III. OBJECTIVES

1. To enable the universities to establish the necessary linkage with the community with a view to fostering social change through meaningful relationships and inter-actions, which are mutually beneficial by offering needs based and relevant educational programmes that may ultimately facilitate self-reliance.

2. To provide opportunities for disseminating knowledge in all walks of life in different segments of population to enable individuals and groups to fill up the gaps in their intellectual growth, professional and technical competence and understanding of contemporary issues.

3. To cater to the felt needs of all sections of society but specially to the needs of the less privileged and under privileged sections in order to secure their effective participation in development process.

4. To enrich higher education by integrating continuing and adult education programmes and extension work in the system and thus provide opportunities to remove its isolation.

5. To provide an opportunity to the faculty and the students to an exposition of field experiences and to sensitize themselves with the problems and realities.

6. Faculty and student participation in Extension Research and Action-Research in selected Areas in relation to major problems of development in co-operation with Government.

IV. PROGRAMMES

Programmes of continuing and adult education should be tailored to the felt needs and requirements of different target groups. The programmes could be of a general or professional nature or of a specialised nature according to the needs to be served including functional literacy and numeracy. With this general goal in view universities and colleges should identify and adopt areas or communities and though continuing education and extension activities, extend the benefits of knowledge and skills through their physical and human resources, to fulfil the new obligation.

The programmes can be planned by the Department of Continuing Education and Extension work at the university or the college independently or in collaboration with the academic departments of the university, voluntary organisations, industries, or other agencies whose co-operation is essential. However, the academic input would be the responsibility of the University Department, or the college and should not be left solely to an outside agency. When programmes are planned in co-operation with other academic departments of the university the academic inputs should generally come from the academic departments and the organisation and co-ordinating inputs should be the responsibility of the department of Continuing Education and Extension work. The models for curriculum, linkage would differ from institution to institution depending on the thrust adopted.

The programmes can broadly be conceived into four categories :

A. Awareness and development of general interest in contemporary affairs.

B. Imparting functional literacy and numeracy, post-literacy and supplementary education through non-formal programmes.

C. Imparting and improving skills and professional through special training.

D. Developing curricular linkages with field and action.

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The scope of each of the above categories is amplified hereunder illustratively.

A. Awareness generating and general interest programmes should be developed with a view to :-

- help people become increasingly aware of current and social problems in contemporary world.
- promote the social, economic, literary, cultural and intallectual enrichment of the community.
- organise activities with reference to special interest groups like youths, housewives, retired people, age etc. to enable them to make fruitful and productive use of their time.

B. Development of basic education and skills through

- social awareness and motivational programmes
- functional literacy and numeracy courses
- post literacy programmes
- skill and craft development courses
- supplementary activities to motivate the community.

C. Imparting and improving skills and professional know-how through -

- developing vocational skills and professional competence
- creating opportunities for inservice and refresher training to help updating academic and professional knowledge in ordor to keep pace with rapid changes.
- training programmes for industrial workers, technicians, vocations, and staff and administrative, personnel, etc.
- developing such skills as would generate self-employment and self-reliance
- offering remedial/bridge programmes for students, teachers parents etc.

D. Developing curricular linkages by -

- offering training programmes for different types of personnel for continuing and adult education programmes.
- modulate extension programmes for each subject discipline to facilitate its integration in the curriculum.
- involving students in integrated programmes of area development or community development as a part and parcel of their learning process.

Target Groups

The target groups for which the programmes are to be organised could be identified on the basis of the surveys. While doing this, as the resources of the universities are limited, it would be advisable to organise programme among the communities, groups of people and individuals in areas close to the universities and colleges instead of distant areas.

With regards to the target groups belonging to the less privileged and under privileged and under privileged sections of the society some suggestions by way of an illustration are given below :

- Women, in particular women of rural and slum areas
- Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes
- Drop-outs
- Unemployed and out of school youth

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- Handicapped
- Workers in the unorganised sectors
- Works in the organised sectors
- Teachers, teaching primary, secondary and handicapped children
- University students from under privileged rural groups and from slums.

With regard to other target groups, these could cover any groups, whose need is identified by the University or the college.

V. Organisation set-up of Department/Centre of Continuing Education and Extension Work :

Continuing Education Programmes may be organised by the University by setting up a new Department/Centre or by Strengthening the work at an existing Department.

The Department/Centre of Continuing Education and Extension work would be a non-vacation, academic department and will function under the direction of the Vice-Chancellor.

Continuing education does not require a faculty in the traditional sense; nor a structured 'Board of Studies' and hence the constitution of an Advisory Board is recommended.

The Department/Centre for Continuing Education and Extension work should have both core and supporting staff.

The expertise in the subject area should be drawn from the University departments or from outside on part-time basis or through payment of honorarium as necessary.

The core staff of the Department/Centre for Continuing Education and Extension Work will consist of :-

Designation	Scale
Director	Rs. 1500-60-1800-100-2000 plus allowances
Assistant Director	Rs. 1100-50-1600 plus allowances
Project Officer	Rs. 700-40-900-EB-40-1100-50-1300 plus allowances

If a Professor/Reader/Lecturer is appointed as Director, Assistant Director/Project Officer, the person concerned will be permitted to carry the scale and salary drawn.

The supporting Staff shall consist of stenographer, Clerk Typist, Accounts Clerk and Technical Assistants in the scales approved by the University concerned.

An Organisational charge clarifying the set-up is enclosed.

Advisory Committee on Continuing Education and Extension Work at University level.

Constitution :-

1. The Vice-Chancellor, Ex-Officio-Chairman
2. One member to be nominated by the Executive Council from amongst its members on the academic council.
3. Two members of the community/voluntary organisation industries/ women's organisations from the university area to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor.
4. Three principals to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor in rotation.

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5. Two Heads of University Departments and teachers to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor.

6. The University Librarian

7. The Dean of Students/Director of students welfare

8. Two experts to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor

9. Any other expert as required for specific projects to be co-opted by the Vice-Chancellor/Committee for the purpose.

10. A representative of State Govt.

11. The Director of Continuing Education and Extension work. Member Secretary

Functions of the Advisory Committee

1. To make recommendations regarding the overall planning and organisation of programmes of continuing education and extension work including adult education, population education etc.

2. To review from time to time the work undertaken by the Department of Continuing Education and Extension work.

3. To prepare the budget estimates of the Department to be recommended to the Executive Council.

4. To make recommendations to the Executive Council regarding the organisational structure and the staffing pattern of the Department in the light of UGC Guidelines.

5. To adopt the Annual Report of the Department/Centre

6. To review the objectives and functions of the Department/Centre from time to time and make recommendations in the matter to the executive council.

7. Wherever necessary, to co-ordinate work with the extra-mural board.

8. To make recommendations of any other matter related to Continuing, adult Education, extension work, etc. and matters referred to the Committee from time to time by the Executive Council and the other authorities of the University.

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NOTE: The Constitution may be modified to suit the needs of each University and will have to be broad-based to give it a flexible approach.

VI. Functions of Departments/Centres of Continuing Education and Colleges:

A. Departments/Centres

The main functions of Departments of Continuing Education during the past years were to develop and offer programmes and courses, co-ordinate the work of adult education after its introduction and in some universities offer training in the field. With the expansion of activities under continuing education and the involvement of colleges under this programme, the focus of activities has shifted. In order to meet the new needs while continuing the erstwhile programmes, a few selected university departments will be identified to initiate new steps like -

- Setting up curriculum development cells with a two-fold purpose.

a) Linking curriculum with extension through a process of restructuring courses, instituting certificate or diploma courses for training a cadre of staff and workers for continuing and adult education and extension work.

b) developing need based courses on an on-going basis and formulate a 'course bank' as a result of feed back received from colleges and communities where programmes are offered to enable colleges to draw courses from the bank by adopting them to the local needs.

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- Guiding newly selected colleges of the University to set up continuing education cells and undertake programmes, conduct surveys, etc. and having continuous dialogues and consultations with them.
- Co-ordinating the work undertaken at different colleges and monitoring and evaluation their programmes.
- Preparation of materials and acting as a resource centre for the needs of the colleges with reference to books, slides, filmsand other available audiovisual materials; also establish a documentation unit for reference purpose.
- Undertaking surveys and researches an identified areas which would help in the growth of the subject and field area of continuing education.
- Continue to offer programmes at university level and collaborate with university academic departments and also develop institutional linkages in organising programmes.

Colleges

- Identifying the neighbourhood and the learning sections of the community it would like to serve, keeping in view the available physical and human resources.
- Identifying the needs of the community the college, desires to serve.
- Conducting programmes at the institution so as to have maximum utilisation of physical facilities or going into the community to offer programmes thrust of the programme should be need based for neighbourhood community, adult learners, deprived sections and professional groups.
- Co-ordination and inter-linking with industries, other organisations and agencies for this work.
- Disseminating information about programmes to be offered on a continuous basis through publicity and other measures to maintain the tempo.
- Involving as many teachers and students as possible in the developmental activities in the community.
- Review and self assessment of the programme undertaken.

VII. Financial Pattern

Financial assistance from the Commission will be available on the following basis during the Plan period :

A. Department/Centre

(1)	Staff support (Core and Administrative as per guidelines)	100%
(2)	Programmes	75%
(3)	On-going adult education programmes, including staff for two years	Same basis as hitherto
(4)	Other items	As may be approved
(5)	Special Programmes	- do -

A proposal received for 'Seed Money' to formulate proposal will be considered.

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B. College :

(1) Administrative Support	Within a ceiling of Rs. 3000/- p.a.
(2) Adult Education on-going programmes including instructors etc. for two years.	Same basis as hitherto
(3) Programmes	75%

A college eligible to receive basic grant would be eligible for receiving financial assistance for Continuing Education and Extension Work. A proposal received from a college for 'Seed Money' to prepare the project and needs will be considered. State Govt. should be approach to take over the recurring liability of the programme after the UGC assistance ceases.

VIII. Monitoring & Evaluation & Research

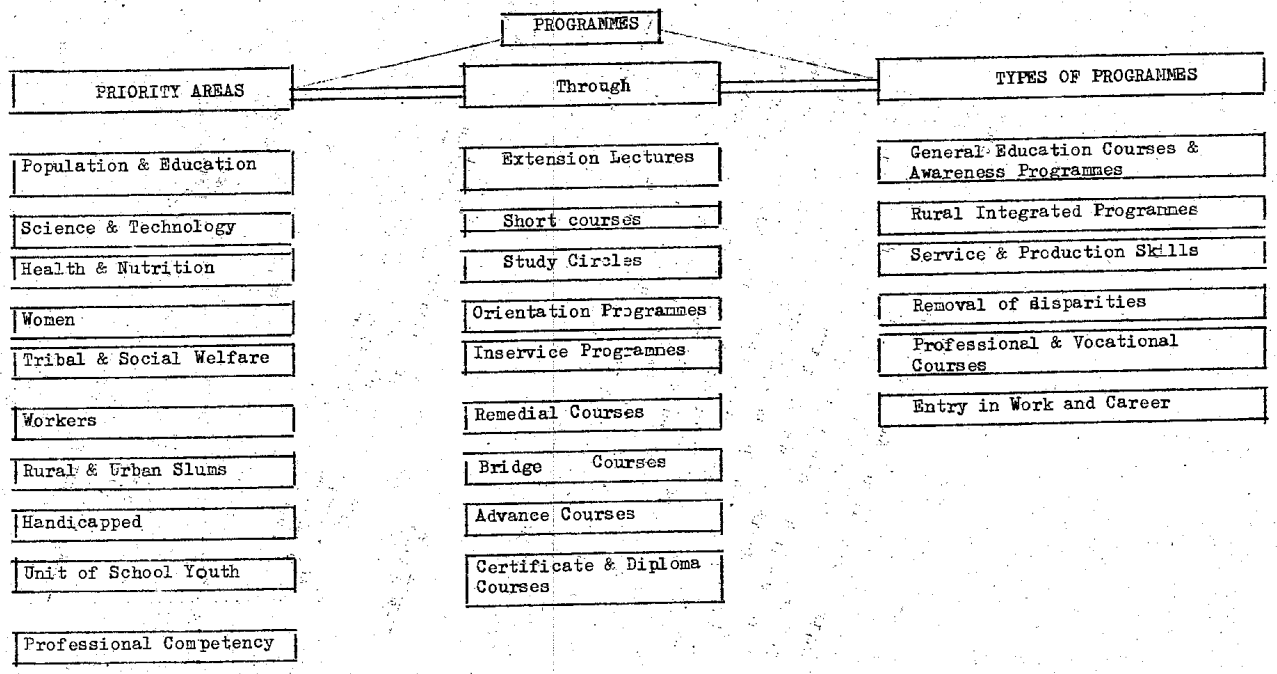
The Universities will monitor and evaluate their own programmes and the colleges.

The UGC will encourage universities to undertake continuous sustained and sequential research concerning the various aspects of adult, continuing & extension education like curriculum methods, evaluation with a view to developing and improving the content methods and practice of adults, continuing and extension education.

ANNEXURE- I

ADULT EDUCATION :

The education of Adults has received very low priority so far. But in view of the fact that it yields and early dividends, it should be accorded the highest priority in the years ahead and even among adults, the education of the large number of poor and illiterate persons should receive the utmost attention. The main objectives of this programme should be to educate and mobilize the masses and to involve them meaningfully in national development. It should also strive to make all adults (Particularly in the age group 21-35) functionally literate, and lay the greatest emphasis on the non-formal education of youth (age-group 15-21) A massive programme of motivating adults and enthusing and training voluntary workers and institutions will have to be developed for the purpose.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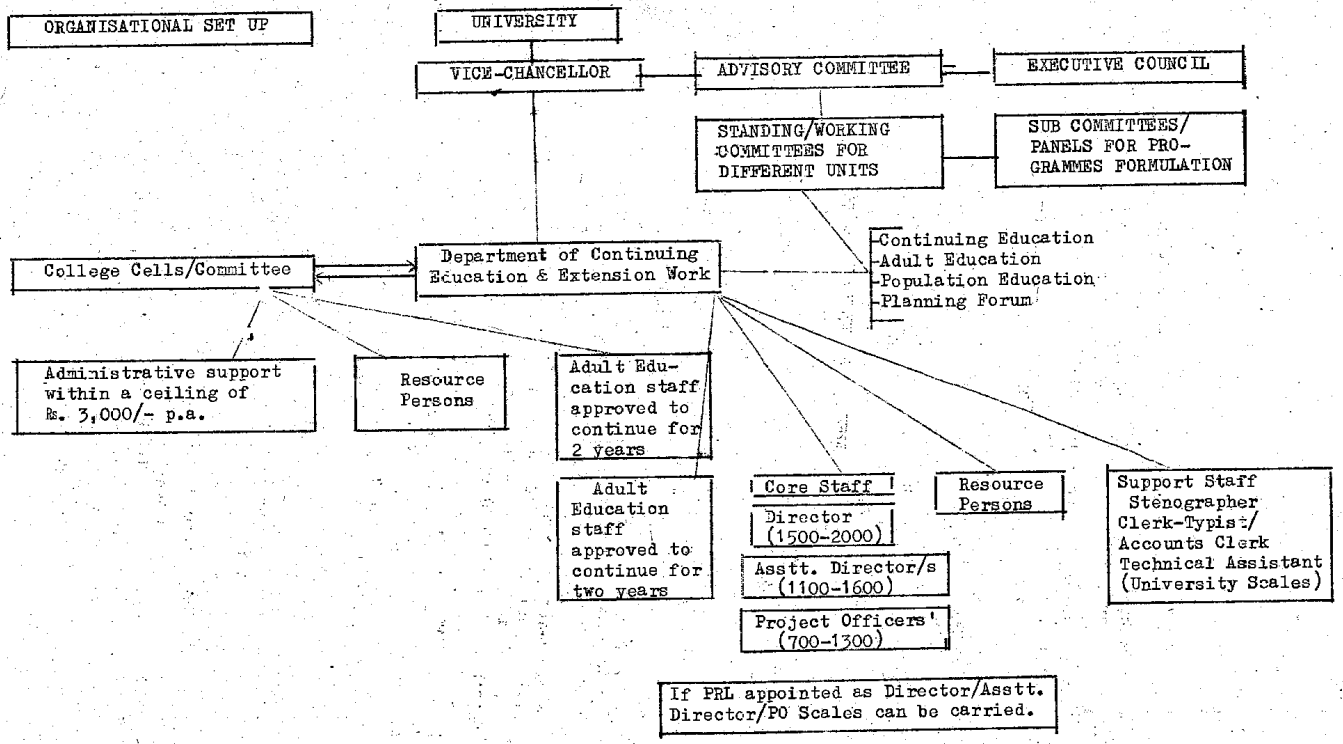
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Core Staff
Director (1500-2000)
Asstt. Director/s (1100-1600)
Project Officers' (700-1300)
Resource Persons
Support Staff
Stenographer
Clerk-Typist/ Accounts Clerk
Technical Assistant (University Scales)
If PRL appointed as Director/Asstt. Director/PO Scales can be carried.

EXTENSION :

If the University system has to discharge adequately its responsibilities to the entire educational system and to the society as a whole, it must assume extension as the third important responsibility and give it the same status as research and teaching. This is a new and extremely significant area which should be developed on the basis of high priority. As can be easily imagined, the extension programme of the University system will fall into two broad categories.

1. Extension Services to Schools and Colleges :

The Universities should work with the colleges which, in turn, should work with the secondary and elementary schools in their neighbourhood and help them to improve standards by in-service education of teachers, sharing of facilities, provision of enrichment programme for students and discovery and cultivation of talent. The development of a proper Research and Development (R & D) programme for the education system is also a special responsibility of the Universities.

2. Extension Service to the Community :

The University system also has a great responsibility to the society as a whole. All universities and colleges should develop close relationships of mutual services and support with their local communities, and all students and teachers must be involved in such programmes as a integral part of their education. The National Service Scheme (N.S.S.) programme should be expanded and improved, ultimately to cover all students. The fundamental purpose of these and other student programmes should be to implant a spirit of cooperation and social commitment inter-related to moral development. It should be the obligation of the teaching community to give extension lectures to interpret recent trends in their fields to the community, to create scientific awareness, to participate in adult education and Workers' education programme etc. Universities can also help in the preparation of developmental projects for the community around them, including the rural community. Such involvement will also help in bringing greater relevance into the courses at the undergraduate and the postgraduate levels and into the research programmes.

ANNEXURE II

SUGGESTED PROGRAMMES FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION UNDER DIFFERENT CATEGORIES

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GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES

The Universities may like to organise courses in Humanities, Social Sciences and Sciences, to enable the average citizen to keep up-to-date to understand public issues, and the significance or progress in the economic, social and scientific fields. These will be self-contained courses spread over varying periods of time and may include lectures by specialists extension lectures series, etc. The lectures could be supplemented by background materials, bibliographies and illustrated matter.

PROFESSIONAL COURSES:

Professional Institutions and universities concerned with medicine, engineering, agriculture, home science, pharmacy nursing etc. could organise professional courses in the areas of their specialisation. The courses should aim at improving professional ability of the learners to enable them to know the latest developments in their fields and to apply them in their practical work.

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COURSES IN HUMAN RELATIONS, LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT SKILLS :

These courses would interest not only professional people but also others who are engaged in organised activity which may require certain common skills for taking decision, analysing issues, proparing and supervising the implementation of projects. Courses for parliamentarians and legislators and people in executive positions in various democractic institutions would also have relevance to this programme. The Technique of discussions and examination of actual situations and problems could be used profitable in conducting these courses.

PROGRAMMES FOR WORKERS' EDUCATION:

It is generally understood that productivity and industrial growth depend considerably upon the conscious and willing participation of industrial and rural workers as much as on general consciousness about the development problems of the community. The success of the labour movement also depends on enlightened leadership imbused with a high sense of social responsibility. Universities can play their role in the continuing education of workers by offering short-term and part-time courses on such subjects as industrial relations, labour and industrial laws, history of trade unions and a whole range of background economic and social studies. Such programme can more profitably be taken up by universities situated in highly industrialised areas where the leaders of industry are willing to cooperate and offer proper facilities for the programme.

TRAINING OF PERSONNEL:

Some universities may consider the introduction of diploma and degree courses in continuing education leading to possible specialisation and covering padagogies, communication and sociology. Such courses would include those who are engaged in continuing education activities and also those who wish to specialise for such jobs.

PROGRAMMES FOR THE RURAL COMMUNITY :

There would be a great advantage in establishing contact between the university campus, its staff and students on the one hand and the rural community on the other, by organising appropriate courses for them. Such courses will very according to the requirements and needs of the rural people in the neighbourhood. The programme should concentrate on skills relating to the vocation of the adult villager, his understanding of the democratic process and social change. Those courses could also include orientation of the rural people to the Constitution and law of the land policies and development programmes of the country.

A chart indicating priority areas requiring focus is enclosed.

ANNEXURE III

DETAILS OF QUALIFICATIONS, FUNCTIONS, ETC. CORE STAFF

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Director of continuing Education & Extension Work.

Qualifications & Experience :

(a) First or Second Class Master's Degree of an Indian University or an equivalent qualification of a foreign university in adult education/special sciences/social work.

(b) A research degree of the doctorate standard in any of the social sciences, education adult education or on the basis of review of published research carried out.

(c) About ten years experience in programme planning, administration and teaching.

(d) Persons with experience in community development projects with emphasis on adult/non-formal education will be preferred.

NOTE: Conditions of experience and/or qualifications for the post may be relaxed in very special cases for very experienced persons if suitably qualified candidates are not available, on the recommendation of the Selection Committee.

Salary scale Rs. 1500-60-1800-100-2000/- plus admissible allowances. (If a professor holding a substantive post is selected, from the same university he/she will be permitted to carry the scale and salary and other benefits).

Job Specifications :

1. Overall administrative charge of the Department of Continuing Education and Extension Work including population education, planning forum, etc. under the Vice-Chancellor. Supervising the work of the staff and the functioning of the Department. Guiding and assisting the colleges and departments undertaking continuing and adult education programmes and activities related to continuing and extension work.

2. Planning the programmes of continuing education and extension work under the guidance and in consultation with the Working/Standing Committee and Advisory Committee of Continuing Education. Implementing programme with co-operation of faculty members of the various departments of the University and Colleges and other organisations.

2. (a) Developing courses/programmes for continuing education.

3. Looking after work related to advisory committee of continuing education and extension work and its follow up, etc.

4. Implementation of the programmes of adult education population education and other courses conducted under the Department as decided from time to time and maintaining public relations with mass-media and other who be associated with the programme.

5. Monitoring and evaluation of the programmes of continuing education and extension work and non-formal programmes undertaken from time to time, undertaking studies, serveys and investigations pertaining to continuing education, adult education and extension work, approved by the University.

6. Teaching some of the courses in the discipline of continuing education and adult education when introduced.

7. Teaching some of the courses undertaken the programme of continuing education and extension work if pertaining to his/her specialisation.

8. Anyother/work related to the Department and its functions as may be assigned by the Vice-Chancellor from time to time added to the Department.

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Assistant Director of Continuing Education and Extension work

QUALIFICATION & EXPERIENCE:

(a) Postgraduate Degree at least in the Second Class in one of the Social Sciences/Social work/Adult Education or an equivalent qualification of a foreign university. A person with a doctorate in any of these areas will be preferred.

(b) Experience of research, teaching and/or field work of at least 2 years experience of field work or extension work will be preferable and experience of teaching and research work will not be necessarily essential. The requirement of experience should not be more than two years.

(c) Salary Scales: Rs. 1100-50-1600 plus admissible allowances.

(If Reader holding a substantive post is selected from the University concerned he/she will be permitted to carry the scale and salary and other benefits).

Job Specifications :

1. Assisting the Director in Administrative work and in planning, developing and executing of programmes and if necessary teaching some of the courses when the discipline of Adult Education is started.

2. Teaching some of the courses undertaken under the programme of continuing education and extension work.

3. Assisting in studies, surveys, etc. undertaken by the department pertaining to the work of continuing education, adult education, extension work and non-formal education.

4. Assisting in evaluation of the programme of continuing education and extension work.

5. Assisting in the work of non-formal or extra-mural education that may be taken up by the University.

6. Any other work related to the Department and its functions as may be required to be added from time to time.

Project Officer-Continuing Education & Extension Work

Qualifications & Experience :

Postgraduate degree in Second Class in Social Work, Social Sciences, Adult Education with two years experience in community work/field work. Requirement of experience will not be necessary if the candidate has necessary aptitude for this work.

Salary scale Rs. 700-40-900-EB-40-1100-50-1300 plus admissible allowances (if a lecturer holding a substantive post is selected from the University concerned. He/She will be permitted to carry the scale and salary and other benefits).

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Job Specifications :

Project Officer has four broad areas of work:

1. Identifying needs of the area, training and field work.
2. Supervision and Co-ordinating work of different units/Centres.
3. Public Relations - contacts with massmedia and community resources.
4. Evaluation - Surveys of areas where work is going on, feed back, follow-up etc.

Project officer for population Education

Qualifications & Experience :

Master's degree in population Education/Demography or Social Science with specialisation in demography with experience of Population Education and/or Family Planning Education.

Scale Rs. 700-1300(700-40-900-EB-40-1100-50-1300)

Job Specifications :

Same as for project officer but relating generally to the work to be undertaken for population education.

NOTE: All posts under the Department of Continuing Education and Extension Work will be non-vocational posts and the work-load and timings would be similar to persons holding administrative positions depending on the need of the Department.

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Annexure- VII

CHANCELLOR'S SECRETARIAT

From : Sm. J. S. Ray
Deputy Secretary to the
Government of West Bengal.

To : Dr. Prosad Kumar Ghosh
Vice-Chancellor
North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur
P.O. North Bengal University
Siliguri
Dt. Darjeeling.

No. 418(14)-Edn.(U) Dated Calcutta, the 26th/29 April '82

S i r,

I am directed to send herewith a copy of the decision arrived at the conference of the Vice-Chancellors with the Chancellor on the 5th March 1982, as approved by the Chancellor for your information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- J. S. Ray
Deputy Secretary

Decision arrived at the conference of the Vice-Chancellors with the Chancellor held on 5th March 1982 at Raj Bhavan, Calcutta.

Members present :

1. Shri B. D. Pande
   Chancellor.

2. Minister-in-charge of
   Higher Education.

3. Dr. R. K. Poddar
   Vice-Chancellor
   Calcutta University.

4. Dr. M. M. Chakraborty
   Vice-Chancellor
   Jadavpur University.

5. Dr. Ramaranjan Mukherjee
   Vice-Chancellor
   Burdwan University

6. Dr. Prosad Kumar Ghosh
   Vice-Chancellor
   North Bengal University.

7. Dr. Devi Pada Bhattacharyya
   Vice-Chancellor
   Rabindra Bharati.

8. Dr. S. K. Mukherjee
   Vice-Chancellor
   Kalyani University

9. Dr. L. N. Mondal
   Vice-Chancellor
   Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya.

10. Prof. B. C. Mukherjee
    Vice-Chancellor
    Vidyasagar University
    Midnapore.

11. Shri G. S. Banerjee
    Secretary
    Education Department
    Government of West Bengal.

12. Shri G. Venkataramanan
    Secretary
    Finance Department
    Government of West Bengal.

13. Shri P. V. Shenoi
    Secretary
    Agriculture Department
    Government of West Bengal.

14. Shri L. R. K. Prosad
    Secretary to the Governor
    West Bengal.

The conference started with the itemwise discussion of the agenda of the meeting. The items of agenda discussed and the decisions on these items are stated below :-

ITEM NO. (1) - Maintenance of examination schedule and measures for examination reform.

The following decisions were taken under this item :-

(a) Every University authority would draw up and announce at the beginning of the academic year a time table for holding of all examinations. The time table so drawn up should not be changed under any circumstances.

(b) Steps should be taken by the universities to publish the results within three months from the dates of examinations.

(c) The Vice-Chancellors may approach the State Government for assistance towards maintenance of discipline in the examination halls whenever necessary.

(d) On a review of the position in respect of holding of examinations by the universities and the publication of results thereof, the back-log was found to vary from six months to two years at both undergraduate and post-graduate levels.

It was decided that the back-log in holding all examinations should be cleared by December 1983, by holding more than one examination in an academic year, if necessary.

(e) The Chancellor emphasised the need for simplification of examination system at the undergraduate level and introduction of objective test on a limited scale to begin with. He observed that this matter might be considered by the Advisory Committee of Vice-Chancellors and the Education Department.

(f) It was decided that the Universities should fill up all existing vacancies in the Controller's Department as early as possible pending consideration by Government of the overall staffing pattern of the Controller's Department on the basis of the recommendation of the Advisory Committee of the Vice-Chancellors.

The universities may consider the setting up of regional offices for speedier distribution of answer scripts and collection of evaluation reports.

ITEM NO. (2) - Maintenance and improvement in the academic environment in universities and colleges.

Following decisions were taken on this item :-

(a) The universities should try to achieve 200 teaching days per academic year and vacation and holidays may be regulated on this basis. The same norm should be followed as far as possible in respect of affiliated colleges.

(b) There should be a system in the university of collecting information about the classes that are held by a teacher in an academic year and performance of the students. The information may be collected at the end of each academic year in the form of a statement from every teacher of the universities and affiliated colleges indicating classes taken by the teacher concerned against the number of classes allotted to him, the percentage of pass in respect of students in the concerned subject in the university examination as compared to the university average.

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If the teacher has in addition to taking classes published any paper/book during the year that may also be indicated in the statement.

(c) The Advisory Committee of the Vice-Chancellors may consider laying down guidelines for uniform pattern of duties, responsibilities and code of conduct for the non-teaching staff of the universities and affiliated colleges.

(d) Discipline has to be maintained not only in the university campus but also in the hostels of the students. It was decided that no student should be allowed to stay in a college or a university hostel for more than five years.

ITEM NO. (3) - Implementation of new University Acts.

It was decided that the Vice-Chancellors might examine the difficulties or anomalies that might arise in the process of the implementation of the Act and propose amendment to the Chancellor, if necessary.

As regards provision in the new Acts relating to preparation of budget estimate it was decided that the Advisory Committee of the Vice-Chancellors might study the issue at length and come up with their recommendations.

ITEM NO. (4) - Release of grants to the universities and rationalisation of staffing pattern.

It was decided that the State Government might consider release of grants to the universities in respect of incomplete projects which are being jointly financed by the State Government and the U.G.C.

Chancellor observed that adequate provision should be made for maintenance of works completed from Plan provision.

ITEM NO. (5) - Increased hostel facilities for students and measures for improvement of the management of the hostels, students amenities etc.

Following decisions were taken under this item :-

(a) Construction of hostels may be given priority particularly in Universities of residential character. The State Government should provide financial assistance in all the projects sanctioned by the U.G.C.

(b) Adequate grants should be provided towards subscription to journals, periodicals, etc. The Chancellor emphasised the need of proper screening of such requirements to avoid duplication.

(c) The consensus of the conference was for construction of multipurpose Halls by the universities which could be used both as autitoria and examination Halls to ensure optimum utilisation of such buildings.

(d) For projects like hostel buildings, housing projects on rental and ownership basis, staff quarters, etc. the Chancellor requested the Vice-Chancellors to explore the possibilities of obtaining Institutional Finance with guarantee from the State Government.

(e) Regarding student canteen subsidy should be limited to providing infrastructural facilities.

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ITEM NO. (6) - Consideration of a procedure for conferment of honorary degrees on distinguished persons.

The Chancellor requested the Vice-Chancellors to consider restricting the number of receipients of honorary degrees.

ITEM NO. (7) - Provision of funds for lands and buildings towards development of University campus during the sixth five year plan.

The Chancellor requested the Vice-Chancellors to draw up schemes for campus development keeping in view their own priorities and availability of funds from the State Government.

Regarding development of the Calcutta University campus the Vice-Chancellor was requested to submit the plan and estimate to the U.G.C. with copy thereof to the Education Department.

ITEM NO. (8) AND ITEM NO. (9) - (8) Miscellaneous items suggested by the Universities, and (9) Items suggested by the Vice-Chancellor, Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya.

Following decisions were taken :-

(a) It was decided that the U.G.C. be requested to ensure that the Officer assigned to look after the universities in North-East India visits the universities frequently to sort out outstanding issues and establish better and more effective liasion with U.G.C.

(b) The Vice-Chancellor, Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya was requested by the Chancellor to submit a revised proposal to the Agriculture Department towards construction of boundary wall at vulnerable points only in different agricultural farms of the university.

(c) Chancellor desired that the Universities should be involved in more effective way in the affairs of NCC, especially, in sponsoring a larger number of students for NCC training, providing land and facilities for firing grounds, liberalisation of leave rules for participants in NCC training programme and providing other incentives to the students.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

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Annexure - VIII

INSPECTOR OF COLLEGES
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Date: 25.5.82

To
The Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur.

Sub: Raiganj B.Ed. College : Visit.

Sir,

On 12th May, 1982 the Registrar and the Inspector of Colleges visited Raiganj B.Ed. College. There were reasons to apprehend that the college authorities might start admitting trainees from July 1982 before they were able to fulfil the terms and conditions suggested by the Inspection Team on 11th February, 1981. A similar situation occured during 1981-82 session when it was reported that the B.Ed college would start from that very session without waiting for the formal affiliation being granted by the University. Fortunately, the college failed to take start in 1981-82.

In this connection it may also be noted that the University on the basis of the report of the Inspection Team decided to grant affiliation with effect from 1982-83 academic session subject to the condition that the college will appoint whole-time teachers and also sufficient number of part-time teachers for proper teaching.

In the first week of May, 1982 it was learnt from the Officer-in-Charge that only two full-time teaching posts, against five posts recommended by the Inspection team, were sanctioned by the Government along with a sum of Rs. 20,000/- for purchase of office equipments, teaching aids and books. The Officer-in-Charge further stated that due efforts were being made to get teachers in the two sanctioned posts from the College Service Commission. Pending placement of teachers by the C.S.C. the College authorities were trying to get part-time teachers; they assured that atleast three qualified part-time teachers were found available.

Mr. S.N.Roy, Prinoipal Raiganj College and the only member of the sponsoring Committee, could be negotiated by the present Inspection team; the Officer-in-Charge was out of the station. After discussions with Principal Roy the undersigned were convined of the honest efforts that were being made by the sponsoring Authority to start the College from 1982-83 session; at the same time, however, the undersigned did not feel happy over the existing state of affairs. The University had granted affiliation to the Raiganj B.Ed. College w.e.f. 1982.83 session; but it was not known to the Team how the college could hold effective classes from 2nd July 1982 with only three part-time teachers. Usually, a training college has at its disposal barely nine months to complete the course. If the College Service Commission failed to place teachers within July 1982, the whole planning of periods of lectures subject-wise will be adversely affected. But since affiliation was already granted, the B.Ed. College authorities should again be asked to restrict the number of trainees in the first year of affiliation to fifty only (including freasher and in-service). As the same time, personal efforts made by the Chairman, Sponsoring Committee at the Government level might expedite appointment of the whole-time teachers in the B.Ed. College. Further, the College should be asked to send to the University the names of the part-time teachers proposed to be appointed with full academic particulars of each one of them.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
Registrar
N. B. University

Sd/- A.B. Majumder
Inspector of Colleges
N. B. University

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Annexure - IX

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Minutes of the 31st Adjourned meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 1.6.82 at 11.30 A.M. in the Chamber of the Vice-Chancellor.

Present:-

(1) Dr. S. N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor... Chairman.
(2) Dr. I. K. Chatterjee, Prof. Kalyani University.
(3) Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj College.
(4) Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer... Secretary.

Item-1. To consider the Transfer T.A. of Sri M.B.Sen, Lecturer in Economics from Raiganj College (University College) to University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar.

While considering the T.A. claim preferred by Sri M.B.Sen for his journeys on transfer from Raiganj College (University College) to University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar, the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 30.3.82 desired, the matter to be placed again before the Finance Sub-Committee after quoting the Govt. Rules in this regard. The Govt. Rules in this regard are appended below:-

General conditions of admissible:

Rule: 99.

Travelling allowance may not be drawn under this Chapter by a Govt. servant on transfer from ~~xx~~ one station to another unless he is transferred for the Public convenience and is entitled to pay or leave salary which ever is admissible under the Rules, during the period occupied by the journey. A transfer at his own request should not be treated as a transfer for the Public convenince unless the authority sanctioning the transfer, for spl. reasons which should be recorded otherwise directs.

Wherefrom it will appear that in reference to transfer at any bodys' own request transfer for T.A. is not admissible. While the transfer of Sri Sen from Raiganj College (University College) to University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar is on Public convenience but his transfer from University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar to Raiganj College (University College) is at his own seeking (vide N.B.U. Council resolution No. 4 dated 6.10.80).

Transfer T.A. in admissible rate for his journey from Raiganj College (University College) to University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar may be allowed. The expenditure may be charged from the A/C University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar.

Item-2. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri M. K. Saha, Asstt. Cashier on his promotion to the post of Cashier.

The fixation of pay of Sri M.K.Saha, Asstt.Cashier on his promotion to the post of Cashier w.e.f. 1.10.81 was placed before the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 30.3.82 for consideration.

Sri Saha has requested that if his pay is fixed at Rs. 640/- on 1.5.78, his pay will be lesser than that of Sri A. K. Roy, Asstt. Actt. (who is Jr. to Sri Saha, Asstt. Cashier) his pay being Rs. 735/- on 1.10.80 where as the pay of Sri Saha will come to Rs. 700/- on 1.10.80. This is due to allowing Sri Roy the benefit of upgradation before fixation of pay in the revised scale.

The matter was discussed and it was decided that the case might be put up again with a comparative statement showing the stages and benefits enjoyed by Sri A.K.Roy & Sri M. K. Saha in their respective scales of pay since the beginning of their services in the University.

A comparative statement is appended below showing the stages and benefit enjoyed by Sri M.K.Saha and Sri A. K. Roy from their date of joining the University.

Sri M. K. Saha Date of appointment 28.8.65		Sri A. K. Roy Date of appointment 27.5.68	
1.5.70	185.00	1.5.70	170.00
1.5.71	195.00 (165-10-365)	1.5.71	185.00 (165-10-365)
1.5.72	205.00	1.5.72	195.00
1.5.73	215.00	1.5.73	205.00
1.5.74	225.00	1.5.74	215.00
75	235+5=240/-(Asstt. Cashier 225-15-300-20-500)	1.5.75	225.00
		1.5.76	235.00
		1.5.77	245.00
		1.5.78	245+10=255/-(Upgradation 225-500)
1.5.76	255.00		
1.5.77	270.00		
1.5.78	285.00		

Pay after revision			Pay after revision		
1.5.78	285.00 + 15 Addl. increment.		27.5.78	270.00 (400-15-430-	
	300.00			180.00 430-20-530-	
(500-25-	180.00			56.00 25-655-30-	
550-30-700-	56.00			40.00 865-35-900)	
35-770-40-	40.00			546.00	
1010-45-	576.00			13.00 (booster)	
1100)	13.00 (booster)			559.00	
	589.00			21.00 (Diff.)	
	21.00 (Diff.)			580.00	
	610.00			25.00 ((Addl. increment	
	30.00 (Addl. increment for non upgradation)			25.00) for upgradation)	
1.5.78	640.00	1.5.78		630.00	27.5.78
Revised pay	30.00			25.00	
scale.	670.00	1.5.79		655.00	27.5.79
	30.00			30.00	
	700.00	1.5.80		685.00	26.5.80
				30.00 (Addl. increment	
Asstt.Cashier 700.00 as on 1.10.80.				715.00 due to promotion w.e.f.	
			(Diff)	20.00 1.10.80)	
				735.00 as on 1.10.80 Asstt. Actt. (500-25-550-30-700-35-770-40-1010-45-1100)	

While considering the case of Sri M.K. Saha for fixation of his pay, the Committee liked to know whether there are similar cases as that of Sri Saha consequent to the up-gradation/promotion of the employees. It was therefore, decided that the Estb. Branch may be requested to review the cases of up-gradation/promotion of the employees from their service Book/service records and prepare a list showing the cases of employees who although Sr. in service have been placed in lower stages in pay consequent to

up-gradation/promotion. List may be prepared by the Estb. Section in the following Proforma showing not only comparative cases of employees of similar cadres but also comparative cases of employees of different cadres in different department. On receipt of the list from Estb. Section, the matter may be placed before the N.B.U. Council for decision.

1. Branch.	7. Pay after up-gradation.
2. Name of the employee.	(a) the pay scale.
3. Designation.	(b) pay after promotion and the pay scale.
4. Date of joining in service.	8. Pay after the revised scale was introduced and the scale of pay.
5. Date of up-gradation.	9. Date of next increment.
6. Pay before up-gradation.	10. Pay after the annual increment.

Item-3. To consider a representation from Sri Naresh Nag, Binder for re-consideration of his pay in the revised pay scale w.e.f. 1.5.70.

The matter was placed before the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 4.7.81 and the matter wad deferred.

As per his representation dated the 19.2.80 his case had been examined.

(a) His date of joining as Binder on 5.2.65 in the fixed pay of Rs. 100/- P.M.

(b) On 1.1.67 the scale of pay of Binder was introduced and his pay was fixed at Rs.125/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 125-3-140-4-200.

(c) On 1.5.70 the scale of Binder was again revised to Rs. 165-10-365. As per resolution of the E.C. dated 11.2.70 his pay was to be fixed after allowing increments on the basis of 2:1 from the date of his appointment. Accordingly his pay was fixed at Rs. 195/- but subsequently that was changed and reduced to Rs. 185/- without showing any reasons in the service book.

The matter was discussed. It was decided that the matter may be considered along with other cases pointed out by the N.B.U.E.A. The Estb. Section may be asked to furnish a report in respect of those cases.

Item-4. To consider the financial implication of entering into servicing contract with M/S. Otis Elevator Company (India) Ltd. by the Library Deptt.

The Otis Elevator machine with the Library required servicing after the expiry of the guarantee period. The Librarian has proposed of entering a servicing contract with M/S. Otis Elevator (India) Ltd. the firm who has supplied the machine. The Firm had forwarded a contract form which runs as follows:-

(a) The total contract price for one year will be Rs. 400/- per month 400/- x 12 = Rs.4,800/- per annum. There will be a 10% rebate on annual payment i.e. Rs. 4,800/-.

(b) The Firm will be responsible for repairing and replacing the machine, motor generator and controller parts and also some other accessories .

(c) This contract does not include emergency minor adjustment call back service but if called upon will be charged separetly at the rate of Rs.180/- per call.

The proposal for entering into contract had already been approved by the Vice-Chancellor and the Firm informed accordingly by the Librarian.

The proposal was approved and noted.

Item-5. To consider the fixation of pay of some newly appointed teacher/non-teaching staff in the University.

(a) Sri Goutom Biswas, Lecturer in Philosophy. Joined as Lecturer in Philosophy on 23.9.81(F/N).

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-400-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D.N.I. on 23.9.82.

(b) Sri Palas Rangan Sengupta, Lecturer in Commerce. Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Commerce on 26.3.82(F/N).

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D.N.I. on 26.3.83.

(c) Sri Manas Ch. Chakraborty, Lecturer in Pol. Science. Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Pol. Science on 31.3.82(F/N).

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40 -1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/- D.N.I. on 31.3.83.

(d) Imtiaz Gulam Ahmed, Lecturer, N.B.U. Law College. Joined as Lecturer, N.B.U. Law College on 8.4.82.

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40 -1100-50-1600.

Mr. Ahmed has requested in his original application that his pay may be fixed after allowing 8 addl. increments.

Deferred. After discussion, the Committee decided that the Estb. Section may be asked to refer the case to Selection Committee for clarification after discussing the matter with the Vice-Chancellor.

(e) Sri Ashoke Roy, Jr. Asstt-cum-typsit, Inspector of Colleges. Joined as Jr. Asstt-cum-typsit in the Deptt. of Inspector of Colleges on 17.4.82. Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 400-900.

Pay fixed at Rs. 400/-. D.N.I. on 17.4.83.

(f) Sri Chandan Lal Dekhan, Jr. Prof. Asstt., Library Deptt. Joined as Jr. Prof. Asstt. in the Library Deptt. on 17.4.82 (F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 460-1000.

Pay fixed at Rs. 460/-. D.N.I. on 17.4.83.

(g) Sri Subrata Bachi, Sr. Proof Reader, University Press. Joined as Sr. Proof Reader in the University Press on 13.4.82. Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 500-1100.

Pay fixed at Rs. 500/-. D.N.I. on 13.4.83.

(h) Sri Radheshyam Chanda, Machineman, University Press Joined as Machineman in the University Press on 16.4.82(F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 400-900.

Pay fixed at Rs. 400/-. D.N.I. on 16.4.83.

(i) Sri Mridul Kar, Jr. Plumber, Engineering Branch. Joined as Jr. Plumber, Engineering Branch on 13.4.82(F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 375-800.

Pay fixed at Rs. 375/-. D.N.I. on 13.4.83.

(j) Sri Upen Mallick, Sweeper, Health Centre, Joined as Sweeper on 1.4.82(F/N) in the Sanitary Deptt. (Health Centre). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 300-525.

Pay fixed at Rs. 300/-. D.N.I. on 1.4.83.

(k) Sri Gopal Bajpore, Sweeper, Health Centre. Joined as Sweeper in the Sanitary Deptt. (Health Centre) on 12.4.82(F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 300-525.

Pay fixed at Rs. 300/-. D.N.I. on 12.4.83.

(l) Sri Papuram Balmiki, Sweeper, Health Centre. Joined as Sweeper on 1.4.82 (F/N). in the Sanitary Deptt. Pay to be fixed in the the scale of pay of Rs. 300-525.

Pay fixed at Rs. 300/-. D.N.I. on 1.4.83.

(m) Sri Sitaram Balmiki, Sweeper, Health Centre.Joined as Sweeper in the Deptt. of ~~the~~ sanitary Deptt. on 1.4.82(F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 300-525.

Pay fixed at Rs. 300/-. D.N.I. on 1.4.83.

Item-6. To consider the proposal for entering into servicing contract of typewriter machine lying with in all Branches/Deptts. in the University.

The proposal for entering into servicing contract was discussed. It was decided that the Finance Officer is authorised to settle the matter after calling quotation from the repoted firms from Siliguri. The expenditure is to be charged from the Departmental contingency on receipt of a certificate from the Departmental Head on the body of the individual bills to be submitted separately for each department by the servicing form.

Item-7. To consider the proposal for entering into servicing contract with M/S. C.C.Co Ltd. for servicing of the Facit adding machine's in the Finance Branch at the cost of Rs. 180/- per annum per machine.

The proposal for entering into a service contract with M/S. C.C.Co. Ltd. @ Rs. 180/- per machine per annum was considered and accepted. In this connection an agreement may be made by the Finance Officer and the Firm immediately.

Suppl. Item:

1(a) Sri Pinaki Chakraborty, Lecturer in Economics. Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Economics on 13.5.82.

Last pay drawn at Taki Govt. College for the month of Jan.,82.

Basic.	780.00	
Spl.pay	100.00	
D.A.	519.00	
H.R.A.	132.00	
M.A.	16.70	1547.70

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40-1100-50-1600.

Deferred. Further action might be taken in this case after obtaining a clarification from Sri Chakraborty regarding Spl. pay shown inthe L.P.C. The Estb. Section may be requested to ask Sri Chakraborty to produce the same.

(b) Sri Sekh Rahim Mandal, Lecturer, Sociology & Social Anthropology. Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology on 18.9.81. Last pay drawn as Sr. Tech. Asstt. in the Deptt. of Eastern India Region Anthropology Survey of Indian, Cal.

Basic .	470.00	
D.A.	126.90	
A.D.A.	216.90	
C.C.A.	28.20	
H.R.A.	70.50	912.50

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D.N.I. on 18.9.82.

(c) Sri Sankar Bandyopodhyay, Lecturer, Law College. Last pay drawn from the State Bank of India, Behala Branch for the month of April,82 as followas:-

Basic.	585.33	
H.A.	43.89	
C.C.T.	52.67	
Adjusting D.A.	31.60	
D.A.	670.91	1384.40

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D.N.I. after one year from the date of joining the post.

(d) Sri Ranjit Kr. Mitra, Jr. Professional Asstt. Last pay drawn at Islampur College as Asstt. Librarian in the scale of pay of Rs. 550-900.

Basic.	550.00	
Other allowances.	382.70	932.70

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.450-1000.

Pay fixed at Rs. 550/-. D.N.I. on after one year from the date of joining the post.

(e) Smt. L.D. Sundas, Lecturer in Nepali. Last pay drawn as Lecturer at Darjeeling Govt. College as follows:-

Basic	780.00	
Spl.pay.	100.00	
H.R.A.	132.00	
D.A.	519.00	
H.C.A.	78.00	
M.A.	16.70	1625.70

Deferred. Further action might be taken in this case after obtaining a clarification from Smt. Sundas regarding Spl. pay shown in the L.P.C. The Estb. Section may be requested to ask Smt. Sundas to produce the same.

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

The minutes are confirmed.

Sd/- S. M. Roy
Finance Officer
Secretary.

Sd/. S. N. Sen
Vice-Chancellor
Chairman.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

AGENDA PAPERS

FOR

the 65th meeting of the NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Date: 28-8-1982
Time: 11-00 A.M.

Place: Conference Room
Administrative Building
Raja-Rammohunpur

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur, Darjeeling

N o t i c e

The 65th meeting of the North Bengal University Council will be held on Saturday, the 28th August, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur to consider the following agenda :

A G E N D A

1. To report that the 64th meeting of the N.B.U. Council scheduled on 28.6.82 could not be held due to want of quorum.

   Decision: (Annexure-I)

2. To confirm the minutes of the 64th (adjourned) meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 12.7.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-II)

3. To confirm the minutes of the Emergent meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 26.7.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-III)

4. To consider recommendation of the Committee formed by the Council for the non-teaching post.

   Decision:

5. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

   Decision:

6. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

   Decision:

7. To consider the cases of the following non-teaching employees.

(a) Sri Satyendra Nath Ghosh - Binder
(b) Sri Benu Kumar Das - Plumber Helper
(c) Sri Prabhat Kumar De - Jr. Assistant
(d) Sri Muneswar Bajpore - Sweeper

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

8. To consider the proceedings of the 29th meeting of the Liveries Committees held on 28.5.82. and also the proceedings of the emergent meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 9.6.82

Decision: (Annexure-V)
(Deferred in the previous meeting)

9. To consider a representation received from employees of Watch & Ward Department.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

10. To consider an application from Shri Sreeman Darjee, Guard, N.B.U. praying for granting of House Rent allowance from the date of vacating the University Quarter i.e. (1st January, 1980).

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

11. To consider a letter from Smt. Mita Bhadra, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Sociology & Social Anthropology praying for releasing full pay for the period she was on maternity leave i.e. 15.9.80 to 15.12.80.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

12. To consider a prayer from Sri Pranesh Kumar Roy, Sr. Lab. Attendant, Department of Physics, N.B.U.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

13. To consider a joint note from the Finance Officer and Dy. Controller of Examinations.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

14. To consider the recommendations of the Post-graduate Examination Advisory Committee dated 23.6.82.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

15. To consider the recommendations of the M.B.B.S. Examination Advisory Committee dated 17.5.82.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

16. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to interpretation of the rules relating to award of Medals.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

17. To consider a D.O. No. F.4-3/82-(U)-1 dated 8.6.82 received from the Secretary, Ministry of Education and Culture, Deptt. of Education, Govt. of India suggesting implementation of steps to eliminate the practice of ragging in educational Institutions.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

18. To consider recommendation for extension of tenure of Scholarship of Mrs Mita Bhadra, J.R.F. (U.G.C.) Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology for six months w.e.f. 23.8.82.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

19. To consider a letter No. N.B.U.E.A/24 dated 8.6.82 received from General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. for introduction of a scheme covering risks of life of such employees as have been engaged in works involving risks of life.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

20. To consider a note from Dy. Registrar in connection with the application for P.L. submitted by Sri Bishnulal Brahman, Guard, Watch & Ward Section for a period of 111 days with effect from 28.11.81 to 12.3.82 in continuation of his C.C.L.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

21. To consider a letter from the Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies suggesting withdrawal of offer of Junior Research Fellowship from Sri Paresh Chandra Roy and to appoint next available person from the panel of names recommended by the Selection Committee.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

22. To consider the case of Sri Naresh Nag, Binder, University Library.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

23. To consider a letter No. 004/058/02/625/5(1) dt. 19.6.82 from the Project Director, West Bengal Comprehensive Area Development Corporation, Siliguri-Naxalbari Project Proposing to start under the collaboration of the University cultivation of Medicinal Plants in 10 acres of University land.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

24. To consider constitution of Selection Committee for the post of Electrical Supervisor.

Decision:

25. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar regarding fixation of pay of Sri Mihir Kumar Saha, Cashier, N.B.U.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

26. To consider a letter No. Admn/29-42/50/313 Pt-II/2970 dated 21.6.82 received from the Audit Officer/Admn., Office of the Chief Auditor, North East Frontier Railway, Maligaon, Gauhati regarding appointment and fixation of pay of Sri S. M. Roy.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

27. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College held on 17.4.82.

Decision: (Annexure-VI)

28. To consider the minutes of the meetings of the College Council, University B.T. & Evening College held on -

1. 18.11.81
2. 16.2.82

Decision: (Annexure-VII)

29. To consider the proceedings of the meetings of the Building Committee held on :-

1. 14.12.81
2. 12.3.82
3. 11.5.82

Decision: (Annexure-VIII)

30. To report that, in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council the Vice-Chancellor has accepted the resignation tendered by Shri Ashutosh Sinha, Assistant Engineer (Electrical) and to consider appointment of the second person from the panel.

Decision:

31. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Research Scholars' Association regarding monthly subsidy @ Rs. 600.00 towards the payment of mess staff and meeting the cost of establishment.

Decision:

32. To consider the recommendations of the under-graduate Examination Advisory Committee dated 25.6.82.

Decision:

33. To consider the recommendation of the Committee formed for taking the type test of some non-teaching staff of the University.

Decision:

34. To consider matters regarding constitution of Screening Committee for preliminary screening of the applications for the various non-teaching posts.

Decision:

35. To consider a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Departmental Committee in English.

Decision:

36. To consider a letter from the University Grants Commission regarding revised qualifications for recruitment to the posts of Lecturer in Law.

Decision:

37. To consider a letter from the Director of Health Services, Govt. of West Bengal communicating re-inspection of N.B. Medical College during examinations.

Decision:

38. To consider a letter from Dr. P.C. Sarkar, Head of the Deptt. of Economics in the matter of holding the annual conference of the Indian Society of Agricultural Economics in 1982 at this University.

Decision:

39. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Research Scholars' Association in connection with doubling the value of tiffin coupon.

Decision:

40. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Deptt. of Education, Govt. of West Bengal for observing austerity in respect of expenditure to be incurred by the University during the current year.

Decision: (Annexure-IX)

41. To consider a letter from the University Engineer in the matter of appointment of two Engineering helpers.

Decision:

42. To consider prayer from Sri Shyamal Chandra Basak, Sri Bijoy Kr. Chhetri and Sri Chandan Lal Dekhan attached to University Library alongwith the confidential report of the Librarian for permitting them to accept the post of Honorary Lecturer, Librarianship Training Centre at Siliguri.

Decision:

43. To consider a letter from the Deputy Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal regarding question of fixation of the age of superannuation of the Officers serving in the State aided Universities.

Decision: (Annexure-X)

44. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Botany held on 15.7.82.

Decision: (Annexure-XI)

45. To consider certain resolutions of the North Bengal University Law College Council dated 11.5.82.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)
(Annexure-XII)

46. To report that the Chancellor has been pleased to approve the amendment in the Statutes relating to Contributory Provident Fund with some modifications.

Decision: (Annexure-XIII)

47. To consider prayer from Prof. S.P. Sengupta, Professor of English and Prof. S.R. Dasgupta, Professor of Mathematics, N.B.U. for permitting them to opt for the new scales of pay with effect from 1.1.73.

Decision:

48. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Junior Research Scholar in the Deptt. of English.

Decision:

49. To consider an application from Shri Santipriya Guha, Assistant Secretary, Sports Board praying for study leave for a period of two years for joining M.Ed course in Physical Education at Kalyani University commencing from August 1982.

Decision:

50. To consider an application from Shri Arabinda Mukhopadhyay, J.R.F. (U.G.C.) praying for extension of his tenure of Scholarship by six months w.e.f. 21.9.82.

Decision:

51. To report that the Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council, has ordered appointment of Shri Soumitra De as a Junior Research Scholar in the Deptt. of Political Science.

Decision:

52. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with verification of age of certain employees.

Decision:

53. To consider a note from the Finance Officer in connection with the final settlement of retirement benefits of Shri Pulin Behari Deb, Ex-Sr. Laboratory Attendant, Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.

Decision:

54. To consider a note from the Finance Officer in connection with regularisation of the period of absence of Shri Kashinath Mallik, Peon, Controllers' Branch.

Decision:

55. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with special leave as prayed for by Shri Sufal Chandra Singha, Jr. Skilled Helper, Chemistry Deptt.

Decision:

56. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of a Jr. Research Fellow for the Research Project entitled "Investigation of hadrons and muons in extensive air showers at sea and mountain level."

Decision:

57. To consider granting of extension of the tenure of Research Scholarship of Shri Prabir Dam, Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology for [illegible] period of two years w.e.f. 23.6.82.

Decision:

58. To consider a letter from Shri P.K. Roy, Lecturer in Philosophy intimating inability to produce original matriculation and M.A. certificates till duplicate copies are received. Those documents were required for confirmation of his service.

Decision:

59. To consider an application from Sm. Dipti Chakraborty, Jr. Assistant, Controller's Branch praying for granting her leave as under along with a note from the Dy. Registrar.

a) P.L. : 5 days w.e.f. 6.11.81 to 10.11.81
b) Commuted leave : 8 days w.e.f. 11.11.81 to 18.11.81
c) Leave not due :77 days w.e.f. 19.11.81 to 3.2.82.

Decision:

60. To consider the recommendation of enhancement Committee for enhancement of fellowship of Smt. Sakti Kundu, J.R.F., Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography from Rs. 400/- to Rs. 500/- for the period 8.9.80 to 30.9.80 and from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 1.10.80.

Decision:

61. To consider the under noted cases for confirmation:

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Prof. K. Deb, Professor of Commerce N.B.U.	19.8.81	19.8.82
2. Shri Subir Kumar Sarkar, Lecturer, Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography, N.B.U.	2.7.81	2.7.82

Decision:

62. To consider an application from Mrs. V. Sharma, Lecturer in Nepali (on leave) praying for extension of her extra-ordinary leave by one more year w.e.f. 17.8.82.

Decision:

63. To consider granting of extension of the tenure of Research Scholarship of Sri Barun Kanti Deb, University Research Scholar Deptt. of Chemistry by six months w.e.f. 26.9.82.

Decision:

64. To consider an application for reimbursement of T.A./D.A. etc. received from Shri P.K. Pal, Lecturer in English along with a note from the Dy. Registrar.

Decision:

65. To consider evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examinations on the theses submitted for the Ph.D. Degree of the North Bengal University.

Decision:

66. To consider applications for Ph.D. registration.

Decision:

67. To consider a letter from Sri Badal Kr. Nag, Asstt. Foreman, Central Workshop seeking clarification on certain point.

Decision:

68. To consider a letter from the Principal, Ananda Chandra College for granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in Philosophy.

Decision:

69. To confirm the last date of admission to the 1st year classes of Two year pass & Three year Honours courses as approved by the Vice-Chancellor.

Decision:

70. To consider a letter from the Principal, Malda College for granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in Philosophy.

Decision:

71. To consider a letter from the Principal, Mathabhanga College for granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in Bengali, Philosophy & Pol. Science.

Decision:

72. To consider letters from the Principals, Balurghat & Alipurduar College in connection with introduction of uniform service conditions for the workers, employees of Hostel Messess attached to University/Colleges.

Decision:

73. To approve the appointments of the following teachers of Dinhata College :

1. Sri Bhriguram Mandal : Lecturer in Bengali
2. Sri Asit Kr. Chakraborty : Lecturer in Mathematics
3. Sri Sankar Chattopadhyay : Lecturer in Chemistry
4. Sri Ashis Kr. Sarkar : Lecturer in Mathematics

Decision:

74. To approve the appointments of the following teachers of Kaliyaganj College :

1. Smt. Jayanti Purakayastha : Lecturer in Pol. Science (on leave vacancy)

Decision:

75. To consider inspection report on Kalimpong College.

Decision: (Annexure-XIV)

76. To consider a letter No. UE/226/03-82 dated 8.8.82 received from the University Engineer with regard to filling up the posts of Asstt. Engineer (Electrical), Electrical Supervisor, & Electrician-cum-Line Man etc.

Decision:

77. To consider granting of recognition to Netaji Institute for Asian Studies.

Decision:

78. To consider a letter received from Prof. P.K. Ghosh.

Decision:

79. To report that Sri Utpalendu Sarkar, Lecturer in Political Science and Sri Dilip Kumar Ghosh Roy, Lecturer in Economics, Raiganj College have duly been elected as representatives on the College Council of Raiganj University College.

Decision:

80. To consider renaming of Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies as Inter-Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies.

Decision:

81. To consider letter a letter from the Deputy Secretary, Rural Development Department, Govt. of Sikkim.

Decision:

82. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Department of Education, Govt. of Sikkim in connection with the appointment of the Principal, Sikkim Law College as member on the Committee of under-graduate Studies in Law/Law College Council.

Decision:

83. To consider a letter from the Chairman, Jagadis Bose National Science Talent Search, Calcutta, for assisting scholarship scheme through an annual grant of Rs. 3000.00. (The value of scholarship is Rs. 15,000.00 tenable for five years).

Decision:

84. To consider granting of extension of leave upto 25th August, 1982 to Sri Charu Chandra Deb, U.G.C. Junior Research Fellow Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.

Decision:

85. To report that the Vice-Chancellor has sanctioned study leave to Sri Chandan Kumar Mukhopadhyay, Lecturer in Commerce in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council.

Decision:

86. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the Committee formed by the Vice-Chancellor to consider the representation from Sri Subrata Dev.

Decision:

87. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

REGISTRAR

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
The 18th August, 1982.

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Annexure-I

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the 64th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Monday, the 28th June, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Prof. S. N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, North Bengal University
3. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A. C. College
4. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College.

Prof. I. K. Chatterjee intimated inability to attend the meeting due to pre-occupation.

Shri P. K. Majumdar intimated inability to attend the meeting due to illness.

Since there was no quorum for the meeting the Chairman adjourned the meeting till 11-00 A.M. of 12th July, 1982, the venue remaining the same.

S. N. Sen.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

ad/

Annexure-II

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the 64th (adjourned) meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Monday, the 12th July, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Prof. S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Dr. H.P. Bhowmik, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College
3. Dr. S.K. Biswas, Principal, North Bengal Medical College
4. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, North Bengal University
5. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A. C. College
6. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
7. Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya
8. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College
9. Shri Hiten Nag, Lecturer, Dinhata College.

Shri R. K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar and Shri S. Majumdar, Deputy Controller of Examinations were requested to make themselves available during the meeting.

Prof. I. K. Chatterjee intimated inability to attend the mesting due to pre-occupation.

Shri P. K. Majumdar intimated inability to attend the meeting due to illness.

1. The minutes of the adjourned meeting (63rd) of the North Bengal University Counoil held on 3.5.82 were noted.

2. The minutes of the adjourned 63rd meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 31.5.82 were confirmed with the following amendments :

(i) Item 20 (a) The following be inserted after the word "University" arising in the 4th line of paragraph 1 "after adjusting the accounts on the basis of the vouchers produced by Dr. Chakraborty and accepted as valid."

(b) Delete serial 1 after paragraph 1 and reserial 2 as "1" and 3 as "2".

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(c) The word "some" arising in line 2 of paragraph 1 and line 1 of paragraph 2 be re-written as the "sum".

(ii) Item Suppl. 1(A) Substitute the words "Engineering Banch" by the words "Physics Department" in serial 3.

(iii) Item Suppl. 1(B) Add the name of Dr. N. Chaudhuri, Professor of Physics as serial number 4.

Matter arising out of the confirmation of the adjourned 63rd meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 31.5.1982.

(i) Item Suppl. 5 The Council decided that the amount of Rs. 488.75 lying outstanding as advance against Shri A.R. Datta, Officer-in-Charge (Retd) may be written off as it has been ascertained from records that Shri Datta had submitted all adjustment vouchers which could not be traced out. The amount which has been held up from leave encashment benefit may be released.

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

A. Lecturer in Philosophy

The Council while approving panel recommended by the Selection Committee decided to appoint Dr. Usha Ranjan Chakraborty as Lecturer in Philosophy in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus admissible allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

It was noted that none of the candidates belonging to SC appeared before the Selection Committee.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

B. Appointments against M.P.S. for University teachers as per Govt. Order No. 957(6)-Edn(U) dated July 22, 1982.

(i) The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and comments of the referees decided to appoint Dr. Sitansu Bimal Karanjai, Lecturer in Mathematics as Reader in Mathematics in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus admissible allowances subject to the conditions laid down in the above Govt. Order. The post of Reader would be personal to the incumbent. Dr. Karanjai's initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

(ii) The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and comments of the referees decided to appoint Dr. Prafulla Chandra Sarkar, Reader in Economics as Professor of Economics in the scale of pay of Rs. 1500-2500/- plus admissible allowances subject to the conditions laid down in the above Govt. Order. The post of Professor would be personal to the incumbent. Dr. Sarkar's initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

The above resolutions were confirmed for immediate action.

4. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

The Council directed that the recommendations be placed at the next meeting along with other information as discussed.

5. To consider the report of the meeting of the Advisory Council of the Centre for Himalayan Studies dated 1.4.82.

Noted and approved.

6. To report a communication No. 239-Edn(U) dated 8/11.3.82 received from the Dy. Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Deptt. of Education with regard to admissibility of House Rent Allowance to the spouse occupying the University Quarters.

The Council decided that the employees, husband and wife, living in the University Quarters will be eligible to draw house rent allowance if both of them draw pay within Rs. 500/- per month each. If the pay of both or either of them exceeds Rs. 500/- house rent allowance will be admissible to either the husband or the wife whichever is favourable to them. Confirmed for immediate action.

7. To consider a joint note from the Registrar and Finance Officer, N.B.U. in respect of D.A. rates for field trips under area studies programme to Sikkim and Bhutan.

The Council approved the D.A. rates for field trips under Area Studies Programme to Sikkim and Bhutan as recommended by the Committee consisting of the Finance Officer and the Registrar.

8. To consider a letter No. F.6-1/81(AE) dated 17.3.82 received from the Secretary, U.G.C. in connection with the revised Guide-lines of Programmes of Adult and continuing education and extension through Universities and Colleges.

The Council decided to implement the revised guide-lines of programmes on Adult and continuing education and extension through Universities and Colleges as sent by the University Grants Commission. The Council decided to create the following posts mentioned

in the guide-lines subject to the approval of the State Govt. :-

(i) Director
(ii) Assistant Director
(iii) Project Officer
(iv) Stenographer
(v) Clerk Typist
(vi) Accounts Clerk
(vii) Technical Assistants(number to be determined later).

The Council directed that the above decision along with the schemes sent by the U.G.C. be immediately forwarded to the State Govt. for approval.

9. To consider the representation received from some non-teaching employees.

The Council considered the representation submitted by Sri Mukul Majumdar and others and Sri Haradhan Nag and others. The Council decided to refer the matters to the Finance Sub-Committee for examination in the light of the Finance Sub-Committee's recommendation dated 20.9.80 and subsequent refixation of pay of some employees. It was, further, directed that the Finance Sub-Committee would also examine the decisions of the North Bengal University Council taken in this regard from time to time. Confirmed for immediate action.

10. To consider the decisions of the Conference of the Vice-Chancellors with the Chancellor held on 5.3.82.

Noted.

11. To consider matter relating to Sri Subhas Guha Neogi, Lecturer, Department of Chemistry.

The Council noted the reply sent by Dr. Subhas Guha Neogi to the Show Cause Notice issued to him. The Council requested the Vice-Chancellor to take appropriate action as per Ordinance 18 of the Ordinances relating to appointments, terms and conditions of services of the teachers of the University. Confirmed for immediate action.

12. To consider the prayer of Smt. Chhanda Chakraborty, Lecturer, Deptt. of History for Study allowance.

The Council regretted to grant any study allowance to Smt. Chhanda Chakraborty who is on Study Leave with full pay and allowances.

13. To consider Inspection Report on Raiganj B.Ed College.

The Council decided to grant affiliation to Raiganj B.Ed College for one year with effect from 1982-83 academic session subject to fulfilment of conditions already laid down. Confirmed for immediate action.

14. To consider recommendation of the Committee formed for the staff of USIC.

The Council decided to withdraw the item.

15. To report the Govt. letter relating to Non-Practising Allowance of University Medical Officer.

The Council noted that the Govt. of West Bengal (vide letter No. 38-Edn(U) dated 12/14 January, 1982) has intimated its inability to sanction non-practising allowance to Medical Officer attached to the University of North Bengal. The matter was previously referred to the Govt. as per decision of the Council.

16. To consider a note from University Engineer for creation of a post of S.A.E. (Electrical).

The Council regretted that no new post could be created.

17. To consider prayer of Sri Kamal Kumar Nandi, Lecturer, Deptt. of Mathematics for treating his absence as leave on duty.

The Council regrets inability to convert extra ordinary leave without pay granted to Sri Kamal Kumar Nandi, Lecturer in Mathematics, into leave on duty.

18. To consider a note of Finance Officer for creation of some posts.

The Council regrets its inability to create any new posts and directed that the Audit & Accounts Officer may organise continuous internal auditing by rationalization of work in the department.

19. To consider the cases of the following non-teaching employees.

(a) Sri Satyendra Nath Ghosh - Binder
(b) Sri Benu Kumar Das - Plumber Helper
(c) Sri Prabhat Kumar De - Jr. Assistant
(d) Sri Muneswar Bajpore - Sweeper
(e) Sri Paresh Bhowmik

The Council directed that the members should be supplied with full details of the case with decisions of the North Bengal University Council in connection with those cases.

20. To consider the recommendations of promotion implementation committee.

The Council noted the recommendation and decided to refer the matter back to the Committee for recommendation as per discussions held.

In this connection the Council directed that no appointment would be made on contingent basis without prior approval of the Vice-Chancellor issued through the Establishment Section.

21. To approve the appointments of teachers and Principal of Falakata College selected by the West Bengal College Service Commission.

The Council approved appointment of the following teachers including the Principal at Falakata College :

(i) Sri S. N. Guha Thakurta - Principal
(ii) Sri Swapan Kumar De - Lecturer in Bengali
(iii) Sri Uday Sankar Roy Chowdhury - Lecturer in Philosophy
(iv) Sri Mrinal Kanti Sinha - Lecturer in English
(v) Smt. Krishna Paul, Lecturer in History

22. To consider the cases of the undernoted employees for confirmation :

Sl.No.	Name	Date of appointment	Date of confirmation
1.	Sri Gopal De Sarkar (Guard)	1.6.81 (Forenoon)	1.6.82
2.	Sri Monoj Kr. Kundu (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
3.	Sri Saohin Ch. Singh (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
4.	Sri Chandra Bahadur Thapa (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
5.	Sri Sufal Ch. Singha Skilled Helper (Jr) Deptt. of Chemistry	17.6.81 (")	17.6.82
6.	Sri Gobinda Gopal Raha (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
7.	Sri Narayan Ch. Dutta (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
8.	Sri Krishna Kr. Chakraborty (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
9.	Sri Phani Bhusan Singh (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
10.	Sri Satya Ranjan Das (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
11.	Sri Shyamal Kr. Singha (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
12.	Dr. (Mrs) Bhaswati Chakraborty Lecturer in Philosophy.	4.7.81 (")	4.7.82

The Council in consideration of the confidential reports and recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor decided to confirm the service of the following employees of the University with effect from the date mentioned against each, subject to (i) their being found medically

fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) verification of age and academic qualifications, and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose :

Sl.No.	Name	Date of appointment	Date of confirmation
1.	Sri Gopal De Sarkar (Guard)	1.6.81 (Forenoon)	1.6.82
2.	Sri Monoj Kr. Kundu (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
3.	Sri Sachin Ch. Singh (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
4.	Sri Chandra Bahadur Thapa (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
5.	Sri Sufal Ch. Singha Skilled Helper (Jr.) Deptt. of Chemistry	17.6.81 (")	17.6.82
6.	Sri Gobinda Gopal Raha (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
7.	Sri Narayan Ch. Dutta (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
8.	Sri Krishna Kr. Chakraborty (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
9.	Sri Phani Bhusan Singh (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
10.	Sri Satya Ranjan Das (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
11.	Sri Shyamal Kr. Singha (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
12.	Dr.(Mrs) Bhaswati Chakraborty Lecturer in Philosophy	4.7.81 (")	4.7.82

Confirmed for immediate action.

23. To report that the Registrar received a copy of a letter No. MC-82(1)/82-Med/2070 dated 3.5.82 along with a copy of the Inspection Report on North Bengal Medical College from the Secretary, Medical Council of India derecognising the M.B.B.S. degree granted by the N.B.U. in respect of the students being trained at the N.B. Medical College.

The Council noted the above letter and decided to draw the attention of the Govt. of West Bengal for immediate and urgent action with regard to reconcile the deficiencies mentioned in the report of the Inspector of the Medical Council of India. The Council strongly felt that in the interest of the students and also the institution, the North Bengal Medical College, special attention be given by the Govt. of West Bengal especially in the areas mentioned by the Medical Council of India. Confirmed for immediate action.

23.(a) To consider communication No. HEALTH/MERT/541/HPT/31 M-3/82 dated 15.5.82 received from the Govt. of West Bengal, Deptt. of Health & Family Welfare regarding constitution of a Committee for devising measure towards fulfilment of the Medical Council of India's stimulations in the matter of recognition of the North Bengal Medical College.

Noted.

24. To approve the appointments of teachers and Principal of Gangarampur College selected by the West Bengal College Service Commission.

The Council approved appointment of the following teachers including the Principal at Gangarampur College :

(i) Dr. Gaurendra Nath Sarkar - Principal
(ii) Smt. Shibani Roy - Lecturer in Economics
(iii) Smt. Sumita Sinha, Lecturer Pol. Science
(iv) Sri Ganesh Chandra Betal - Lecturer in English
(v) Sri Soumen Chakraborty - Lecturer in History
(vi) Sri Atin Bhattacharjee - Lecturer in History

25. To consider the proceedings of the 29th meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 28.5.82.

Deferred.

Should be placed at a meeting with annexure.

26. To consider a letter of resignation submitted by Shri Alok Majumder, Senior Research Fellow (U.G.C.), Deptt. of Chemistry, w.e.f. 14.11.1981.

The Council decided to accept resignation submitted by Shri Alok Majumder, Senior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) Department of Chemistry with effect from 14.11.81 subject to clearance of all dues.

27. To consider the recommendation of the enhancement Committee for enhancement of fellowship of Shri Partha Chattopadhyay, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Chemistry, from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 29.2.82.

The Council decided to enhance the fellowship/scholarship of the following scholars with effect from the dates mentioned against each :-

(i) Shri Partha Chattopadhyay (J.R.F.) from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 29.2.82.
(ii) Shri Pradip Kumar Datta (University Research Scholar) from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 14.11.81.

Confirmed for immediate action.

28. To report that 7 candidates have completed their one year's compulsory internship training after passing the M.B.B.S. examination held in April, 1981.

The Council considered letter dated 17/21.5.82 from the Principal, North Bengal Medical College and decided that 7 students mentioned in the appendix have been found eligible for permanent registration by the State Medical Council. The 7 students satisfactorily completed their internship for one year on 15.4.82 and 28.4.82.

Confirmed for immediate action. (Appendix I)

29. To consider a note from the Registrar for determining eligibility of candidates who have passed B.A./B.Sc./B.Com examination in Pass Course under New Two Year degree course to appear at the M.A./M.Sc./M.Com Part I Examination as external candidates.

The Council decided to refer the matter to the Academic Committee. Confirmed for immediate action.

30. To consider a representation received from employees of Watch & Ward Department.

The Council decided to consider the matter at the next meeting. The relevant information from other campus Universities may be obtained in the meantime.

31. To consider certain resolutions of the North Bengal University Law College Council dated 11.5.82.

The Council directed that the resolution should be annexed with the papers for the next meeting. In this connection the Council considered representations from members of the Defence Forces of India for admission to N.B.U. Law College. It was decided that such applicants might be given special preference for admission if they were otherwise eligible i.e. with regard to qualifying marks.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

32. To consider an application from Sri Somnath Choudhury, Asstt. Superintendent, University Press preying for permission for enrolling his name in the panel of experts for assignment to the developing countries of Asia, Africa and Latin America.

The Council permitted Sri Somnath Choudhury, Assistant Superintendant, University Press to enrol his name in the panel of experts for assignment to the developing countries of Asia, Africa and Latin America.

33. To consider the minutes of the 31st Adjourned meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 1.6.82.

Noted and approved.

However, the Council directed that the item 5(d) was to be considered by the Finance Sub-Committee further.

34. To consider a proposal from the Head of the Deptt. of Physics, in connection with filling up one U.G.C. Research Fellowship.

The Council decided that for U.G.C. Research Fellowship in the Department of Physics a fresh advertisement should be inserted.

35. To consider an application from Shri Sreeman Darjee, Guard, N.B.U. praying for granting of House Rent Allowance from the date of vacating the University Quarter i.e. (1st January, 1980).

The Council directed that the matter might be placed at the next meeting with facts if the person obtained permission to stay outside the Campus.

Supplementary Agenda

1. To consider a note from the Principal, Govt. Engineering College, Jalpaiguri.

Noted and approved.

(Appendix-II)

2. To consider the recommendations of the Engineering Examinations Advisory Committee meeting dated 18.6.82.

Noted and approved.

(Appendix-III)

In this connection it was noted that the students did not appear at the B.E. Part II Examination scheduled on 8.7.82. The same students did not appear in the same examination earlier on 31.5.82.

3. To consider the recommendations of the Mal-Practice Enquiry Committee for M.A. Part I (Public) Examinations 1981.

While approving the recommendations the Council decided that the following candidates be debarred from appearing in M.A. Part I Examinations 1982 :

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(Appendix-IV)

4. To consider a letter from Smt. Mita Bhadra, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Sociology & Social Anthropology praying for releasing full pay for the period she was on maternity leave i.e. 15.9.80 to 15.12.80.

Deferred.

5. To consider a prayer from Sri Pranesh Kumar Roy, Sr. Lab. Attendant, Department of Physics, N.B.U.

Deferred.

6. To consider the case of Sri Jiban Kr. Ghosh, Controller's Branch.

The Council decided that action be taken in the line mentioned in the decision on item 19.

7. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in the matter of contractual service of Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges. His contractual service will terminate on 30.6.82.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in appointing Dr. A. B. Majumdar on contractual basis for one month with effect from 1.7.1982. The Council further decided to appoint Dr. A.B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges on contractual service for a further period of one month with effect from 1.8.1982.

Confirmed for immediate action.

8. To consider a joint note from the Finance Officer and Dy. Controller of Examinations.

Deferred.

9. To consider the recommendations of the Post-Graduate Examination Advisory Committee dated 23.6.82.

Deferred.

10. To consider the recommendations of the M.B.B.S. Examination Advisory Committee dated 17.5.82.

Deferred.

11. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to interpretation of the rules relating to award of Medals.

Deferred.

12. To consider a D.O. No. F.4-3/82-(U)-1 dated 8.6.82 received from the Secretary, Ministry of Education and Culture, Deptt. of Education, Govt. of India suggesting implementation of steps to eliminate the practice of ragging in educational institutions.

Deferred.

13. To consider recommendation for extension of tenure of Scholarship of Mrs Mita Bhadra, J.R.F. (U.G.C.) Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology for six months w.e.f. 23.8.82.

Deferred.

14. To consider a letter No. N.B.U.E.A./22 dated 3.6.82 received from General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. for filling up the post of Assistant Cashier lying vacant in the Finance Department.

The Council noted that previously the Employees' Association agreed to the terms of promotional appointment in the Finance Branch from among those who were serving in the said branch.

15. To consider a letter No. N.B.U.E.A./24 dated 8.6.82 received from General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. for introduction of a scheme covering risks of life of such employees as have been engaged in works involving risks of life.

Deferred.

16. To consider the recommendation for enhancement of fellowship money of Sri Apurba Kumar Roy, U.G.C. Fellow, Deptt. of Physics from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 14.11.81.

The Council decided to enhance the fellowship of Sri Apurba Kumar Roy, U.G.C. Fellow, from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 14.11.81. Confirmed for immediate action.

17. To consider a note from Dy. Registrar in connection with the application for P.L. submitted by Sri Bishnulal Brahman, Guard, Watch & Ward Section for a period of 111 days with effect from 28.11.81 to 12.3.82 in continuation of his C.C.L.

Deferred.

18. To report that in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council the Vice-Chancellor has allowed Sri Nirmalendu Pal, Sr. Technical Assistant, Deptt. of Physics to proceed to attend a course work on Digital System and Instrumentation to be conducted by the Jadavpur University for 8 weeks w.e.f. 23.6.82.

Noted and approved

19. To consider a letter from the Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies suggesting withdrawal of offer of Junior Research Fellowship from Sri Paresh Chandra Roy and to appoint next available person from the panel of names recommended by the Selection Committee.

Deferred.

20. To consider a letter received from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. in connection with the case of Sri Paresh Ch. Bhoumik, Peon, Care-Taking Section, N.B.U.

Deferred.

21. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Zoology held on 26.6.82.

Noted and approved. (Appendix V)

Misc. 1 The Council decided to appoint Dr. B. Das Gupta, Principal, Darjeeling Govt. College, as a member on the Committees of Post Graduate and Undergraduate Studies in Zoology and Botany. Confirmed for immediate action.

Misc. 2 Prof. S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor(Acting) reported that he had received a communication from Dr. P.K. Ghosh, the Vice-Chancellor, intimating that he had sent in his resignation to the Chancellor. The Council decided that a letter be sent to Dr. Ghosh requesting him to reconsider his decision and rejoin his post as Vice-Chancellor.

Misc. 3 The Council hereby authorises Sri Ratan Kumar Ghosh, the Deputy Registrar of North Bengal University, to swear affidavits, sign and file petitions etc. and do all other works necessary on behalf of North Bengal University in connection with contesting the awards (six numbers) of Sri D.N. Ghosh, on the arbitration proceedings between M/S Unit Construction Company Private Limited and the University of North Bengal, before the High Court, Calcutta in connection with the Award cases Nos. 135, 136, 137, 138, 139 and 140 all of 1982.

Misc. 4 The Council noted that experts nominated by the Council on the Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Professor/Reader in English were not available due to indisposition. The Council nominated another expert in their place.

Misc. 5 The Council considered a representation from some Junior Technical Assistants of the North Bengal Medical College for upgradation. The Council decided that the petition may be forwarded to the Govt. for necessary action.

(Appendix VI)

Misc. 6 The Council decided that Prof. S.R. Das Gupta be appointed Senior Professor with effect from 14.9.81 irrespective of the fact that the same was communicated to him later on in March 1982 and Prof. Das Gupta accepted the same in March 1982. Since such appointment did not involve any higher responsibility the date of decision of the Council be taken into consideration rather than the date when same was communicated to him and accepted by him.

Confirmed for immediate action.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

S. N. Sen

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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NORTH BENGAL MEDICAL COLLECE
SUSHRUTANAGAR: DT:DARJEELING

Appendix-1

No. Med/F-48/1397 Dated, May 17/21, 1982

To
The Registrar,
University of North Bengal,
Raja Rammohunpur,
Darjeeling.

Sub: Award of MBBS Degree to N.B. Medical Students.

Sir,

The following students, who have passed the 3rd Professional M.B.B.S. Examination in April, 1981, have completed their one year rotating Internship training satisfactorily. I recommend their names for the award of M.B.B.S. Degree.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- S. K. Biswas
PRINCIPAL

Name of the students

1. Ashok Kumar Ray
2. Ajit Kr. Ray
3. Ujjal Kanti Samaddar
4. Sanatan Mandal
5. Meghanil Bose
6. Swapan Kumar Dutta
7. Santanu Kumar Sarkar.

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GOVT. OF WEST BENGAL
OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL
N.B. MEDICAL COLLEGE

No. Med/F-48/1631 Dt. 26.7.82

To
The Registrar,
University of North Bengal
Raja Rammohunpur, Darjeeling.

Sir,

Reference to your communication no 3019/R-82 dated July 7th, 1982, the information as desired is furnished here under.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- S. K. Biswas
Principal.

Name	Period of training
1. Ashok Kr. Ray	From 16.4.81 to 15.4.82
2. Ajit Kr. Ray	- do -
3. Ujjwal Kanti Samaddar	- do -
4. Sanatan Mandal	- do -
5. Meghanil Bose	- do -
6. Swapan Kr. Dutta	- do -
7. Santanu Kr. Sarkar	From 29.4.81 to 28.4.82.

Appendix- II

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL
JALPAIGURI GOVT.ENGINEERING COLLEGE
JALPAIGURI.

Dated : .17....6....82..

In the Second Semester Examination of 1981 which was held in Sept, '81 & Dec, '81., six candidates were reported against. Two from Final year, two from 2nd. year and 2 from Ist. year. The malpractices Committee cancelled the whole Semester Exam. of these students. The students represented for reconsideration and the General Secretary, Students' Union had a discussion with the Vice-Chancellor in this context. The matter came up in the University Council and it was referred to the Examination Advisory Committee. The Committee recommendod holding of their second semester exam. with the next first semester exam. so as to avoid loss of year of these students since already they are lagging a lot. The Council ratified this in respect of the final year students and a special examination for them has already been arranged. In the meantime two teachers Sri D.K.Indra and Sri P.K.Chatterjee complained misbehaviour by two students viz. Sri Shovan Acharya and Sri Premangshu Sarkar. In view of this complain the University Council has preferred to defer a decision in respect of the remaining four boys. The name of Srix Sri Premangsu Sarkar has already been struck off the rolls and he has been asked to leave the hostel and he had done so. Sri Shovan Acharya's mother came here and begged appology from Sri D.K.Indra who complained about him. Sri Indra has appologised him and I have also asked him to vacate Hostel and his mother has given undertaking to this effect (document enclosed). Since punishment has been given to both it is requested that recommendation of Examination Advisory Committee be finally approved.

Sd/ .H.BHAUMIK
PRINCIPAL,
JALPAIGURI GOVT.ENGG.COLLEGE
JALPAIGURI.

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Appendix III

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL.

Proceedings of the meeting of the Advisory Committee for Engineering Examinations held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 18.6.82 at 2 p.m.

Members present :

1. Principal H.Bhaumik - Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College
2. Prof.T.K.Roy - Head of the Deptt.of Mechanical Engg., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
3. Dr.B.Banerjee - Head of the Deptt.of Mathematics, Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
4. Shri Sripati Datta- Mechanical Engg.Deptt., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
5. Shri Debabrata Ghosh- A.C.College,Jalpaiguri.

Item No.1 : To fix the dates of commencement of B.E.Part II (1st Semester) and B.E.Part IV (1st Semester) Examinations,1982 (Academic session 1981-82).

Decision : Some of the members expressed dissatisfaction over the piecemeal manners in which the Engineering Examinations of different years are being held at present. It is desirable that the examination for all the years should be arranged simultaneously. The Deputy Controller of Examinations also expressed his difficulties in arranging examinations with 10/15 days' notice as is being currently held. The members present unanimously favoured discussion of the matter relating to regularisation of examinations in future for which the Deputy Controller of Examinations was requested to keep a separate agenda at the next meeting to be held tentatively on 22.7.82. However the members recommended the following dates of commencement of B.E.Part II and Part IV (First Semester) Examinations,1982.

B.E. Part IV - 30.6.82

B.E. Part II - 8.7.82.

In view of the fact that most of the candidates of B.E.Part II(1st Semester) are not in the College campus due to Summer Vacation, the members requested the Deputy Controller of Examinations to notify the date of commencement in the Calcutta news papers.

The members also discussed the matter relating to submission of sessional marks to the Principal (Coordinator) by the internal examiners. It was observed that owing to absence of any instruction from the Controller of Examinations to submit marks within a specified period the publication of the results of examinations is delayed due to late

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submission of marks by the examiners. With a view to overcome the problem it was proposed to note down the last date for submission of sessional marks in their letter of appointments.

There being no other item the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Appendix IV

University of North Bengal
Raja Rammohunpur,
Darjeeling.

Proceedings of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee for the M.A.Part I (Public) Examination,1982.

Date- 3.5.82.

Members present :

1. Prof. N.C.Choudhury,
   Vice-Chairman (Arts) P.G.Council,N.B.U.

2. Prof.S.N.Roy,
   Deptt.of Pol.Science, N.B.U.

Shri S.Majumder, Dy.Controller of Examinations worked as Convener.

The candidates expelled/Reported against at the M.A. Part I (Public) Examination,1981 were given reasonable opportunity to spell out their cases in defence including personal hearing and submission of written statements and the Malpractice Enquiry Committee on an indepth scrutiny of all the papers and statements decided to recommend as follows :-

Examination of the candidates in the subject Bengali bearing the following roll nos. has been cancelled for the year 1981.

Roll Rammohun (P.G. I) Ext. B-69.
Roll Rammohun (P.G. I) Ext. B-107.
Roll Mal (P.G. I) Ext. B-22.

Debarred from appearing in 1982 also.

Sd/- N.C.Chowdhury

Sd/- S.N.Roy

Sd/- S.Majumder.

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Appendix-V

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Zoology held on 26.6.82.

Members present:

1. Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Dr. A.K.Chakraborty, Head of the Department of Zoology North Bengal University
3. Dr. A.K.Roy, Head of the Department of Zoology, Darjeeling Govt. College
4. Prof. B.Das Gupta, Principal (Guide) Darjeeling Govt. College
5. Dr. D.K.Chakraborty, Assistant Professor of Zoology Presidency College, Calcutta (Guide)

1. The Board approved the panels of names of examiners as recommended for examining the following theses:

	Topic of Research	Submitted by
(a)	Studies on the Taxonomy of the oribatid fauna (Acari) of Forest and Tea soils in the district of Darjeeling, West Bengal.	Sri Barun Kumar Mondal
(b)	Studies on the regulations of nuclear and cytoplasmic activities in a mutagen treated Eukaryotic cell.	Sri Aniruddha Gangopadhyay
(c)	Studies of the blood protozoa of some vertebrates.	Sri Chanchal Kumar Sinha
(d)	Bionomics of flies (Diptera: Calliphoridae, sarcophagidae and Muscidae) of Jalpaiguri District, West Bengal.	Sri Aloke Paul
(e)	Studies on ground beetles (Coleoptera: Insecta) of Dooars Area(Jalpaiguri, West Bengal) with special reference to their taxonomy, seasonal activity and density by pitfall experiment.	Sri Anup Kumar Datta

2. The Board noted that Sri Bedanti Kumar Bhuyan was provisionally permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D. (Science) with effect from 1977 subject to the conditions that the Principal, Presidency College, Calcutta, permitted to use the Laboratory of the Department of Zoology at the Presidency College, Calcutta. The above decision was taken in 1980. The Board noted that the D.P.I., West Bengal had permitted Sri Bhuyan to use the Zoology Laboratory, Presidency College, Calcutta.

The Board recommended that Sri Bhuyan permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D. (Science) with effect from January 1, 1979.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

SECRETARY CHAIRMAN

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Appendix-VI

To
The Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur
Dt. Darjeeling.

(Through the Principal, N.B. Medical College).

Sub: Change of Designation and scale of pay of Junior Technical Assistants.

Sir,

With deep disappointment and utter necessity we the undersigned Junior Technical Assistants of North Bengal University on lien to N.B. Medical College beg to invite your personal attention to the long standing grievance of us in the matter of anomally in designation and scale of pay in order to have justified decision from your end.

That sir, theJunior Technical Assistants of NorthBengal University those who served continious period of 3 years in scale of Rs. 225-15-300-20-500/- were up graded to the post of Senior Technical Assistant in the scale of Rs. 275-15-350-20-550/- as per recommendation of the committee constituted by the Executive Council for the purpose of fixation of cadre strength and pay scale on 29.8.67. Apart from the above there were direct recruits in N.B. Medical College who were originally appointed as Technical Assistants subsequently placed in the post of Senior Technical Assistants in grade of Rs. 275-15-350-20-550/- while fitting in the above scale, most surprisingly the experience and Qualification as prescribed by the University was not taken into consideration.

We the five unfortunate Junior Technical Assistants have preferred several appeals for upgradation in terms of the Executive Council's Sub-Committees recommendation dated 29.8.67 followed by the Executive Council's resolution dated 3rd August, 1974 where in it is expressly decided that "In case of placement of senior scale of Technical Assistants the Executive Council previously decided "Must have experience in a laboratory in a degree college or experience in laboratory works about 3yrs for promotion/appointmentin the senior scale i.e. Rs. 275-15-350-20-550." But our legitimate and justified demand failed attracked the attention of the University Authority though the persons recruited subsequently were given the senior scale of Rs. 275-15-350-20-550/-. In the year 1978, the Principal, N.B. Medical College was kind enough to intimate us that the question of upgrading of the Junior Technical Assistants is under processing and will be placed in the next University Council's meeting vide his letter no. Med-D-148/117 dt. 28.5.78. The matter however placed before the Executive Council's meeting dated 24.6.78, and it was decided to refer the matter to the Deputy Registrar, North Bengal University for his comments. This decision was communicated under Registrar, North Bengal University vide letter no. 3236/R-78 dt. 4.8.78.

We were on good faith that the matter has received the attention of the University Authority and this will be considered as per the practice followed previously in respect of others in terms of Executive Councils decision dated 3.8.74, and sub-committee's decision dt. 29.8.67. But with deep pathos we beg to intimate you that the University Authority kept silent on the issue. Meanwhile the revised pay scales which have already been implemented in respect of North Bengal University Employees were also going to be implemented to the North Bengal Medical College Employees. As we are drawing salaries from North Bengal Medical College, our pay also will be fixed by the North Bengal Medical College in corresponding scale of Junior Technical Assistants without giving effect of the upgrading. As we are the employees of the North Bengal University it is our legitimate demand that the University Authority should pritect the interest of its employees in the same time as had been done previously.

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In fine we beg to appeal once again to your good-self to be gracious enough to favour us with the long due upgradation and as we had already sustained great loss, the North Medical College Authority may be instructed to keep the implementation of the revised pay scales of Junior Technical Asstt. in abyance till settlement of the issue, to save us from a further loss.

Again hoping that justice will be made to us.

Dated, Sushrutanagar,
the 10th Dec. '79.

Yours faithfully,

1. Sd/- Dilip Dasgupta
2. Sd/- Dipak Kr. Paul
3. Sd/- Souren Kr. Dutta
4. Sd/- Pranab Kr. Dutta
5. Sd/- Sunil Ray Chaudhuri.

Copy to :

1. The Principal,
   N.B. Medical College.
2. The Registrar,
   N.B.U.
3. The Finance Officer,
   N.B.U.
4. Deputy Registrar,
   N.B.U.
5. All members of the University Council of N.B.U. for information & necessary action.

Extract of the University Council's resolution given below for your kind information :-

Minutes of the 8th meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 24.6.78 (Annexure-1 with the agenda paper of the 9th meeting held on 22.7.78.

21. To consider certain recommendation of college council of N.B. Medical College.

The Council considered the recommendation of the N.B. Medical college Councol held on 8.5.78 and decidnd.

iii) to refer the the matter of upgrading the Jr. Technical Assistants to the Deputy Registrar for his comments, since it was noted the similar cases at the University were under consideration.

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Annexure-III

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the Emergent meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 26.7.82 at 2-00 P.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Prof. S. N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Shri B. C. Ghosh, Chairman, Siliguri-Jalpaiguri Development Authority
3. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
4. Shri P. K. Majumdar, Lecturer, Siliguri College
5. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
6. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
7. Shri Hiten Nag, Lecturer, Dinhata College
8. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College

The members welcomed Shri B.C. Ghosh, Chairman, Siliguri-Jalpaiguri Development Authority who has been appointed a member of the Council by the Chancellor.

1. The Council considered the note from Prof. S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) as circulated earlier. (Appendix-I)

After a detailed discussions, and Prof. S.N. Sen being convinced of the difficulties, the Council decided that in continuation of its earlier decision Prof. S.N. Sen be authorised to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Vice-Chancellor in anticipation of the approval of the Chancellor till the end of August, 1982 as provided in Section 18 of the North Bengal University Act 1961 read with Section 57(6)(b) of the North Bengal University Act 1981. It was further decided that the matter be brought to the notice of the Chancellor immediately.

2. The Council while reiterating its decision dated 12.7.82 decided that if Dr. P.K. Ghosh does not rejoin, the Govt. of West Bengal might be apprised of the situation for early action as per Act.

3. The Council decided that the following members be requested to proceed to Calcutta immediately to expedite the matter relating to the difficulties mentioned in the note of Prof. S.N. Sen :

(i) Shri Bimal K. Das
(ii) Shri P.K. Majumdar
(iii) Shri Debabrata Ghosh
(iv) Shri Hiten Nag
(v) Shri Asoke Guha
(vi) Shri Probhat Acharjee
(vii) Dr. P. K. Gupta

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

S. N. Sen

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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Appendix-I

University of North Bengal.

Date: 19-7-82

Sri B.K. Bajpaie,
Registrar.

An emergency meeting of the N.B.U. Council should be convened immediately to consider the following:

1) In accordance with the resolution of the University Council dated the 16th April 1982 the undersigned acted as the Vice-Chancellor for one month from 19th April 1982 in the leave vacancy of Prof. P.K. Ghosh, the Vice-Chancellor of the University and it was approved by the Chancellor. In persuance of a letter written by Prof. P.K. Ghosh to the undersigned the Council at its meeting held on 31st May adopted a resolution authorizing the undersingned to continue to act as Vice-Chancellor for two months from 20th May. The Chancellor's approval for the resolution has not yet been received. The period is going to terminate on the 20th July. In the meantime Prof. P.K. Ghosh has informed the undersigned that he has relinquished the post of the Vice-Chancellor and has informed the Chancellor accordingly. As no intimation has been received from the Government in this respect as yet, the undersigned strongly feels that to continue as Vice-Chancellor beyond 20th July will be an act of violation of Statutes and will lead to various complications in future. The undersigned therefore appeals to the Council to relieve him of the responsibility.

2) As the teaching assignment in the P.G. class and the research work of the Research Fellows (which is a time bound programme) under the guidance of the undersigned is suffering to a large extent for the last three months the undersigned requests the Council to relieve him of the responsibility.

S. N Sen

Sd/- S.N. Sen
Vice-Chancellor(Actg.)

University of North Bengal
Estate Development Secn.

Annexure-V

No. EST/24-L/82 Dt.

Minutes of the 29th meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 28.5.32 at 11-30 A.M. at the chamber of the Finance Officer, N.B.U.

Members present :

1. Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer, - Chairman
2. Sri S. Sanyal, University Engineer, Member
3. Sri B. K. Bhattacherjee, Officer-in-Charge, W & W Deptt., Member.

Item No. 1 To confirm the minutes of the 28th meeting held on 21.1.82.

Decision: Confirmed.

Item No. 2 To finalise the problem arising due to non supply of white drill by the supplier (M/S. Gupta & Co., Siliguri).

Decision: Since the supplier failed to supply the cloth (white drill) and the time is short as well the committee recommended that the cloth may be purchased on spot quotation basis immediately. M/S. Gupta may also be informed that the supply order issued in his favour stands withdrawn as he failed to supply.

Item No. 3 To finalise the matter regarding return of old liveries while receiving the new one by the staff concerned (a list of defaulters is attached).

Decision: The Committee advised the Estate Devl. Deptt. to issue further circular regarding return of old liveries. The defaulters may also be informed through their Head of the deptts.

Item No. 4 To finalise the question of supply of liveries to the newly appointed staff (Darwans, Peons, Attendants, Sweepers etc.) against the regular/parmanent vacancies.

Decision: The Committee decided not to issue any liveries to newly appointed staff till they are made permanent as no liveries were issued to the temporary staff in the past.

Item No. 5 To consider the release of earnest money as deposited by M/S. Needle Fight, who has completed their works and got full payment of their bills from the Finance Department.

Decision: The Committee recommended for releasing the earnest money in favour of M/S. Needle Fight, Siliguri.

Item No. 6 Any other items that may be brought with permission of the chair.

Decision: With permission of the Chair, Sri P.B. Gupta, Sr. Asstt. Estate Devl. Secn. placed 2 letters received from the University Engineer and the Asstt. Medical Officer, N.B.U. regarding supply of umbrellas, rain coats, gum boots. The committee directed the Estate Devl. Secn. to place the matter to the N.B.U. Council for decision since the existing rules do not permit issue of such articles.

Sd/- S. M. Roy
Chairman

Sd/- R. K. Ghosh
Convenor Secretary

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Draft for approval

University of North Bengal
Estate Development Section

No. EST/24-L/82 Date: 12.6.82

Minutes of the Emergent Meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 9.6.82 at 11-30 A.M. at the Chamber of the Finance Officer, North Bengal University.

Member present :-

1. Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer, Chairman
2. Sri S. Sanyal, University Engineer, Member
3. Sri B. K. Bhattacharjee, Officer-in-Charge, W & W Deptt., Member

Item No. 1 To confirm the 29th meeting of the Liveries Committee hold on 28.5.82.

Decision: Confirmed.

Item No. 2 To select the cloth & rates as per spot quotations collected by Sri B. K. Bhattacherjee, Security Officer, N.B.U. & Sri P.B. Gupta, dealing Assistant.

Decision: The Committee verified the quality of cloth sample and the rates as per spot quotations collected and recommended the cloth (Elgin Mill) @ Rs. 9/- per mtr. and advised the Estate Development Section to purchase the cloth after approval of the Vice-Chancellor.

Item No. 3 To consider the representation of the staff regarding supply of Liveries with the Terri-Cotton Cloth.

Decision: The Liveries Rules shows that the Council earmarked the cloth white Drill, Khaki Drill, Khaki Collula etc by which the Liveries to be made. As such the Committee feels that the matter be referred to the N.B.U. Council for their decision. Moreover, this will involve some Extra-expenditure if Terri-Cotton is replaced against white drill, Khaki Drill etc.

Misc. Item With permission of the Chair, Sri P.B. Gupta, dealing Assistant requested the Committee with full details of his difficulty for keeping the bulk quantity of cloth & Liveries in the absence of Almirah, the Committee strongly recommended that at least one steel Almirah may be provided for the purpose and may be purchased through the N.B.U. Consumer's Co-operative Stores Ltd. after approval of the Vice-Chancellor.

No other items were discussed and the meeting terminated with a note of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- S. M. Roy
Chairman

Sd/- R. K. Ghosh
Convenor Secretary

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Annexure 17

MINUTES OF THE NINETYTHIRD MEETING OF THE COLLEGE COUNCIL.

The ninetythird meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College (University College), was held on Saturday, the 17th April,1982 at 2 P.M. at the Guest House of the University of North Bengal.

PRESENT :

Prof.P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U. (In the Chair).
Prof.A.K.Ghosh, Head of the Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.
Shri S.M.Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.
Shri K.C.Mitra, Advocate, Raiganj.
Shri Dipak Chatterjee, Raiganj Coronation School.
Shri H.K.Sarkar, Kaliyaganj College.
Shri B.Choudhury, Raiganj College (University College).
Shri S.K.Sarkar, Raiganj College (University College).
Shri S.N.Roy, Principak & Secretary, Raiganj College (University College).

Dr.A.B.Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U., Special Invitee.

ABSENT :

The District Magistrate, West Dinajpur.
The Sub-Divisional Officer, Raiganj.
Dr.B.C.Bagchi, Raiganj.
Shri K.N.Singha, M.L.A., Raiganj.

1. Minutes :-

Minutes of the last meting of the College Counoil, Raiganj College (University College), held on 7th February,1982, were confirmed.

2. Business Arising :-

a) Pay protection of Shri Gurupada Choudhury, M.Sc., Substitute Lecturer in Physics -- Resolution No.4 of the meeting of the West Bengal College Service Commission held on 6.12.1980 in this behalf :-

Shri Gurupada Choudhury, Substitute Lecturer in Physics under F.I.P. Scheme, applied for protection of his pay last

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drawn at Siliguri College where he served in a leave vacancy. In this connexion, the Principal placed before the meeting Resolution No.4 of the meeting of the West Bengal College Service Commission held on 6.12.1980 which had a bearing on the pay fixation of the teachers recommended by the Commission.

Decision : The matter was discussed and it was decided that the resolution of the Commission would be applicable only if Shri Choudhury was appointed at Siliguri College on the recommendation of the West Bengal College Service Commission or else not. The Principal was requested to ascertain if Shri Choudhury was appointed at the Siliguri College on the recommendation of the College Service Commission.

b) Extension of benefit of House Rent Allowance and Medical Allowance to the members of the Staff appointed in connexion with introduction of Zoology & Botany Hons.as per G.O. No.1664-Edn(U), dated 8.11.80 -- Principal's letter to F.O. (324/82-(121), dated March 16,1982) :-

These members of the teaching staff by virtue of the provisions of the G.O. mentioned claimed House Rent and Medical Allowances at par with those of the teachers appointed before 28.11. 1980. In this connexion the Finance Officer read a note and pointed out that the G.O. No.1971, dated 28.11.80 provided that teachers appointed after that date would be governed by terms and conditions of the Sponsored Colleges of the State. Hence the Council regretted inability to comply with their request.

c) Appointment of a Gardener (Vide item No.13 (c) (iv) of the minutes of the meeting of the College Council of 8.2.82) :-

The Council noted that Dr.G.C.Sarkar, Acting Head of the Deptt. of Botany, had recently given his opinion (as reported by a member of the College Council) that Dr.Sarkar did not consider the appointment of a gardener as essential for the Deptt. of Botany. In this connexion three members of the Council, namely, Shri S.K.Sarkar, Shri D.Chatterjee, and Shri B.Choudhury, expressed the opinion that the consequential vacancy caused by the

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appointment of Shri Ratan Kumar Pal as the Store-Keeper of the Deptt. of Botany be filled up by appointing the 4th man selected in the panel recommended by the Selection Committee.

Shri K.C.Mitra differed from the opinion and pointed out that such an appointment was technically and legally faulty. The panel was made for a particular appointment for which advertisement was made, and as such the panel was liable to be invalid as soon as the vacancies advertised were filled up. The panel meant for one particular appointment cannot be diverted to other appointments, and hence he opposed such action.

Principal was requested to ascertain in writing the opinion of Dr.Sarkar re : necessity of a gardener.

(d) Appointment of Shri Subhda Dom (item no.16 of the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, held on 8th Feby., 1982) :-

The case of the appointment of Shri Subhda Dom was considered. In this connexion contents of the Labour Deptt. Memo No.1700-EMP 30-25/78 dated 3.8.79 were noted. The Council decided that on Principal's recommendation the President may issue necessary orders for appointment in the pay scale circulated by D.P.I. for the post concerned (G.O.No.772-Edn(B), dated 31st July,1981 and No. 492(6)-Edn(B) FI - 39/81 dated the 26th October,1981).

(e) Temporary appointment of teachers for Plus 2 Course (Item No.12 of the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, held on 8th February,1982) :-

It was reported that extension of services of all the teachers appointed for plus 2 Course was necessary in view of the fact that answer-scripts of the annual examination of XI Class were to be examined by them.

Decision : It was, therefore, decided that the service period of the following teachers be extended up to the end of the session i.e. up to 31st May,1982.

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1. Shri P.K.Ghosh.
2. Shri A.K.Saha.
3. Shri T.K.Ghosh.
4. Shri Sidhi Charan Sarkar.
5. Shri Ashis Kumar Bose.
6. Shri Goutam Mitra.
7. Shri P.Bhattacharya.
8. Shri N.Chakraborty.
9. Shri Ramen Ghosh.
10. Shri Biplab Tarafder.

3. Monthly Estimates :-

Monthly Estimates for the month of February,1982 were placed before the meeting. Decided that the estimates be approved subject to scrutiny by the Finance Officer.

4. Extension of services of Shri Gurupada Choudhury, M.Sc., Substitute Lecturer in Physics, from 3rd May,1982:-

The Principal reported that Shri Gurupada Choudhury was appointed a substitute Lecturer in Physics in place of Shri A.K. Guha and was appointed for six months as per Govt. Orders. His period of service is to expire on 2nd May,1982.

Resolved to extend his service by a period of six months with effect from 3rd May,1982.

5. Confirmation :-

a) Shri Dilip De Sarkar, Lecturer in Botany.
b) Shri Prabas Ranjan Rout, Lecturer in Political Science.

The Confidential reports in respect of Shri Dilip De Sarkar, Lecturer in Botany, and Shri Prabas Ranjan Rout, Lecturer in Political Science, were obtained. It was noted that the reports were furnished by the respective Head of the Deptt. and that the reports were satisfactory. The Principal recommended their confirmation.

Resolved to confirm Shri Dilip De Sarkar and Shri Prabas Ranjan Rout in their respective posts with effect from the date on which their respective confirmation falls due i.e. Shri Dilip De Sarkar, M.Sc., Lecturer in Botany, is confirmed in his post

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with effect from 30th April,1982, and Shri Prabas Ranjan Rout,M.A., Lecturer in Political Science, is confirmed in his post with effect from 16th April,1982.

6. Application of Shri Ranjit Kumar Choudhury, M.Sc., Lecturer in Botany, seeking pay protection :-

An application of Shri Ranjit Kumar Choudhury, M.Sc., Lecturer in Botany, seeking protection of his pay last drawn at his former College (St.Joseph's College, Darjeeling), was placed before the meeting.

Decision : Decided that Principal be requested to send the proposal to the Finance Officer.

7. Application of Shri Prabas Ranjan Rout, Lecturer in Political Science, praying for sanction of House Rent and Medical Allowance :-

Application of Shri Prabas Ranjan Rout claiming House Rent and Medical Allowances at par with those of the teachers appointed before 28.11.80 was placed before the meeting.

Decided that since Shri Rout was appointed after the issue of the G.O.No.1931 dated 28.11.80, as per provisions of the G.O., Shri Rout's appointment is governed by the conditions of Sponsored Colleges of West Bengal. Hence the Council expressed its inability to accede to his request.

8. Provisional appointment to Shri Chandan Sengupta, M.Sc.,as a substitute lecturer in Botany :-

The Principal reported that he offered provisional appointment to Shri Chandan Sengupta, M.Sc., as a Substitute Lecturer in Botany in place of Shri Binoy Kumar Das under F.I.P. Scheme, with effect from 1st March,1982, on the basis of the letter No. 3242/1(1)/Sel/82, dated 9-2-82 of the Secretary, West Bengal College Service Commission.

Resolved to approve of the action of the Principal in offering provisional appointment to Shri Chandan Sengupta as a Substitute Lecturer in Botany under F.I.P. Scheme with effect from

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1st March,1982. It was also resolved that Principal may issue letter of appointment to Shri Chandan Sengupta in conformity with the proforma for such appointment of the West Bengal College Service Commission, appointing him a substitute lecturer in Botany in Leave Vacancy under F.I.P. Scheme, on usual pay and allowances for such lecturers of the Sponsored Colleges of the State, with effect from 1st March,1982. Resolved further that the period of Shri Chandan Sengupta's appointment in this College would be up to 15th July,1982.

9. Release of Shri Hirak Roy, M.Com., Lecturer in Commerce, on lien for one year from 1st April,1982 — Appointment of a substitute :-

The Principal reported that Shri Hirak Roy, who obtained an appointment at Vijaygarh College, prayed for lien for one year with effect from 1st April,1982. Principal on the advice of the Vice-Chancellor released Shri Hirak Roy in anticipation of College Council's approval.

Resolved to approve of the action of the Principal and to grant lien for one year to Shri Roy with effect from 1st April, 1982.

10. Report : Joining of Shri Amlan Majumder, M.Com., as a Lecturer in Commerce, in the substantive post (w.e.f.16th March,1982) :-

The Principal reported that Shri Amlan Majumder joined the College as a Lecturer in Commerce with effect from 16th March, 1982. He was offered appointment as per recommendation of the West Bengal College Service Commission.

The report was noted.

11. Application of Shri Ratan Kumar Pal, B.Com., Lab.Bearer, Deptt. of Biology, seeking lien for one year with effect from the date of joining his new post :-

The application was placed before the meeting. The Council regretted inability to grant him lien as prayed for.

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12. Application of Shri Ratan Kumar Paul, B.Com., Store-Keeper, Deptt. of Botany, seeking pay protection :-

The application was placed before the meeting. Decided that the proposal for the fixation of hispay in the new scale announced by the D.P.I. as per G.O.No.372-Edn(B), dated 31st July,1981 and No.492(6)-Edn(B) dated the 26th October,1981 be sent to the Finance Officer.

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13. Enhancement of allowance for the Medical Officer,College Hostels :-

The Council noted that the Girls' Hostel was opened and there were about 30 boarders. In view of the additional strain, the medical allowance of the Hostel Medical Officer be enhanced to Rs.1500/- per annum with effect from the month of April,1982.

14. Revival of the post of Academic Secretary :-

The Principal proposed that in view of the increasing strength and additional departments opened, he needed secretarial help for the smooth academic administration of the College. Members appreciated the need but felt that teachers should be consulted in this behalf. Principal may, therefore, meet the teachers and obtain their opinion.

15. House Rent Allowance for the members of the Staff residing in the College campus :-

Decision : The Council decided that the House Rent rules now in operation in the University be in principle adopted for implementation in respect of Teaching and Non-Teaching staff of the College appointed before the issue of the G.O. 1931, dated 28.11.80. Detailed proposal in this connexion for caloulating the amount of allowances payable may be put forward before this Council.

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16. G.O.No.571-Edn(B) dated Calcutta, the 21st December,1981, re : grant of Medical Allowance to the Teaching Staff of the Non-Govt. and Sponsored Colleges :- 1 M-34/81

The G.O. was placed before the meeting. It was decided that the provisions of the G.O. be implemented for the teachers appointed by the College Council on the recommendations of the College Service Commission.

17. G.O.No.1965-Edn(CS) dated Calcutta the 29th December,1981 re : grant of House Rent Allowance to the whole-time teachers of non-Govt. Colleges (Sponsored and Non-Sponsored) :- 3 A-4/81

G.O. No.1965-Edn(CS) granting House Rent Allowance to the whole-time teachers of the non-Govt.Colleges (Sponsored and non-Sponsored) was placed before the meeting.

Decision : Resolved to implement the provisions of the G.O. in respect of the payment of House Rent Allowance of the teachers appointed by the College Council on the recommendation of the College Service Commission.

18. Revision of Pay Scales of the Non-Teaching Staff of the College — G.O.No.372-Edn(B), dated 31st July,1981 and G.O.No. 492-(6)-Edn(B) dated the 26th October, 1981 :- F-1-39/81

The above Govt. Orders were placed before the meeting. Decided that the provisions of the above Govt. Orders be adopted for the revision of the pay scales of the members of the Non-Teaching Staff of the College, appointed after 28.11.80.

19. Application from the Secretary, Teachers' Council, Raiganj College (University College), praying for sanction of necessary amount for purchase of fifteen chairs with steel frame and cushion for the Staff Common Room as per price list of Punjab Safe & Electronics enclosed with the application :-

Application of the Secretary, Teachers' Council, requesting sanction of 15 steel chairs was placed before the meeting.

Decision : The Council agreed in principle to purchase the chairs and decided that the matter would be considered as soon as possible.

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20. Obstacle Course for the N.C.C. Cadets -- Necessity of construction of certain Obstacles -- Application of Ex-Capt.A.K.Mukherjee, In-Charge, Raiganj College NCC, requesting sanction of Rs.500/- for the purpose :-

The application of Ex-Capt. A.K.Mukherjee requesting construction of an Obstacle Course as discussed in the meeting of the State Director NCC at the University was placed before the meeting.

Decision : Decided that the Obstacle Course be constructed within the amount of Rs.500/- as mentioned by Ex-Capt.A.K.Mukherjee and that the amount be paid out of NCC budget provision of the College.

21. Protection of the Physics Laboratory with Grille-cum-Collapsible Gate -- Application of the Head of the Deptt. of Physics, submitting an estimate ~~of~~ for Rs.1140/- for the purpose:-

Decided that the Council accepted in principle the proposal and the matter would be considered for execution as soon as possible.

22. An application signed by Dr.S.Acharya and Shri I.L.Saha of the Deptt. of Physics, seeking permission for publication of their paper "Column Calibration Factor : Temperature Dependence of Isotopic" in the Journal of Physical Society of Japan :-

The application was placed before the meeting. The Vice-Chancellor was pleased to point out that the University has recently decided not to permit any expenditure to be incurred for publication of any paper in any foreign journal. The Council, therefore, regretted inability to comply with the request of Dr.Acharya.

23. Leave Cases :-

a) Application of Shri S.C.Das, M.A., Lecturer in English, for the period from 17.2.1982 to 27.2.1982 for performing the last rites of his father :-

The application was placed before the meeting and considered. Decided to grant Shri Das Special Leave for the period from 17.2.82 to 27.2.82.

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23. (b) Application of Shrimati J.Sengupta, M.A., Lecturer in Philosophy, praying for leave from 5.1.82 to 22.1.82 (suffixing a holiday on 23rd January and a Sunday on 24th January,1982) :-

The Council desired to know fuller details regarding her absence and causes thereof.

(c) Application of Shri Ratul Kanti Sinha, M.Sc., Lecturer in Zoology, praying for Study Leave :-

The application was duly considered. Decided to grant him Study Leave with pay for one year as per University rule, subject to his producing the letter from the University of Burdwan admitting him to M.Phil. Course during the 1982-83 academic session.

24. P.F.Loan : Applications of —

a)	Shri S.N.Roy, Principal. :	For Rs.9504/-
b)	Dr.Dhirendra Kr.Das, Lecturer in Chemistry. :	For Rs.6900/-
c)	Shri Benoy Bh.Choudhury, Head of the Deptt. of Commerce. :	For Rs.6000/-
d)	Shri B.K.Sanyal, Lecturer in Mathematics:	For Rs.6800/-
e)	Shri Biswanath Bhattacharya, Acting Head Clerk cum Cashier. :	For Rs.4600/-
f)	Shri N.N.Basu, Asstt.Librarian. :	For Rs.1000/-
g)	Shri Dalim Kr.Nag, L.D.Clerk cum Typist:	For Rs.2136/-
h)	Shri Binoy Krishna Goswami, Library Attendant. :	For Rs.1650/-
i)	Shri D.K.Nag, Night Guard cum Bearer.:	For Rs.2200/-
j)	Shri P.K.Chakraborty, Lab.Bearer. :	For Rs.2000/-
k)	Shri R.N.Choudhury, Bearer. :	For Rs.2200/-

Decision : Decided to approve of the action of the Principal in sanctioning loan to the above applicants from the Provident Fund as per rules.

ADDITIONAL AGENDA

25. Application of Shri Biswanath Bhattacharya, Acting Head Clerk cum Cashier, praying for appropriate designation and pay scale. In case of rejection of this prayer, he solicits to be relieved of his additional duties, relating to the post of Head Clerk/Cashier :-

It was noted that the case of Shri Biswanath Bhattacharya was forwarded to the Govt. for the revival of the post of the Head Clerk.

It was, however, decided that his acting allowance be enhanto Rs.100/- from Rs.60/- per month with effect from the month of April,1982.

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26. Application of Shri Bipul Behari De, a part-time Bearer from 1st January,1982, for Prof.Mess Honours Rooms on a fixed monthly allowance of Rs.50/-, praying for sanction of Day-Wage instead of fixed allowance of Rs.50/- :-

His part-time allowance be enhanced to Rs.60/-.

27. Application of Dr.Dhirendra Kumar Das, Superintendent, Girls' Hostel, requesting revision of the College Council decision of 8th Feby.,1982, re : enhancement of allowance of the Superintendent :-

Deferred.

28. Arrangement for Calculation of arrear P.F. (Interest only) of staff :-

Deferred.

29. Problem of Special Honours Admission :-

Deferred.

30. Concession in tuition fees -- 1981-82 session :-

Decision : Local members of the College Council will constitute the Concession Sub-Committee with Bursar as Convener and Principal as Chairman as was done last year. The Principal may put up names of the students selected for fee-concession by the Committee thus constituted.

31. Representation from the Students' Union re : Cheap Canteen:-

Deferred.

32. Application of Shri D.K.Basu Roy, Bearer, seeking retirement from service and benefit of Triple Benefit Scheme :-

It was noted that the State Govt. has not yet sanctioned Triple Benefit Scheme.

33. Letter from the Bursar re : House Rent Allowance for a teacher whose wife was occupying free quarters as Hostel Super :-

Deferred.

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34. Application signed by Shri S.K.Ghosh, Librarian, and Shri N.N.Basu, Asstt.Librarian, praying for extension of the benefit of Tiffin Allowance to them :-

Deferred.

35. U.G.C.Circular No.F.2-6/80(CP),dated 13 JAN,1982,forwarded by the Deputy Registrar, under No.219-UGC/ /R-82, dated 19.3-1982 re : employment of the blind persons for reeaning of chairs :-

Deferred.

36. Extension of services of Dr.Anupam Sarkar,Substitute Lecturer in Chemistry :-

Principal reported that in view of paucity of staff and the failure of the College Service Commission to send the necessary recommendation for appointment of a substitute Lecturer in Chemistry in place of S hri Debaprosad Bhattacharya, now deputed under F.I.P. Scheme, he on the advice and approval of the Vice-Chancellor extended the serbice of Dr.Anupam Sarkar up to 15th April,1982. The Principal recommended further that in view of various examinations services of Dr.Sarkar might be retained for a further period.

Resolved to approve of the action of the Principal in extending the service of Dr.Anupam Sarkar by a month.

Resolved further, on the basis of the recommendation of the Principal to extend the service of Dr.Anupam Sarkar up to 31st May,1982.

37. Appointment of N.S.S.Programme Officer :-

The Principal reported that two applications were received from the following gentlement (1) Shri Pallab Daegupta, Lecturer in Economics (2) Shri Mukul Bikash Sen,Head of the Deptt. of Economics.

Decided that Shri Mukul Bikash Sen be appointed Progra-

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-mme Officer, NSS, Raiganj College (University College), with effect from 1st May,1982.

38. Appointment of N.C.C.Officer :-

The Principal reported that in response to his notice among the teachers he received only one application, that of Shri Rabindranath Mukherjee, Lecturer in Chemistry.

Decided to depute Shri Mukherjee to NCC Pre-Com. Training at the first available course.

39. Vice-Chancellor's grant for the Students' Union (1981-82 Session) :-

Deferred.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- S.N.Roy
(S.N.Roy)
Secretary,
College Council,
Raiganj College
(University College)
&
Principal,
Raiganj College
(University Coll ege).

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh
(P.K.Ghosh)
PRESIDENT,
College Council,
Raiganj College
(University College)
&
Vice-Chancellor,
University of North Bengal.

Annexure - VII

UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE,
COOCH BEHAR.

Minutes of the meeting of the College Council held on 18.11.81 at the Conference Room of the University of North Bengal at 3.00 P.M.

Members present :

1) Prof. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor - President
2) Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer, North Bengal University
3) Dr. P.K.Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj College & Member, N.B.U. Council
4) Sri Hiten Nag, Lecturer in Bengali, Dinhata College & Member, N.B.U. Council
5) Sri U.K.Datta, Lecturer, B.T. Section
6) " G.P.Deb, Lecturer, Evening Section
7) " J.N.Ganguli, Officer-in-Charge, Secretary.

Item - 1. To read and confirm the proceedings of last meeting held on 12.9.81.

Decision : The minutes of the last meeting were confirmed.

Matters arising -

(i) It was noted that the original Matriculation Certificate of Sri R.C.Chakraborty was produced to the Vice Chancellor.

(ii) It was also noted that the Vice Chancellor wrote to Sri M.B. Sen for his observations in respect of Sri R.C.Chakraborty's continuation of service beyond the date of retirement etc. and the letter was sent to Sri Sen on 22.9.81 per Regd. Mail in terms of the decision of the College Council in item 2. It was also noted that the stipulated reply is still awaited.

Item - 2. To consider the settlement of claim consequence on retirement of Sri R.C.Chakrabprty, Head Clerk/ Sr. Asstt., B.Ed. Section of the College.

Decision : Deferred.

Item - 3 : To consider the replies/observations of the office on the Inspection of the College by the Inspector of Colleges on 21st. August, 1981.

Decision : The Council took a note of the replies given by the office and requested the Officer-in-Charge to communicate the steps taken by way of implementation of the suggestions made for record.

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Item - 4. To consider the Budget Estimates for the year 1982-83.

Decision : It was noted that a copy of the Budget Estimates for the year 1982-83 has been submitted to the Finance Branch for scrutiny and further action.

Item - 5. To approve loans sanctioned by the office against P.F. accumulations of teachers and employees.

Decision : The Council approved the loans and accorded ex post facto sanction to them as admissible according to rules.

Name	Date	Amount
B.T.Section		
1) Prof. U.K.Dutta	9.9.81	Rs. 3,000/-
2) Sri S.K.Das	21.9.81	Rs. 1,600/-
3) Sri R.K.Shome	21.9.81	Rs. 600/-
4) Prof. A. Moulik	22.9.81	Rs. 7,200/-
5) " S. Ghosh	4.11.81	Rs. 7,000/-
6) Smti K. Sengupta (Chatterjee)	"	Rs. 2,600/-
Evening Section		
1) Prof. B.B.Chatterjee	10.9.81	Rs. 4,500/-
2) Sri Prakash Chakraborty	22.9.81	Rs. 900/-
3) " Bhim Bahadur Thapa	22.9.81	Rs. 1,000/-

Item - 6. To report that carpentry works have been undertaken to meet the immediate needs of Class Rooms.

Decision : The Council approved the steps taken in this connection. It was decided that the Officer-in-Chargemay get competative rates in this connection from 3 different firms.

It was resolved that the portion of work already done be approved and the rest of the work be taken up in consultation with the teacher members of the Council Sri G.P.Deb and Sri U.K.Datta, composing a Committee with the Officer-in-Charge as the Convener.

Item - 7. To approve the award of Half-free studentship to the students of the Evening ection on the norms accepted by the Council as per annexure provided.

Decision : Approved. Norms and list to be annexed.

Item - 8. To consider the extension of the tenure in respect of Sri I. Sarkar, Lecturer in History, Evening Section, appointed on ad-hoc temporary basis.

Decision : The Council noted that there is no full time teacher in History at the moment.

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It was resolved that the Registrar, North Bengal University be requested to move the U.G.C. for leave and the State Govt. for appointment of Sri Sarker as Lecturer in History in view of the delay inthe post being filled up on the recommendation of the College Service Commission.

It was further resolved that a telegram be sent to College Service Commission to expedite the recommendation. In this connection the College Council noted that in order to meet the needs of teaching History temporary appointment of a part time teacher has been made subject to the approval of the College Council.

The Council approved the appointment till 5.12.81 and decided that steps be taken to appoint two part time teachers from local Colleges. The following Selection Committee was constituted for for the purpose. Appointments may be given on the recommendations of the Selection Committee and Vice-Chancellor's order.

(i) Dr. P.K.Gupta
(ii) A nominee of the V.C.
(iii) The Officer-in-Charge, Convener.

Item - 9. To review the pending decisions in respect of the staff pattern of the College and regularisation of the employees being retained on adhoc temporary basis.

Decision : The Officer-in-Charge, it was decided, will forward details of such employees to the Vice Chancellor who is being authorised to take a decision in the matter.

Item - 10. To review the progress of the proposal on extension of affiliation of the College in honours in English, Bengali, History, Pol. Science and Accountancy.

Decision : The pertinent resolution of the College Council may be sent to the University Council for consideration.

Item - 11. Miscellaneous -

(i) The Council noted that A.D.A.had been sanctioned by the State Govt. to the Employees of the Non-Govt. educational institutions with effect from 1.8.81 vide G.O. no. 396(6)Edn(B) dt. 24th August, 1981. 1 m - 41/81

The Council approved the implementation of the order.

(ii) The letter from the Secretary, Teachers Council dated 16.11.81 along with a copy of the resolution passed at its meeting on 14.11.81 was placed before the meeting.

The Council noted that reference had already been made to the State Govt. in connection with the matter under para 1.

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Regarding para 2, it was reported that the funds position of the University particularly this year is such that payment of arrear house rent will be difficult. However the funds position will be reviewed as soon as the restoration of the deficit grants of the University severely cut this year receives favourable response from the Govt.

Regarding para 3, A.D.A. due from 1.4.81 - it was held that as soon as the Govt. order is available it would be implemented for payment with effect from 1.4.81.

Regarding para 4, it is opined that the College Council has all along considered sanction of leave on individual merits and not denied in effect any legitimate case. The changing of Leave Rules does not appear to be feasible at this stage.

The meeting ended on a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh
President.
Vice-Chancellor,
University of North Bengal.

Secretary.

Annexure

Procedure to be followed for calculation of poverty and marks in connection with granting of Free and Half-free studentship.

Calculation of poverty

Income	Marks
Rs. 0 to 50	50
50 to 100	45
101 to 150	40
151 to 200	35
201 to 250	30
251 to 300	25
301 to 350	20
351 to 400	15
401 to 450	10
451 to 500	5

Calculation of marks

10 % on the marks secured by the candidate.

Placed before the Vice-Chancellor for favour of approval.

Approved.
Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
12/9/81

Annexure

UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE, COOCH BEHAR
Evening Section.

A list of students of B.A./B.Com. 1st year who have been granted Half-free studentship for the Session 1980-81.

B.A. 1st year

1. Arun Koranjai
2. Asit Baran Tagore
3. Kanai Choudhury
4. Minakshi Sarkar
5. Gautam Ghosh
6. Dipak Kumar Sarkar
7. Alo Sil
8. Dulal Chandra Pain
9. Habibur Rahaman
10. Bithika Pramanik
11. Chitra Deb
12. Pranati Das
13. Dipti Routh

B.Com. 1st year

1. Amar Chandra Dey
2. Ranjan Deb
3. Suswata Hore
4. Ashok Kumar Ghosh
5. Pradip Kumar Dutta
6. Ashok Saha
7. Uttam Kumar Saha
8. Nitai Chandra Saha
9. Alok Kumar Danik

UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE

COOCH BEHAR.

Proceedings of the meeting of the College Council, University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar, held on 16.2.82 at 3 P.M. at the North Bengal University Guest House.

Members present :

1. Prof. P. K. Ghosh - Vice Chancellor - President
2. Sri S.N.Roy - Finance Officer
3. Dr. M. Dasgupta - Officer-in-Charge, A.B.N.Seal College
4. Prof. U.K.Dutta - Teachers' representative
5. Prof. G.P.Deb - Do
6. Prof. J.N.Ganguli - Officer-in-Charge and Secretary
7. Dr. A.B.Majumdar - Inspector of Colleges (Special Invitee)

1. TO CONFIRM THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE LAST MEETING :-

Decision : The minutes of the last meeting were confirmed.

2. TO SETTLE THE ACCOUNT OF SRI RABINDRA CHANDRA CHAKRABORTY THE RETIRED HEAD CLERK OF THE COLLEGE ATTACHED TO THE B.T. SECTION :

Decision : The Council noted the contents of a letter dt. 22.9.81 written by the Vice Chancellor to Sri N.B.Sen the then Acting Principal of the College and the reply thereof dated 8.12.81 sent by Sri M.B.Sen in the context of the explanation submitted by Sri Rabindra Chandra Chakraborti in his letter dated 7.8.81 addressed to the Officer-in-Charge.

The Council considered the statements of Sri M.B.Sen and Sri Rabindra Chandra Chakraborti. The Council took into account the fact that Sri Chakraborti had served the college after his retirement with effect from 1.9.79 to 25.9.79 and thereafter from 24.10.79 till his services were discontinued with effect from 1.9.81 (he served the college upto 31.8.81).

The Council resolved that the amount drawn by him by way of consolidated pay for the period from 26.9.79 to 23.10.79 (i.e. for the period of the Puja vacation) be recovered from his dues.

The Council further resolved that the arrears drawn by Sri Chakraborti in the revised scale of pay and the excess of the pay and allowances drawn by him over the consolidated pay be also recovered from his dues.

The Officer-in-Charge may get the necessary calculations of the excess amount drawn (as stated above) made by the college office and send it to the Finance Officer for scrutiny before final settlement of his dues.

It was also resolved that the amount of his own subscriptions to the Provident Fund may be immediately released pending final settlement of his dues and subject to the balance of amount due on his P.F. account being adequate for recovery of the excess amount drawn by him as mentioned above.

A statement of the excess amount drawn by Sri Chakraborti and his dues on P.F. account may be examined by the Finance Officer or his nominee before release of his own subscription.

The resolution was confirmed.

3. TO REVIEW CERTAIN ADMINISTRATIVE MEASURES INVOLVING DATE OF INCREMENT OF SOME MEMBERS OF THE STAFF WITHOUT SANCTION OF THE COUNCIL :

Decision : The Council noted that an order had been issued on 31.1.81 by the then Acting Principal of the college changing the date of increment of Dr. S.N.Ghosal from November to February. No other record about the reasons for this change was available.

The Council decided that :

(a) The Officer-in-Charge may ascertain from Dr. S.N.Ghosal whether he had made any representation for changing the date of his increment and if so, to request him to submit a copy of the same.

(b) Sri M.B.Sen, the then Acting Principal may be requested to inform as to the basis on which he passed the office order under reference. A copy of the order may be sent to him.

(c) The Officer-in-Charge may find out from office record whether Dr. S.N.Ghosal has drawn consequential arrears upon the change of date of his increment.

The Council further noted that the due procedure was apparently not followed before the change was given effect to.

It was decided that pending full consideration of the matter by the Council the date of increment of Dr. S.N.Ghosal may continue to be from November and he may not be allowed increment in February, 1982.

The resolution was confirmed.

4. TO DEFINE THE APPLICATIONS OF RULES OF HOUSE RENT IN RESPECT OF A COUPLE SERVING THE COLLEGE :

Decision : As per University rules if both husband and wife are employed at the college only one of them to whom it is more advantageous will be entitled to draw House Rent allowances.

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If house rent allowance is drawn by both it should be immediately stopped and the employees concerned may be informed about the rule of the University. The Officer-in-Charge should ascertain who would opt for drawing house rent allowance.

The resolution was confirmed.

5. TO FIX THE ORDER OF PRIORITY IN RESPECT OF TEACHERS OF THE COLLEGE IN THE MATTER OF HOLDING CHARGE OF THE COLLEGE IN ABSENCE OF PRINCIPAL/OFFICER-IN-CHARGE :

Decision : The Officer-in-Charge may write to the Registrar and the Principal, Raiganj College to ascertain the names of teachers of Raiganj College who opted for University service after takeover of the college and the respective dates from which their options became effective.

6. TO FORMULATE THE METHOD OF ADMISSION IN RESPECT OF FRESHER CANDIDATES SEEKING ADMISSION IN THE B.ED. SECTION OF THE COLLEGE FOR THE SESSION 1982-83 :

Decision : The Council considered the matter and decided that the practice as is prevalent should continue in this regard.

7. TO DECIDE CERTAIN OUTSTANDING ISSUES OF DISCIPLINE INVOLVING ADMINISTRATIVE AND ACADEMIC LIFE OF THE COLLEGE AND TO FORMULATE REMEDIES THEREON :

Decision : The Council noted the incidents which took place on 12.1.82 in connection with the election of the Students' Union (Evening Section). The members of the Council resolved that steps may be taken in future to prevent the recurrence of such incidents.

The Council also noted the reported incident which took place on 20.1.82 in the Evening Section in connection with internal assessment marks.

It was noted that N. B. U. Council at its meeting held on 13.2.82 considered the entire system of internal assessment in under graduate colleges and laid down specific guidelines to prevent disparities which were reported to have occurred in several colleges be tween the declared marks and the tabulated scores of internal assessments sent to the University. The steps taken by the Examination Branch in rectifying the internal assessment marks of the students of the Evening Section were approved by the University Council.

Regarding the alleged threat and the reactions of teaching and non-teaching staff it was decided that the following committee will inquire into the matter and make a recommendation.

1. Sri Bimal Kanti Basu - M.L.A. Member, College Council
2. Dr. M. Dasgupta - Officer-in-Charge, A.B.N.Seal College
3. Prof. J.N.Ganguli - Officer-in-Charge of the college.

The Vice Chancellor was requested to place the matter regarding the representation of the five teachers of the college after obtaining a full declaration from them in this connection.

The resolution was confirmed.

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8. TO REPORT THAT SRI SUJIT GUHA AND SRI ANUP CHOUDHURY JOINED AS PART-TIME LECTURERS IN THE COLLEGE IN HISTORY EFFECTIVE FROM 16.11.81 AND 19.12.81 RESPECTIVELY :

Decision : Noted and approved.

9. TO REPORT THAT THE COLLEGE HAS SUBCUMSTANTIALLY GOT INVOLVED IN LITIGATION ON THE ISSUE OF THE ELECTION OF STUDENTS' UNION FROM THE SESSION 1981-82 AND THAT SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE COUNCIL THE OFFICER IN CHARGE HAS APPOINTED SRI HIMANGSU SEKHAR MUSTAFI AS LAWYER TO REPRESENT THE COLLEGE :

Decision : Noted and approved.

10. TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE LIST OF FREE STUDENTSHIPS FOR THE B.ED. SECTION OF THE COLLEGE FOR THE SESSION 1981-82 :

Decision : Noted and approved.

11. TO CONSTITUTE A SELECTION COMMITTEE FOR APPOINTMENT OF A JUIOR ASSISTANT IN THE VACANCY CONSEQUENT ON RETIREMENT OF SRI RABINDRA CHANDRA CHAKRABORTY :

Decision : The Council decided that the post of one clerk-cum-typist be advertised in the Uttar Banga Sambad in consultation with I.C. and names be obtained from the local Employment Exchange. In this connection the following selection committee is constituted :

1. Inspector of Colleges
2. Finance Officer
3. Dr. M. Dasgupta, Officer-in-Charge, A.B.N.Seal College, Cooch Behar
4. Officer-in-Charge.

It was also decided that a written test will be held for the candidates on a date to be notified on the notice board (this may be inserted in the advertisement). Successful candidates in the written test securing 50 marks or more will be called for typing test and interview. The date of typing test and interview will be notified on the date of written test.

12. TO CONSIDER AN APPLICATION FROM THE NON TEACHING MINISTERIAL EMPLOYEES OF THE COLLEGE FOR ALLOCATION OF A FRACTION OF THE GRANT RECEIVED FROM THE COUNCIL OF HIGHER SECONDARY EDUCATION TO MEET CONTINGENCIES IN RESPECT OF SPECIAL AND CONTINUING CANDIDATES :

Decision : The council considered the matter and it was decided that the amount and the rate of payment to the staff concerned may be determined by the Officer-in-Charge in consultation with Dr. M. Dasgupta, Officer-in-Charge, A.B.N.Seal College and member of the College Council.

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13. TO APPROVE THE ADVANCES MADE OUT OF P.F. ACCUMULATION IN RESPECT OF THE TEACHING AND NON-TEACHING EMPLOYEES OF THE COLLEGE :

Decision : Approved as per rules.

14. TO CONSIDER THE APPLICATIONS FOR LEAVE RECEIVED FROM THE TEACHING AND NON-TEACHING EMPLOYEES OF THE COLLEGE DETAILED BELOW :

Decision : Approved as per rules.

In this connection it was decided that Sri N.L.Dutta be requested to submit a certificate of fitness in having resumed his duty.

15. TO CONSIDER A QUOTATION RECEIVED FROM M/S. NATIONAL TYPEWRITER CO. COOCH BEHAR FOR REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT OF PARTS OF GESTENER 105 MODEL DUPLICATOR MACHINE SINCE IN DISUSE :

Decision : It was decided that the Gestener Operating Machine may be returned to the University with the request to the Finance Officer to the possessione of it.

16. TO CONSIDER AN APPLICATION RECEIVED FROM SRI SATYA RANJAN DUTTA TOWARDS ELIGIBILITY OF CASH ALLOWANCE WHICH HE HAD TO REFUND :

Decision : It would be examined by the Finance Officer or his nominee and the council will consider it thereafter.

17. TO CONSIDER AN APPLICATION RECEIVED FROM SRI NITAI CHANDRA SADHU KHAN, ASSTT. LIBRARIAN OF THE COLLEGE IN THE MATTER OF CROSSING THE EFFICIENCY BAR IN THE SCALE OF PAY :

Decision : The Council decided that the University Librarian or his nominee not below the rank of Deputy Librarian may be requested to visit the college and submit a report on the performance of the Asstt. Librarian of the college for consideration of the College Council.

18. MISC :

(a) To approve the regularisation of services of employees (Class IV) hkx hitherto retained as adhoc employees on daily wage basis :

The Council endorsed the order of approval of the Vice Chancellor in getting them regularised as per rules on scales relevant in non-govt. non-sponsored colleges.

(b) The proposal of setting up a Building Committee to be constituted as per U.G.C. rules was mooted and it was decided that the work of construction of the college building may eventually be taken up subject to the availability of funds.

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(c) The Vice Chancellor reported that the representation submitted by the teaching and non-teaching employees of the College regarding extension of triple benefit scheme, arrear house rent etc. was duly considered by the University Council at its meeting held on 14.1.82. The University Council decided to move the Govt. in these matters in accordance with which the Vice Chancellor and two members of the University Council met the Education Minister on 21.1.82. As suggested by the Education Minister the Vice Chancellor took up the matter at the meeting of the Advisory Council of Vice Chancellors on 28.1.82. The Finance Secretary who was present at the meeting agreed to consider the matter favourably.

The University Council also decided that at least one instalment of the arrear House rent allowances be paid as soon as the restoration of deficit grant makes the fund position easier in the month of March, 1982.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
President.

Officer-in-Charge
&
Secretary.

Annexure—VII

OFFICE OF THE UNIVERSITY ENGINEER
NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE MEETING HELD IN THE OFFICE OF THE VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY ON 14.12.81 AT 3-00 P.M. UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF DR. P.K. GHOSH, VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY.

The following members were present:-

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University, Chairman, Building Committee.
2. Sri N.C.Dutta. Additional Chief Engineer, North Bengal , West Bengal State Electricity Board.
3. Sri A.K.Sen. Superintending Engineer, Northern Circle, P.W.D.
4. Dr. S.N.Sen. Professor, Department of Physics, North Bengal University, Member , Executive Council, N.B.U.
5. Sri Bimal Das. Reader, Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U., Member, N.B.U. Council.
6. Sri S.N.Sanyal. University Engineer , North Bengal University, Secretary, Building Committee.
7. Sri D.B.Roy, Asstt. Engineer, N.B.U. attended the meeting as an invitee.
8. Sri R.N.Moitra, Executive Engineer, P.W.D., N.B.C.Division, attended the meeting as an invitee.

Item No. 1.

To confirm the proceedings of the meeting of the Building Committee held on 16.9.81 at 3-00 P.M.

Decision:- The proceedings of the Building Committee meeting held on 15.9.81 were confirmed.

Item No. 2.

To discuss and approve of the estimate amounting to Rs.31,500.00 for "Construction of R.C.C.Bus Stand for children in the Eastern and Western Sector of the N.B.U.Campus. "

Decision:- Deferred .

Item No. 3.

To discuss and approve of the estimate amounting to Rs. 7,400.00 for "Temporary conversion of open space in to two rooms in the Physics Department , N.B.U. Campus for use as reading room and store room"

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the estimate in principle subject to to the proposal being re-submitted by the Head of the Department of Physics explaining the utilisation of the space required.

Item No. 4.

To discuss and approve of the lowest tender of the contractor in connection with "Construction of 5'-0" (Span) culvert at the road crossing in front of the Guest House." Estimated amount put to tender in Rs.22,640/= .

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of M/s Modern Builders at 12.99% below the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for the above work. Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.22,640/= and work order to be issued for Rs. 19,699/= .

Item No. 5 .

To discuss and approve of the lowest tender of the contractor in connection with "Construction of culvert in the approach road of Children's Park (Western Sector)" . Estimated amount put to tender is Rs.7,609.00 .

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of M/s North Bengal Builders at 11.11% below the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for the above work. Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.7,609.00 and work order to be issued for Rs. 6,764/= .

Item No. 6.

To discuss and approve of the lowest tender of the contractors for (a) "Construction of two bath rooms, two latrines , one septic tank and one tube-well in the salbagan sub-staff barrack" . Estimated amount put to tender is Rs. 15,296.00.

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Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of Sri Jaydeb Rudra at 2.99% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for the above work. Estimated amount put to tender was Rs. 15,296/- and work order to be issued for Rs.15,753/-.

(b). Construction of two bath rooms , two latrines, one septic tank and one tube-well in the Durwans' barrack in the Western Sector ". Estimated amount put to tender is Rs. 15,296.00.

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of Sri Arjun Dutta at 2.90% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for the above work. Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.15,296/- and work order to be issued for Rs. 15,740/-.

(c) "Construction of two bath rooms, two latrines , one Septic tank and one tube-well in the Sweepers' Barrack." . Estimated amount put to tender is Rs.15,296.00

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of Sri Arjun Dutta at 2.85% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of ~~xx~~ quantities for the above work. Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.15,296/- and work order to be issued for Rs. 15,732/-

Item No. 7.

To report to the committee that the site selection committee consisting of ~~th~~ the members Dr. S.N.Sen, Registrar, Sri Bimal Das, Sri S.N.Sanyal and Sri D.B.Roy, has selected the site of....metre dia . R.C.C.well near the ~~RxMxMxExxxxtor~~ R.C.C.Eleveted Reservoir behind the ~~H~~minities Buildings.

Decision:- The Committee noted the site plan of the site selected by the site selection committee .

Item No. 8.

To discuss and decide action to be taken for non completion of the following:-

(i) Extension of Gents' Hostel Building in the N.B.U.University.
(ii) Construction of two numbers R.C.Overhead tank over the parapet support of the second floor roof of the Hostel Buildings.

(iii) Construction of the University Service and Instrumentation Centre for the North Bengal University.

Item No. 9

To discuss the powers and the responsibilities of the University Engineer in respect of award of contract and /or termination of contract in view of some recent court cases/Arbitration cases and to decide future course of action in respect of the present system, prevailing in the University.

Item No. 10.

To discuss and decide about reforming the existing terms and conditions of the tender forms.

Decision:- (for item No. 8,9,&10)

Since agenda item numbers 8,9,&10 were inter related, the items were taken up simultaneously and it was decided that under the present situation's the Registrar, N.B.U. should be consulted first and further steps should be taken immediately for modification of the tender form and matters relating to the contract for works vis a vis the responsibilities of the University Engineer in respect of the Contracts and the contractors in consultation with the University's Legal Advisor.

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Item No. 11.

Miscellaneous.

SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA ITEMS .

Item No. 1. To discuss and approve of the excess quantity of execution against item No. 2 of the priced schedule for Rs. 51.00 in connection with the work "~~Electrica~~ "Electrical installation in the extension block of V.K.Hall (Phase I) by the ~~xxxx~~ agency Sri Subhas Ch. Debnath.

~~Decision:- The Committee noted the report of the University Engineer and~~

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the excess quantity of execution of the above items since the increase is only 6.06% and this was found necessary during actual excoution.

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Item No. 2.

To discuss and approve of the excess quantity of execution against item No. 2 of the priced schedule for Rs.178.00 in connection with the work "Electrical installation in the extension block of Rani Bhavani Hall " by the agency Sri Subhas Ch. Debnath.

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the excess quantity of execution of the above item, although the excess execution is 10.7% since it was found necessary during actual execution. During discussion, on the suggestion of the Superintending Engineer, Northern circle, P.W.D., it was decided that henceforth the University Engineer will exercise powers of approving excess quantities and supplementary items as is enjoyed by the Executive Engineers of P.W.D. , West Bengal .,Beyound this limit in these respects, Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U's approval will be necessary.

Item No. 3.

To discuss and decide about the objections raised by the Sub-Assistant Engineer (Electrical) in connection with the following works:-

(a) Electrical installation in the extension block of V.K.Hall (Phase I)
(b) Electrical installation in the extension block of Rani Bhavani Hall.

Decision:- The Committee discussed on the above and authorised the Vice-Chancellor to appoint an expert and also to take decision in this regard.

Item No. 4.

To discuss on the letter , dated 4.12.81 given by the lowest tenderers Sri A.K.Chakraborty and Sri Sumit Kumar Saha in connection with the proposed work "Extension of Gents' Hostel Building in the N.B.University (Second Phase).

Decision:- The Committee discussed on the letter and decided that the earnest money deposited by the contractors may be released since fund for the above construction has not yet been received from the State Govt. , Fresh tenders may be called for as soon as the fund is received from the Govt..

Item No. 5.

To discuss on the report of the University Engineer regarding return of cement to the Teesta Barrage Project, Islampur.

Decision:- The Committee noted the report of the University Engineer and decided to hand over 40 M.T. of cement to the P.W.D. Department since Asstt. Engineer , Teesta Barrage Project is not willing to take back the cement at present and since fresh allotment of 50 M.T. has been received from W.B.E.S.C.Ltd.,

Item No. 6.

To discuss on the report of Sri S.K.Bhattacharjee, Asstt. Professor, Electrical Engineering Department, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College who was requested to verify the 1st and final bill of M/s Banerjee & Co. prepared by the University Engineer, for the work "Electrical installation (internal) in Magnetic Spectrograph Building near the Physics Building N.B.U.Campus ." The action was taken as per resolution adopted in the Building Committee meeting held on 17.8.81 vide supplementary agenda item No. 2.

Decision:- The Committee noted the report of Sri S.K.Bhattacharjee, Asstt. Prof. Electrical Engineering Department, Jalpaiguri Govt.Engineering College

Item No. 7.

To discuss and approve of the excess quantity of execution against item No. 1 of the priced schedule for Rs. 3,813.00 in connection with "Construction of overhead distribution line and service connection to Magnetic Spectrograph Building by Sri Subhas Ch. Debnath.

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the excess quantity of execution of (4 nos. steel tubular pole) in connection with the above work, although the the excess execution is about 66% but this was done with the idea to procure steel tubular pole at a lower cost at the old rate and this will complete the line connecting the pump rooms near the life science building and the Godown for smooth supply to the Magnetic Spectrograph Building.

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Item No. 8.

To discuss and decide about an offer of Rs. 4,000.00 given by M/s Mukherjee & Sons for fishing out the sheared 4 B.S.Pump at sal forest since M/s Scott & Saxby Limited did not take up the job.

Decision:- The Committee discussed on the offer given by M/s Mukherjee & Sons for fishing out the sheared 4 B.S.Pump at Sal Forest and approved their Lamp sum offer of Rs. 4,000/= provided no charge will be taken by the agency in case of their incapability to withdraw the complete sheared materials from the tube well and the entire risk would lie with the firm.

Item No. 9.

To discuss and approve purchase of the following electrical measuring instruments as advised by Prof. S.K.Bhattacharjee, Consultant on the basis of lowest quotation.

1. Insulation Tester (Maggar)
2. Multimeter with Probec.
3. Earth Tester.
4. Tong Tester

Decision:- The Committee discussed on the above and suggested to place the items again with the actual cost estimate

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE MEETING HELD IN THE OFFICE OF THE VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY ON 12.3.82 AT 3-00 P.M. UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF DR. P.K.GHOSH, VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY.

The following members were present.

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University, Chairman, Building Committee.
2. Sri A.K.Sen. , Superintending Engineer, Northern circle, P.W.D.
3. Dr. S.N.Sen, Professor , Department of Physics, North Bengal Univ University.
4. Sri. B.K.Das, Reader, Department of Chemistry.
5. Sri S.M.Roy, Finance Officer,
6. Sri S.N.Sanyal , University Engineer, North Bengal University, Secretary, Building Committee.
7. Sri R.N.Moitra, Executive Engineer, N.B.Construction Division, P.W.D. attended the meating as an invitee.
8. Sri A.Sinha. Assistant Engineer(Electrical) N.B.U. attended the meeting as an invitee.
9. Dr. S.Mukherjee, Head of the department of Physics, N.B.U. attended the meeting as an invitee.

Item No.1.
To confirm the proceedings of the meeting of the Building committee held on 14.12.81 at 3-00 p.m.

Decision :- The proceedings of the Building Committee meeting held on 14.12.81 were confirmed.

Matters arising during confirmation of item nos. 8,9,10 and on the basis of the verbal report of the University Engineer, it was decided that the Finance Officer ,N.B.U. along with the University Engineer may seek legal opinion in accordance with the provisions of the New Act and the existing statutes and necessary steps might be taken with the approval of the Vice-Chancellor who was empowered to take decision in this regard.

Item No. 2.
To report to the Committee that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency, had approved the lowest offer in bid of Sri Sumit Kumar Saha, Contractor at 8.00% above the rates of the P.W.D.Schedule for the year 1981-82 in connection with "Emergency repair to the Commerce Block, Ex Humanities Building" . Estimated amount put to bid was Rs.4,000.00 and work-order was issued for Rs.4,320.00

Decision:-
The Committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor had approved the lowest bid for the above work and the necessity for such work arose for All India Accounting Conference.

Item No. 3.
To report to the Committee that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency, had approved the lowest offer in bid of M/s Jayanta Enterprise at 2.00% below the rates contained in the P.W.D. Schedule for the year 1981 -82 in connection with "Emergency repair to the South Block of Ramkrishna Hall". Estimated amount put to bid was Rs. 4,500.00 and work-order was issued for Rs.4,410.00

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Decision:-
The Committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor had approved the lowest offer in bid for the above work as it was necessary for accommodation of delegates of All India Accounting Conference.

Item No. 4.

To report to the Committee that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency, had approved the lowest offer in bid of M/S P.D.Construction at 2.00% below the rates of the P.W.D.schedule for the year 1981-82 in connection with "Emergency repair to the North Block(Ground floor and and second floor) and kitchen of Ramkrishna Hall". Estimated amount put to bid was Rs. 4,500.00 and work-order was issued for Rs.4,410.00.

Decision:-
The Committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor had approved the lowest offer in bid forthe above work as it was necessary for accommodation of delegates of All India Accounting Conference.

Item No.5.

To discuss and approve the single quotation give by the manufacturer M/s Zeolite India for one number water treatment plants (capacity of the Doser 48 gallons) @ Rs. 8,240.00 + 8% W.B.S.tax.

Decision:-
The Committee discussed and approved the single quotation of a water treatment plant for chlorination submitted by M/s Zeolite India who are reputed maker of this type of plants.

Item No. 6.
To discuss on the letter of Sri Prasanta Kumar Sen, contractor dated 5.2.82 in connection with his performance of the work "Extension of the street light line along the link road and maintenance of over head line in both sectors."

Decision:-
The Committee discussed the contents of the letter of Sri Prasanta Kumar Sen, Contractor, dated 5.2.82 and agreed to treat his 2nd R/A bill as final bill as no further item of work is to be executed and decided that the security money of the contractor may be released.

Item No. 7.
To discuss and decide action to be taken against the contractor M/s Modern Builders for their inability to complete the work "Sanitary and Plumbing work in the extension portion of the Gents' Hostel Building".

Decision:-
During discussion of the item the Committee considered the letter dated 11.3.82 of the firm M/s Modern Builders praying an extension of time for one month and granted the extension on condition that the work would be completed within a month failing which penal measures are to be taken as per rules.

Item No. 8.
To discuss on the single quotation of M/s Associated Electricals and Equipments corporation for their offer of different electrical measuring equipments e.g. Insulation Tester, Universal Multimeter, Earth Tester and AC Tong Tester.

Decision:-The Committee discussed the matter and decided to invite fresh quotation from the reputed firms again.

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Item No.9.
To discuss and approve the rates of consulting services of Prof. S.K.Bhattacharjee of Electrical Engineering Department, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College.

Decision:-
The Committee discussed the matter and empowered the Vice-Chancellor to take decision in this regard on the basis of the note submitted by the University Engineer.

Item No. 10.
To discuss and approve the first and final tender for supplementary item amounting to Rs.1,339/-... in favour of Sri Amal Chowdhury, Contractor, for the work "University service and Instrumentation Centre for the N.E.U." Tendered amount of the work was Rs. 73,853.00.

Decision:-
The Committee discussed the matter and noted that "Supplementary items No. 2 and 3 are substituted items of the priced schedule, and approved the tender for Rs. 1,339.00.

Item No. 11.
To discuss on the tenders received in connection with "Supply of materials for repairing work of road in the University Campus". The rates received are abnormally high. Estimated amount of the work is Rs.15,397.00.

Decision:-
The Committee discussed the matter and decided that fresh tender may be invited.

Item No. 12.
To discuss and approve the estimate in connection with "Construction of first floor for establishing a Research Laboratory for Pesticide Chemistry".

Decision:-
The Committee discussed and approved the above estimate in principle and decided that tender should not be invited before getting clearance from the Vice-Chancellor about the fund.

Item no.13.
To discuss on the report of the Head of the Department of Physics for approving of the estimate amounting to Rs. 7,400.00 for "Temporary conversion of open space into two rooms in the Physics Department". The proposal was placed in the Building Committee meeting held on 14.12.81 against item No. 3 where in the estimate was approved in principle subject to the proposal being re-submitted by the Head of the Department of Physics explaining the utilisation of the space required.

Decision:-
The Committee discussed and approved the estimate on the basis of the reason stated by the Head of the Department of Physics for utilisation of the space for storing radio active materials etc.

Item No.14.
To discuss and approve of the estimate for Rs.4,683.00 inconnection with "Purchase of Electrical goods for Boys' Hostel and Girls' Hostel..

Decision:-
The Committee discussed the above estimate and desired that the matter may be put up before the Purchase Committee.

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Item No.15.
To discuss and approve of the estimate for Rs.2057.00 in connection with "Purchase of Electrical goods for street light maintenance in the Eastern Sector and Western Sector.

Decision:-
The Committee disoussed and approved the estimate and desired that it may be placed before the Purchase Committee

Item No. 16.
To discuss and approve of the estimate for Rs.2,405.00 in connection with "Purchase of Electrical goods for running maintenance of Teaching and non teaching staff quarters including Administrative building for the period of 6 months.

Decision:-
The Committee discussed and approved the estimate and desired that it may be placed before the Purchase Committee.

Item No. 17.
To disouss and approve of the estimate amounting to Rs.1,527/= for "Purchase of lectrical goods for maintenance of Guest House and Convocation Pandal".

Decision:-
The Committee discussed and approved the estimate and desired that it may be placed before the Purchase Committee.

Item No. 18.
To discuss and approve of the estimate for "Renovation of the lighting system in corridoors and bath rooms of Boys' Hostel."

Decision:-
The agenda item was withdrawn as the Assistant Engineer (Electrical) reported that he had incorporated these in the revised estimate for rewiring of the Boys' Hostel which was already passed by the Building Committee on...22.6.81..... (Item No..11/13...12/14)

Item No.19.
To discuss and approve the excess quantity of execution for the work "Construction of culvert on the road from Physics Building to Library Building" by M/s Pulak Kundu.

Decision:- The Committee disoussed and approved the excess quantity of exeoution against the above item on the basis of the reason stated.

Item No. 20.
To discuss and approve the excess quantity against item Nos. 17,18,22,23,26,27 and 28 only for Rs.891.00 inconnection with University service and Instrumentation Centre for the N.B.U." by the agency Sri Amal Chowdhury , Tendered amount of the work was Rs.73,853.00 . The excess quantity was due to replacement of single leaf shutter by double leaf, Mortice lock by Aluminium Aldrop/shutter by sishu shutter and increase in size of the flush doors and steel windows. The estimated amount of the work was not exceeded.

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the excess quantity executed against the above item on the basis of the reasons stated.

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Item No. 21.

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~~xxxxxxxxx~~.i) To discuss and record the Committee's deep appreciation of the ready & willing co-operation and help which was extended by Sri N.C.Dutta, Additional Chief Engineer, W.B.State Electricity Board, Siliguri in connection with various matters of the Engineering Department and the University as a whole. Sri Dutta has since been transferred to Calcutta .

Decision:- The Committee recorded its deep appreciation and gratitude for the valuable help & ready and willing co-operation extended by ~~xxx~~ Sri N.C.Dutta, Additional Chief Engineer, W.B.State Electricity Board, Siliguri in connection with various matters of the Engineering Department and the University as a whole. It was also decided that a copy of the resolution may be forwarded to Mr. Dutta.

Agenda 21 (ii).

To discuss and record the Committee's deep appreciation of the valuable and sincere service rendered by Sri D.B.Roy , Asstt. Engineer, N.B.U. who had retired from his service from 1.2.82

Decision:-
The Committee decided to put on record the valuable and sincere service rendered by Sri D.B.Roy, Assistant Engineer, N.B.U. who retired on 31.1.82 after more than fifteen years of service under the University and wish him a very peaceful, healthy , longlife.it was also decided that a copy of the resolution may be forwarded to Sri D.B.Roy.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE MEETING HELD IN THE OFFICE OF THE VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY ON 11-5-82 AT 3-00 P.M. UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF DR. S.N.SEN, VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY

The following members were present :-

1. Dr. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University, Chairman, Building Committee.
2. Sri A.K.Sen, Superintending Engineer, Northern Circle, P.W.D.
3. Sri S.M.Roy, Finance Officer, North Bengal University.
4. Sri S.N.Sanyal, University Engineer, North Bengal University, Secretary, Building Committee.
5. Sri Ghosal, Executive Engineer, N.B.Construction Division, P.W.D., attended the meeting as an invitee.
6. Sri A. Sinha, Assistant Engineer(Electrical), N.B.U. attended the meeting as an invitee.

Agenda.

Item No.1. To confirm the proceedings of the meeting of the Building Committee held on 12.3.'82.

Decision: The proceedings of the Building Committee meeting held on 12.3.82 were confirmed.

Item No.2.(a)To discuss on the quotations received from different contractors in connecting with "Supply of materials for repairing work of road in the University Campus". In this connection it is stated that the rates obtained appear to be abnormally high.

Decision: The committee discussed the matter and decided to invite fresh tender including labour rates on revised estimate to be prepared on the basis of the current P.W.D.schedule for the year 1982-83.

(b) To discuss on the letter of the University Engineer dated 26.4.82 for handing over maintenance/internal Bituminous Macadan Road to P.W.D. as a deposit work, parmanently.

Decision: The committee discussed the letter of the University Engineer dated 26.4.82 and on the basis of the openion expressed by the Superintending Engineer to provide the University with road roller and betuminous materials, if available in stores, the proposal for handing over the maintenance work of road to the P.W.D. was kept in abeyance.

Item No.3. To discuss and approve the estimate amounting Rs.81,900.00 for "Maintenance work of road adjacent to Humanities Building, approach road of Boys' Hostel and around Rammohun Statue including the concreted portion.

Decision: Defered.

Item No.4. To discuss and approve the estimate amounting to Rs.65,300.00 for "Maintenance work of road from Guest House to Gate No.3 and new approach of N.H.31 in the Eastern Sector.

Decision: The committee discussed the matter and approved of the estimate amounting to Rs.65,300.00

Item No.5. To report to the committee that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency, had approved the estimate amounting to Rs.4,980.00 in connection with "Installation of M.V.fittings for lighting Guest House, Road between Ladies Hostel, Humanities Building, Vidyasagar Bhavan, Rammohun Statue and Shafe Tank".

Decision: The committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor had approved the estimate for the above work considering urgency.

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Item No.6. To report to the committee that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency, had approved the estimate amounting to Rs.14237/- for "Electric wiring of pump sets for V.K.hall, R.K.hall and Women's hostel(Nivedita hall and Rani Bhavani hall).

Decision: The committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor had approved the estimate for the above work during urgency.

Item No.7. To report to the committee that the Vice-Chancellor considering urgency, had approved the lowest offer in bid of Sri N.C.Hore at 25.00% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for "Installation of M.V.fittings for lighting Guest House,Road between Ladies' Hostel, Humanities Building, Vidyasagar Bhavan, Rammohun Statue and Shafe Tank". Estimated amount put to bid was Rs.4,980.00 and work-order has already been issued for Rs.6,225.00. The work has been completed.

Decision: The committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor considering urgency had approved the lowest offer bid for the above work.

Item No.8. To report to the committee that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency,had approved the lowest offer in bid of M/S A.K.Choudhury & Sons at 5% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for "Electric wiring of pump sets for V.K.Hall,R.K.Hall and Women's Hostel(Nivedita and Rani Bhavani Hall".Estimated amount put to bid was Rs.14,237.00 and work-order has already been issued for Rs.14,949.00.

Decision: The committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency has approved the lowest offer in bid for the above work.

Item No.9. To discuss on the procedure of execution of the proposed work "Rearrangement of existing L.T.Distribution line for connection of pump house of Generator panel" since no tender was received for the above work after proper publication. In order to expedite the work it is suggested that the cable and A.C.S.R.conductor may be procured from ~~xx~~ cable manufacturer M/S Gupta Engineering Co. amounting to Rs.68,758.00 and balance work amounting to Rs.12,272.00 may be allowed to execute through short bid notice.

Decision: The committee discussed the matter and desided to invite ~~recst recalled~~ tendar amongst the reputed contractors of local P.W.D. For this purpose, Executive Engineer P.W.D. Northern Electrical Division, Jalpaiguri may be contacted to obtain the list of the reputed contractors.

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Item No.10. To discuss and approve the lowest tender of M/S Orient Engineering Works at 12.50% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for "Electrical installation(re-wiring) in the V.K.Hall". Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.60,839.00 and work-order to be issued for Rs.68,444.00.

Decision: The committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of M/S Orient Engineering Works @ 12.50% above the rates contained in the Priced Schedule of rates.

Item No.11. To discuss and approve the lowest tender of Sri N.C.Hore at 12.67% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for Electrical installation(re-wiring)in the R.K.Hall". Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.60,839.00 and work-order to be issued for Rs.68,547.00.

Decision: The committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of Sri N.C.Hore @ 12.67% above the rates contained in the Priced Schedule of rates.

Item No.12. To discuss and approve the excess quantity of execution against item nos.6 and 10 only for Rs.1,996.00 in connection with "Construction of over head distribution line and service connection to Magnetic spectrograph Building" by the agency Sri Subhas Ch. Deb Nath. The excess quantity was due to addition of strect light line in the 3 phase 4 wire line. Tendered amount of the work was Rs.22,734.00

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Decision:

Decision: The committee discussed and approved the excess quantity of execution against the above items on the basis of the reasons stated.

Item No.13. To discuss on the letter of the University Engineer(dated 24.4.82)concerning difficulties in supervision electrical contract works.

Decision: The committee discussed the letter of the University Engineer, dt.24.4.82 and opined to place the matter before the Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U. for placing it before the N.B.U.Council for consideration.

Item No.14. To discuss and consider purchase of two numbers submersible pump sets with all accessories amounting to Rs.46,823.00 for supply of water from the masonry well near Life Science Building. Quotation received from M/S Shiva Enterprises, authorised dealers of "CALAMA" submersible pump sets. It is suggested to procure 1 pump set of 5000 G. P.H.(Q61/VI) and another one of 3000 G.P.H. (N65/I) at 45 metre total head of each pump sets and cost of two pump sets with accessories are Rs.24,738.00 and Rs.22,085.00 respectively.

Decision: The committee discussed the matter in details and decided that the authorised dealers may be asked to send photostel copy of D.G.S.D.rate contract no. etc. and decided that order may be placed with the firms on the basis of the D.G.S.D.rate for purchasing two nos. of pumps as proposed.

Item No.15. To discuss and approve the estimate amounting to Rs.12,600.00 for "Providing H.P.M.V. light fittings at important security points of the N.B.U.Campus".

Decision: The committee discussed the matter and decided to prepare fresh estimate considering fluorescentfittings, instated of H.P.M.V. fittings and placed it before the Vice-Chancellor who was empowered to take decision in this respect.

Item No.16. To discuss the single quotation for supply and delivery of Insulation Tester, Earth Tester, Tong Tester and Multimeter from M/S Electricals Electronics Enterprises amounting to Rs.5,551.00.

Decision: The committee discussed the matter and approved purchase of the items after obtaining fresh quotations from several suppliers, the list of which may be colleoted, from the Physics Department of the University and comperative Statement to be placed before the Vice-Chancellor who was empowered to take decision in this respect.

Item No.17. To discuss and approve the lowest tender of Sri Biplab Mazumder at 4.99% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for "Temporary conversion of open space into two rooms in the Physics Department, N.B.U." Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.7,024.00 and work-order to be issued for Rs.7,375.00.

Decision: The committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of Sri Biplab Majumdar for the above work and decided to place ~~order~~ L workorder immediately.

Item No.18. To discuss and approve the estimate amounting to Rs.11700.00 for "Drawing overhead line from Transformer at salbagan to Agricultural Pump House for generator connection with the Pump set".

Decision: The committee discussed and approved the estimate for the above work and decided to invite tender.

Item No.19. To report to the committee that the Vice-Chancellor,considering urgency, had approved the single quotation amounting to Rs.44845.00 of M/S Mukherjee & Sons, for their reliability in this line, in connection with "Repairing and overhauling of Johnston Vertical Turbine Pump set Sl.No.IY-2195 near Nivedity Hostel".

Decision: The committee notedthat the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency had approved the single quotation of M/S Mukherjee & Sons for Rs.44845.00

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The following miscellaneous item was raised with the permission of the Chair.

The committee discussed on the representation initiated by some residents of the 1st floor of U6A type quarters in the western sector to convert the existing terraced portion on the 1st floor into a room in view of shortage of floor space to use as a kitchen or otherwise since their kitchen is on the roof at present. It was decided to prepare a detailed estimate by the University Engineer, N.B.U. and to place it before the Vice-Chancellor who has been empowered to take final decision in this matter.

Secretary,
Building Committee
North Bengal University.

SD/ S.N. Sen 26.5.82
Chairman,
Building Committee
North Bengal University.

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Annexure-IX

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Government of West Bengal
Education Department
University Education Branch

No. 1056(6)-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the August 3, 1982

From : G. S. Banerjee, IAS
Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To :

Sir,

In view of the present financial difficulties due austerity and economy need be observed in respect of expenditure to be incurred by the Universities during the current year. The attention of the Universities is particularly invited to the following measures which will go a long way in effecting considerable economy in the scale of expenditure of the Universities :-

a) No new post should be created by the Universities without the approval of the State Govt. New posts for which UGC assistanoe is available may however be created with the approval of the State Govt.

b) The existing vacancies at the non-teaching levels should not be filled up without prior approval of the State Govt.

c) No new construction work even if approved earlier, should start without further specific clearance from the State Govt. Such clearance will be necessary also for UGC assisted schemes.

d) Economy should be strictly observed both in the hiring of vehioles and in respect of consumption of fuel etc. It should be ensured that the expenditure on this accounts are kept at the essential minimum.

e) All efforts should be made to stop over-time work and payment of over-time allowances. It may be noted that while revising the scale of pay of the non-teaching staff Govt. orders specifically prohibited payment of over-time allowances.

f) Non-essential item of expenditure should be curtailed as far as possible. The total non-plan expenditure should not under any circumstances exceed the last year's level.

It is expected that with the co-operation on the part of the Universities it will be possible to effect substantial economy in expenditure during the current financial year.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- G. S. Banerjee
Secretary

No. 1056/1(6)-Edn(U)

Copy forwarded to the Registrar, North Bengal University, Raja Rammohunpur, Siliguri, Dist. Darjeeling for information.

Calcutta
The Aug. 3, 1982

Sd/- Illegible
Deputy Secretary

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Annexure-X

Government of West Bengal
Education Department
University Education Branch

No. 317(6)-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the March 23,1982.

From : T.H. Sengupta, IAS
Dy. Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To : The Registrar,
University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur
Dt. Darjeeling.

Sub : Question of fixation of the age of superannuation of the Officers serving in the State aided Universities of West Bengal -

Sir,

In continuation of our Govt. Order No. 1070(7)-Edn(U) dated 30.6.79 I am directed to say that the Governor has been pleased to approve that the age of superannuation of Officers who have opted for the revised scales of pay in accordance with the aforesaid Govt. Order should be fixed at 60 years of age.

This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide their U.O. No. Group-B/24 dated 18.3.83.

The Accountant General, West Bengal is being informed.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- T.H. Sengupta
Deputy Secretary

No. 317/1(15)-Edn(U)

Copy forwarded to :-

1. The Accountant General, West Bengal
2. Finance Department of this Govt.
3. Pay & Accounts Officer, Calcutta Pay & Accounts Office, 81/2/2, Pheare Lane, Calcutta - 12.
4. Accounts Officer, University of _____
5. for information.

Calcutta,
The March 23, 1982.

Sd/- T.H. Sengupta
Deputy Secretary

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Annexure-XV

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Botany held on 15-7-82.

Members present:

1. Professor S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Dr. P.K. Basu, Head of the Department of Botany North Bengal University
3. Dr. N. Pal, Professor of Botany, Darjeeling Govt. College

I. The Board approved the panels of names of examiners as recommended for examining the following thesis:

Topic of Research	Submitted by
(a) Investigation on the Fungal Flora of North Bengal.	Sri Bhumendra Bhushan Dewan
(b) Problems of Man Made Forestry of North Bengal.	Sri Asesh Kumar Lahiri
(c) Studies on Post-Harvest Decay of Diosgenin Yielding Tuber of Dioscorea SPP. (Dioscoreaceae) During Storage with special [illegible]	Sri Prasenjit Sarma

2. The Board permitted Smt. Anis Fatima to change the title of her thesis from "Taxonomical evaluation of inter-relationship between related taxa of the Tribe Epidendreae (Orchidaceae) of J.D. Hooker from an analysis of internal morphology." To "An Anatomical investigation in the Tribe Epidendreae (Orchidaceae) of J.D. Hooker with special reference to an evaluation of inter-relationship of Taxa and developmental morphology of stem."

The Board noted that there would be no change in the substance of the research programme.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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Annexure-XII

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE

No. LC/B-2/537/82 Dated 20.5.82

NOTE TO THE REGISTRAR
NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY

The North Bengal University Law College Council at its meeting dated 11.5.1982: agenda item No. 1 decided as under :

"The Council took note of the inspection report of the Bar Council of India concerning its inspection of N.B.U. Law College on 26.9.81 and expressed its satisfaction and overall appreciation and following decisions were taken, inter alia :

i) As to Law journals
Decided that the undermentioned Law Journals be subscribed with immediate effect :
(a) Bar Council of India Journal
(b) Journal of Indian Law Institute
(c) Indian Journal of International Law
(d) Supreme Court cases.

ii) As to Library grant
Decided that a yearly library grant of Rs. 25000/- be given to the Law College by the University.

iii) As to Class Rooms
Decided that the University should provide at least 3 more Class rooms in view of the present strength of the students.

iv) As to honorarium to Part-time teachers
Decided that the existing practice be followed. This report be sent to the University Council alongwith a copy of the Inspection report."

A copy of the inspection report is also enclosed.

The Registrar may kindly take necessary steps into the matter.

Encl: As stated.

Sd/- T. P. Misra
Lecturer-in-Charge

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Annexure-XIII

CHANCELLOR'S SECRETARIAT

From: G S Banerji
Secretary to the Chancellor
North Bengal University.

To : The Registrar
North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur
Siliguri
P.O. North Bengal University
Dt. Darjeeling.

No. 1017-Edn.(U) Dated Calcutta, the 22nd July 1982

Sub: Chancellor's approval to the amendment in the Statute relating to the Contributory Provident Fund.

Sir,

With reference to the D.O. letter No. F21/214/VC-82 dated the 12th March 1982 from the Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University on the above subject, I am directed to say that under sub-section (3) of section 23 of the North Bengal University Act, 1961 the draft amendments to the above Statutes adopted by the University Council at its meeting held on 15th January 1981 were placed before the Chancellor. The Chancellor has been pleased to approve of the same with some modifications.

A copy of the amendments to the Statutes relating to Contributory Provident Fund as approved by the Chancellor is enclosed.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- G.S. Banerjee

Secretary to the Chancellor
North Bengal University

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In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (5) of section 23 and section 30 of the North Bengal University Act, 1961 (West Ben. Act XXVII of 1961), read with item (i) of clause (b) of sub-section (6) of section 57 of the North Bengal University Act, 1981 (West Ben. Act XXV of 1981), the North Bengal University Council hereby makes the following amendment in the Statutes relating to Contributory Provident Fund, as subsequently amended (hereinafter referred to as the said Statutes) :-

Amendment

In the said Statutes, after paragraph (10) of Statute 18, insert the following paragraphs :-

Non refundable advance.

"(11) An employee may, subject to paragraphs (12) and (13), draw an advance for special purposes at any time after completion of 20 years of service (including broken period of service, if any) or within 10 years before retirement on superannuation whichever is earlier from the amount stading to his credit in this fund. The amount so withdrawn shall be non-refundable.

Purposes for which non-refundable advance may be sanctioned.

(12) (a) Such withdrawan may be sanctioned by the authorities competent to sanction an advance for special reasons at any time after the completion of twenty years of service (including broken period of service, if any), of a subscriber or within ten years before the date of his retirement or superannuation, whichever is earlier from the amount standing to his credit in the fund, for one or more of the following purposes namely :-

(i) for education outside India for academic, technical, professional or vocational course beyond the High School stage,

(ii) for any medical, engineering or other technical or specialized course in India beyond the High School stage provided the course of study is for not less than three years,

(b) Meeting the expenditure in connection with marriage of the subscriber of his sons or daughters, and any other female relations actually dependent on him,

(c) Meeting the expenses in connection with illness, including where necessary, the travelling expenses of the subscriber and members of his family or any persons actually dependent on him,

(d) Building or acquiring a suitable house or ready built flat for his residence including the cost of the site;

(e) Repaying an outstanding amount on account of loan expressly taken for building or acquiring a suitable house or ready built flat for his residence,

(f) Purchasing a house-site for building a house thereon for his residence or repaying any outstanding amount on account of loan expressly taken for this purpose,

(g) Reconstructing or making additions or alterations to a house already owned or acquired by a subscriber,

(h) Renovating, additions, or alterations to a house already owned or acquired by the subscriber,

(i) Constructing a house on a site purchased under clause (f).

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Conditions for withdrawal.

(13) Any sum withdrawn by a subscriber at any one time for one or more of the purposes specified in paragraph (12) from the amount standing to his credit in the fund shall not ordinarily exceed one half of the amount of his own-subscriptions and interest thereon or six months' pay whichever is less. The sanctioning authority may, however, sanction the withdrawal of an amount in excess of this limit upto 3/4th of the amount of his own subscription and interest thereon standing to his credit in the fund having due regard to (i) the object for which the withdrawal is being made, (ii) the status of the subscriber and (iii) the amount to his credit in this fund :

Provided that in the case of a subscriber who has availed himself of an advance under the scheme of the Department of Housing of the Government of West Bengal for the grant of advance for house-building purposes, or has been allowed any assistance in this regard from any other Government source, the sum withdrawn under this Statute together with the amount of advance taken under the aforesaid scheme or the assistance taken from any other Government source shall not exceed Rs. 1,00,000/- or 75 times the monthly pay, which ever is less."

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Annexure-XIV

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF COLLEGES
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Ref. No. 287/6/Insp-81 Dated, 19 Dec. '81

To
The Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University.

Sub: Extension of Affiliation in Commerce & History (Honours), Kalimpong College.

Sir,

The Director of Public Instruction, Govt. of West Bengal in his letter No. 1735-C dated 3rd October, 1980 requested the North Bengal University for 4A-61 C/76
an inspection of Kalimpong College in connection with granting Honours affiliation in Nepali, Philosophy, Accountancy and History. However, Principal Kalimpong College requested the Inspector of Colleges to hold inspection only for Nepali & Philosophy for the present. For, classes in those subjects could be started and no additional teachers in those subjects would be required immediately. Accordingly, on receipt of the inspection report on those two subjects, the University extended affiliation from 1980-81. The college, however, could actually introduce teaching in those two subjects from session 1981-1982 after it had received the approval of the Government in April, 1981.

Subsequently the Principal requested for another inspection of his college in connection with extending affiliation in History and Accountancy (Commerce) at the Honours level. Since the D.P.I. also was willing to consider the matter an inspection was held by Professor P.K. Bhattacharya of the History Deptt., Sri J.N. Chakraborty, Reader, Commerce Deptt. and the Inspector of Colleges.

As on the previous occasion for examining the feasibility of Honours teaching in Nepali and Philosophy the inspection team was assured by the College authorities of adequate class rooms in the new and permanent building of the college that was nearing completion, the inspection team on this occasion visited the new building and was convinced of sufficient class rooms that would be available.

The number of students in each of the new Honours Course, History and Commerce, was expected to be fairly adequate. The inspection team, to feel the sentiment of the students, spoke to some of them, and realised that introduction of Honours teaching in the two subjects was very much necessary for the students of Kalimpong sub-division.Not only, it would facilitate their higher study but also would help them to get established in life.

At present the History department of the college consists of two lecturers. These teachers are taking only six classes a week for the Degree students in addition to their classes for the plus Two. Thus, when Honours teaching will be introduced the additional class load will appear to be within the capacity of the teachers concerned. But considering the revised Honours syllabus the department requires to have another lecturer appointed at the beginning of the session 1982-83 to do full justice to the students. He will be the third lecturer in the department; and the fourth one will have to be appointed during session 1983-84.

In the Commerce department there are only two whole-time lecturers. and quite a number of subjects are taught by part-time lecturers. Thus the department has been running with the barest minimum number of teachers. Apart from the Additional compulsory language papers that can be covered by the lecturers of the Day section working on part-time basis for the Commerce section, the subjects of Commerce themselves require atleast two additional posts of lecturer with Commerce degree, two posts of lecturer with M.A. degree in Economics and one post of lecturer with degree in Mathematics (including Statistics). Of these posts, one each in Commerce & Economics and one in

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Maths. should be filled up in the beginning of the session 1982-83, and the remaining posts, in the beginning of the next session 1983-84. This provision of teachers should be made at the time of introducing Honours teaching.

Examination of the existing books in the library revealed that the subject-wise books on History and Commerce were not even adequate for the requirements of the pass course. 322 titles in History and 274 titles in Commerce indicated but a poor collection of text and reference books. Absence of the most familiar journals on the two subjects was very much pronounced. But a department which conducts Honours teaching should invariably acquire one or two most important journals in the subject. Keeping these in view the team desired the library to be enriched by new acquisitions and recommended atleast a sum of Rs. 8,000/- to be spent for books and journals for each of the subjects within the session when Honours affiliation is granted.

The team recommended extension of affiliation in History and Accountancy (Commerce) in Kalimpong College from 1982-83. The team, however, was of the opinion that the concurrence of the Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal should be sought by the college before introducing teaching in these two new subjects. The objective conditions considered necessary for introducing the two subjects at theHonours level depend very much upon such concurrence of the Government.

Sd/- P.K. Bhattacharya
Professor & Head of the Deptt.
of History, North Bengal
University.

Sd/- J.N. Chakrabarty
(Reader, Department of Commerce)
North Bengal University

Sd/- A.B. Majumder
Inspector of Colleges
North Bengal University

Copy forwarded to the Registrar for his kind information and necessary action.

Memo No. 287/6/Insp-81( ) dated 19.12.81

Copy forwarded to the Registrar for his kind information and necessary action.

Sd/- A.B. Majumder
Inspector of Colleges
North Bengal University

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

AGENDA PAPERS

FOR

the 66th meeting of the NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Date: 30.9.1982
Time: 11-00 A.M.

Place: Conference Room
Administrative Building
Raja-Rammohunpur

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur, Darjeeling

N o t i c e

The 66th meeting of the North Bengal University Council will be held on Thursday, the 30th September, 1982 at 11-00 A. M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur to consider the following agenda :

A G E N D A

1. To confirm the minutes of the 65th meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 28.8.82 and also the minutes of the adjourned meeting of the N.B.U. Council meeting held on 29.8.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-I)

2. To confirm the minutes of the Special meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 10.9.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-II)

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointmont of University teachers.

   Decision:

4. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

   Decision:

5. Deferred To consider the recommendations of the M.B.B.S. Examination Advisory Committee dated 17.5.82.

   Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

6. To consider a note from Dy. Registrar in connection with the application for P.L. submitted by Sri Bishnulal Brahman, Guard, Watch & Ward Section for a period of 111 days with effect from 28.11.81 to 12.3.82 in continuation of his C.C.L.

   Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

7. To consider a letter from the Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies suggesting withdrawal of offer of Junior Research Fellowship from Sri Paresh Chandra Roy and to appoint next available person from the panel of names recommended by the Selection Committee.

Re-advertise

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

8. To consider constitution of Selection Committee for the post of Electrical Supervisor.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

9. To consider matters regarding constitution of Screening Committee for preliminary screening of the applications for the various non-teaching posts.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

10. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with verification of age of certain employees.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

11. To consider an application for reimbursement of T.A./D.A. etc. received from Shri P. K. Pal, Lecturer in English along with a note from the Dy. Registrar.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

12. To consider renaming of Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies as Inter-Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

13. To consider a letter from the Deputy Secretary, Rural Development Department, Govt. of Sikkim.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

14. To consider a letter from Sri Narayan Mazumdar, Electrical Supervisor along with the forwarding letter of the University Engineer.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

15. To consider a note from the Inspector of Colleges on the memorandum submitted by the Hostel employees Association.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

16. To consider a letter from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. in connection with granting of special allowance to Sri Parshawnath Das, Compoundar, University Health Centre.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

17. To consider a letter No. F.6-4/82(SCT) dated 23.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. with regard to reservations for admissions for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes candidates in Universities and Colleges.

Decision: (Annexure-III).

18. To note a letter No. 1285(6)-Edn(U) dated 3.9.82 received from the Dy. Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Education Department, University Education Branch with regard to granting of further Additional Dearness Allowance to the employees of the University of North Bengal w.e.f. 1.7.82.

Decision: (Annexure- IV)

19. To consider a letter from the Principal, Malda Women's College praying for granting of extension of affiliation in Elective English and Education in Pass and English and Geography in Honours course.

Decision:

20. To consider a letter from the Principal, Balurghat Mahila Mahavidyalaya praying for granting of extension of affiliation in Bengali, Pol. Science, History, English, Economics and Sanskrit upto Honours standard.

Decision:

21. To consider recommendation of the meeting of the Engineering Examination Advisory Committee held on 3.9.82.

Decision:

22. To consider recommendation of the meeting of the Engineering Advisory Committee held on 8.9.82.

Decision:

23. To consider recommendation of the meeting of the Advisory Committee for M.B.B.S. Examination held on 22.9.82.

Decision:

24. To consider the recommendation of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee for the M.A. Part-II (Public) Examination, 1981 in English.

Decision:

25. To consider a letter of resignation tendered by Sri Sanak Kumar Ghosh, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Physics, N.B.U. w.e.f. 13.9.82.

Decision:

26. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, Raiganj (University College) held on 22.7.82.

Decision: (Annexure-V).

27. To consider the following minutes of the meetings of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on -

11.5.82
10.8.82

Decision: (Annexure-VI)

28. To fix the prices of printed Post-Graduate Syllabi.

Decision:

29. To report a letter received from Shri B.N. Srivastava, Director(S) Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs for making provision of coaching facilities for SC/ST candidates for the Civil Service Examination on the norms suggested. (Reference Council decision dated 6.3.82).

Decision:

30. To consider the Inspection Report on Geography Department of Darjeeling Govt. College.

Decision: (Annexure-VII)

31. To consider Inspection Report in connection with granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in English, Bengali, Pol. Science, Commerce and History to University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) Cooch-Behar.

(Annexure-VIII)

32. To consider recommendations of the Research Service Centre Committee, N.B.U.

Decision:

33. To consider grant of increment to one non-teaching employee.

Decision: Deferred legal opinion

34. To consider the letter of resignation tendered by Shri Charu Chandra Dev, Junior Research Fellow, (U.G.C.) Department of Chemistry, w.e.f. 26.8.82.

Decision: To get Physics req. 4.9.82

35. To consider the minutes of the 32nd adjourned meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 27.8.82.

Decision: confirmed (Annexure-IX)

36. To report that a G.O. xxxxx No. 1292-Edn(U) dated 4.9.82 in connection with the establishment of a Law College at Jalpaiguri has been received.

Decision: (Annexure-X)

37. To consider a letter No. SKM/GOV/834/82 dated 26.8.82 alongwith enclosures received from the Governor of Sikkim in connection with recognition of Sikkim Research Institute of Tibetology and other Buddhists Studies as a Research Centre for Buddhist Studies and allied subjects.

Decision:

38. To consider a letter No. xxxxxxx F.1-93/74(CP) dated 24.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. communicating the revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for teaching posts in Universities and Colleges in various subjects.

Decision: (Annexure-XII)

39. To consider a letter No. xxxxxxxx F.1-34/82(CP) dated 27.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. communicating certain clarifications in respect of revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for University and College teachers.

Decision: (Annexure-XI)

40. To consider a letter from Dr. N.L. Karmakar, Sr. Research Assistant, N.B.U.

Decision: Write to V.C. Terminate notice to be issued - V.C. 22. Report date

41. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of two Junior Research Fellows (U.G.C.) in the Department of Centre for Life Sciences, N.B.U.

Decision:

42. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) in the department of Chemistry, N.B.U. / Mathematics

Decision:

43. To consider the following cases of some Employees for confirmation.

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Sri Bijoy Kr. Sarkar Engg. Helper	22.9.81(Forenoon)	22.9.82
2. Sri Narayan Ch. Das Engg. Helper	~~23~~.9.81(Forenoon) 22	~~23~~.9.82 22
3. Sri Joseph Nagasia Mali, Care-Taking Section.	22.9.81(2-00 P.M.)	22.9.82
4. Sri Madhusudan Ghosh Lecturer in Economics, NBU	1.9.81	1.9.82
5. Sri Sekh Rahim Mandal Lecturer in Sociology and Social Anthropology, N.B.U.	18.9.81(Forenoon)	18.9.82
6. Prof. K.B.Datta Centre for Life Science,NBU	21.9.81(Forenoon)	21.9.82

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
7. Sri Gautam Biswas Lecturer in Philosophy, N.B.U.	23.9.81(Forenoon)	23.9.82

Decision:

44. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to the Bar Council of India Rules relating to standards of Legal Education and Recognition of Degrees in Law framed under the Advocates Act 1961.

Decision: (Annexure- XIII)

45. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
The 24th September, 1982.

REGISTRAR

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	Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
7.	Sri Gautam Biswas Lecturer in Philosophy, N.B.U.	23.9.81(Forenoon)	23.9.82

Decision:

44. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to the Bar Council of India Rules relating to standards of Legal Education and Recognition of Degrees in Law framed under the Advocates Act 1961.

Decision: (Annexure- XIII)

45. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
The 24th September, 1982.

REGISTRAR

ad/

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur, Darjeeling

Annexure-I

Minutes of the 65th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Saturday, the 28th August, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Prof. S. N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Prof. I. K. Chatterjee
3. Shri B.C. Ghose, Chairman, Siliguri - Jalpaiguri Development Authority
4. Shri Subrata Chanda
5. Shri P. K. Majumdar, Lecturer, Siliguri College
6. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader, North Bengal University
7. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
8. Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya
9. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar Collogo
10. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj (University) College
11. Shri S. K. Chakraborty, Principal, Chanchal College
12. Shri Hiten Nag, Lecturer, Dinhata College.

Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, Shri R. K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar, Shri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer (Acting) and Shri S. Majumdar, Deputy Controller of Examinations were requested to make themselves available during the meeting.

Before commencement of any business the members stood in silence for one minute in memory of Shri T. N. Singh, Ex-Chancellor, University of North Bengal, Dr. N. R. Kar, Ex-Professor of this University and Prof. Sushaban Sarkar, the renowned historian who died recently. The Council also adopted the following resolutions :

(i) The Council noted with sorrow the death of Shri T. N. Singh who was the Chancellor of this University. The Council remembered with gratitude the keen interest taken by him in the development of the University and also remembers his Convocation Speeches in which he aptly explained the philosophy of higher education. Shri Singh, as the Governor of the State of West Bengal, also left mark of an able leader. His soul may rest in peace.

(ii) The Council condoled the death of Dr. N. R. Kar who served this University for sometime as Professor and Head of the Department of Geography & Applied Geography. Dr. Kar was also the Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal and till his untimely death he was actively associated with higher researches on environment and ecology. May his soul rest in peace.

(iii) The Council condoled the death of Prof. Sushaban Sarkar, a familiar name in the field of higher learning for more than half a century. Prof. Sarkar served the University of Calcutta, the Presidency College, the Jadavpur University as Professor of History and was the author of the pioneering works on the modern history especially of the renaissance of Bengal. Prof. Sarkar was a very successful teacher and was a towering personality in the intallectual life of the country. His death created a void in the academic and intellectual field of Bengal. May his soul in peace.

It was resolved that the copies of the above resolutions be sent to the members of the bereaved family.

1. To report that the 64th meeting of the N.B.U. Council scheduled on 28.6.82 could not be held due to want of quorum.

Noted.

2. To confirm the minutes of the 64th (adjourned) meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 12.7.82.

The minutes of the 64th (adjourned) meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 12.7.82 were confirmed with the following amendments :

(i) Item 3 (B) The Govt. Order should be written "July 22, 1981" instead of "July 22, 1982".

(ii) Page 8 item 27 The date "29.2.82" as mentioned against the name of Sri Partha Chattopadhyay should be written as "1.3.82".

(iii) Page 11 Suppl. 7 In the last line the words "one month" should be written as "three months".

(iv) Item Suppl. 20 In place of "deferred" it should be written that the matter was considered under item No. 19.

Matter arising out of confirmation of the minutes of the 64th (adjourned) meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 12.7.82.

(i) Item 31 The Council noted that the Admission Committee of the University Law College expressed difficulty in admitting students belonging to defence forces of India in view of the existing rules of the college relating to the status of graduates of other Universities. In this connection the Council considered a letter from the Commanding Officer of the Indian Air Force. The Council decided to request the Vice-Chancellor to take necessary action for admission of two students belonging to armed forces in the University Law College as per discussions at the meeting.

3. To confirm the minutes of the Emergent meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 26.7.82.

The minutes of the Emergent meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 26.7.82 were confirmed with the following amendment :

(i) In the list of members mentioned the name of Shri Madhusudan Das be added.

In this connection the Council noted a letter from Prof. P. K. Ghosh addressed to Dr. S. N. Sen wherein he has explained that due to pressing personal reasons he had to submit his resignation and it would not be possible for him to reconsider his position as requested by the Council earlier.

Shri P.K. Majumdar reported that a team consisting of some members of the Council met the Education Minister and also the Education Secretary to apprise them of the situation and requested them to take immediate necessary action in this regard. They were assured that early step for the appointment of Vice-Chancellor would be taken.

The Council adopted the following resolution moved by 9 members :

"It is resolved that Prof. S.N. Sen be requested to continue as Vice-Chancellor (Acting), North Bengal University till receipt of any Govt. order.

The Council requests Prof. S.N. Sen to accept the post of Vice-Chancellor, especially in view of the fact that any other arrangement will bring in deadlock in the activities of the University.

The above resolution be confirmed and immediately sent to all authorities".

Prof. S. N. Sen wanted this to be recorded that since he has intimated long ago that it was not possible for him to continue as Vice-Chancellor after 31.8.82, he regretted his inability to accede to the request of the members mentioned in the above resolution.

4. To consider recommendation of the Committee formed by the Council for the non-teaching post.

The Council approved the recommendation of the meeting of the Promotion Committee held on 26.8.82 and decided that the services of the following persons working on contingent basis be regularised in terms of Labour Department Circular and they be placed in the cadre mentioned against each :

1. Shri Sankar Ghosh - Peon
2. Sri Tapas Sen - Peon/Attendant
3. Sri Haridas Das (SC) - Peon
4. Sri Tapan Chakraborty - Peon
5. Sri Samar Ghosh - Peon
6. Sri Balaram Kundu - Peon/Attendant
7. Sri Mahesh Gope - Peon/Attendant

The Council approved the recommendation and decided that the following persons be placed in higher grades on completion of 15 years' of service with effect from 1.10.82 :

1. Sri Nitai Saha
2. Smt. Rakhu Saha Chowdhury
3. Smt. Dipti Chakraborty
4. Sri Sunil Dhar - next grade
5. Sri Satyendra Mohan Ghosh - next grade
6. Sri Krishnapada Roy - next grade with effect from 1.10.81.

The Council decided to constitute a Committee to review the cases of other daily wage basis employees.

The Council approved the recommendation of the Promotion Committee and decided to recommend promotional benefit for Sri Amulya Ratan Lohar with effect from 1.10.80 in view of the provision laid down in the Section 5 of the West Bengal Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (reservation of vacancies in services of posts) Act 1976. As this promotion is given according to the provision of the said Act which is binding on the University no claim for giving pay protection to others which may arise in view of this promotion will be considered.

The Council while approving the recommendation of the Promotion Committee decided to give Sri Sunil Majee, the designation of Senior Electrician, the post which was sanctioned by the Govt. and noted that Sri Majee has already been placed in the grade of Senior Electrician. The Council, further, decided to convert the post of Electrician held by Sri Sunil Majee to the post of Electrician-cum-Line Man.

The Council decided that pay anomalies of the following posts vis-a-vis other Universities be referred to the Government :

(i) Senior Mechanic
(ii) Mechanical Turner
(iii) Junior Mechanic (Engineering Department)

Confirmed for immediate action.

5. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

A. (i) Reader in Commerce

The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided that the post be readvertised.

(ii) Reader in Physics

The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided that the post be readvertised.

(iii) Lecturer in Bengali

The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee and after a detailed discussion decided that the matter might be referred back to the Committee to reconsider their opinion in view of the fact that the person recommended as No. 2 possesses better qualifications and had more teaching experience than the one placed in No. 1.

(iv) Lecturer in Geography & Applied Geography

The Council decided that the candidate who could not be recommended by the Selection Committee on the ground that he could not show his marksheets of various examinations passed may be asked to send attested copies of those and thereafter the matter might be reconsidered by the Selection Committee.

(v) Reader in History

The Council while approving the panel decided to appoint Dr. Pranabananda Jash in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

The above resolutions were confirmed for immediate action.

B. Appointments against Merit Promotion Scheme for University teachers as per Govt. Order No.957(6)Edn(U) dated July 22, 1981.

(i) The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and the comments of the referees decided to appoint Dr. Mihir Mohan Mukhopadhyay, Lecturer in History as Reader in History in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus usual allowances subject to the conditions laid down in the above Govt. Order. The post of Reader to be held by him will be personal to Dr. Mukhopadhyay and the resultant vacancy shall not be filled up. The initial salary in the new post will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

(ii) The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and the comments of the referees decided to appoint Sri Pran Kumar Mukherjee, Lecturer in English as Reader in English in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus usual allowances subject to the conditions laid down in the above Govt. Order. The post of Reador to be held by him will be personal to Sri Mukherjee and the resultant vacancy shall not be filled up. The initial salary in the new post will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

(iii) The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and the comments of the referees decided to appoint Dr. Sekhar Chandra Ghosh, Lecturer in Political Science as Reader in Political Science in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus usual allowances subject to the conditions laid down in the above Govt. Order. The post of Reader to be held by him will be personal to Dr. Ghosh and the resultant vacancy shall not be filled up. The initial salary in the new post will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

The above resolutions were confirmed for immediate action.

6. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

The Council noted that the Selection Committees for the following posts met and recommended persons for appointment :

(i) Cleaner
(ii) Gas Plant Operator (Junior)
(iii) Instrument Supervisor
(iv) Skilled Helper (Junior) in Physics
(v) Skilled Helper (Junior) in Chemistry
(vi) Medical Laboratory Technician.

In view of the Govt. Order No. 1056(6)-Edn(U) dated the 3rd August, 1982 the Council decided to write to the State Govt. for approval.

(vii) Inspector of Colleges

The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided that the post may be readvertised immediately to attract more applicants. However, those who applied before might not apply again. Their cases would be considered.

The above resolutions were confirmed for immediate action.

7. To consider the cases of the following non-teaching employees.

(a) Sri Satyendra Nath Ghosh - Binder
(b) Sri Benu Kumar Das - Plumber Helper
(c) Sri Prabhat Kumar De - Jr. Assistant
(d) Sri Muneswar Bajpore - Sweeper
(e) Sri Paresh Bhowmik
(f) Sri Jiban Kumar Ghosh

The Council decided that cases including those of Sri Balaram Datta, Sri Pranesh Roy and Sri Naresh Nag and any other such cases if referred to be placed with details. The same should be examined by a Committee consisting of the Finance Officer, the Registrar and the Deputy Registrar (Convener). It was further decided that copies of details with the note from the Committee should be sent to the members separately.

8. To consider the proceedings of the 29th meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 28.5.82 and also the proceedings of the emergent meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 9.6.82.

The Council decided that in the matter of Tarpaulin Liveries, practices of other Universities should be ascertained. In this connection the Council approved the spot quotation taken.

9. To consider a representation received from employees of Watch & Ward Department.

The Council noted that information from other Universities has not yet been received.

10. To consider an application from Shri Sreeman Darjee, Guard, N.B.U. praying for granting of House Rent allowance from the date of vacating the University Quarter i.e. (1st January, 1980).

The Council decided that a report from the Officer-in-charge, Watch & Ward be asked for if he allowed Sri Darjee to stay outside. Sri Darjee should also explain under what condition he decided to stay outside.

11. To consider a letter from Smt. Mita Bhadra, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Sociology & Social Anthropology praying for releasing full pay for the period she was on maternity leave i.e. 15.9.80 to 15.12.80.

The Council decided to grant maternity leave with full Scholarship to Smt. Mita Bhadra for the period from 15.9.80 to 15.12.80.

12. To consider a prayer from Sri Pranesh Kumar Roy, Sr. Lab. Attendant, Department of Physics, N.B.U.

The matter was considered under item 7.

13. To consider a joint note from the Finance Officer and Deputy Controller of Examinations.

The Council approved the note and decided that the same should be effective from the next year i.e. 1983.

(Appendix-V)

14. To consider the recommendations of the Post-Graduate Examination Advisory Committee dated 23.6.82.

Approved.

(Appendix I)

15. To consider the recommendations of the M.B.B.S. Examination Advisory Committee dated 17.5.82.

Deferred.

16. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to interpretation of the rules relating to award of Medals.

The Council decided that as per rules Sri Jagannath Bhattacharjee was not eligible for the medal for his performance in B.Sc. Honours Examination since he had a break in his academic career.

17. To consider a D.O. No. F.4-3/82-(U)-1 dated 8.6.82 received from the Secretary, Ministry of Education and Culture, Deptt. of Education, Govt. of India suggesting implementation of steps to eliminate the practice of ragging in education Institutions.

The Council directed that copies of the circular might be sent to all Colleges and also to Superintendents of the University Hostels.

18. To consider recommendation for extension of tenure of Scholarship of Mrs. Mita Bhadra, J.R.F. (U.G.C.) Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology for six months w.e.f. 23.8.82.

The Council decided to extend the tenure of scholarship of Smt. Mita Bhadra for 6 months with effect from ~~23.8.82~~ 22.8.82

19. To consider a letter No. N.B.U.E.A./24 dated 8.6.82 received from General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. for introduction of a scheme covering risks of life of such employees as have been engaged in works involving risks of life.

The Council noted that replies from other Universities have not yet been received.

20. To consider a note from Dy. Registrar in connection with the application for P.L. submitted by Sri Bishnulal Brahman, Guard, Watch & Ward Section for a period of 111 days with effect from 28.11.81 to 12.3.82 in continuation of his C.C.L.

Deferred.

21. To consider a letter from the Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies suggesting withdrawal of offer of Junior Research Fellowship from Sri Paresh Chandra Roy and to appoint next available person from the panel of names recommended by the Selection Committee.

Deferred.

22. To consider the case of Sri Naresh Nag, Binder, University Library.

The matter was considerod under item 7.

23. To consider a letter No. 004/058/02/625/5(1) dated 19.6.82 from the Project Director, West Bengal Comprehensive Area Development Corporation, Siliguri-Naxalbari Project proposing to start under the collaboration of the University cultivation of Medicinal Plants in 10 acres of University land.

The Council regretted that the University land could not be given to any outside agency.

24. To consider constitution of Selection Committee for the post of Electrical Supervisor.

Deferred.

25. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar regarding fixation of pay of Sri Mihir Kumar Saha, Cashier, N.B.U.

It was noted that the Finance Sub-Committee has already considered the matter on 27.8.82 ✓

26. To consider a letter No. Admn/29-42/50/313 Pt-II/2970 dated 21.6.82 received from the Audit Officer/Admn., Office of the Chief Auditor, North East Frontier Railway, Maligaon, Gauhati regarding appointment and fixation of pay of Sri S.M. Roy.

The Council noted and approved the appointment letter issued to Sri S. M. Roy, the Audit & Accounts Officer and decided that his pay be fixod in the line suggested by the Chief Auditor, North East Frontier Railway, Maligaon.

27. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College held on 17.4.82.

Noted.

28. To consider the minutes of the meetings of the College Council, University B.T. & Evening College held on -

1. 18.11.81
2. 16.2.82.

Noted.

29. To consider the proceedings of the meetings of the Building Committee held on :

1. 14.12.81
2. 12.3.82
3. 11.5.82

Noted and approved.

30. To report that, in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council the Vice-Chancellor has accepted the resignation tendered by Shri Ashutosh Sinha, Assistant Engineer (Electrical) and to consider appointment of the second person from the panel.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in accepting the resignation submitted by Shri Ashutosh Sinha, Assistant Engineer (Electrical). In view of the urgency and in view of the fact that the Council approved the panel recommended by the Selection Committee on 9.12.81, it was decided to appoint Shri Jagjiban Das who was also recommended as No. 2 in the panel, as Assistant Engineer (Electrical) in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

Confirmed for immediate action.

31. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Research Scholars' Association regarding monthly subsidy @ Rs. 600=00 towards the payment of mess staff and meeting the cost of establishment.

The Council decided to write to the Govt. for assistance in line with other hostels in the University.

32. To consider the recommendations of the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee dated 25.6.82.

Noted and approved.

In this connection the Council decided that those candidates who previously appeared in Part II B.A./B.Sc/B.Com Examinations but whose results have been kept pending in view of their failure to pass the Part I Examinations, may be permitted to appear in B.A./B.Sc/B.Com Examinations (Under New Regulations). The Controller of Examinations will check up and issue certificates to those students whose results have been kept pending but who have secured pass marks in the Part II Examinations, stating that they were eligible to appear in B.A./B.Sc/B.Com Examinations under New Regulations as External candidates.

(Appendix II)

33. To consider the recommendation of the Committee formed for taking the type test of some non-teaching staff of the University.

The Council having noted that Shri Dhiresh Chandra Pal, Shri Parameswar Mallick and Smt. Chhaya Pal have been found qualified in the typing test, decided that they may be appointed to the posts of Junior Assistant-cum-typists as per previous resolution.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

34. To consider matters regarding constitution of Screening Committee for Preliminary screening of the applications for the various non-teaching posts.

Deferred.

35. To consider a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Departmental Committee in English.

The Council accepted the recommendation of the Departmental Committee in English and decided that the Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Reader in English (leave vacancy) might not be held now since the incumbent has been on leave till December, 1982.

36. To consider a letter from the University Grants Commission regarding revised qualifications for recruitment to the posts of Lecturer in Law.

Noted.

37. To consider a letter from the Director of Health Services, Govt. of West Bengal communicating re-inspection of N.B. Medical College during examinations.

Noted.

The Principal, North Bengal Medical College might be advised to contact the Controller of Examinations for fixing the date of M.B.B.S. Examination accordingly.

38. To consider a letter from Dr. P.C. Sarkar, Head of the Deptt. of Economics in the matter of holding the annual conference of the Indian Society of Agricultural Economics in 1982 at this University.

The Council decided that the Conference might be held provided the University will not bear any financial liability and the Head of the Department should ensure that the holding of such conference during University holidays would be possible.

39. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Research Scholars' Association in connection with doubling the value of tiffin coupon.

The Council decided that the value of tiffin coupons be increased to Rs. 12/- per month.

40. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Deptt. of Education, Govt. of West Bengal for observing austerity in respect of expenditure to be incurred by the University during the current year.

Noted.

The Council decided that copies of the Govt. Order be sent to all Heads of Departments, Branches, Sections for information and necessary action. The Council also directed that the Heads of Departments, Branches and Sections should take all necessary action for minimising the expenditure.

41. To consider a letter from the University Engineer in the matter of appointment of two Engineering helpers.

The Council was of the opinion that such appointment is not possible at present.

42. To consider prayer from Sri Shyamal Chandra Basak, Sri Bijoy Kr. Chhetri and Sri Chandan Lal Dekhan attached to University Library along with the confidential report of the Librarian for permitting them to accept the post of Honorary Lecturer, Librarianship Training Centre at Siliguri.

The Council decided to permit Sri Shyamal Chandra Basak, Sri Bijoy Kumar Chhetri and Sri Chandan Lal Dekhan to accept honorary Lecturership at the Librarianship Training Centre at Siliguri subject to the condition that no change in their shift duty at the University Library would be made to facilitate their Lecturership. In this connection the Council directed that the persons should confirm that the posts were strictly honorary.

The Council further desired that they should intimate why they did not take prior permission of the University authority in applying for the posts.

43. To consider a letter from the Deputy Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal regarding question of fixation of the age of superannuation of the Officers serving in the State aided Universities.

Noted.

The Council, further, noted that the University Statutes in this line have already been amended and sent to the Chancellor for approval.

44. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Botany held on 15.7.82.

Noted and approved.

45. To consider certain resolutions of the North Bengal University Law College Council dated 11.5.82.

The Council requested the Vice-Chancellor to take necessary action in this regard.

46. To report that the Chancellor has been pleased to approve the amendment in the Statutes relating to Contributory Provident Fund with some modifications.

The Council decided to adopt the amendment as approved by the Chancellor.

47. To consider prayer from Prof. S.P. Sengupta, Professor of English and Prof. S.R. Dasgupta, Professor of Mathematics, N.B.U. for permitting them to opt for the new scales of pay with effect from 1.1.73.

The Council decided to recommend their cases to the Government.

48. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Junior Research Scholar in the Deptt. of English.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in appointing Sri Chandanasish Laha as Research Scholar in the Department of English on the recommendation of the properly constituted Selection Committee.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

49. To consider an application from Shri Santipriya Guha, Assistant Secretary, Sports Board praying for study leave for a period of two years for joining M.Ed course in Physical Education at Kalyani University commencing from August 1982.

The Council decided to refer the matter to the Academic Committee.

50. To consider an application from Shri Arabinda Mukhopadhyay, J.R.F. (U.G.C.) praying for extension of his tenure of Scholarship by six months w.e.f. 21.9.82.

The Council decided to extend the tenure of scholarship of Sri Arabinda Mukhopadhyay, J.R.F. by 6 months with effect from 21.9.82.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

51. To report that the Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council, has ordered appointment of Shri Soumitra De as a Junior Research Scholar in the Deptt. of Political Science.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in appointing Sri Dilip Kumar Sarkar as Research Scholar in the Department of Political Science (Sri Soumitra De having declined). Sri Sarkar will receive a scholarship of Rs. 600/- per month and Rs. 3000/- as contingent grant and he will be guided as per rules in this regard.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

52. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with verification of age of certain employees.

Deferred.

53. To consider a note from the Finance Officer in connection with the final settlement of retirement benefits of Shri Pulin Behari Deb, Ex-Sr. Laboratory Attendant, Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.

The Council approved payment of gratuity and pension to Shri Pulin Behari Deb.

54. To consider a note from the Finance Officer in connection with regularisation of the period of absence of Shri Kashinath Mallik, Peon, Controllers' Branch.

The Council decided to grant leave not due to Shri Kashinath Mallik for the period from 14.2.82 to 2.5.82.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

55. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with special leave as prayed for by Shri Sufal Chandra Singha, Jr. Skilled Helper, Chemistry Deptt.

The Council decided to grant leave not due to Shri Sufal Chandra Singha, Jr. Skilled Helper for the period from 30.3.82 to 8.4.82.

56. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of a Jr. Research Fellow for the Research Project entitled "Investigation of hadrons and muons in extensive air showers at sea and mountain level".

The Council while approving the panel prepared by the Selection Committee decided to appoint Sri Asis Das as a DAE fellow on a fixed remuneration of Rs. 700/- per month.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

57. To consider granting of extension of the tenure of Research Scholarship of Shri Prabir Dam, Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology for a period of two years w.e.f. 23.6.82.

The Council decided to extend the tenure of Research Scholarship of Sri Prabir Dam, Department of Sociology & Social Anthropology by one year with effect from 23.6.82.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

At this stage some representatives of the North Bengal University Employees' Association met the Council and placed a letter containing some demands.

The Council considered the demands and took the following decisions :

(i) In the matter of promotion the Council, in consideration of diffioulties mentioned by the representatives of the Association decided that the period of 15 years be lowered and fixed at 12 years for eligibility.

The Finance Officer was asked to find the financial implications if the minimum period is lowerd to ten years for promotion. The matter will be taken up by the Council on receipt of the Finance Officers note.

(ii) In the matter of pay fixation increment the Council regretted that since some other benefits had been granted this could not be accepted.

(iii) In the matter of building of more quarters for the staff on the Campus the Council decided that the Govt. of West Bengal and the University Grants Commission be approached.

(iv) With regard to house rent allowance the Council noted that the existing system was recommended by a Committee where the representative of the Employees' Association was a member.

(v) With regard to daily wages employees the Council noted that action has already been taken to absorb some of them against substantive vacancies.

(vi) With regard to individual cases like Sri Paresh Bhowmik, etc. the Council noted that the matter is under consideration along with some other cases already referred.

(vii) With regard to duty hours of Watch & Ward personnel and also accidental benefits the Council noted that replies from other Universities have not yet been received. After such replies were received the Council would consider the same.

(viii) With regard to pay fixation of some Technical Assistants and also the question of step-up of some Senior Assistants the Council noted that such cases were not covered by the recommendations of the Finance Sub-Committee dated 20.9.80. In this connection the Council could not approve the proposal recommended by the Finance Sub-Committee.

(ix) With regard to grant of terri-cotton liveries the Council decided to ascertain the practice followed by other Universities.

(x) The Council regretted that the Engineering Helper could not be redesignated since their pay scales were revised by the Govt. as Engineering Helpers.

(xi) In the matter of confirmation to higher posts for those who were promoted the Council decided that the same would be done as soon as the approval of the Govt. to those posts were received.

(xii) The Council decided to write to the Govt. of West Bengal for appointment of some teachers in Hindi and Nepali at the Primary School run on the Campus of the University.

The meeting was adjourned till 9-30 A.M. next day i.e. on Sunday, the 29th August, 1982.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

S. N. Sen
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CHAIRMAN

Minutes of the adjourned meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 29.8.82 at 9-30 A.M. All members except, Shri B.C. Ghose and Sri Subrata Chanda, who attended the meeting on 28.8.82 attended the meeting.

58. To consider a letter from Shri P.K. Roy, Lecturer in Philosophy intimating inability to produce original matriculation and M.A. certificates till duplicate copies are received. These documents were required for confirmation in his service.

The Council decided that Shri P.K. Roy, Lecturer in Philosophy be informed that he should produce marksheet of his B.A. Examination which he failed to show during the time of interview, and also Matriculation certificate in support of his age.

59. To consider an application from Sm. Dipti Chakraborty, Jr. Assistant, Controller's Branch praying for granting her leave as under along with a note from the Dy. Registrar.

a) P.L. : 5 days w.e.f. 6.11.81 to 10.11.81
b) Commuted leave : 8 days w.e.f. 11.11.81 to 18.11.81
c) Leave not due : 77 days w.e.f. 19.11.81 to 3.2.82.

The Council decided to sanction leave not due to Smt. Dipti Chakraborty, Junior Assistant for 77 days with effect from 19.11.81 to 3.2.82.

60. To consider the recommendation of enhancement Committee for enhancement of fellowship of Smt. Sakti Kundu, J.R.F., Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography from Rs. 400/- to Rs. 500/- for the period 8.9.80 to 30.9.80 and from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 1.10.80.

The Council decided to enhance the fellowhip of Smt. Sakti Kundu, J.R.F., Department of Geography & Applied Geography from Rs. 400/- to Rs. 500/- for the period from 8.9.80 to 30.9.80 and from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- with effect from 1.10.80.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

61. To consider the under noted cases for confirmation :

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Prof. K. Deb Professor of Commerce N.B.U.	19.8.81	19.8.82
2. Shri Subir Kumar Sarkar, Lecturer Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography, N.B.U.	2.7.81	2.7.82

The Council in consideration of [illegible] confidential reports and recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor decided to confirm the services of the following employees of the University with effect from the date mentioned against each, subject to (i) their being found medically fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) verification of age and academic qualifications, and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose :

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Prof. K. Deb Professor of Commerce N.B.U.	19.8.81	19.8.82
2. Shri Subir Kumar Sarkar Lecturer Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography, N.B.U.	2.7.81	2.7.82

62. To consider an application from Mrs. V. Sharma, Lecturer in Nepali (on leave) praying for extension of her extra-ordinary leave by one more year w.e.f. 17.8.82.

The Council decided to sanction leave for one more year without pay to Smt. V. Sharma, Lecturer in Nepali with effect from 17.8.82 or till the date of her confirmation at the place where she is working, whichever is earlier.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

63. To consider granting of extension of the tenure of Research Scholarship of Sri Barun Kanti Deb, University Research Scholar, Deptt. of Chemistry by six months w.e.f. 26.9.82.

The Council decided to extend the tenure of Research Scholarship of Sri Barun Kanti Deb, University Research Scholar by six months w.e.f. 26.9.82.

Confirmed for immediate action.

64. To consider an application for reimbursement of T.A./D.A. etc. received from Shri P. K. Pal, Lecturer in English along with a note from the Dy. Registrar.

Deferred.

65. To consider evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examinations on the theses submitted for the Ph.D. Degree of the North Bengal University.

(a) The Council considered evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examination and decided to admit Sri Sudipta Kumar Sadhya to the degree of Ph.D. (Science) for his thesis entitled "Investigations on the properties of magnetised Plasma". Sri Sadhya worked under the guidance of Prof. S.N. Sen, Professor of Physics, North

Bengal University.

The result may be published immediately.

(b) The Council considered evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examination and decided to admit Smt. Gayatri Bhattacharjee to the degree of Ph.D. (Arts) for her thesis entitled "[illegible]".

Smt. Bhattacharjee worked under the guidance of Prof. Asru Kumar Sikdar, Professor of Bengali, North Bengal University.

The result may be published immediately.

(c) The Council considered evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examination and decided to admit Sri Bimal Bhusan Chatterjee to the degree of Ph.D. (Arts) for his thesis entitled "Bangla Natake Rabindranath Paryanta Tragedy tattwer Proyog O Kramabibartan". Shri Chatterjee worked under the guidance of Dr. S.C. Lahiri, Head of the Department of Bengali, North Bengal University.

The result may be published immediately.

(d) The Council considered the evaluation reports on the theses submitted by Smt. Manju Roy and Sri Haripada Datta and decided that they may be permitted to resubmit their theses after revising the same in the lines suggested by the examiners.

66. To consider applications for Ph.D. registration.

The Council permitted the following persons who are graduates of other Universities to apply for registering their names for the degree of Ph.D. :

(i) Sri Manoj Kar
(ii) Sri Chiranjeeb Kumar Kar
(iii) Sri Indra Vilas Adhikary.

67. To consider a letter from Sri Badal Kr. Nag, Asstt. Foreman, Central Workshop seeking clarification on certain points.

The Council noted that the University Grants Commission wanted the Central Workshop and the USIC should function jointly. It was, further, noted that such joint function had been introduced. The Council decided that a notification be issued bringing the employees working in the Central Workshop under the administrative control of the authorities of the USIC.

68. To consider a letter from the Principal, Ananda Chandra College for granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in Philosophy.

The Council decided that the Inspector of Colleges with a team to be approved by the Vice-Chancellor may inspect the college and submit a feasibility report.

69. To confirm the last dates of admission to the 1st year classes of Two year Pass & Three year Honours courses as approved by the Vice-Chancellor.

The Council while approving the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in fixing the last date of admission into the 1st year degree course of B.A./B.Sc/B.Com as 23.8.82 (31.8.82 on payment of late fine of Rs. 5/-) decided that in view of the difficulties being experienced by the colleges the last date of admission should be extended to 31.8.82, and 6.9.82 with late fine of Rs. 5/-.

70. To consider a letter from the Principal, Malda College for granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in Philosophy.

The Council decided that the Inspector of Colleges should submit a feasibility report after visiting the college with a team to be approved by the Vice-Chancellor.

In this connection the Council decided that the Inspector of Colleges may visit the Government College, Gangtok who have prayed for affiliation in Honours standard in Commerce, and submit a report to the Vice-Chancellor who is requested to take action with regard to granting of affiliation.

71. To consider a letter from the Principal, Mathabhanga College for granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in Bengali, Philosophy & Pol. Science.

The Council decided that the Inspector of Colleges should visit the college with a team to be approved by the Vice-Chancellor and submit a report for consideration.

72. To consider letters from the Principals, Balurghat & Alipurduar College in connection with introduction of uniform service conditions for the workers, employees of Hostel Messes attached to University/Colleges.

The Council decided to constitute Central Committees for running the Undergraduate College hostels, etc. as under :-

(i) The Bursar of the College, in his absence the seniormost teacher - Chairman
(ii) Teachers of the college who are members of the Governing Body.
(iii) One boarder from each hostel to be elected by the boarders.
(iv) Medical Officer
(v) The Superintendent of the Hostel to be the Secretary.
In case of more than one Superintendent the Secretary will be by rotation to be nominated by the Principal.

73. To approve the appointments of the following teachers of Dinhata College :

1. Sri Bhriguram Mandal : Lecturer in Bengali
2. Sri Asit Kr. Chakraborty : Lecturer in Mathematics
3. Sri Sankar Chattopadhyay : Lecturer in Chemistry
4. Sri Ashis Kr. Sarkar : Lecturer in Mathematics

The Council decided to approve the appointments of the following teachers of Dinhata College and Tufanganj College :

Dinhata College

1. Sri Briguram Mandal : Lecturer in Bengali
2. Sri Asit Kr. Chakraborty : Lecturer in Mathematics
3. Sri Sankar Chattopadhyay : Lecturer in Chemistry
4. Sri Ashis Kr. Sarkar : Lecturer in Mathematics

Tufanganj College

1. Sri Dharmadas Banerjee : Lecturer in English
2. Sri Hari Gopal Mallick : Lecturer in Commerce
3. Sri Kishore Kr. Chatterjee: Lecturer in Commerce.

Confirmed for immediate action.

74. To approve the appointments of the following teachers of Kaliyaganj College :

1. Smt. Jayanti Purakayastha : Lecturer in Pol. Science (on leave vacancy)

The Council decided to approve appointments of the following teachers of Kaliyaganj College and P.D. Women's College, Jalpaiguri.

Kaliyaganj College

1. Smt. Jayanti Purakayastha : Lecturer in Pol. Science (on leave vacancy)

P.D. Women's College, Jalpaiguri

1. Sri Pradip Kumar Kapoor : Lecturer in Physics (on leave vacancy)

Confirmed for immediate action.

75. To consider inspection report on Kalimpong College.

The Council decided to extend affiliation in Honours courses in Commerce and History in the Kalimpong College subject to the conditions laid down in the inspection report. It was also decided that, as mentioned in the report, prior concurrence of the Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal should be sought by the college before introducing teaching in those two subjects.

76. To consider a letter No. UE/226/03-82 dated 8.8.82 received from the University Engineer with regard to filling up of the posts of Electrical Supervisor and Electrician-cum-Line Man etc.

The Council decided that in view of the recent Govt. Order the matter might be sent to the Govt. for approval. The matter relating to appointment of Asstt. Engineer (Electrical) has been separately decided under item No. 30.

77. To consider granting of recognition to Netaji Institute for Asian Studies.

The Council decided that the matter might be referred to the Academic Committee along with further information regarding number of staff and the library of the Institute.

78. To consider a letter received from Prof. P. K. Ghosh.

A decision was taken under item No. 3.

79. To report that Sri Ujjalendu Sarkar, Lecturer in Political Science and Sri Dilip Kumar Ghosh Roy, Lecturer in Economics, Raiganj College have duly been elected as representatives on the College Council of Raiganj University College.

Noted.

80. To consider renaming of Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies as Inter-Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies.

Deferred.

81. To consider letter from the Deputy Secretary, Rural Development Department, Govt. of Sikkim.

Deferred.

82. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Department of Education, Govt. of Sikkim in connection with the appointment of the Principal, Sikkim Law College as member on the Committee of under-graduate Studies in Law/Law College Council.

The Council decided that the Principals of Jalpaiguri Law College and Sikkim Law College be members of the Committee of Undergraduate Studies in Law.

83. To consider a letter from the Chairman, Jagadis Bose National Science Talent Search, Calcutta, for assisting scholarship scheme through an annual grant of Rs. 3000=00. (The value of scholarship is Rs. 15,000=00 tenable for five years).

The Council regretted that at present such grant can not be provided.

84. To consider granting of extension of leave upto 25th August, 1982 to Sri Charu Chandra Deb, U.G.C. Junior Research Fellow Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.

The Council decided to grant one month leave without fellowship to Sri Charu Chandra Deb with effect from 25.7.82.

85. To report that the Vice-Chancellor has sanctioned study leave to Sri Chandan Kumar Mukhopadhyay, Lecturer in Commerce in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in granting Study Leave as per rules to Sri Chandan Kumar Mukhopadhyay, Lecturer in Commerce who is to go abroad for higher studies. The exact date of his release will be fixed by the Vice-Chancellor.

86. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the Committee formed by the Vice-Chancellor to consider the representation from Subrata Dev.

The item is withdrawn from the agenda.

At this stage some members of the North Bengal University Employees' Association met the Council and represented that their demands as laid down under item 2, 8 and 11 be considered favourably. The Council decided that since acceptance of such demands would bound the University to heavy financial commitments, it was not possible to consider the same especially since as mentioned earlier the demands were not in line with the Finance Sub-Committee recommendation 1980.

// Supplementary Agenda //

1. To consider letters from the Principal, Balurghat College and the Officer-in-charge, Raiganj B.Ed College in connection with increasing the intake capacity for admission to the 1st year class & B.Ed course.

The Council decided that the Raiganj B.Ed College be permitted to take 5 more students in 1982-83 academic session.

In this connection the Council considered representation from some colleges with regard to intake capacity in a class or section. In view of rush in admission, the Council decided that increase of number of students in a class or section as may be practicable beyond 120 if situation demands.

2. To consider a letter from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. in the matter of enhancement of 'festival adfance'.

The Council decided that refundable festival advance of Rs. 400/- may be allowed to all employees of the University including teachers and officers this year if University funds so permit.

3. To consider a prayer from Sri Somnath Chaudhury, Asstt. Supdt. University Press for granting 4 months leave with pay for undergoing training in International course on Print Production at Netherlands.

The Council decided to grant 4 months leave without pay to Sri Somnath Chaudhury, Assistant Superintendent, University Press, in case he is selected for training in the International course on Print Production at Netherlands. The date of commencement of leave will be decided by the Vice-Chancellor.

However, Sri Chaudhury may be allowed the total P.L. to his credit which will be included in the said period of 4 months.

4. To consider a note from the Deputy Registrar along with a leave statement from the Finance Branch in connection with leave of Sri Purna Prasad Rai, Guard, Watch & Ward Department.

The Council decided to sanction the following leave to Sri Purna Prasad Rai :

P. L. : 173 days
H. P. L. : 130 days

5. To consider a note from the Deputy Registrar in connection with leave of Sri Narbahadur Dorjee, Guard, Watch & Ward Department.

The Council decided to sanction extraordinary leave without pay to Sri Narbahadur Dorjee for the period of absence after adjusting leave due.

6. To consider the recommendations of the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee meeting held on 20.9.82.

The Council approved the recommendation. (Appendix III)

In this connection the Vice-Chancellor placed a report on enquiry with regard to the serious lapse made in the question papers in History Honours Paper VII and Paper VIII Examination 1982. The Council decided that all members including the Chairman of the Board of Moderators who were responsible for such lapse be debarred from all processes of Undergraduate Examinations during the next three years i.e. 1983, 1984 and 1985.

7. To consider the proceedings of the joint meeting of the Committee of Undergraduate Studies in Physics, Chemistry, Botany and Zoology held under the Chairmanship of the Vice-Chancellor on 9.8.82.

The Council approved the proceedings of the joint meeting of the Committee of Undergraduate Studies in Physics, Chemistry, Botany and Zoology held under the Chairmanship of the Vice-Chancellor on 9.8.82 and decided that a centre fee of Rs. 25/- per candidate be sanctioned for holding practical examinations in Zoology & Botany with a minimum of Rs. 250/-.

8. To consider a letter from Sri Narayan Mazumdar, Electrical Supervisor along with the forwarding letter of the University Engineer.

Deferred.

9. To consider a letter No. NBUEA/48/82-83 dated 20.8.82 received from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A.

A decision has been taken.

10. To consider a note from the Finance Officer on the representation with regard to release of retirement benefit submitted by Mrs. Sachi Majumdar, W/O J. N. Majumdar, Ex-Lecturer in Philosophy, Raiganj University College.

The Council decided that payment of retirement benefit may be made to Sri J. N. Majumdar as per norms laid down for non-Government Colleges by the Govt. of West Bengal.

Confirmed for immediate action.

11. To consider a note from the Finance Officer for contributing Rs. 6,500/- to the Secretary, Association of Indian Universities, towards construction of the Building of the Association.

The Council decided to sanction a sum of Rs. 6,500/- as contribution to the Association of Indian Universities for construction of building of the Association.

12. To consider the recommendations of the selection committee for appointment of Junior Research Fellows in the Deptt. of Physics.

The Council approved the panels prepared by the Selection Committee and decided to appoint the following as Research Scholars/Fellows in the Department of Physics :

University Scholarship No. 1

Sri Biswaroop Ghosh

University Scholarship No. 2

Sri Dhurjati Prasad Datta

University Scholarship No. 3

Sri Sanak Kumar Ghosh

U.G.C. Junior Research Fellowship

Sri Mukul Kumar Mitra

The Scholars will receive a scholarship of Rs. 600/- per month each and Rs. 3000/- each as contingent grant and the above scholars will be guided as per rules in this regard.

The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

13. To consider the recommendations of the selection committee for appointment to the posts of Junior Research Scholars in the Department of Commerce.

The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint the following as Research Scholars :

(i) Sri Ajit Kumar Roy
(ii) Sri Jitendra Narayan Gupta

in the Department of Commerce. The Scholars will receive a scholarship of Rs. 600/- each per month and Rs. 3000/- each as contingent grant and they will be guided as per rules in this regard.

The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

14. To consider the minutes of meetings of the various Boards of Research Studies.

The Council approved the minutes of the meetings of the various Boards of Research Studies, and decided that immediate action be taken.

(Appendix IV)

15. To report that Shri Sudhir Ch. Roy and Sm. Tshering Doma Bhutia have completed their one year Internship Training satisfactorily after passing the M.B.B.S. Examinations as forwarded by the Principal, N.B. Medical College.

Name	Years of passing	Period of Internship
1. Sri Sudhir Ch. Roy	1981	27.7.81 to 26.7.82
2. Sm. Tshering Doma Bhutia	1978	19.2.79 to 18.5.79 and 1.4.80 to 31.12.80.

The Council considered letter dated 16/19.8.82from the Principal, North Bengal Medical College and decided that the following students have been found eligible for permanent registration by the State Medical Council. The students satisfactorily completed their internship for one year as mentioned against each :

Name	Year of passing	Period of Internship
1. Sri Sudhir Ch. Roy	1981	27.7.81 to 26.7.82
2. Sm. Tshering Doma Bhutia	1978	19.2.79 to 18.5.79 and 1.4.80 to 31.12.80.

16. To report that the Vice-Chancellor has allowed Sri Sankarlal Datta, Electro-Instrumentation Officer to cross the efficiency bar in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in allowing Dr. Sankar Lal Datta to cross the efficiency bar.

17. To consider a note from the Inspector of Colleges on the memorandum submitted by the Hostel employees Association.

Deferred.

18. To consider a letter from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. in connection with granting of special allowance to Sri Parabe math Das, Compoundar, University Health Centre.

Deferred.

Misc. 1 The Council considered the difficulties in the functioning of the Governing Body of the Chanchal College as explained by the Principal in the meeting and decided to reconstitute the Governing Body of the Chanchal College as mentioned below for a period of three years with immediate effect :

1. Sri Ram Prafulla Lahiri (Doner) President
2. Prof. Sashi Kanta Chakraborty, Secretary, Principal
3. Sri Nazmul Hoque, Teacher, Chanchal Siddheswari Institution, Chanchal
4. Sri Jnan Sarkar, Teacher, Chanchal Siddheswari Institution, Chanchal
5. Sri Amalendu Sekhar Rakshit, Teacher, Chanchal Siddheswari Institution, Chanchal
6. Sri Sib Santosh Chakraborty, Pradhan
7. Sri Sukhendu Roy Chowdhury, Chanchal
8. Sri Dilip Kumar Ghosh, Social Education Officer, Chanchal
9. Two representatives of Teachers to be selected by the Principal in consultation with the teachers.
10. Govt. nominee - one

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

Misc. 2 The Council considered a note from the Deputy Controller of Examinations and decided to open an Examination Centre at A.C. College, Jalpaiguri for holding LL.B. Examination.

Misc. 3 The Council considered a petition from Sri Biswa Mukhopadhyay placed by Sri Debabrata Ghosh. The Council decided that Sri Mukhopadhyay may be permitted to take admission in Commerce Stream or in the Arts Stream with Honours in Mathematics as provided in the ordinance.

Misc. 4 The Council considered a letter from the General Secretary, North Bengal University Employees' Association. The Council decided that the Finance Officer may issue certificate in the matter of deduction of loan from salary bill towards payment to the West Bengal State Co-operative Housing Federation Ltd. in the event of default by the employee who will take such loan. However, such certificate can be given on the individual merits of the cases and also not in contravention to the provisions of the Minimum Wages Act.

Misc. 5 The Council decided that a Special Meeting of the Council be convened on the 10th September, 1982 for consideration of matters relating to appointment of the Vice-Chancellor.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

S. N. Sen

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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Appendix - I

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the meeting of the Post-graduate Examination Advisory Committee held in the Office of the Controller of Examinations on 23.6.82 at 11 a.m.

Members present :

1. Prof.N.C.Chaudhury, Vice-Chairman, P.G.Council(Arts).
2. Prof.S.K.Chakraborty,Chemistry Deptt.,N.B.U.

Shri B.K. Bajpaie, Registrar attended the meeting on special invitation.

Item No.1 : To consider the letter received from Prof.N.C. Chaudhury regarding rate of remuneration of dissertation papers.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed the schedule of rates of remuneration in which it was observed that the rate for examining a Thesis, Project & Design is Rs.50/- per thesis. In view of the parity of a dissertation paper to that of a thesis paper, the members recommended that examiners of dissertation papers be paid a remuneration at the rate of Rs.50/- per dissertation paper per examiner. This will include remuneration for Viva-Voce.

Item No.2 : To consider the applications of two unsuccessful candidates of P.G. Part II (Regular) Examinations.

Decision : The members observed that the candidates appeared at the M.A./M.Com.Part II Examination of 1981 on obtaining qualifying marks (30% or above but below 40%) at the M.A./M.Com. Part I and became unsuccessful because of their failure to secure the required minimum aggregate. The Committee considered the ordinance relating to M.A./M.Com. Examination and recommended that as per ordinance 4.4.2 a candidate who after securing qualifying marks in M.A./M.Com.Part I Examination appears at the Part II Examination and becomes unsuccessful because of his/her failure to obtain the minimum aggregate would be eligible to appear at the Part I or Part II Semester examinations along with the regular students as external candidate. However, they need not, as per earlier decision of the N.B.U. Council apply for permission.

There being no other item the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

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Proceedings of the meeting of the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 25.6.82 at 2 p.m.

Members Present :

1. Dr. A.B.Majumder, Inspector of College, N.B.U.
2. Shri D.Ghosh, A.C.College, Jalpaiguri
3. Prof. Bimalendu Bhattacharyya, N.B.U.
4. Shri B.K.Bajpaie, Registrar, N.B.U. attended the meeting on special request.

Item No.1 : To draw up a panel of Tabulators for the various Undergraduate Examinations of 1982.

Decision : The Committee after long discussion drew up a panel of Tabulators for the various Undergraduate examinations of 1982.

Item No.2 : To consider the application of a candidate who having cleared Part II Examination, 1977 passed the Part I (Old) Examination as an external candidate in 1981.

Decision : The application of the candidate as placed by the Deputy Controller of Examinations was considered and it was recommended that the Part II result of the applicant might be released immediately. It was further recommended that similar such cases, if any, might be treated on equal footing.

Item No.3 : To consider the service seniority of Shri Biswanath Bhattacharyya of Malda College as Lecturer in Sanskrit.

Decision : Smt. Sandhya Moitra passed M.A. in Sanskrit in 1954 from the University of Calcutta. Joined the service as Lecturer in Sanskrit in P.D.Women's College, Jalpaiguri on 18.12.58.

Shri Biswanath Bhattacharyya passed M.A.in Sanskrit from the Dacca University in 1960 & 1951. Served in a Degree College in East Pakistan as Head of the Department of Bengali and Sanskrit from 1.9.58 to 31.12.63, Lecturer in Chittagong Govt.College from 1.1.64 to 1.8.64. Joined Alipurduar College as Lecturer in Sanskrit on 20.11.64. Joined Malda College as Lecturer in Sanskrit on 29.11.69.

In the matter of seniority as per Section 9(3) of the N.B.U. Act, 1961 the following be noted :

"For the purpose of Sub-Section (1) or Sub-Section (2) the seniority of a person shall be calculated in consideration of the teaching period during which such person has served as a Principal in any Institution teaching offering Degree or P.G.Course of any University incorporated by law in India".

The matter was referred to the Academic Council on 11.12.74 and decision of the Council as follows :

"The Council after considering the total period of teaching experience of Shri Biswanath Bhattacharyya, Lecturer in Sanskrit, Malda College and Smt. Sandhya Moitra, Lecturer in Sanskrit, P.D.Women's College, Jalpaiguri decided that the latter should be treated as senior". Therefore, the Advisory Committee reiterates its earlier decision that Sm.Sandhya Moitra is senior to Sri Biswanath Bhattacharyya.

Item No.4 : To consider the report of the Convener in B.Ed. Examination, 1981 regarding the performance of an Examiner and a letter dated 16.6.82 addressed to the Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U. by the Examiner concerned.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed before the members the report of the Convener in B.Ed. Examination, 1981 regarding many lapses of an examiner in evaluation of scripts and the letter of the Examiner addressed to the Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U. After a detailed discussion the Committee took a very serious view of the lapses on the part of the Examiner. The Committee also thought it to be extremely unfortunate the letter of the examiner and decided that a warning might be issued to him for such conduct and he might further be asked not to indulge in such things in future.

Item No.5 : To consider the rate of remuneration for translating 2 year Degree Pass Questions into Nepali and Bengali.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations reported to the members present the difficulties faced by him in getting the 2 Year Degree Pass questions translated into Nepali and Bengali and the steps taken by him to overcome the difficulties and requested the members to recommend fixation of suitable remuneration for translation. The Committee after considering the nature and volume of work recommended the following remuneration :

1. Nepali translation - lump sum Rs.1,100/- to be divided among the persons engaged in the work according to the quantum of work.

2. Bengali translation @ Rs.20/- per paper.

Item No.6 : To consider the Preliminary report on the results of Preliminary Law Examination 1981 held in April, 1982.

Decision : After considering the preliminary report on the results and the representation of the students it was recommended that the matter be referred to the N.B.U. Council.

The meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Proceedings of the emergent meeting of the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 20.8.82 at 2 p.m.

Members present :

1. Prof. B.Bhattacharyya, N.B.U.

2. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, A.C.College, Jalpaiguri.

Shri Asoke Guha and Shri Madhusudan Das, members, N.B.U. Council and Shri B.K.Bajpaie, Registrar attended the meeting on special invitation.

Item No.1 : To consider matters arising out of printing of History (Honours) Paper VIII as Paper VII and Vice Versa at the B.A.Part II (New 3 year Honours) Examination, 1982.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations stated the facts in details to the members and placed all the correspondences received from the Colleges in this connection. After a detailed discussion the members recommended as follows :

1. The examination in the subject International Relations which was to have been taken on 4.8.82 being Paper VIII of History Honours be held again at a very early date to be fixed by the Vice-Chancellor, preferably during the 2nd half of September, 1982.

2. That questions of International Relations were opened at the Loreto and Salesian College Centres on 3.8.82 and the same were distributed among the students and after detection of mistake in the description of the paper printed, the papers were withdrawn. The examinees were asked to answer questions for the next day and the withdrawn papers were given to them next day. Correspondences of the Principals in this regard were considered and the Committee were of opinion that since the students had the opportunity of knowing the questions twenty four hours before they actually sat to write the answers the said examination in those two Colleges be cancelled and the candidates be given an opportunity of appearing at a fresh examination in International Relations.

3. In view of different procedures followed at different Centres the Committee recommended that :

(i) all students of Loreto and Salesian Colleges whose examinations in International Relations have been cancelled and all students belonging to A.B.N.Seal, Balurghat and Raiganj Colleges who did not appear in examination of that paper i.e. International Relations would appear at a fresh examination in that paper to be held in due course.

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(ii) Examinees of other Centres who wrote the answers in International Relations on 3.8.82 might be given an option to appear at the fresh examination. In those cases such students may be given the benefit of retaining better marks obtained by them if they opt to appear at the fresh examination (such benefit being extended to the candidates in view of the fact that they appeared at the examination on 3.8.82 in a paper scheduled to be held on 4.8.82).

(iii) In respect of the papers VII and VIII the Committee recommended that tabulation of marks in those papers be made after correction of mistakes in the description of papers.

Item No. 2 : To consider the application of a candidate of B.Sc. (Two year Pass) Examination,1982 of Malda College.

Decision : The members noted that the candidate could not appear in Chemistry(Pass) Paper III for his own fault as he noted the programme wrongly. The Committee, therefore, regretted to consider his application.

Item No. 3 : To consider the case of one External candidate of B.A.Part I(Old) Examination,1981.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed all the papers before the Committee. The candidate who appeared as an external from Kalimpong College was marked absent in Economics (Pass) Paper II because of non-receipt of marks by the Tabulators. The candidate, however, claimed that he had actually appeared in the paper which was duly corroborated by the Absentee Statement as well as the Top sheet received from the College. The matter was duly reported to the examiner and ~~thank~~ to the Chairman both of whom informed non-receipt of the script.

The members went deep into the matter and on being convinced that the script might have been mislaid somehow, recommended award of pro-rata marks in Economics (Pass) Paper II to the candidate.

Item No. 4 : To consider the cases of candidates who appeared in Mathematics (Honours) at the B.A./B.Sc. Part II (New 3 year Honours) Examination,1981.

Decision : It transpired that the results of all the candidates of B.A./B.Sc.Part II Mathematics (Honours) except Raiganj might have been prepared out of a total of 820 marks instead of the prescribed 800. This happened due to holding of Practical portion of Paper VIII (20 marks) at a very late stage. The Principals of Colleges were requested to arrange return of the marksheets for verification without delay but not a single marksheet has been received so far. The Committee recommended issue of another notice with a definite date failing which steps should be taken to cancel all the marksheets through paper notification. Fresh marksheets on due correction of results may then be sent to the Colleges.

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Appendix IV

Date: 25-[illegible]-82.

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Zoology held on 23-8-82.

Members present:

1. Professor S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor(Acting) in the Chair.
2. Dr. A.K. Chakraborty, Head of the Dept. of Zoology, North Bengal University.
3. Dr. A.K. Roy, Head of the Dept. of Zoology, Darjeeling Govt. College.

(i) The Board recommended that Sri Tashi Wangdi Pumafartsok be permitted to register his name for the Degree of Ph.D. (Science) with effect from 7-7-1982. The topic of his research being "STUDIES ON THE SALIVARY GLAND CHROMOSOMES OF SOME SPECIES OF BLACK FLIES (DIPTERA: SIMULIIDAE) AND MEIOTIC CHROMOSOMES OF SOME SPECIES OF GRASSHOPPERS (ORTHOPTERA) FROM DARJEELING AND ADJOINING HILL AREAS."

(ii) The Board decided that Shri Sayanton Bandyopadhyay, be advised to re-submit his synopsis as suggested by the experts.

(iii) Shri Ranjit Chattopadhyay, the Board decided, be advised to re-submit synopsis as suggested by the experts. The Board also decided that Shri Chattopadhyay, be informed that he must continue his research in the Laboratory of Darjeeling Govt. College.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

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Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Bengali held on 23-8-82.

Members present :

1. Professor S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor(Acting) in the Chair.
2. Dr. S.C. Lahiri, Head of the Dept. of Bengali.
3. Dr. P. Das, Reader in Bengali.
4. Dr. A.K. Sikder, Professor of Bengali.
5. Dr. P.K. Kundu, Supervisor.
6. Dr. S. Ray, Supervisor.
7. Dr. S.P. Sengupta, Professor of English.
8. Dr. T.B. Chhetri, Head of the Dept. of Nepali.

(i) The Board recommended that Sri Gurusaday Dey, be permitted to register his name for the Degree of Ph.D.(Arts), w.e.f. 15-2-1982. The title of his thesis being " রবীন্দ্রনাথ-সৈনিক-উপন্যাস পর্ব: সুরেন্দ্রনাথ-ও বৈকালী ঝড় (১৮৭৩-১৯০০) (তুলনামূলক আলোচনা) "

(ii) The Board recommended that Sri Ranjit Kumar Mukhopadhaya be permitted to register his name for the Degree of Ph.D.(Arts) w.e.f. 10-12-81. After slightly changing the topic the Board approved the topic as " তারাশঙ্করের উপন্যাসের প্রকৃতি, পরিবেশ ও জীবন: ঔপন্যাসিক উপন্যাসের নাম্য ও তারাশঙ্করের সাদৃশ্য একটি মূল্যায়ন "

(iii) The Board recommended that Sri Parimal Chakraborty be permitted to register his name for the Degree of Ph.D.(Arts), w.e.f. 1-3-1982. The title of the topic should be " তারাশঙ্কর ঠাকুর সম্পর্কে সমসাময়িক কয়েকজন কথাশিল্পীর পরিপ্রেক্ষিতে তারাশঙ্কর "
The Board directed that Sri Chakraborty be advised to see that the treatment of the thesis should be consistant with the changed title.

(iv) The Board decided that Sri Tushar Kanti Chakraborty be advised to re-submit of synopsis in consultation with his guide as per suggetion discussed.

(v) The Board decided that Shrimati Archana Roy be advised to re-submit the synopsis of her thesis after correcting the discrepancies pointed out to the Supervisor.

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(vi) The Board recommended that Sri Amaresh Chandra Lahiri be permitted to submit his thesis for examination with 6 (six) [illegible] for 12-7-1982.

(vii) The Board recommended that Sri Barendra Nath Ray be permitted to re-register his name for the Degree of Ph.D.(Arts), the title of his topic being " বিংশ শতাব্দীর আধুনিক বাঙলা কবিতায় সনেট ধ্বনি ".

(viii) The Board permitted Sri Ramen Kumar Roy to re-submit his thesis entitled " বৈষ্ণব পদাবলী ও মধ্যযুগীয় সাহিত্যে বাংলা সাহিত্যের প্রভাব (১৮৮৭ - ১৯৪০ খৃষ্টাব্দ) "

(ix) The Board permitted the following persons to submit their theses for examination for the Degree of Ph.D.(Arts) and approved the panels of examiners:

Name:	Topic
a) Sri Bhajan Gopal Sannyal	" বাল্মীকি - রামায়ণের বাঙলা অনুবাদের কবি কৃত্তিবাসের সহিত তেলুগু - অনুবাদের কবি ঞ্জীনাথের তুলনা মূলক বিচার ",
b) Sri Debranjan Dhar	" শরৎচন্দ্র ও অন্যান্য ঔপন্যাসিকদের প্রথম রচনা (তুলনামূলক বিশ্লেষণ) ",
c) Tapan Deb	" বাংলা ঔপন্যাসের সমাজচিত্র (বঙ্কিমচন্দ্র, রবীন্দ্রনাথ ও শরৎচন্দ্রের উপন্যাস) "

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL.

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Bengali held on 26-8-1982.

Members present:

(1) Professor S.N. Sen, the Vice-Chancellor(Acting) in the Chair.
(2) Dr. S.C. Lahiri, Head of the Dept. of Bengali.
(3) Professor A.K. Sikder, Dept. of Bengali.
(4) Dr. P. Das, Reader in Bengali.

1. The Board considered the following resolutions of the meeting of the Departmental Committee in Bengali held on 26-7-82 and a letter from Shri Satyendra Nath Barman of J.R.F:

(b) The Departmental Committee finds it highly irresponsible on the part of Dr. P.K. Kundu that he chose to resign the Supervisorship in protest against a democratically accepted resolution of the Departmental Committee. He, therefore, penalised a Research Fellow when the Research Fellow was in no fault in the matter. The Departmental Committee feels that such action should not be repeated in future in the interest of the Research Fellows, the Department and the University.

(c) It was decided to make alternative arrangement for guiding the research of Sri Satyendranath Barman in response to the request of Sri Barman and the Secretary of the North Bengal University Research Fellows' Association. In terms of the principle evolved in the meeting of the Departmental Committee held on 23-7-81, the Supervisorship was offered to and accepted by Dr. P. Das, Sm. G. Datta and Sri A. Bhatta having refused to accept the offer.

The Board while approving the above decisions decided that Shri Satyendra Nath Barman be placed under the guidance of Dr. P. Das.

2. The Board considered an application of Shri Satyendra Nath Barman and permitted him to change the title of his thesis "[illegible]" from "[illegible]" to "[illegible]".
The change will not entail any charge in the research itself.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in English, held on 23.8.82.

Members present.

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor, Acting in the Chair.
2.Prof. S.P.Sengupta, Department of English.
3.Prof. Asru Kumar Sikdar. Department of Bengali.

1. The Board recommended that the under noted person be permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Arts) with effect from the date mentioned against him:

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	name of the topic.
(a)Sushanta Kr.Chakraborty.	19.6.82	The Influence of Greek and Latin Tragedies on English Drama.

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur, Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Political Science, held on 24-8-82.

Members present.

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor, Acting in the Chair.
2.Dr. D.J.Bhowmik, Head of the deptt. of Pol. Science.
3.Prof. S.N.Roy, Professor of Political Science.
4.Dr. S.R. Basu. Head of the deptt.of Geography & Appl.Geography.

1.The Board permitted Sri Pranab Kumar Samajdar to re-submit his thesis entitled "Changing Pattern of District Administration:- A study of Two Districts of North Bengal." The thesis would be evaluated by the some set of Examiners who exime it previously.

2.The Board recommended that the following persons be permitted to register their names for the degree of Ph.D.(Arts) with effect from the dates mentioned against each:-

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	name of the topic.
(a)Pramiosh Sen.	19.8.82	Official-Non-Official Relationship in the Panchayati Raj Institutions - A study of the emerging relationship-patterns under the new Panchayat system in the district of Malda.
(b)Smt.Maya Ghosh.	23.2.82	Public Relations in Development Administration: A study of the Institutional Structure and its working in West Bengal, 1952-82.

3.The Board permitted Sri Jibaneswar Misra to re-register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Arts). His thesis is entitled "Nationalism and Internationalism: The Political Ideas of Tagore , Gandhi and Nehru."

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur (Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Geography and Applied Geography, held on 23.8.82.

Members present.

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor,(Acting) in the Chair.
2.Prof. B.Bhattacharya, Deptt.of Geography & Applied Geography.
3.Prof. N.C.Choudhury, Head of the deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology.
4.Prof. S.N.Roy,Deptt. of Political Science.

1. The Board recommended that the following persons be permitted to register their names for the degree of Ph.D.(Arts)with effect from the dates mentioned against each:-

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	Name of the topics.
(a)Sri Gopal Ch.Sarkar.	24.4.82	A Geographical Study of the Pattern of Agriculture in Darjeeling Hills- Its problems and Prospects.
(b)Sri Shyamal Kr.Sengupta.	20.4.82	Behaviour of Spatial Development and Land Value in Bangalore Metropolitan Area.
(c)Sri Anish Chattopadhyay.	16.12.82	Geomorphology of the Brahmaputra Basin in Arunachal Pradesh and Assam: North East India.

Sri Anish Chatropadhyay should note certain points mentioned by one of the experts.

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Mathematics held on 23.8.82

Members present.

1.Prof.S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor,(Acting)in the Chair.
2.Sri S.P.Paul, Head of the deptt. of Mathematics.
3.Prof. Santi Ranjan Das Gupta, Prof. of Mathematics.
4.Prof. S.K.Chakraborty, Prof. of Chemistry.
5.Prof. M.L.Ghosh, Professor of Mathematics.
6.Dr. Manoj Kr. Bose, Lecturer in Mathematics.
7.Sri S.Bishnu, Reader in Mathematics.

1.The Board recommended that the following person be permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Science) with effect from the date mentioned against his name:-

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	name of the topic.
(a)Sri Srtharsha Baidya.	17.5.82	Certain Investigations on Problems of W-Measure and on Perron Type Integrals.

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

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CHAIRMAN.

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Chemistry held on 23.8.82.

Members present.

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor,(Acting) in the Chair.
2.Prof. Subhash Chandra Roy, Head of the deptt.of Chemistry.
3.Prof. S.K.Chakraborty, Professor of Chemistry.
4.Prof. A. K. Ghosh, Professor of Chemistry.
5.Sri B. Majee, Reader in Chemistry.
6.Sri Bimal Kr. Das, Reader in Chemistry.

1. The board permitted the following persons to submit their thesis for evaluation and approved the panels of Examiners:-

	(name of the topic)
(a)Rabindra Nath Mukhopadhyay.	"Synthetic Studies in Sesquiter Penes."
(b)Ranjit Kr. Sarkar.	"Studies on Carbene and Ketene Reactions."

2.The board noted that all the Examiners in one panel for evaluating the thesis submitted by Sri Prabir Roy had intimated inability to examine the thesis. Under the circumstances the Board decided to approve the new panel recommended.

3. The Board recommended that Sri Bijoy Krishna Sen be permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Sc). However, Sri Sen may submit his thesis after 6.1.83.

4. The Board recommended to extend the period of eligibility of Sri Debabrata Pal Choudhury to submit his thesis by six months with effect from 23.9.82.

5. The Board consider an application of Sri Soumitra Kumar Choudhury and approved that the typographical mistake in the title of his thesis be corrected as follows.

Original title.	Corrected title.
Co-ordination Compounds of Organotin Compounds with some Selected Ligands.	Co-ordination Complexes of Organisation Compounds with some Selected Ligands.

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur, Darjeeling.

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Physics held on 23.8.82.

Members present.

1.Prof.S.N.Sen,Vice-Chancellor,(Acting)in the Chair.
2.Prof. S.K.Mukherjee, Head of the deptt. of Physics.
3.Prof. N.Choudhury, Professor of Physics.
4.Prof. A.K.Ghosh, Professor of Chemistry.
5.Prof. Santi Ranjan Das Gupta, Prof. of Mathematics.
6.Prof. R.K.Paul, Professor of Physics.
7.Dr. Biswanath Bhattacharyya.Reader in Physics.
8.Dr. Rabin Ghosh, Reader in Physics.

1.The Board recommended that the under noted person be permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Science) with effect from the date mentioned against his name:-

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	name of the topics.
(a)Sri Asoke Nath.	1.1.1980	Study of Magnetic and Optical Behaviour of some Rare-Earth Complexes.

2. The Board decided to extend the time of submission of thesis by Smt. Basana Bhattacharya by six months with effect from 9.9.82.

3. The Board permitted Sri Biswanath Jha to re-register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Sc.).Sri Jha, however, may submit his thesis within September 1983.

4. The Board permitted the following persons to submit their thesis for evaluation and approved the panels of examiners:-

	name of the topics.
(a)Smt. Ira Choudhury-	Ionic Conduction in Polar Dielectric Liquids.
(b)Swapan Kr.Sengupta.	Investigation on Photon Interactions in matter. (i)Elastic Scattering of Photons by Atomic bound Electrons. (ii)Elastic Scattering of Photons by Electrostatic Field of the Nucleus.

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

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CHAIRMAN.

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Engineering and Technology held on 23.8.82.

Members present.

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor.(Acting)in the Chair.
2.Dr.H.P.Bhowmick, Principal,Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College.
3.Prof. N.C.Sinha, Prof. Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College.
4.Sri A.S.Choudhury, Lecturer, Electrical Engineering,Jal.Govt. Engg. College.

1.The Board recommended that the under noted person be permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Engineering)with effect from the date mentioned against his name:-

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	name of the topics.
(a)Sri Subir Kr.Sengupta.	23.11.1981	"Cybernetics in Identification, Modelling and Prediction of Flows and Water Quality of Non-Tidal Rivers."

2.The Board permitted the following persons to submit his thesis for evaluation and approved the panels of examiners:-

	name of the topics.
(a)M.N.Maulik.	"System Analysis Techniques for Hydrological Characteristics of Teesta River System."

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaio
REGISTRAR

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Centre for Himalayan Studies, held on 23.8.81

Members present:

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor,(Acting) in the Chair.
2.Prof. S.K.Choube,Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies.
3.Prof. B.Bhattacharyya, Deptt.of Geography and Applied Geo.
4.Smt. Ranju Rani Dhamala, Lecturer in Centre for Himalayan Studies.

1.The Board recommended that the following persons be permitted to register their names for the degree of Ph.D.(Arts) with effect from the dates mentioned against each:-

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	name of the topics.
(a)Miss Saswati Biswas,	30.3.81	"Impact of Developmental Agencies on the Eastern Himalayas with specific reference to the West Bengal Himalayas: A case Study of Two Villages."
(b)Debiprasad Boot.	9.3.81	" A Study of Urban Development and Future Prospects in Sikkim"

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Sociology and Social Anthropology held on 23.8.82.

Members present.

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor,(Acting)in the Chair.
2.Dr. N.C.Choudhury, Head of the deptt.of Sociology & Social Anthropology.
3.Dr. Dulal Bag, Lecturer in Pol.Science,Balurghat College.
4.Dr. Ranjit Bhadra, Reader in Sociology & Social Anthropology.
5.Dr. Sarit Bhowmik, Lecturer in Sociology & Social Anth.
6.Dr. Arabinda Dev, Reader in History.
7.Prof. B.Bhattacharya, Prof. of Geography & Applied Geography.

1.The Board recommended that the following persons be permitted to register their names for the degree of Ph.D(Arts) with effect from the dates mentioned against each:-

Name.	Date.	Name of the topics.
1a)Sri Subhash Ch. Ghosh.	w.e.f. 12.6.82	"Teacher/Student Relationship and its Impact on Student unrest."
(b)Sri Pradip Kr.Basak.	w.e.f. 5.7.82.	"Social Integration of Castes and Tribes in Rural Bengal: A case study in peasant life in West-Dinajpur."
(c)Prabir Chandra Dam.	w.e.f. 1.1.81.	"Caste, Ethnicity and Politics:-A Study of Emerging Elites in the District of Coochbehar."

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in History held on 26-8-1982.

Members present:

(1) Professor S.N. Sen, the Vice-Chancellor(Acting) in the Chair.
(2) Professor P.K. Bhattacharyya, Head of the Dept. of History.
(3) Professor N.C. Choudhury, Head of the Dept. of Sociology & Social Anthropology.
(4) Professor S.N. Roy, Dept. of Political Science.
(5) Dr. M.M. Mukherjee, Lecturer in History.
(6) Dr. T.K. Roychoudhury, Reader in History.

1. The Board after considering the opinion of the experts decided that Shri Sadhan Chandra Deb, be advised to re-submit the synopsis clearly stating a brief over view of research already done in the field, and significance and justification of the proposed research, and also other matters discussed in the meeting.

2. The Board permitted Shri Ichhimuddin Sarkar to submit his thesis entitled "Aspects of Historical Geography of Pragjyotisa-Kamarupa from early and medieval records", and also approved the panels of examiners.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Centre for Life Sciences held on 27-8-82.

Members present:

1. Prof. S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor, (Acting) in the Chair.
2. Prof. Kalyan Bandhu Datta, Director, Centre for Life Sciences.
3. Dr. P. K. Basu, Reader in Centre for Life Sciences.
4. Dr. Bikas Paul, Reader in Centre for Life Sciences.

1. The Board recommended that the following persons be permitted to register their names for the degree of Ph.D. (Sc.) with effect from the dates mentioned against each:-

Name.	w.e.f. the date.	Name of the topics.
a) Amiya Kr. Nandi.	11-3-80	"Production Studies of Some Grasslands at Sub-Himalayan Region of West Bengal, India."
b) Debprasad Guin.	2-4-80	"Ecology and Behaviour of Gaur (Bos gaurus H. Smith) in North Bengal Region, West Bengal, India."
c) Amal Bhattacharyya.	21-4-80	"Study on the ecology and behaviour of the Great Indian one horned Rhinoceros (Rhinoceros Unicornis L.) at Gorumara Jaldapara and Kaziranga wild life sanctuaries India."

2. The Board considered applications of the following persons and while noting that no substantial change in the subject of research were involved, permitted to allow them to change the titles of the topic of Research as under:-

Name.	Previous title.	New title.
a) Debasis Sinha.	"Bio-Energetics and Socio-Ecology of the Totos Tribes of Jalpaiguri, West Bengal."	"Ethno-Zoological Studies of Sub-Himalayan Tribal Area of North Bengal with Emphasis on Ecology and Bio-Energatics of the Totos."
b) Tapas Kr. Choudhury.	"Mitogen Mediated Activation of Murine Thymocytes in Vivo for Immunological Function."	"Mitogen Mediated Activation of Murine T Cells in Vivo for Immunological Function."

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaio
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

Appendix-V

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Ref. No. 2596-F-82.

Note for the payment of T.A./D.A. to Examiners/Head Examiners for attending examiners meeting as desired by the Council in its meeting held on 24.12.81 (Misc. Item 4).

The Undergraduate Examinations Advisory Committee in its meeting held on 23.12.81 recommended that all examiners attending examiners' meetings be paid actual bus fare (both ways) for their journey to the University from the Head Quarters and D.A. at half of the full rate as prescribed in rules. On this the Council decided that the Finance Officer and the Deputy Controller of Examinations should submit a report of financial commitment. On the basis of the statistics of total number of examiners/head examiners appointed during 1981 at the various Undergraduate Examinations, we have arrived at the following figures or in other words the financial commitment that the University will have to bear :-

Total number of examiners appointed during 1981	404 X 9.75 (the estimated amount of half D.A.)

Total : Rs. 3939=00

as against the amount of Rs. 1616/- which is normally incurred at the existing rate of Rs. 4/- per examiners thus leading/ to an additional financial liability of Rs. 2323=00.

Placed before the Council for consideration.

Sd/- S. Majumder
14.6.82
Deputy Controller
of Examinations.

Sd/- S. M. Roy
Finance Officer

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University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur, Darjeeling

Annexure-I

Minutes of the Special meeting of the North Bengal University Council (convened in terms of resolution of the meeting of Council dated 29.8.82) held on the 10th September, 1982 at 11 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Prof. S. N. Sen, Professor of Physics
2. Dr. H.P. Bhowmik, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College
3. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College
4. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
5. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader, North Bengal University
6. Shri Hiten Nag, Lecturer, Dinhata College.

1. As provided under Statute 14 of the Statutes relating to meetings of the University the members present elected Prof. S.N. Sen to be the Chairman of the meeting.

2. The Council noted that Prof. S.N. Sen could not act as Acting Vice-Chancellor for personal reasons from 1.9.82 till date. The Council, therefore, reluctantly resolved that Prof. S.N. Sen might be relieved from his duties as Acting Vice-Chancellor with effect from 1.9.82. The Council recorded its gratitude and heart-felt thanks to Prof. S.N. Sen for the kind services rendered by him as Acting Vice-Chancellor during the absence of Dr. P.K. Ghosh, the Vice-Chancellor.

3. In exercise of powers conferred upon it under Sub-Section (3) of Section 18 of the North Bengal University Act 1961 read with clause (i) of paragraph (b) of Sub-Section (6) of Section 57 of the North Bengal University Act 1981 the Council decided to authorise Dr. H. P. Bhowmik, a member of the Council, to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Vice-Chancellor with effect from 10.9.82 pending appointment of a new Vice-Chancellor by the Chancellor.

4. The Council noted that the N.B.U. Employees' Association had served a notice declaring agitational programme in support of their certain demands and the first phase of such agitational programme was being observed. This programme, the Council was constrained to note, had virtually paralysed the University administration.

The Council felt that the sudden and unexpected agitational programme, particularly when there was no permanent Vice-Chancellor, was not in the interest of the University. The Council recalled that in the past, this Council had always endeavoured to better the service conditions of the employees even going sometimes out of way so far its resources were concerned. However, the Council felt that the present issue could be settled through amicable negotiations as had been done in the past when the permanent Vice-Chancellor takes charge.

In view of the above the Council hoped that the N.B.U. Employees' Association would appreciate the prevailing abnormal situation caused by the absence of the permanent Vice-Chancellor and would withdraw their agitational movement in the interest of all concerned.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

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Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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University Grants Commission Annexure-III

SECRETARY Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg
New Delhi-110 002.

No.F.6-4/82(SCT) August 23, 1982

Dear Education Secretary:

As you are aware, in the circular letters issued earlier vide UGC letter No.F.1-35/77(CP) dated November 3/5, 1977 and letter No.F.1-35/77 (CP) dated 13th November, 1978 it had been indicated that reservations for admissions for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates in Universities and colleges should be made available at the under-graduate and post-graduate level and these percentages would be 15% for Scheduled Caste students and 5% for Scheduled Tribe students. It also indicated that reservations be made for the appointment of Lecturers belonging to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates. In respect of non-teaching posts, reservation to Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe candidates is to be ensured as per the reservation percentages fixed by the State Government.

The position has been reviewed by the Government of India in the Ministry of Education recently and in the context of the population percentages of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in the country, it has since been decided that the reservation percentages for admissions and appointments would be 15% for Scheduled Caste and candidates and 7.5% for Scheduled Tribe candidates hereafter. I am accordingly to request you to make earnest efforts to increase the coverage of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates in admissions to various courses of upto the reservation percentages as indicated above viz. 15% for Scheduled Caste candidates and 7.5% for Scheduled Tribe candidates with a provision for interchangability where necessary. I am also to again reiterate that while making the reservations as above, provision may also be continued to be made to give concession of 5% marks in the minimum percentage of marks required for admission to any course of study. In case by allowing the above concession some seats in the reserved quota remain unfilled, a further relaxation in the marks may be given to them in order of merit interse amongst themselves so that all the reserved seats are filled by the candidates belonging to these categories.

I am further to request you to take steps to make similar reservations in the matter of appointments to the posts of Lecturers in Universities and Colleges and also in filling up non-teaching posts.

I should be grateful if you could acknowledge the receipt of this letter and let the UGC know the action taken by you in this respect.

With regards,

Yours sincerely
Sd/- R.K. Chhabra

Copy for necessary action forwarded to :

Dr. Prasad Kumar Ghose,
Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University,
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur,
Darjeeling - 734430.

Sd/- R.K. Chhabra
Secretary

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Annexure IV

Government of West Bengal
Education Department
University Eduoation Branch

No. 1285(6)-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the Sept. 3, 1982.

From : T.H. Sen Gupta, IAS
Dy. Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To : The Registrar,
University of North Bengal
Raja Rammohunpur,
Siliguri, Dist. Darjeeling.

Sub ::Grant of further Additional Dearness Allowance to the employees of the University of North Bengal with effect from 1.7.82.

Sir,

I am directed to say that the Governor is pleased to decide that the whole time employees of the University of North Bengal who are not in receipt of variable Dearness Allowance may be sanctioned further Additional Dearness Allowance at the rates in absolute amounts for each amount of basic pay as shown in the enclosed copy placed below with effect from 1st July, 1982 and until further orders in addition to existing Dearness Allowance/Interim Dearness Allowance/Addl. Dearness Allowance.

2. The Governor has further been pleased to direct that the benefit of further Addl. Dearness Allowance sanctioned in the Para-I above shall be drawn subject to the following conditions :

(1) If the existing total D.A. elements (prior to 1.7.82) be in excess of the total D.A. element (prior to 1.7.82) of corresponding State-Govt.-employees, such excess should be adjusted against the amount of further A.D.A. admissible as per enclosed table.

(2) The basic pay as mentioned above shall be the grade pay drawn by the employees in their respective scales of pay and shall not include special pay, Dearness pay, Ad-hoc pay, personal pay, qualification pay, Administrative pay and any other categories of pay, provided that in the case of employees who have not opted for revised scales of pay as per revision of pay scales with effect from 1.4.70 the basic pay will mean grade pay plus Dearness Allowance as was being drawn by them on 31.3.70.

(3) In the case of employees in the new/Intermediate selection grades, if any, the rates of further A.D.A. shall not exceed the amounts admissible according to the above rates on the maximum of their corresponding basic grade scales provided that in the case of employees who have opted/will not opt to retain new/Intermediate Selection Grade of the lower feeder posts as personal to them on their promotion to higher posts, the basic grade for this purpose shall be taken as the baeic grade scales of the posts to which they have been/may be promoted.

(4) If the basic pay be in fraction, the same should be rounded off to the nearest rupee.

3. The Governor has further been pleased to decide that for the daily rated workers if any under the University of North Bengal whose wages are not regulated by any statutory provision like Minimum Wages Act, etc., there will be a further ad-hoc increase in their existing daily rate of wages by 96 Paise per day with effect from 1.7.82.

4. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Deptt. vide their U.O. No. Group-J/1258 dated 1.9.82.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- T.H. Sengupta
Deputy Secretary

No. 1285/1(10)-Edn(U)
Copy forwarded to the : -
1. Accountant General, West Bengal
2. Finance Deptt., Govt. of West Bengal
3. Finance Officer, University of
4. Dy. Secretary, Agriculture Deptt. of this Govt.
5. Budget Branch of this Deptt. ....for information.

Calcutta,
The Sept. 3, 1982

Sd/- T.H. Sengupta
Deputy Secretary

Basic pay per month (1) Rs.	Further ADA admissible per month from 1st July, 1982 (2) Rs.	Basic pay per month (1) Rs.	Further ADA admissible per month from 1st July, 1982 (2) Rs.
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752 to 756	68
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760 to 761	69
762	68

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(1) Rs.	(2) Rs.
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(1) Rs.	(2) Rs.
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993	90
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996 to 997	90
998	89
999 to 2600	90

(1) Rs.	(2) Rs.
2601 to 2650	140
2651 to 2710	190
2711 to 2750	189-150*
Above 2750	150

* merginal adjustments

Annexure V

MINUTES OF THE NINETYFOURTH MEETING OF THE COLLEGE COUNCIL.

The ninetyfourth meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College (University College), was held on 22nd July,1982, at 2.30 P.M. at the Guest House of the University of North Bengal.

PRESENT :

Dr.S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor, (In the Chair).

Dr.A.K.Ghosh, Head of the Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.

Shri S.M.Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.

Shri K.C.Mitra, Advocate, Raiganj.

Dr.B.C.Bagchi. Raiganj.

Shri U.Sarcar, Teachers' Representative on the College Council.

Shri D.K.Ghosh Roy, Teachers' Representative on the College Coundil.

Shri S.N.Roy ,Principal & Secretary.

Dr.A.B.Majumder, Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U., Special Invitee.

ABSENT :

District Magistrate, West Dinajpur.

Sub-Divisional Officer, Raiganj.

Shri H.K.Sarkar, Kaliyaganj College.

Shri Dipendra Burman, M.L.A., Raiganj.

Shri Dipak Chatterjee, Raiganj Coronation School.

The Principal reported that Shri U.Sarcar, Lecturer in Political Science, and Shri D.K.Ghosh Roy, Lecturer in Economics, were newly elected Teachers' Representatives on the College Council. The Council extended warm welcome to Shri Sarcar and Shri Ghosh Roy.

1. Minutes :-

Minutes of the last meeting of the College Council, held on 17th April,1982 were confirmed with the amendment of Resolution No.11. The last line of the resolution be re-written as follows :-

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" Decided that Shri Ratan Kumar Paul be granted lien for one year as prayed for with effect from the date on which he joined as Store-Keeper in the Department of Botany."

2. Business Arising :-

a) Triple Benefit Scheme (Item No.25 of the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, held on 8th Fenruary,1982) :-

The teacher-members of the Council drew attention to item 25 of the minutes of the meeting of 8th February,1982, and pointed out that the employees of the College were still in a fix regarding their retirement benefits. The members also pointed out that the agreement reached at a meeting of the Hon'ble Minister of Higher Education, W.B.C.U.T.A., the University, and two University Colleges was only partially observed, and the interests of the University Colleges as agreed to in the said meeting were adversely affected.

Decision : The Council drew the attention of the new Vice-Chancellor to the problem and appealed to him to take up the matter with the Minister of Higher Education immediately for early resolution of the problem.

b) Payment of D.A. :-

The Finance Officer referred to item No.12 of the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, held on 17th November,1981, and pointed out that there was a mistake in sanctioning the D.A. to a particular section of the non-teaching employees of the College. The Finance Officer pointed out that this new D.A. was not payable to the University employees of the College existing before 28.11.80.

Decision : Decided to recover this excess payment of D.A. from the employees concerned.

c) Purchase of Steel chairs for Staff Common Room :-

Shri U.Sarcar referred to item No.19 of the minutes of the meeting held on 17th April,1982 re : purchase of chairs.

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Decision : The Council regretted that in view of the drastic reduction in the Budget by the State Govt., it would not be possible to purchase the chairs at the present moment.

3. Monthly Estimates :-

Monthly Estimates for the month of June, 1982 were placed before the meeting.

Decided to approve of the estimates subject to scrutiny by the Finance Officer.

4. Resignation of Shri B.K.Sanyal from the post of part-time Bursar :-

The Principal placed before the meeting the letter of resignation of Shri B.K.Sanyal from the post of part-time Bursar.

Decision : Decided to accept the resignation of Shri B.K. sanyal from the post of part-time Bursar, and invite applications from the members of the teaching staff for filling up the vacancy. Meanwhile, Shri Sanyal may be requested to continue till the new Bursar is appointed.

5. G.O. No.1583(100)-Edn(U), dated October 21,1981, forwarded by DPI under No.305(255)-C dated 6.4.82 re : introduction of uniform conditions for the Hostel/Mess employees :-

Decision : Decided that a Hostel Committee be formed with the following gentlemen for implementation of the G.O. in the College :-

a) Superintendent of the Boys' Hostel.
b) Superintendent of the Girls' Hostel.

} Senior Superintendent will be the Convener. Seniority in College Service will mean the seniority of the Superintendent.

c) One representative from the Boarders of the Boys' Hostel.
d) One representative from the Boarders of the Girls' Hostel.
e) Bursar of the College (Ex-officio).
f) Two nominees of the Teachers' Council.

The above Committee will submit a report with regard to the requirement of the staff and the report will be placed in

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the next meeting of the College Council.

The item is confirmed.

6. D.P.I. Circular No.1661-Edn(CS) dated the 19th October, 1981 re : appointment of Lecturers in the revised UGC scale of pay :- 4-AA:16/81

Noted the contents of the G.O.

7. Application of Dr.Dhirendra Kr.Das, Superintendent, Girls' Hostel, requesting revision of the College Council decision of 8th Feby.,1982 re : enhancement of allowance of the Superintendent:-

The matter was discussed. It was noted that the College Council in its meeting, held on 25.1.1979 (Item No.11) and 26.12.1979 (Item No.25 (d)), resolved to pay remuneration to the Hostel Superintendent of the College at the same rate as paid to the Superintendent of the University Hostels.

In view of the above resolution, the Council modifies its resolution of 8th February, 1982 and decided that in conformity with the earlier resolution of the College Council, the remuneration of the Superintendent of the College Hostels would be the same as that of the Superintendents of the University Hostels. The Resolution be forwarded to the North Bengal University Council for their kind approval.

8. Arrangement for calculation of arrear P.F.(Interest only) :-

Decision : Decided that the Principal be requested to submit a detailed note regarding the steps taken and work done in this regard.

9. Problem of Special Honours Admission :-

The problem was discussed.

Decided that admission will be accepted according to the capacity of the College.

10. Representation of the Students' Union re : Cheap Canteen :-

Deferred.

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11. Appointment of a substitute lecturer in Economics :-

It was noted that no lecturer can be appointed by the College Council on its own without the recommendation of the College Service Commission. It was further noted that there was the need of a teacher for Plus 2 Course Economics in the Commerce Section. Shri Asit Munshi may be appointed a part-time teacher exclusively for plus 2 Course on a monthly remuneration of Rs.125/- with effect from a suitable date on a purely temporary basis terminable on 24 hours' notice.

12. An application of Shri Ratan Kumar Paul, Store-Keeper, Deptt. of Botany, praying for permission to draw pay in the revised University Scale of pay for Class IV staff as he has been suffering financial loss due to his new assignment. He further prays for promotion in the University Scale of pay as per Executive Council Resolution No.17, dated 24.11.1972, No.17 dated 20.12.1972 and No.23, dated 31.1.1973 :-

His application was discussed. It was noted that he has to apply for his promotion as per University Rules.

13 An application signed by Shri Binoy Krishna Goswami, Shri Amulya Paul, Shri Gouranga Karmaker, Shri Ananda Ch.Roy, praying for promotion to or scale of pay for the Class III posts as per Executive Council Resolution No.17 dated 24.11.1972, No.17 dated 20.12.1972, and No.23 dated 31.1.73 :-

Decision : The applicants are to apply individually, and their applications may be placed with a note from the Principal.

14. Application signed by Shri S.K.Ghosh, Librarian, and Shri N.N. Basu, Asstt.Librarian, re : their status :-

The matter was discussed.

It was decided that the matter would be referred to the Deputy Registrar for necessary decision.

15. N.B.U.Council Resolution re : House Rent for the employees occupying University quarters :-

The N.B.U.Council Resolution was placed before the meeting.

In this connexion reference was made to item No.15 of the minutes of the meeting of the College Council of 17th April,1982.

Decided that financial implication be sent to the Vice-Chancellor with a request for early implementation of the scheme.

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16. Letter from the Bursar re : House Rent Allowance for a teacher whose wife was occupying free quarters as Hostel Superintendent:-

Deferred.

17. College Service Commission recommendation (Letter No.4104/Appt/82, dated 7.7.82) for appointment of Shri Chandan Sengupta as a Lecturer in Botany in the substantive post :-

The Principal reported that he offered provisional appointment to Shri Chandan Sengupta,M.Sc., as a Lecturer in Botany with effect from 14th July,1982 on the recommendation of the College Service Commission (Vide their letter No.4104/Appt/82, dated 7.7.82). Decided to approve of the provisional appointment as a Lecturer in Botany to Shri Chandan Sengupta, M.Sc., with effect from 14th July, 1982 as offered by the Principal.

It was further decided that a letter of appointment in conformity with the proforma attached to the Commission's letter of recommendation (No.4104/Appt/82, dated 7.7.82) be issued to Shri Chandan Sengupta,appointing him a lecturer in Botany in substantive post with effect from 14th July,1982, in the revised scale of pay for the lecturers i.e. Rs.700 - 1600/- plus allowances as admissible from time to time to such lecturers of the Sponsored Colleges of the State.

Decided further that his continuity of service with effect from 1st March,1982, the date of his joining the College as a substitute lecturer in Botany in leave vacancy be maintained as he was appointed on the recommendation of the College Service Commission, and that his date of increment be fixed on the basis of the continuity of his service, and that his period of probation be counted from the date of his joining the substantive post.

18. Application of Dr.Anupam Barkar, who was granted extension of his service as a substitute lecturer in Chemistry in place of Shri R.Mukherjee, seeking extension now as a substitute for Shri Debaprosad Bhattacharya :-

The Principal reported that substitute teacher for Shri Debaprosad Bhattacharya has not yet been recommended by the College Service Commission, and that it will be extremely difficult to run

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the classes with effect from 1st August, 1982 unless some substitute teacher is available in place of Shri Debaprosad Bhattacharya.

Decided to offer appointment to Dr. Anupam Sarkar on a purely temporary basis with effect from 1st August, 1982 till a substitute teacher is recommended by the College Service Commission.

19. Application signed by Shri A.K.Das, Shri A.K.Pal, and Shri B. Goswami -- all belonging to the non-teaching staff -- for concession in tuition fees to their wards :-

The applicants intheir application have pointed out that they belong to Class IV staff of the College, and they find it difficult to bear the expenses of education of their wards in the College.

Decision : In view of the Govt. rule none having an income above Rs.500/- per month will be entitled to concession in tuition fees for his wards, the Council regrets inability to accept their request.

20. Charter of Demand from the Employees' Association of the College :-

a) Implementation of Promotion Policy of the University for the employees in the College :-

Deferred.

b) i) Payment of remuneration for Exam.Work :-

Deferred.

ii) Preparation of Exam.Budget and allotment of Exam.duty in consultation with the Secretary of the Employees' Association :-

Deferred.

iii) Exam.Work -- its nature -- voluntary or compulsory :-

The matter was discussed. It was noted that the University Examination work was a part of duty for all employees -- Teaching and Non-Teaching. The Principal is authorised to issue necessary administrative orders in this behalf.

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20.(c) Difficulties faced by the employees in connexion with (i) Question Papers (ii) Holding of Exams -- Need of timely submission of question papers and marks :-

The Principal explained the difficulties pointed out by the employees.

Decision : Decided to refer the matter to the Secretary, Teachers' Council for a discussion of the subject and for necessary action in the matter.

(d) Protest against allotment of invigilation duty to employees :-

It was noted that it was not a fact that members of the non-teaching staff are allotted invigilation duty excepting the Librarian and the Asstt.Librarian who generally enjoy equivalent status of teachers.

(e) Increase in the number of employees in both sections :-

In view of heavy reduction in the budget, the Council regrets inability to think in terms of increasing the number of employees.

(f) Extension of University Scale of pay to the employees appointed up to 1982 as the same has been done in the case of two lecturers :-

It was noted that the cases cited were not parallel cases, and the circumstances and conditions of appointment were completely different.

(g) Concession in tuition fees for wards of the employees :-

The Council regrets inability in view of Govt. rule.

(h) Triple Benefit Scheme :-

The matter is under consideration.

21. Application of Shri Bipul Behari De, a part-time bearer for Prof.Mess Hons.classes on a fixed monthly allowance of Rs.60/-? praying for sanction of Day-Wage instead of fixed part-time allowance :-

The Council regrets inability to grant his prayer.

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23. A request from the General Secy., Bengal Library Association, for deputing at least two Library Professionals to the Conference. A certificate from B.L.A. re : participation of Shri S.K. Ghosh, Librarian in the Conference. A leaflet issued by B.L.A. re : Conference :-

The Principal reported that Shri S.K.Ghosh, Librarian, attended the Conference as per request of the General Secretary of the B.L.A., and Shri Ghosh produced necessary papers in this behalf.

Decision : Necessary Govt. rules in this behalf be put up and examined in the next meeting.

24. U.G.C. Circular No.F.2-6/80(CP), dated 18 JAN,1982 re : employment of the blind persons for recaning of chairs :-

Contents noted.

25. Application of Shri C.R.Acharya, Head of the Deptt. of Physics, re : appointment of a Store-Keeper for the Deptt. of Physics :-

Deferred.

26. Copy of a letter addressed to the Registrar, N.B.U., by the Principal, Darjeeling Govt. College, re : admission to M.Sc. Course in Botany/Zoology :-

The letter was placed before the meeting. Contents of the letter were noted.

27. Letter from the Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U., re : Non-teaching Staff Pattern :-

Contents were noted.

28. P.F.Loan -- Applications of -

a)	Shri D.Ghosh Roy, Lecturer in Economics :	For Rs.9300/-
b)	Shri S.Deb Mallick, Head of the Deptt. of Zoology. :	For Rs.8100/-
c)	Shri P.K.Sarkar, Sr.Lecturer in Bengali. :	For Rs.2160/-
d)	Shri N.N.P.Singh, Lecturer in Chemistry :	For Rs.9100/-
e)	Shri K.K.Ghosh, Lecturer in Political Science. :	For Rs.6440/-
f)	Shri B.K.Sanyal, Lecturer in Mathematics :	For Rs.7200/-
g)	Shri S.K.Sarkar, Lecturer in Philosophy :	For Rs.6800/-

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27. P.F.Loan : Applications of -

h) Shri D.N.Bhattacharya, Lecturer in Economics. : For Rs.5000/-
i) Shri S.K.Majumder, Lecturer in Bengali: For Rs.9000/-
j) Md.Osman Ghani, Lecturer in Chemistry & Departmental In-Charge: For Rs.8000/-
k) Shri S.Sengupta, L.D.Clerk. : For Rs.4000/-
l) Shri A.R.Mandal, Lab.Asstt.cum Store-Keeper: For Rs.3600/-
m) Shri D.K.Choudhury, Lab.Bearer : For Rs.1000/-
n) Shri G.Karmakar, Lab.Bearer. : For Rs.1900/-
o) Shri Kul Bahadur, Night Guard cum Bearer: For Rs.2200/-

Decided to approve of the action of the Principal in granting loan from the Provident Fund to the above applicants as per rules.

28. Leave Cases :-

a) Application of Shrimati Jayasree Sengupta, M.A., Lecturer in Philosophy, furnishing details of her absence from from 5.1.82 to 22.1.82 :-

Decision : Further details explaining her absence from 5.1.82 to 22.1.82 be placed in the next meeting.

29. Letter from the Acting Head of the Deptt. of Botany re : release of Advance for Departmental work and appointment of an Attendant having proficience in maintaining a botanical garden :-

Decided that an amount of Rs.100/- be paid in advance, and on adjustment of the amount further advance of the same amount may be made.

ADDITIONAL AGENDA

30. Non-adjustment of money taken as advance for publication of College Magazine for session 1979-80 -- Case of Sardar Zahe-rul Hoque, Student-Editor :-

Deferred.

31. Application of Shri Amitava Ghosh,Day-Wage Sub-Assistant Engineer,Raiganj College(University College),praying for regu-larisation of his service or for sanction of day-wage rate of Rs.18.85 instead of his present day-wage rate(Rs.13.24) as per Govt.Circulars and Govt.rate :-

Decision : Case for the creation of the post of a Work-Assis-tant by the N.B.U.Council be followed up.

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32. Letter of Shri B.Choudhury,Head of the Deptt. of Commerce,re: introduction of Economic Geography in Plus 2 Course Commerce from 1982-83 session, and appointment of one more part-time teacher for the subject :-

The Principal explained that the 4th subject in Commerce is necessary as the marks obtained in the subject help the students in securing higher division.

Decided that an additional part-time teacher for Plus 2 Course purely on a temporary basis be appointed for the introduction of the subject, Economic Geography, at the Plus 2 Course stage.

33. Settlement of Pension and Gratuity of Prof.J.N.Majumder Copy of a letter of Mrs.Sachi Majumder addressed to the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Govt. of West Bengal.

The letter was placed before the meeting.

Decision : The Council appeals to the Vice-Chancellor to take up the matter with the Govt. for early settlement.

34. Application of Shri S.Deb Mallick, Head of the Deptt. of Zoology, requesting T.A./D.A. for his participation and reading papers in the 70th Session of the Indian Science Congress to be held in Tirupati from Jany.3 to 8, 1983 :-

The application of Shri S.Deb Mallick was placed before the meeting.

Decision : It was decided that the matter would be considered as and when his papers were accepted.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- S.N.Roy,
Secretary,
College Council
Raiganj College
(University College)
&
Principal,
Raiganj College
(University College).

Sd/- S.N.Sen
PRESIDENT,
College Council,
Raiganj College
(University College)
&
Vice-Chancellor,
University of North Bengal.

Annexure - IV

XXXIV MEETING OF
N.B.U. LAW COLLEGE COUNCIL
RAJA RAMMOHUNPUR, DARJEELING

Date : 11. 5.1982.

Proceedings of the Meeting of the North Bengal University Law College Council held at the office of the Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University.

Members Present :

1) Dr. S.N. Sen, Acting Vice-Chancellor (in the Chair)
2) Sri N.K. Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri.
3) Sri S.R. Sarkar, Advocate, Siliguri.
4) Sri S.N. Bhattacharyya, Advocate, Siliguri,
5) Sri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer, North Bengal University.
6) T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College.

Sri B.K. Bajpai, Registrar, North Bengal University, Dr. A.B. Majumder, Inspector of Colleges, North Bengal University. and Sri R.K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar, North Bengal University, attended the meeting as special invitees.

Minutes of the meeting

Item No. 1. To consider the Report of Inspection of the College by the Bar Council of India.

Decision - The council took note of the inspection report of the Bar Council of India concerning its inspection of N.B.U. Law College on 26. 9. 81 and expressed its satisfaction and overall appreciation and following decisions were taken, inter alia :

i) As to Law journals

Decided that the undermentioned Law Journals be subscribed with immediate effect :

(a) Bar Council of India Journal
(b) Journal of Indian Law Institute
(c) Indian Journal of International Law
(d) Supreme Court cases.

ii) As to Library grant

Decided that a yearly library grant of Rs. 25000/- be given to the Law College by the University.

iii) As to Class Rooms

Decided that the University should provide at least 3 more Class rooms in view of the present strength of the students.

iv) As to honorarium to Part-time teachers

Decided that the existing practice be followed. This report be sent to the University Council alongwith a copy of the inspection report.

Item No. 2. To consider matters relating to admission of students into Preliminary Law Class during the session 1982-83. (a) Draft advertisement (b) Admission Form (c) Constitution of adcission Committee (d) Guide lines for admission and its procedure.

Decision - The council decided that the draft advertisement and admission form be prepared in consultation with the Registrar. As regards the Admission Committee, it is constituted with the following persons :

1) Sri N.K. Moitra (Chairman)
2) Sri S.R. Sarkar
3) Sri S.N. Bhattacharyya
4) Sri G.C. Roy
5) Sri R.K. Ghosh
6) Sri Imtiaj Ahmed
7) Sri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge.

Regarding the guidelines for admission into LL.B (Prel. Yr.), preference should be given to the graduats of this University with 40% of Marks at the minimum, relaxable by 5% in case of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes

candidates. 20% seats will be reserved for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes candidates.
Confirmed for immediate action.

Item No. 3. To consider representation from students Association regarding amendament of rules relating to University Examinations in Law.

Decision - Decided that the matter concerning the number of questions of Law Examinations be referred to the Board of Studies in Law for consideration.

Item No. 4. To approve the appointment on regular basis of Shri Bachchu Chandra Dey with effect from 1.4.'82 and also revision of scale of pay on the basis of DPI's letter No. 280-C/NGC, dated, 4-3-1982.

Decision - The council noted and approved the appointment of Shri Bachchu De as a peon on regular basis with effect from 1. 4. '82 and implementation of revised pay scale in his case on the basis of DPI's letter No. 280-C/NGC, dated, 4-3-1982.

Item No. 5. To consider the question of revision of scales of pay of advertised posts and of advertising the post of Clerk-cum-Typist.

Decision - The matter was deferred.

Item No. 6. To consider the question of increase of pay of part-time staff.

Decision - The Council considered the matter but regretted its inability to increase the pay.

Item No. 7 To consider the question of creation of following posts :-

(a) One full-time Coupon seller
(b) One full-time Library attendant
(c) Two full-time peons

Decision - The Council considered the question of a full-time post of Coupon seller and decided that full-time post is not desirable. As regards other full-time posts of Library attendant and peons, the matter was deferred.

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Item No. 8. To consider the matter relating to opening of C.P.F. a/c in the SBI, N.B.U. Campus Branch in the name of Shri T.P. Mishra.

Decision - The Council considered the matter and decided that the Finance Officer be consulted for the necessary arrangement.

Item No. 9. To approve the expenditure made for :

(a)	Purchase of books	Rs. 9,911=12 dt. 25. 3.'82
(b)	" " one bicycle	Rs. 675=95 dt. 2. 2. '82
(c)	" " 50 desks	Rs. 2,900=00 dt. 6. 3. '82
(d)	" " 50 armless chairs	Rs. 2150=00 Paid on 20.4.'82.

Decision - The Council noted and approved the expenditure for the above mentioned items.

Item No.10. To compose selection committee in respect of the following posts :

(1) Librarian
(2) Head Clerk-cum-Cashier
(3) Clerk-cum-Accountant
(4) Peon

Decision - The Council considered the matter and selection committies were formed.

Confirmed for immediate action.

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Item No. 11. To approve the students' Cheap Canteen accounts for 1980-81 and 1981-82.

Decision - Deferred.

Item No. 12. To consider leave applications of the office Staff.

Decision - The Council decided that leave applications be considered asper leave rules.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair and all others.

Sd/-
(T.P. Mishra)
Secretary,
N.B.U. Law College Council.

Sd/-
(Dr. S.N. Sen)
Chairman & Acting
Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University.

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE
P.O. NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY
RAJA RAMMOHUNPUR, DIST. DARJEELING.

Ref. No. LC/B-2/ 632 /82 Dated 25. 8. 1982

To
The Registrar,
North Bengal University.

Sir,

I am appending below some extracts from the minutes of the College Council Meeting held on 10.8. '82 for favour of placing them before the University Council for kind approval :

" Agenda Item No. 2 : To approve the proceedings of the meeting of the Purchase Committee, N.B.U. Law College held on 10. 5. '82. Annexure II

Decision : The Council approved the proceedings of the Purchase Committee and confirmed for immediate action.

Item No. 4. : To consider the application of Sri H.P. Sarkar, Office Superintendent for extension of his tenure and also to approve the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in the matter.

Decision : The Council approved the extension of appointment of Sri H.P. Sarkar as made by the Vice - Chancellor and further extended his services upto 30. 11. '82 at the existing terms and condition. Confirmed for immediate action.

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Item No. 8. To consider the resignation tendered by Sri Sudhir Ranjan Das, Part-time Library Attendant and to Suggest measure for early filling up of this vacancy.

Decision : Resignation of Sri Sudhir Ranjan Das, Part-time Library attendent is accepted with immediate effect and on the suggestion of the Lecturer-in-Charge it was decided that Sri Himansu, the next person in the panel of selected Part-time peons, be appointed against the vacancy on temporary basis till 15. 10. 1982. Confirmed for immediate action.

Item No. 10. (iii): The case of regularising the services of some Part-time teachers in Law working for above six years.

Decision : The Council noted that some Part-time teachers have completed 6 years as Part-time teacher at N.B.U. Law College. As a Part-time teachem in Law may not be allowed to continue for a period of more than six years as per U.G.C. Memo No. F. 5-8/77(HR) N.B.U./Law/4707.R/78, dated 3.10. '78, the matter of regularising the services of the following 6 teachers be referred to the N.B.U. Council :

1) Sri G.C. Roy
2) Sri N.K. Moitra
3) Sri S.N. Bhattacharyya
4) Sri S.R. Sarkar
5) Sri B.K. Saha
6) Sri D.C. Roy

Confirmed for immediate action

Item No. 10. (IV) : As to the representation of the students Union.

Decision : Council noted the representation and resolved that the matter be referred to the N.B.U. Council. Confirmed. "

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Five copies of proceedings of the Purchase Committee Meeting as mentioned above under agenda item No. 2 and the representation of the students' Association (in original) as mentioned above under agenda item No. 10 (IV) are enclosed for the needful.

Again, I would like to pointout to your good self that immediate decision on some of the items such as item Nos. , 10. (iii) and 10. (iv) of the agenda is vital and desirable in the interest of the College.

Hence a request for immediate action.

Sd/- T.P. Mishra

Lecturer-in-Charge
N.B.U. Law College.

Annexure II

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE
RAJA RAMMOHUNPUR
P.O. NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY
DIST. DARJEELING

Law college

Proceedings of the meeting of North Bengal University Law College Purchase Committee held on 10. 5. 1982 at 6 P.M. at the office of the Lecturer-in-Charge.

Members present :-

1. Shri N.K. Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri, in the Chair.
2. Shri R.K. Ghosh
3. Shri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer, North Bengal University.
4. Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College.

Minutes of the meeting

Item No. 1. To consider the proposal of purchase of Steel Almirahs for offices at price quoted by dealers.

Decision - It was decided that 4 Steel almirahs 2 with 4 shelves and Two almirahs with 4 shelfs & one locker each be purchased from Steel Craft or any other reputed firm of Siliguri within Rs. 1250/- in case of locker and Rs. 1200/- without locker on negotiation to be made by the Lecturer-in-Charge.

Item No. 2. To consider the purchase of Iron Safe for the office at a price quoted by the dealers.

Decision - Decided that an Iron Safe be purchased on negotiation from Steel Craft or any reputed firm of Siliguri within Rs. 2400/-

Item No. 3. To consider the proposal of purchase of a Secretary table for the use of the Lecturer-in-Charge at a price quoted by the dealers.

Decision - Decided that a Secretariat table be purchased within Rs. 800/- on negotiation from Steel Craft or any other firm.

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Item No. 4. To consider the question of purchase of a Type-writer on the basis of the quotations received.

Decision - Decided that a Remington Type-writer be purchased as per the quotation of Basanti Stores, Siliguri for Rs. 6000=60.

Item No. 5. To consider the purchase 50 set of chairs and tables for students.

Decision - Decided that 50 sets of chairs (armless) and desks be purchased at University approved rates.

Item No. 6. To consider the purchase of a Cash Counter.

Decision - Decided that one Cash Counter with two windows (per specification - Annex - 1) be purchased on negotiation basis from a Carpenter within Rs. 3000/- approximately.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Lecturer-in-Charge
N.B.U. Law College

Chairman

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION

Dated. 6.5.'82

RAJA RAMMOHUNPUR, P.O. NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY, DIST. DARJEELING. (W/B)

To
The hon'ble Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University,
Darjeeling.

Through the Lecturer-in-Charge
N.B.U. Law College

Respected Sir,

I, on behalf of the N.B.U. Law College Students' Union, beg to draw your kind attention about the following long problems of our College. Sir, formally we have made deputation to you, but still now it is as before Sir, the following are our urgent demands :-

1) 5 Posts of teaching staffs have been sanctioned. One Prinoipal, one reader, three lecturers. Two leeturers have been appointed. The rest vaeant posts should be fulfilled before the 1982-83 session starts.

2) One post of professor is very much needed to bring our College at per with University College of Law at Calcutta and Burdwan University.

3) Faculty in Law should be created like Calcutta and Bardwan Universities hawing LL.B. Course only

4) All the adminfstrative posts should be filled up and one full time post of hostel clerk and one full time post of Coupon-sellor should be sanctioned immediately;

5) Mess staff should be expanded in view of the boarders of the Law College hostel.

6) All the rooms of the hostel building should be provided for accomadation be provided for accomedation before the thc new session starts.

7) More fund should be sanctioned for purchasing utensils and furnitures forthe boarders of the hostel.

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8) Three more Class-rooms should be provided as because there are more than one hundred students in each Class. All the P.G. Departments are closed at the time when Law Classes start. So, this arrangement can easily be made. Seperate Ladies hostel must be provided.

9) Law College should be recognised as a post graduate department, as hon'ble Calcutta High Court has held that LL.B. is a post graduate course and a P.G. degree as well (Ram Varose Khasnabis Vs. State of West Bengal, A.I.R. 1981, Calcutta, October issue).

Having submitted as above, I request and hope that, all the demands must be fulfilled immediately before the next session starts in July '82. I believe that all the demands of the Students Association are reasonable and practicable. Non-fulfilment of which will force us to go for movement.

Thanking you, in anticipation.

Your's faithfully
Sd/ Tapan Kr. Das
President
N.B.U.L.C. Student's Association.

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1.Copy to V.C.
2.Copy to Lecturer-in-Charge

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF COLLEGES
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Annexure-VII

Ref.No. /1/Insp-82 Dt.17 Aug'82

To
The Vice-Chancellor.
North Bengal University.

Sub: Darjeeling Govt. College: Inspection Report on Geography Department.

Sir,

On representation from the two existing teachers of Darjeeling Govt. College about the poor conditions of the Department under which they are obliged to teach, the Vice-Chancellor requested the Inspector of Colleges to make an inspection of the college at the earliest. On 6 August, 1982 the Inspector of Colleges accompanied by the Head of the Department of Geography visited the Geography Department of Darjeeling Govt. College. The Inspector of Colleges also took Sri J.N. Chakraborty, Head of the Department of Commerce to check up Commerce teaching of the College in apprehension of like difficulties in teaching of that subject. It may be noted that the University had granted the college affiliation at the Honours level in both Geography and Commerce from session 1979-80.

With regard to the conditions of affiliation granted in commerce the college was found to be still deficient in the number of teachers recommended. Out of four teaching posts only two were sanctioned by the Government; Of these two, again, one has not been filled up so far. It was learnt from the Principal that it was due to these circumstances that the college had not ventured to introduce Honours teaching inspite of affiliation having been granted by the University. Teaching is being done at the degree pass level with the help of one full-time and ten part-time teachers; nor was the Library able to get an adequate stock of books on Commerce subjects. Again, a substantial position of this stock were useful more for the students of the Higher Secondary stream than for the degree students. Under the circumstances, it is to be reconsidered if the affiliation granted in Commerce at the Honours level should be treated as valid.

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As regards teaching in Geography, both Pass & Honours, the inspecting team at the time of recommending for grant of affiliation in the subject also laid down certain conditions keeping in view proper teaching of the subject. But during present inspection it was found that the college could not fulfil most of those conditions of affiliatons.

The College has to provide accommodation for class-rooms for the degree pass and Honours students besides those of the plus Two. As such only two available for class and laboratories are absolutely inadequate for proper teaching in the subject. Further, in place of 6 teachers required and recommended upto 1981-82 the College could arrange for only 2 teachers uptil now. Moreover, it was surprising to note that no post of Laboratory Attendant has been sanctioned by the Government so far. The inspecting team wondered how did the college did justice to the students at all. The Departmental teachers informed that due to shortage of space and staff they, much against their conscience, were obliged to take combined pass and honours classes and combined theoretical and practical classes.

On scrutiny of the time-table for classes it was found that the departmental teachers were constrained to take classes from 9-45 A.M. to 5-00 P.M. every day; and even upto 6-30 P.M. on some days. Keeping in view the requirement of students of the various courses, 190 classes were alloted in the routine. But these were being taken by the two teachers in the department by combining as many classes as possible and at the same time leaving out quite a large number of them. Nothing could be more unsatisfactory than this method of teaching. On the contrary, the two teachers in the department could not evolve any other better method. Thus the prevailing condition in the department has made the teachers frustrated and unhappy, and also given scope to the students to misunderstand their teachers who - for no fault of theirs, are obliged to drop classes already shown in the class-routine. Inspite of everything the teachers are each taking 29 classes per week, but that is too much.

As a way out of this anomalous position, certain measures were suggested to the Principal of the College by the inspecting team, which he agreed to accept. The new building that is nearing completion might be given to the Geography Department for suitably accommodating all theoretical and practical classes. To add to the teachers' strength and to avoid combined classes or dropping of classes, the total teaching-load as per requirements should be impressed upon the Government and the additional number of teaching posts, atleast six should be sought for. The Principal informing that the Government was already apprised of it, the inspecting team felt that if the affiliating university moved the Government in this matter, the Government sanction might be expedited. Similarly, for the equipments of the laboratories, and creation of required non-teaching posts for the Geography Department the Government might be requested to re-arrange and equip this department as per standard of the same departments in other Government Colleges.

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It was understood that the college had already submitted its plan and estimate for the departmental laboratories and library to the Government. The North Bengal University might kindly consider to request the Government for expediting its sanction for the needs of the department of Geography in Darjeeling Govt. College; Otherwise, the manner in which the subject is being taught at the Honours level in that college can hardly be justified. It was at the request of the Government that the University granted affiliation in Commerce and Geography to that College, and so it is the duty of the Government to see that satisfactory conditions of teaching the subjects are ensured.

(Report of Dr. S.R. Bose Head of the Geography Deptt. is enclosed herewith)

Sd/-
(Sri J.N. Chakraborty)
Reader, Head of the
Commerce Deptt. N.B.U.

Sd/-
(Dr. S. Basu)
Reader, Head of the
Geography Deptt.
N.B.U.

Sd/-
(Dr. A.B. Majumder)
Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U.

Memo. No. 160/1/Insp-82 Dt. 24.8.82

Copy forwarded to the Registrar for his kind information and necessary action.

Sd/-
A.B. Majumder
Inspector of Colleges
N. B. U.

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HEAD OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY AND APPLIED GEOGRAPHY
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Geo-77/82 Dt. 16.8.1982

To
Professor A.B. Majumder.
Inspector of Colleges,
University of North Bengal.

Sub: Affiliation of Darjeeling Govt. College in Geography Pass & Honours.

Dear Professor Majumder,

Thank you for afranging an inspection to the Geography Department , Darjeeling Govt. College, Darjeeling 6.8.1982.

With reference to Registrar, NBU's letter No.201/1-61/2285/R-79, dated 7.6.1979, I think, you will remember that a minimum of six teachers and six laboratory attendants (two each for 1979-80, 80-81 and 81-82) together with 4 rooms for 4 batches(for First year Pass & Hons., and second year pass & Honours) and suitable grants for books, maps, instruments etc. were recommended by our University Council to open up pass & Hons. courses in geography at Darjeeling Govt. College, Darjeeling in 1979. But unfortunately, since then nothing but two posts of teachers have only been sanctioned by the Govt. of West Bengal and these two teachers of the department of geography at Darjeeling Govt. College have been toiling from dawn to dusk, taking more then 60 classes each, to run the department. As the Govt. has not yet sanctioned grants for purchasing books, instruments, furniture etc., the department is at the mercy of the Principal, who is very kind enough to arrange somehow a meagre fund for the day to day running of the department. As for space, the four classes have been sandwitched in two very small rooms in which cautious movement is needed to save oneself from being hurt.

Under such circumstances, I recommended the following steps to be taken immediately to save the entity of the Geography Department, Darjeeling Govt. College, Darjeeling:

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1) Considering the teaching load of a minimum of 190 periods(details enclosed) for 8 batch of students (H.S.-2, Pass-2, Hons.-3, Commerce-1=8) 6 more full-time teaching posts are recommended. The Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal be requested to take immediate step to sanction such posts.

2) For maintaining the maps, charts, instruments, etc. and assisting the students in the laboratories and also in the field 3 laboratory assistants; 1 Photographer and 1 Photographic assistant and for drawing maps, figures etc., 1 Draftsman -cum-Artist are recommended. The Education Deptt. Govt. of West Bengal should be requested to take immediate step to sanction the above 6 posts of Laboratory assistants.

3) Considering the acute shortage of space the entire newly constructed library building having a space of 3260 sq.ft. be alloted to the Department of Geography (plan enclosed) in liew of its existing space.

4) The following developmental grants may be sanctioned annually for the smooth running of the department.

a) Book-grant	Rs.20,000=00
b) Instruments, maps, etc.	Rs.20,000=00
c) Field work	Rs. 5,000=00
d) Contingency	Rs. 5,000=00
Total	Rs.50,000=00

In fine, considering the seriousness of the problem, I do hereby, request you to move the appropriate body, without further delay, to sanction the above requirements, failing which we should reconsider the case of affiliation to the Department of Geography, Darjeeling Govt. College, Where day to day Geography teaching has been somehow pursued without having a proper academic atmosphere.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-
Subhas Ranjan Basu
(S.R. Basu)16.8.1982
Head of the Department of
Geography & Applied
Geography, N.B.U.

asok:

Inspector of Colleges
University of North Bengal

Annexure-VIII

To
The Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University.

Sub: UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE (EVENING SECTION): HONOURS AFFILIATION.

Sir,

In terms of a decision of the college Council, University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar to examine the opening of Honours teaching in various subject in the Evening Section of the College an inspection team visited the College on 10 August, 1982 under your instructions. This team consisted of besides Inspector of Colleges Dr. A.Banerjee, Reader-Head of the Department of English, N.B.U., Dr. S.C.Lahiri, Reader-Head of the Department of Bengali, N.B.U., Sri K.S. Bhattacharyya, Reader in Political Science, N.B.U., Dr. P.Bhattacharyya, Prof. & Head of the Deptt. of History, N.B.U. and Sri D.P.Pandey, Reader in Commerce, N.B.U.

Although this was a University College, still no attempts have been made so far to introduce Honours teaching in any subject at the degree level. The reasons were that the college did not possess its own building, it possessed a suitable plot of land in the heart of the town through. Classes are held in a hired building belonging to the Government. Moreover, two different courses, the B.Ed. and the under-graduate, are run in the same building; the former during day, the latter in the evening. Naturally, full justice to the pupils of the Honours courses would not have been possible within those few hours in the evening. However, the college building has eight class-rooms adequately large, that, in case of necessity, may be partitioned so as to give additional two/three rooms. Should the authorities seriously think of granting Honours affiliation in some subjects, there is scope for erecting some cubicles on open terrace on the first floor now lying unused. Even some un-utilised rooms of the adjacent polytechnic buildings can be used for the purpose of additional classes. The Officer-in-Charge of University B.T. & Evening College pointed out that such facilities were extended by the polytechnic in the past and that the college could count on the same in future also. So, dearth of class-rooms did not pose any serious problem at the moment; the College, however, from the next year should make suitable extension of rooms for holding additional classes, for Honours subjects.

Regarding the teachers' strength in the subjects in which college sought Honours the inspecting team got the following information:

English	: 3	Full-timer teachers	
Bengali	: 2	"	+ 1 part-timer
Pol.Science	: 2	"	
Commerce	: 2	"	+ 4 part-timers
History	: 1	"	+ 2 "
		(Two sanctioned posts lying vacant)	

While considering the question of Honours teaching in English in the college from session 1982-83 the expart in the team elaborately discussed with the teachers in the subject, checked up the books in the library and expressed the hope that the English department of the College would be able to do justice to the students enrolled for Honours. Three hundred titles in the subject at present were found to be very selective and useful for the Honours course. It was also expected that after affiliation was granted, the college authorities would further enrich the

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present stock of books and journals necessary for the course of study. At the end of three years' Honours teaching in the college, the whole matter might be reviewed for further suggestions.

With regard to granting of Honours affiliation in Bengali the team was of opinion that Honours teaching might be started from the current session itself. There was no need for immediate appointment of teachers, nor for purchasing of books and journals. Rather the College, from the next session, think of appointing additional teachers in the subject, one in 1983-84, and another in 1984-85 and at the same time allocate funds for additional titles specially for the Honours students.

Also, the inspection team considered the matter of granting Honours affiliation in Pol.Science from the current session. The two teachers of this department can take care of the Honours classes in the first year; but it is essential that two additional teachers are appointed, one in 1983-84 session, and the other, in 1984-85 having specialisation in Sociology. The number of books in this subject being very inadequate, it is proposed to sanction ten thousand rupees staggered over five years from the current session. Regarding accommodation for class rooms the Teachers' Council took decision for starting classes from 3-15 p.m. and continue upto 9-30 p.m. The decision is appreciated by the inspecting team. However, since the college prayed for Honours affiliation in a few other subjects also the question of class-rooms should be given utmost consideration atleast from the next year. The team was convinced that the college authorities would be able to find additional accommodation by improvising spare rooms on the first floor of the College building. Subject to the fulfilment of these conditions the team proposed for the grant of Honours affiliation in Political Science.

With regard to granting of Honours affiliation in Commerce the inspecting team, took note of the interest of the students in the subject. From the students' side this new course is a necessity in the College. However, the question of accommodation is also involved in it. Should the college provide a class-room during day for the first year, and two additional rooms in the next two years, the accommodation problem would be solved. But the college must adds to the existing stock of books and journals in Commerce, and sanction Rs. 3,500/- in the first year, Rs. 500/- in the second year and again Rs. 3,500/- in the third year. Similarly, two more teaching posts should be created and filled up one at the end of the first year, and the other, in the second year. Their qualifications should conform with the subject in which Honours would be granted. Subject to these conditions the team recommended for granting Honours affiliation in Banking.

Coming to consider the question of recommending Honours affiliation in History, the team felt that initially there would be no dearth of accommodation but that in college would have to provide for it in the next two sessions. The team particularly notice that two sanctioned posts of teachers were yet lying vacant; but to introduce Honours affiliation these posts should be immediately filled up; So that the existing part-timers along with those two full-time teachers would be able to do justice to the Honours students. Hitherto, the College has failed to improve the quality and number of books on History in the Library. To introduce Honours teaching the college will have to spend an amount of Rs. 3,000/- to Rs. 4,000/- for books and journals considered essential for both the teachers and the students. Subject to the fulfilment of the above affiliation in History Honours is recommended.

Opinions of the Experts are enclosed here.

Encl: Copy of the report
of the Experts.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- A.B.Majumdar
Inspector of Colleges, NBU

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A REPORT ON THE FEASIBILITY OF OPENING THE ENGLISH HONOURS COURSE AT UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE (EVENING SECTION) COOCH BEHAR.

The undersigned as a member of the University Inspection Team inspected the above college on 10 August, 1982 and reports as follows:-

The English Department at the University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) consists of three full-time teachers, all young and enthusiastic. The English Department thus has a distinct advantage over some of the other Departments that have been asking for Honours affiliation, in that the former will require no additional teachers for the purpose, while most of the other Department will. The library facilities cannot be described as adequate but an honest effort is being made in that direction. The English Section of the College Library contains some three hundred volumes. Some of them of an advanced critical nature. Some essential dictionaries and referene books like the Shorter Oxford dictionary (2 vols.) and the Oxford Companion to English Literature have been acquired.

The Inspection Team felt that although the number of class-rooms may be adequate at this moment, in the second and third year of Honours affiliation, there may be a dearth of Class-rooms. But the Principal, Sri Satin Ganguly, and some members of his staff pointed out that this could be obviated by a loan of some class rooms on the ground floor of the adjoining Polytechnic - a facility that the Evening College has enjoyed in the past and may count on in future. The College also intends to erect some cubicles on the open terrace (on the first floor) now lying unused. The class room problem thus does not seem impossible to solve. Since the English Honours Course has the first three papers in common with Elective English at a pinch, the two classes could be combined for those papers if there were a dearth of class rooms.

It seems, therefore, that Honours affiliation in English may be granted to the University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) on an experimental basis for three years at the end of which the situation may be reviewed.

Sd/- A.Banerjee
Reader & Head of the Deptt. of English
North Bengal University

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INSPECTION REPORT ON THE FEASIBILITY OF OPENING THE BENGALI HONOURS AT UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE, COOCH BEHAR.

REPORT SUBMITTED by Dr. S.C.Lahiri,
Head of the Department of Bengali, N.B.U.

I had the opportunity to accompany as a member of the N.B.U. Inspection Team proceeded to the University B.T. & Evening College at Cooch Behar on 10.8.1982, to consider about sanctioning affiliation of Honours in Bengali.

The college library, as I found, is having a good number of Bengali text and reference books to start Ist Year Honours in the subject at present. There are two full-time lecturers and one part-time lecturer in the college which I think, may fulfil the preliminary need for the purpose. The teachers are sufficiently qualified in this respect. The college assures necessary space (class room etc.,) for the same.

Considering all these I am of opinion that the college may be granted affiliation of honours in Bengali from this session.

Sd/- S.C.Lahiri
Head of the Department of Bengali
North Bengal University.

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Report of Shri D.P.Pandey, Reader, Commerce Deptt. N.B.U.

REPORT ON INSPECTION COOCH BEHAR B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE.

Date of Inspection - 10th August, 1982

1. ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE:

		1979-80	1980-81	1981-82
B.Com. (Pass)	Appeared	64	24	33
	Succeed	61(95.5%)	22(91.6%)	23(69.7%)
H.S.	Appeared			135
	Succeed			16(11.8%)
				II Div. - 5
				P Div. - 11

2. LECTURES DELIVERED: B.Com. 1st Year 1981-82
(From 18.9.1981 to 14.5.1982)

Commercial Math.	25	(9.6%)
Accountancy	52	(20.1%)
Commercial Law	30	(11.6%)
Econ. Geography	17	(6.5%)
Adv. Accountancy	54	(20.8%)
Business Org.	19	(7.3%)
B.Econ.	24	(9.4%)
Economic Problem	16	(6.2%)
Auditing	22	(8.5%)

3. Students' strength B.Com. (II Year) 1982-83 : 78

4. Existing teaching strength: Two full timer and four part-timer.

5. Accommodation:

8 (Eight) rooms are available in the building for class purposes. In the evening shift not a single-room is available for proposed Honours class. However, 5 (five) rooms may be available in the day time, where only 3 (three) rooms are used for B.T. classes.

6. Books & Periodicals:

Moderate stock of books in the library for commerce (Pass) classes. Not a single periodical is ~~in the~~ Library.

OBSERVATIONS:

A. Academic performance for the last three years is more or less satisfactory but that shows a declining trend from 95.3% in 1979-80 to 69.7% in 1981-82, which should be checked before further deterioration.

B. H.S. performance in 1981-82, 11.8% is really alarming and should be thought of seriously.

C. Total lectures delivered should be atleast 300 during the year. Even in the existing schedule, undue weightage has been given to accounting papers (40.9%) at the cost of other 7 papers, which are not of lesser importance. The class routines should be reframed.

D. Accommodation will not be a serious problem for the time being, if one room is allowed to be used for the proposed B.Com. (Honours) class and routine is framed accordingly in day-time and the existing teachers are agreeable to take classes in that shift.

E. A number of journals akin to B.Com. (Hons.) syllabi must be subscribed for the Library to start with Hons. Course, which may incur an additional cost of Rs. 500/- p.a. More number of copies of the existing titles should be purchased with, say Rs. 3,000/-.

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RECOMMENDATION:

As there is no college in Cooch Behar where B.Com. Honours teaching is going on, Dinhata College (with B.Com. Honours) is the nearest college, about 24 k.m. afar, for the interest of the students, desirous of having Hons. Course, it may be recommended to open B.Com. (Hons.) preferably in Banking, Provided (i) Rs. 3,500/- is available for the Library in the first year, Rs. 500/- in the second year and Rs. 3,500/- (including additional titles for the new subjects introduced in the 3rd year Hons. Course); (ii) One room is effectively utilised in day time; subsequently further two rooms are arranged for the 2nd year and 3rd year classes; (iii) At the end of first year, one additional teacher and at the end of second year another additional teacher is available, the qualifications being in conformity with the subjects on which Hons. is granted.

Sd/- D.P.Pande
Reader in Commerce
North Bengal University

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Report on inspection of University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) Cooch Behar submitted by Sri K.S.Bhattacharyya, Reader, Deptt. of Pol. Science.

In company with the Inspector of College and teachers of other departments of the University, I visited University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section), Cooch Behar on the noon of 10 August, 1982. In course of our enquiries it was found that the Department of Political Science had been in existence in the in the college since its inception. There have been two teachers in the Department from that time. One of the two teachers is a Ph.D. though he has not Honours degree to his credit. The other teacher has Honours and Master's Degrees. Hence, their competence to deal with Honours course, it allowed, is beyond question.

As regards students, among the students admitted to the degree course, a very large proportion takes political Science as a combination subject. The percentage of pass is also quite high, as the following figures supplied by the College will show:

RESULT IS POLITICAL SCIENCE

		1979-80	1980-81	1981-82
B.A. Part I	Appeared	146	x	x
	Passed	135		
B.A. Part II	Appeared	94		
	Passed	83		
B.A. Final	Appeared		5	15
	Passed		4	10

TEACHERS

If Honours affiliation is accorded, the Department will need two more teachers, one of them with specialisation in Sociology. Among the existing teachers, none had sociology as a special or compulsory subject at their Master's Degree level. But the number of classes and the subjects of the Part I Honours Course are such that the two existing teachers should be able to cope with them in the first year. One additional teacher should be required in the second year, one more in the third year. The teacher with specialisation in Sociology may be appointed in the second year or atleast before the third year classes begin.

BOOKS

Though the total number of books is quite inadequate, the list of titles on Political Sciences contains a mixture of Pass Course books for students and those for teachers' use only. If Honours is introduced, the latter category may be used by students with Honours. To cater fully to the needs of teachers and students with Honours. To cater fully to the needs of teachers and students the library has to acquire many more books in the subject. A tentative estimate shows that atleast ten thousand rupees should be made available for this purpose. The grant may, however, be staggered over three years in the following manners.

1st year ..... Rs. 2,000=00
2nd year ..... Rs. 4,000=00
3rd year ..... Rs. 4,000=00

In case, there is financial stringency, Rs. 8,000/- for the second and third years may further be staggered over two more years, each year's grant being Rs. 2,000/- as in the first year.

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CLASS ROOMS AND TIME-TABLE

The College is an evening one. The existing time-table is from 4 p.m. to 9-30 p.m. during which time seven periods of 45 minutes each are held. This time-table should allow the college normally to cater both to Honours and Pass Course students, but for the lack of accommodation; the college has only eight class rooms. If Honours is introduced, the dearth of class rooms will be keenly felt. The teachers are, however, very eager to have Honours affiliation. They are reported to have volunteered to start their college work from 3-15 p.m. on each working day. They are expected to send a resolution of their teachers' Council to the Inspector of Colleges indicating their readiness to accept this change in the college time-table. Provided this change is made, in the first year there should not be any difficulty of accommodation. This is not, however, true of succeeding years. The problem is likely to be very acute because the college has applied for Honours affiliation for four other streams, English, Bengali, History & Commerce along with Political Science. If Honours affiliation is accorded to all these subjects simultaneously, there should be the readiness on the part of the college authorities to ensure the availability of atleast five more rooms for class work, which may again be staggered over the second and third years. If this provision is not made, the situation is sure to land the college in serious troubles.

Principal J.Ganguly has shown the empty roof spaces on the first story where improvised arrangement could be made. The feasibility of this and other suggestions for finding more accommodation should be immediately examined.

RECOMMENDATION

Subject to the conditions specified above in regard to teachers, books, accommodation and time-table, I recommended the extension of affiliation in Political Science (Honours) to the College.

Sd/- K.S.Bhattacharyya
Reader in Political Science,N.B.U.

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INSPECTION REPORT OF UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE (EVENING SECTION) FOR INTRODUCTION OF HONOURS COURSE IN HISTORY.

Report submitted by Dr. P.K.Bhattacharyya.

To
The Vice-Chancellor,
University of North Bengal.

Sir,

I am to inform you that I visited the Cooch Behar B.T. & Evening College on the 10th August, 1982 alongwith the other members of the Inspection team for the purpose of examining the proposal for instroduction of Honours Course in History.

In course of our investigation, I collected the following materials from the college authority.

1. No. of students with History as one subjects:

(a)	B.A. 1st year (1981-82)	35
(b)	B.A. 2nd year (1982-83)	35
(c)	XI class (Arts) (1982-83)	50
(d)	XII class (Arts) (1982-83)	90

2. No. of students passed with History:

	Appeared	Passed	
(a) B.A.	18	13	(1980-81)
(b) B.A.	5	5	(1981-82)
(c) XII Arts	70	45	(1981-82)

3. Library

Total number of books in History - 125 (approx.)

4. No. of classes taken in a week at present:

24. If Honours is introduced the total number of classes will be 36 in the first year.

5. Three part-time lecturers. It appears that initially, there is hardly any dearth of accommodation but more accommodation will be required in future. There are two permanent posts in History, but unfortunately there is no permanent staff in the department. The classes are generally run by the part-time teachers, and the principal inspite of his busy schedules has to shoulder heavy responsibility to make up the deficit.

In these circumstances, I believe the appointment of atleast two permanent lecturers is indispensible in addition to the existing part-time teachers for the introduction of Honours course in History. Besides as we have been about there is much scope for improvement of the Library position with immediate effect. The library in fact is badly in need of elementary as well as specialised text books in each paper. This may entail an initial expenditure of atleast Rs. 3,000/- to 4,000/-. It may be mentioned that the books and journals are required not only for students but also for the teachers.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- P.K.Bhattacharyya
Professor & Head of the Deptt. of History
North Bengal University.

Annexure - IX

Extract from the

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

The minutes of 82nd adjourned meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 27th August, 82 at 11.30 A.M. in the Chamber of the Vice-Chancellor.

Present:-

(1) Dr. S. N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor... Chairman.
(2) Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj College, Tufanganj, Cooch-Behar.
(3) Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer... Secretary.

Sri R. K. Ghosh, Dy. Registrar, N.B.U. also attended the meeting as special invitation.

Item-1. To consider the fixation of pay of some Teacher/Staff of the University.

(a) Dr. T. K. Dasgupta, Reader in Chemistry. Last pay drawan as Lecturer Rs. 1250/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1600.

Joined as Reader in the Deptt. of Chemistry on 1.4.82 (F/N) under merit promotion scheme. Pay is to be fixed as per option after allowing one increment in the lower stage in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-50-1300-60-1900.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1300/- D. N.I. on 1.4.83.

(b) Dr. Suvash Ch. Roy, Prof. Deptt. of Chemistry. Last pay drawn as Reader Rs.1780/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900.

Joined as Prof. in the Deptt. of Chemistry on 17.4.82 under merit promotion scheme. Pay is to be fixed as per option after allowing one increment in the lower stage in the scale of pay of Rs. 1500-60-1800-100-2000-125/2-2500.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1900/-. D. N. I on 17.4.83.

(c) Sri Apurba Chatterjee, Asstt. Registrar. Last pay drawn as Secretary to the Vice-Chancellor Rs.1150/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 600-35-670-40-870-45-1050-50-1200.

Joined as Asstt. Registrar on 19.4.82(F/N) pay is to be fixed as per option after allowing one increment in the lower stage in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1200/- D.N.I. on 19.4.83.

(d) Dr. Bani Prasanna Mishra, Reader, Centre for Himalyan Studies. Last pay drawn as Principal at Sapartgram College(Assam).

Basic: Rs.1420.00
Other: Rs. 250.00 1670/-

Joined as Reader, Centre for Himalyan Studies on 30.4.82(F/N). Pay is to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-50-1300-60-1900.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1420/-. D.N.I. on anniversary date in College.

(e) Sri Jeta Sankrityan, Lecturer in Economics.

Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Economics on 2.11.79. Pay is to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D.N.I. on 2.11.80

(f) Dr. P. C. Sarkar, Prof. in Economics. Last pay drawn as Reader Rs. 1780/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900.

Joined as Prof. in the Deptt. of Economics on 16.7.82. Pay is to be fixed as per option after allowing one increment in the lower stage in the scale of pay of Rs. 1500-60-1800-100-2000-125/2-2500.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1900/- D.N.I. on 16.7.83.

(g) Dr. Usharanjan Chakraborty, Lecturer in the Deptt. of Philosophy. Last pay drawn at Maharaja Manindra Chandra College, Calcutta.

Basic.	Rs.	1020.00
D.A.	Rs.	607.00
M.A.	Rs.	16.70
H.R.A.	Rs.	148.00 (payable).

Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Philosophy on 16.8.82. Pay is to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1020/-. D.N.I. anniversary date in College.

(h) To consider the fixation of pay of Dr. P.K. Chowdhuri, Lecturer in Mathametics, N.B.U.

Dr. Chowdhuri's pay was fixed at Rs. 1150/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1600 with D.N.I. after one year from the date of joining the University as per L.P.C. by the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 30.3.82. The decision was communicated to Dr. Chowdhuri by the Dy. Registrar. In the L.P.C. submitted by Dr. Chowdhuri previously the D.N.I. was not mentioned.

Dr. Chowdhuri had requested in his application along with revised L.P.C. to the By. Registrar for re-fixation of his pay stating that his pay may be fixed at Rs. 1200/- from the date of joining the University otherwise he will lose one increment of Rs. 50/- as his date of next increment falls due on 1.1.83 on basic pay of Rs. 1150/- on 1.1.83.

After discussion, the Committee decided to re-fix his pay at Rs. 1150/- with D.N.I. anniversary date in Collge i.e. 1.1.83.

(i) Sri P. K. Paria, Microanalyst, Deptt. of Chemistry. Last pay drawn at Kishinchand College, Bombay.

Basic.	Rs.	700.00	
D.A.	Rs.	423.50	
C.L.A.	Rs.	42.00	
H.R.A.	Rs.	105.00	1270.50

Joined as Micro-analyst in the Deptt. of Chemistry on 19.4.81. Pay is to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-900-EB-40-1100-50-1300.

Pay fixed at Rs. 740/-. D.N.I. on 19.4.82.

(j) Sri Sabindra Nath Ghosh, Compositor, N.B.U. Press.

Joined as Compositor in the University Press on 13.4.82 (F/N). Pay is to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 400-900.

Pay fixed at Rs. 400/-. D.N.I. on 13.4.83.

Item-2. To consider a Note dated 1.7.82 from the Finance Officer regarding fixation of pay of Sri A.R. Lohar, Jr. Asstt. on his promotion to the post of Sr. Asstt.

While considering the note, the Committee decided that the matter may be placed before the N.B.U. Council for decision.

Item-3. To consider the re-fixation of pay of Sri Swapan Kr. Sengupta, Sr. Scientific Officer.

Sri Sengupta's pay was fixed at Rs. 1100/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 1100-50-1600 as per L.P.C. submitted by him from his previous employer by the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 13.1.82. Sri Sengupta joined the post on 16.7.82. He has stated in his application dated 5.8.82 that he is getting lesser pay than he drew from his previous employer. Previously his pay was protected but some discrepency arose due to resent announcement of D.A. for the Teaching staff. There are some difference in D.A. rates between Teachers & Officers.

Since Sr. Scientific Officer is declared as Officer, the Officers are getting lesser D.A. than Teachers.

Hence his pay may be re-fixed as per revised L.P.C. issued by the Principal, A.C. Collegd, Jalpaiguri as under:-

Pay.	1100.00	
D.A.	610.00	
M.A.	16.70	
Morning shift.	135.00	1851.70 D.N.I. on 1.1.83.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1150/- with admissible allowances provisionally subject to determination of his status. D.N.I. on 16.8.83.

Item-4. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri Pinaki Chakraborty, Lecturer in Economics.

Sri Chakraborty Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Economics on 13.5.82. The matter was placed before the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 1.6.82 vide Suppl. item No. 1(a). While considering his pay as L.P.C. submitted by him as under:-

Pay.	780.00	
Spl.Pay.	100.00	
D.A.	519.00	
H.R.A.	132.00	
M.A.	16.70	1547.70 it was deffered

stating that further action would be taken after obtaining a clarification from Sri Chakraborty

regarding the nature of Spl. pay shown in the L.P.C. Sri Chakrabarty has clarified that the Spl. pay of Rs. 100/- which he had drawn on a part time basis was in respect of working in morning section of Taki Govt. College.

After considering his application, the Committee fixed his pay at Rs. 780/- with D.N.I. on original date at College.

Item-5. To consider the fixation of pay of Sm Lakhi Devi Sundas, Lecturer in Nepali.

The case of Sm Sundas was placed before the Finance Sub-Committee on 1.6.82 for consideration and it was decided that the matter would be considered on receipt of clarification from Sm Sundas in respect of Spl. pay of Rs. 100/- shown in the L.P.C. Sm Sundas has stated that the Spl. pay of Rs. 100/- which She is enjoying at Darjeeling Govt. College as remuneration.

After consideration of her application, the Committee fixed her pay at Rs. 780/- as per L.P.C. in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1600 with D.N.I. on original date at College.

Item-6. To consider the letter No. 3045-R-83 dated 22.7.82 from the Dy. Registrar about the representation received from the Non-teaching employees:-

(a) Non-teaching other than Technical Asstts.
(b) Technical Asstts.

(a) Resolution of N.B.U. Council dated 12.7.82 vide item No. 9 in respect of representation received from the non-teaching employees was considered. The recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee dated 20.9.80 as referred in the resolution of the N.B.U. Council is not applicable to the instant cases. The Committee is, however, of opinion that the cases of the concerned employees whose junuor had been promoted on 1.4.68 may be resolved in the following manner:-

(i) Notional promotion with effect from 1.4.68 may be given to them.

(ii) Their pay may be fixed at par with the then Jr. most employee.

(iii) No arrear claim would be admissible.

(iv) The effect to these decisions may be given from 1.10.82.

(b) The cases of the Technical Asstts. were also considered. The Committee is of opinion that their cases may be resolved as under:-

(i) The Technical Asstts who were not given the benefit of up-gradation on 1.3.78 may be considered for incremental benefit of 2:1 as in the case of 19 Sr. Asstts. in the fixation of their pay in 1970.
No arrears, however, are to be paid.

(ii) The effect to these decision may be given from 1.10.82.

The financial implication in this regard will be approxmately Rs.90,000/- (both (a) & (b) inclusive).

The matter was confirmed for placing before the N.B.U. Council in its meeting of 28.8.82.

Item-7. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri Pradip Kr. Kundu, Field Asstt., Centre for Life Science.

Sri P. K. Kundu, Field Asstt. of Centre for Life Science Joined the post on 14.11.79(F/N) in the scale of pay of Rs. 165-10-365 (un-revised) and his pay was fixed accordingly. The post was sanctioned by the U.G.C. When the post was advertised the revised scales for the non-teaching employees were not implemented. However, at the time of introduction of the revised scales for the non-teaching employees, it was seen that all types of scales of pay were shown against specified post Vis-a vis existing scales. Revision in all types of scales of pay were made against posts not against scales to scale. Since there was no post of the Field Asstt. in the revised scale, his pay could not be fixed. The Dy. Registrar requested to take up the matter with the Govt. for clarification. Accordingly the Dy. Registrar wrote to Govt. in details long ago but nothing has been heard from Govt.

The incumbent is pressing hard for finalisation of the matter as he is not getting increment after completion of services for 2 years.

The Dy. Registrar has requested to place the matter before the Finance Sub-Committee for consideration of his case whether he will be fixed in the corresponding scale in the revised scales.

The Finance Sub-Committee is of opinion that since his case had been referred to the Govt. reply from Govt. may be awaited.

Item-8. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri M.K.Saha as Cashier in the scale of pay of Rs. 500-30-700-35-770-40-890-45-1160.

His pay as Asstt. Cashier was fixed at Rs.700/- in the revised scale of pay of Rs. 500-25-550-30-700-35-770-40-1010-45-1100 vide Finance Sub-Committee resolution dated 1.6.82 (item-2). He was promoted as Cashier w.e.f. 1.10.81 in the revised scale of pay of Rs. 550-30-700-35-770-40-890-45-1160. His pay as Cashier may be fixed as under:-

His pay on 30.9.81.....	Rs. 735.00
plus one increment due to promotion on 1.10.81.	Rs. 35.00
	Rs.770.00

D.N.I. on 1.10.82

Item-9. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri S. M. Roy as Audit & Accounts Officer after retirement from the Central Govt. services.

Re. Fixation of pay of Sri S. M. Roy, Audit & Accounts Officer acting as Finance Officer in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900, the Finance Sub-Committee recommends that the pay of Sri S. M. Roy may be provisionally fixed of Rs. 1200/- (i.e. minimum of the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/-) with all admissible allowances pending fixation of his pay.

All the items were confirmed.

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

Sd/- S. M. Roy
Finance Officer
Secretary

Sd/- S. N. Sen
Vice-Chancellor
Chairman.

Annexure X

Government of West Bengal
Education Deptt.
University Education Branch

No.1292-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the Sept.4,1981

From : S. Ghosh,
Dy. Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To : The Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal

Sub : Establishment of a Law College at Jalpaiguri -

The undersigned is directed, by order of the Governor, to say that the Governor on the recommendations of the University of North Bengal, is pleased to approve of the proposal for setting up a Law College at Jalpaiguri with effect from the academic session 1981-82 subject to the following terms and conditions :-

(1) The college will function as a 'Day College';

(2) The Organisers shall have to provide the required land, as assessed by the University Inspecting Team, by way of a registered deed, free from all encumbrances, to the college authorities. The site shall have to be approved by the affiliating university.

(3) The College will not get any Govt. grant for the first three years.

(4) The Organisers shall be required to provide adequate accommodation, essential furniture, books, etc. for the purpose of the college as per standard laid down by the University at their own cost;

(5) Pending construction of the college building, classes may be held in a building of a local institution with the approval of the affiliating University. The College should shift to its own building as soon as the same is completed. The College will have to produce evidence in support of its claim for ownership of the land for this college and funds that have been raised by them for construction of the building to the satisfaction of the State Govt. No Govt. grant will be admissible for construction of college building.

(6) In the college there should not be any other unit or college without the clear direction from the State Govt.;

(7) The College will have to keep at least three full-time Lecturers and one Principal and one Vice-Principal along with necessary non-teaching staff;

(8) The College will have to show reasonable success of its students in the Final Examinations.

(9) The college shall be run by a Governing Body to be constituted in the manner prescribed by the Statute of the affiliating university. Pending constitution of the Governing Body, ad-hoc Governing Body may be constituted in the following manner with the approval of the affiliating university for running the college at the initial stage :

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1) Dy. Commissioner, [illegible] - Chairman
2) One nominee of the State Government - Member
3) One nominee of the Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal - do
4) One nominee of the affiliating University -do-
5) Two representatives of the Organising Committee -do-
6) Principal of the College - Secretary

Provided that one of the two representatives of the Organising Committee may, however, act as Secretary till the Principal is appointed on a permanent basis.

(10) No special constitution of the Governing Body shall be accepted by the Government.

(11) Terms and conditions for the purpose of affiliation as laid down by the University and the Bar Council of India are to be fulfilled.

(12) Recruitment to all the teaching and non-teaching posts including the post of Principal should be made on the recommendations of the appropriate authorities.

(13) The college should furnish the requisite particulars if required by the Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal.

(14) This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide their U.O.No. Group-B/1708 dated 31-8-82.

(15) The Accountant General, West Bengal is being informed.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- S. Ghosh
Deputy Secretary.

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Annexure - XI

University Grants Commission
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SECRETARY

Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg
New Delhi - 110 002

D.O. No. F.1-34/82(CP)

August 27, 1982

Dear Vice-Chancellor,

The Commission on a reference received from the Government of India, Ministry of Education regarding certain clarification in respect of revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for university and colleges, has decided that if a teacher does not fulfil the minimum qualifications prescribed for recruitment within the specified period and his/her increment/increments are withheld from such date, the incumbent would be entitled to earn the next increment only after he/she has obtained the necessary qualifications.

I shall be grateful if this is also brought to the notice of all affiliated colleges of your university.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

Sd/- R. K. Chhabra

Dr. S. N. Sen
Vice-Chancellor (Acting)
North Bengal University,
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur
Darjeeling- 734430.

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Annexure XIII

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

NOTE

The Bar Council of India Rules relating to standards of Legal Education and Recognition of Degrees in Law framed under the Advocates Act 1961.

1. Under the above Rules from June 1, 1982 a student would be eligible to join the course of instruction in Law for the purpose of Professional Law Education if he has passed the 10 + 2 courses of studies;

2. Such student will be required to pursue a regular course of study for a minimum period of 5 years out of which the first two years shall be devoted to study of Pre-Law Courses as necessary qualification for admission to Three Year Course of study in Law to be commenced thereafter. The last six months of the Three Year Law Course shall include a regular course of practical training;

3. Such Professional Law Education shall only be imparted through whole time day colleges, the working time of which would be at least 5½ hours every working day and the Library should be kept opened for at least 8 hours every working day;

4. Such Law College shall only be located at a place where there is a District Court or a Circuit District Court;

5. No student shall be admitted to course of study in Law unless he obtained 45% marks in the aggregate in the Pre-Law course examination;

6. The Courses of instructions for the Two Year Pre-Law Course shall include the following:-

(a) General English (Graduate standard)	- Two Papers
(b) Political Science	- One Paper
(c) Economics	- One Paper
(d) History	- One Paper

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(e) Sociology - One Paper

(f) Legal Language including Legal Writing - One Paper

(g) History of Courts, Legislatures and Legal Profession in India. - One Paper

7. The courses of instructions for the Three Year study in Law shall include 12 compulsory subjects, and not less than 6 optional subjects out of 23 such subjects as laid down in the Rules.

The Rules have specifically mentioned the number of lecture classes to be taken and also number of lectures a student would have to attend.

The Chairman, Bar Council of India specifically mentions that those Law Colleges which do not satisfy the norms laid down by the Rules will not be recognised for the purpose of the Advocates Act i.e. such students would not be eligible to join the Bar.

However, the Bar Council of India Rules mentions that those Colleges which would not follow the above norms may continue to impart liberal education in Law and would be deemed to be non-professional Law Colleges.

The Bar Council of India allowed a two-year period for Universities to complete the change over. Accordingly, the North Bengal University has written to the Bar Council of India for permission to run the existing LL.B Course for two more years.

Registrar

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

AGENDA PAPERS

FOR

the 67th meeting of the NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Date: 17-12-82.
Time: 11-00 A.M.

Place: Conference Room
Administrative Building
Raja-Rammohunpur.

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur, Darjeeling

N o t i c e

The 67th meeting of the North Bengal University Council will be held on Friday, the 17th December, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur.

A G E N D A

1. To confirm the minutes of the 66th meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 30.9.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-I)

2. To confirm the minutes of the 61st meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 6.4.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-II)

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

   1) Lecturer in Geography as referred back by the Council in a previous meeting.

   Decision:

4. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

   a) Finance Officer
   b) Controller of Examinations
   c) Instrument Supervisor (Deptt. of Physics)
   d) Jr. Skilled Helper (Physics Deptt.)
   e) Medical Laboratory Technician (Health Centre)
   f) Jr. Skilled Helper (Gas Plant)

   Decision: (Annexure-III)

5. To consider a letter No.F.6-4/82(SCT) dated 23.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. with regard to reservation for admissions for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes candidates in Universities and Colleges.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)
(Annexure-IV)

6. To consider a letter from the Principal, Malda Women's College praying for granting of extension of affiliation in Elective English and Education in Pass and English and Geography in Honours course.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

7. To consider a letter from the Principal, Balurghat Mahila Mahavidyalaya praying for granting of extension of affiliation in Bengali Pol. Science, History, English, Economics and Sanskrit upto Honours standard.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

8. To consider Inspection Report in connection with granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in English, Bengali, Pol. Science, Commerce and History to University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) Cooch-Behar.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)
(Annexure-V)

9. To consider a letter No. F.1-93/74(CP) dated 24.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. communicating the revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for teaching posts in Universities and Colleges in various subjects.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)
(Annexure-VI)

10. To consider a letter No.F.1-34/82(CP) dated 27.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. communicating certain clarifications in respect of revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for University and College teachers.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)
(Annexure-VII)

11. To consider renaming of Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies as Inter-Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

12. To consider matters relating to non-teaching employees as per decision of the Council dt. 30.9.82 item no. Misc. 2.

Decision:

13. To consider representation of Librarian of Raiganj College.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

14. To consider recommendation of the Academic Committee on the problems of Readers (USERS) in the University Library.

Decision: (Annexure-VIII)

15. To consider recommendation of the Academic Committee for establishment of Library Science Course in the University.

Decision) (Annexure-IX)

16. To consider the following recommendation of the Academic Committee (13.10.82) regarding rules relating to External M.A./M.Sc/M.Com Examinations :

"The Committee recommended that those candidates who passed B.A./B.Sc./B.Com Examinations in Two Year Pass Course will be eligible to appear in M.A./M.Sc/M.Com Part I Examinations as external candidates not less than three years after passing the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com Examinations. Those candidates who passed B.A./B.Sc/B.Com Examinations in the New Three Year Honours Course will be eligible to appear in M.A./M.Sc/M.Com Part I Examinations as external candidates not less than two years after passing the B.A./B.Sc/B.Com Examinations. In this connection the Committee further recommended that no candidate will be allowed to appear in the M.A./M.Sc/M.Com examination as external candidate if he did not pass the B.A./B.Sc/B.Com examinations under new regulation in the relevant subject as Elective. A candidate who passed the B.A. examination under the New Regulations will not be permitted to appear in M.A. Examination in any of the languages if he did not pass in the Elective subject in the particular language.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action."

Decision:

17. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to cultivation of Medicinal Plant on the University Campus as proposed by the Project Director, West Bengal Comprehensive Area Development Corporation, Siliguri-Naxalbari Project under his letter No. 004/058/02/625/5(1) dated 19.6.82.

Decision:

18. To nominate a member on the Ad-hoc Governing Body of Jalpaiguri Law College, Jalpaiguri.

Decision:

19. To report that the Chancellor has been pleased to accept resignation submitted by Dr. P.K. Ghosh, Ex-Vice-Chancellor, w.e.f. 21.5.82.

Decision:

20. To report that under sub-section (2) of section 18 of the N.B.U. Act, 1961, the Chancellor has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Dr. S. N. Sen (Prof., Deptt. of Physics) and Dr. H.P. Bhaumik, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engg. College as Acting Vice-Chancellor for the period from 19.4.82 to 9.9.82, and from 10.9.82 till the new vice-Chancellor joined, i.e. 15.9.82.

Decision:

21. To approve the appointments of the following Lecturers of Sukanta Mahavidyalaya, Dhupguri and St. Joseph's College, Darjeeling :-

1. Sri Dinabandhu Bhattacharya,
2. Sri Bijan Kumar Chakraborty,
3. Sri Paresh Chandra Biswas,
4. Sri Jnanodoy Bhattacharyya,
5. Sri Manas Kumar Santra,
6. Sri Gour Gopal Chowdhury,
7. Sri Biplab Mukherjee,

St. Joseph's College :-

1. Sri Bishwanath Chakraborty	- Botany
2. Sri Shanti Chhetry	- Economics
3. Sri Soumitra De	- Pol. Science
4. Sri Baidyanath Chakraborty	- Economics
5. Miss Sanja Dalma Tamang	- Zoology
6. Miss Subrata Nandi	- Bengali

Decision:

22. To nominate a member on the Governing Body of Balurghat College.
Decision:

23. To approve the Governing Body of Cooch-Behar College, Cooch Behar.
Decision:

24. To report that the Bar Council of India has been pleased to grant exemption for two years i.e. for the Academic year 1982-83 and 1983-84 to implement the new scheme of legal education.
Decision:

25. To consider a letter received from Dr. P. K. Kundu, Reader in Bengali, N.B.U., forwarding an application of Sri B.B. Paul, Lecturer in Bengali, R.N. College, Cacher, Assam, praying for permission to submit his thesis for Ph.D. at this University.
Decision:

26. To consider the proceedings of the Under-graduate Examination Advisory Committee meeting held on 12.10.82.
Decision:

27. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the Building Committee held on 21.7.82.
Decision: (Annexure-X)

28. To consider a letter from Dr. P.C. Sarkar, Professor of Economics in the matter of partitioning of some quarters meant for Professors/ Readers (Registrar's note annexed).
Decision: (Annexure-XIV)

29. To consider recommendation of the Academic Committee in connection with the Study Leave of Shri K.K. Roy, Reader in English, N.B.U.
Decision:

30. To consider the minutes of the 30th meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 24.9.82.

Decision: (Annexure-XI)

31. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the College Council of University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar held on 15.7.82.

Decision: (Annexure-XII)

32. To consider a letter from the Principal, Darjeeling Govt. College regarding membership in the Committee of Post-Graduate Studies in Botany and Zoology.

Decision:

33. To consider a letter from Sri Ajoy Krishna Mandal, Jr. Research Fellow, Deptt. of Mathematics praying for granting of six months' leave w.e.f. 27.9.82 in order to enable him to join Fakir Chand College, Diamond Harbour as a lecturer.

Decision:

34. To consider a letter from the Secretary, University Liaison Committee, Institute of Chartered Accountants of India with regard to Institution of Chartered Accountants Endowment for distribution of prize to a candidate who secures highest marks in Accountancy papers at B.Com Examination.

Decision:

35. To consider a letter from Prof. Ramaranjan Mukherji, Vice-Chancellor, University of Burdwan, requesting the University to grant an amount of Rs. 10,000/- for organising a three-day Seminar during March 14-16: 1983 called 'Karl Marx Centennial International Seminar on Marxian Theory & Studies on the Non-European World'.

Decision:

36. To consider the cases of following employees for confirmation.

Sl.No.	Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1.	Sri Raja Dasgupta, Tech. Asstt. in Electronics, Grade-A. U.S.I.C,,N.B.U.	1.12.81(Forenoon)	1.12.82
2.	Sri Sundar Chhetri, Driver(Jr.) Estate Development Section.	7.12.81(")	7.12.82
3.	Sri Chandramohan Singha, Guard, Watch & Ward Deptt.	11.12.81(")	11.12.82
4.	Sri Man Bahadur Rai, Guard Watch & Ward Deptt.	11.12.81(")	11.12.82
5.	Sri Narayan Ch. Ghosh, Guard Watch & Ward Deptt.	11.12.81(")	11.12.82
6.	Sri Nirendra Nath Singh, Guard Watch & Ward Deptt.	11.12.81(")	11.12.82
7.	Sri Upendranath Roy, Guard Watch & Ward Deptt.	11.12.81(")	11.12.82
8.	Sri Aloke Das, Jr. Asstt-cum-Typist. Registrar's Branch	12.12.81(")	12.12.82
9.	Sri Chanchal Kr. Paul Jr. Asstt-cum-Typist University Library	12.12.81(")	12.12.82
10.	Sri Mridul Kanti Goswami Jr. Asstt.-cum-Typist Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology.	12.12.81(")	12.12.82
11.	Sri Subrata Guha Jr. Asstt-Cum-Typist Registrar's Branch	12.12.81(")	12.12.82

Decision:

37. To report that the Vice-Chancellor on the recommendation of the Selection Committee has been pleased to order appointment of Sri Samir Kumar Sarkar, as a Junior Research Fellow in the Department of Physics under DAE Project.

Decision:

38. To report that on the recommendation of the Departmental Committee the Vice-Chancellor has been pleased to extend the tenure of Scholarship of Shri Satyendra Nath Barman, Jr. Research Fellow (U.G.C.) Department of Bengali for a period of six months w.e.f. 8.11.82.

Decision:

39. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar, in connection with extension of service of Shri Sobhendra Narayan Sanyal, University Engineer (His deputation period will end on 22.1.83).

Decision:

40. To consider a report received from the Officer-in-charge, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College Centre regarding B.E. Part-III(2nd semester) Examination, 1982 of 6.11.82 & 8.11.82.

Decision:

41. To consider the proceedings of the P.G. Examinations Advisory Committee meeting held on 30.11.82.

Decision:

42. To consider an extract of the proceedings of the meeting of the Advisory Committee of Vice-Chancellors held on 24.9.82 in connection with the question of reservation of seats for the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes students in the various courses of studies in Universities and in the affiliated Institutions alongwith a letter No. 1682(7)-Edn(U) dated 15.11.82 from the Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Education Deptt.

Decision: (Annexure-XIII)

43. To report that on his prayer for extra ordinary leave Shri Pranab Kr. Saha, Lecturer in Mathematics, N.B.U. has been released w.e.f. 10.12.82 in order to enable him to join the Pre-doctoral Research Study abroad.

Decision:

44. To approve the list of Holidays for the teaching and non-teaching Departments of the University for the year 1983.

Decision:

45. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with granting of 24 days Special Casual leave w.e.f. 1.12.82 to Dr. Swapan Kumar Ghoshal, Lecturer in Physics, N.B.U.

Decision:

46. To report that Dr. Manas Chakraborty has been allowed to continue as temporary lecturer in the Deptt. of Political Science until further orders or till the post is filled up on a permanent basis which ever is earlier.

Decision:

47. To consider a note from the Finance Officer in the matter of House Rent Allowance to the employees.

Decision:

48. To consider a D.O. No.F.1-26/76(CD/SCT) dated 13.11.82 received from the Secretary, U.G.C. in connection with setting up of a special cell to ensure implementation of reservation orders issued by the Govt. of India in favour of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes from time to time.

Decision:

49. To consider an application from Smt. Chhanda Chakraborty, Lecturer, Deptt of History praying for granting of extension of her study leave by six months w.e.f. 17.2.82 along with the recommendations of the Head of the Deptt. and the Supervisor.

Decision:

50. To consider the letter of resignation tendered by Dr.(Mrs.) Damayanti Ghosh, Reader in English, N.B.U. w.e.f. December 1, 1982.

Decision:

51. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

REGISTRAR

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
the 6th December, 1982.

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Annexure - I

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur, Darjeeling

Minutes of the 66th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Thursday, the 30th September, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Prof. D.B. Dutta, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Dr. H.P. Bhowmick, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College
3. Prof. S.N. Sen, Professor of Physics
4. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, North Bengal University
5. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
6. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
7. Shri P.K. Majumdar, Lecturer, Siliguri College, Siliguri
8. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College
9. Shri Hiten Nag, Lecturer, Dinhata College
10. Shri Sashi Kanta Chakraborty, Principal, Chanchal College.

Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, Shri R.K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar, Shri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer (Acting) and Shri S. Majumdar, Deputy Controller of Examinations were requested to make themselves available during the meeting.

1. The minutes of the 65th meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 28.8.82 and also the minutes of the adjourned meeting of the N.B.U. Council meeting held on 29.8.82 were confirmed with the following amendments :-

(i) Item 18 page 8 The date mentioned "23.8.82" be written as "22.8.82".

(ii) Item 25 page 9 Add "on 27.8.82" at the end.

(iii) Page 15 Add the word "new" before the word "proposal" arising in the last line.

(iv) Page 23 item Suppl. 2 Add the words "inclusive of ex-gratia payment as may be granted by the Government" after the figure "Rs. 400/-" in the first line.

(v) Page 27 item Misc. 1 Sl. 4 Write "Janamendra Nath" in place of "Jnan".

(vi) Page 27 item Misc. 1 Sl. 8 The name and designation mentioned be substituted by the following :-

"Dilip Chandra Ghosh, Extension Officer, Social Education, Chanchal".

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2. The minutes of the Special meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 10.9.82 were confirmed.

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

Appointment against Merit Promotion Scheme for University teachers as per Govt. Order No. 957(6)-Edn(U) dated July 22, 1981.

The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and the comments of the referees decided to appoint Dr. Hillol Kumar Chakraborty, Lecturer in Economics as Reader in Economics in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus usual allowances subject to the conditions laid down in the above Govt. Order. The post of Reader to be held by Dr. Chakraborty would be personal to him and the resultant vacancy shall not be filled up. His initial salary in the new post will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

4. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

Since there was no recommendation to be considered the item be taken out.

5. To consider the recommendations of the M.B.B.S. Examination Advisory Committee dated 17.5.82.

The Council decided to postpone consideration of the item.

6. To consider a note from Dy. Registrar in connection with the application for P.L. submitted by Sri Bishnulal Brahman, Guard, Watch & Ward Section for a period of 111 days with effect from 28.11.81 to 12.3.82 in continuation of his C.C.L.

The Council decided to sanction P.L. to Sri Bishnulal Brahman, Guard, Watch & Ward Section for a period of 111 days with effect from 28.11.81 to 12.3.82 in continuation of compensatory casual leave enjoyed by him.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

7. To consider a letter from the Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies suggesting withdrawal of offer of Junior Research Fellowship from Sri Paresh Chandra Roy and to appoint next available person from the panel of names recommended by the Selection Committee.

The Council decided that the post be readvertised as reserved for SC/ST.

8. To consider constitution of Selection Committee for the post of Electrical Supervisor.

The Council constituted a Selection Committee for the post of Electrical Supervisor.

9. To consider matters regarding constitution of Screening Committee for preliminary screening of the applications for the various non-teaching posts.

The Council decided to take the matter out of agenda.

10. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with verification of age of certain employees.

The Council while reiterating the previous decision of the Executive Council of the University of North Bengal decided that once a date of birth is entered in the Service Book the same cannot be changed by swearing affidavit or on the basis of some other documents.

11. To consider an application for reimbursement of T.A./D.A. etc. received from Shri P.K.Pal, Lecturer in English along with a note from the Dy. Registrar.

The Council decided that no T.A./D.A. could be admissible for Shri P.K.Pal's journey to Manipur which was not undertaken in connection with any duty of the University.

12. To consider renaming of Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies as Inter-Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies.

The Council decided to postpone consideration of the item.

13. To consider a letter from the Deputy Secretary, Rural Development Department, Govt. of Sikkim.

The Council directed that the matter be referred to the Academic Committee for consideration.

14. To consider a letter from Sri Narayan Mazumdar, Electrical Supervisor along with the forwarding letter of the University Engineer.

The Council decided that the matter be taken out of the agenda.

15. To consider a note from the Inspector of Colleges on the memorandum submitted by the Hostel employees Association.

The Council noted that some of the demands of the Hostel Employees' Association have already been met. In the matter of the rest, the Council

decided that the same should be forwarded to the Govt. for favour of consideration.

16. To consider a letter from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. in connection with granting of special allowance to Sri Parshawnath Das, Compounder, University Health Centre.

The Council noted that fixation of pay in 1970 was made as per agreement with the Employees' Association and Sri Das's pay was fixed strictly in terms of the rules of such fixation. The Council did not think that there was any scope for reopening the issue.

In the matter of special pay which Sri Das used to get before the fixation of pay in the revised scale in 1978 the Council noted that the matter was pending with the Govt. The Council directed that the matter be persued.

17. To consider a letter No. F.6-4/82(SCT) dated 23.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. with regard to reservations for admission for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes candidates in Universities and Colleges.

Deferred.

18. To note a letter No. 1285(6)-Edn(U) dated 3.9.82 received from the Dy. Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Education Department, University Education Branch with regard to granting of further Additional Dearness Allowance to the employees of the University of North Bengal w.e.f. 1.7.82.

Noted.

19. To consider a letter from the Principal, Malda Women's College praying for granting of extension of affiliation in Elective English and Education in Pass and English and Geography in Honours Course.

Deferred.

20. To consider a letter from the Principal, Balurghat Mahila Mahavidyalaya praying for granting of extension of affiliation in Bengali, Pol. Science, History, English, Economics and Sanskrit upto Honours standard.

Deferred.

21. To consider recommendation of the meeting of the Engineering Advisory Committee held on 3.9.82.

Noted and approved.

(Appendix I)

22. To consider recommendation of the meeting of the Engineering Advisory Committee held on 8.9.82.

Noted and approved.

(Appendix II)

The Council decided that the final dates of examinations will be fixed by the Vice-Chancellor in consultation with the Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College and the Deputy Controller of Examinations.

23. To consider recommendation of the meeting of the Advisory Committee for M.B.B.S. Examination held on 22.9.82.

Noted and approved.

(Appendix III)

24. To consider the recommendation of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee for the M.A. Part II (Public) Examination, 1981 in English.

The Council considered the recommendation of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee meeting held on 24.8.82. After due consideration the Council found the report not acceptable. It was decided that a Committee consisting of the following members of the Council should institute a thorough probe into the question and submit a report :-

(i) Dr. H. P. Bhowmick
(ii) Sri P. K. Majumdar
(iii) Sri Madhusudan Das.

The Deputy Controller of Examinations is to supply all relevant materials for consideration of the Committee and would also convene meetings, etc. of the Committee at the convenience of the members.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

25. To consider a letter of resignation tendered by Sri Sanak Kumar Ghosh, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Physics, N.B.U. w.e.f. 13.9.82.

The Council accepted resignation submitted by Sri Sanak Ghosh, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Physics, N.B.U. with effect from 13.9.82 subject to clearance of all dues.

In this connection the Council decided that in future appointment, extension of tenure, leave and resignation, etc of the Research Scholars and Fellows will be made by the Vice-Chancellor and the same be reported to the Council in due course.

26. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, Raiganj (University College) held on 22.7.82.

Noted.

In the matter of item 7 the Council decided that the Hostel Superintendent be paid a honorarium of Rs. 100/- per month.

27. To consider the following minutes of the meetings of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on -

11.5.82
10.8.82

Noted.

In the matter of item 2 of the meeting held on 11.5.82 the Council approved the recommendation subject to availability of funds.

28. To fix the prices of printed Post-Graduate Syllabi.

The Council fixed the prices of printed syllabi of the following subjects of Post-Graduate Studies as mentioned against each :

M.Com	...	1=00
English	...	1=00
Mathematics	...	1=00
Pol. Science	...	1=50
Geography & Applied Geography	...	1=00

In this connection the Council noted that the price of the North Bengal University Act 1981 as printed by the University has been fixed at Rs. 3/- per copy.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

29. To report a letter received from Shri B.N. Srivastava, Director(S) Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs for making provision of coaching facilities for SC/ST candidates for the Civil Service Examination on the norms suggested. (Reference Council decision dated 6.3.82).

The Council considered the letter and opined that without constructing new hostels for the trainees the course could not be started.

30. To consider the Inspection Report on Geography Department of Darjeeling Govt. College.

The Council accepted the report and decided that the same may be sent to the Govt. for information and necessary action on the basis of the recommendation.

31. To consider Inspection Report in connection with granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in English, Bengali, Pol. Science, Commerce and History to University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) Cooch-Behar.

Deferred.

32. To consider recommendations of the Research Service Centre Committee, N.B.U.

The Council approved the recommendation of the meeting held on 20.9.82 and decided that with regard to item 4 the teachers of affiliated colleges shall not be treated as outsiders for the purpose. The Council also decided that the last sentence of the resolution No. 3 be deleted.

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33. To consider grant of increment to one non-teaching employee.

The Council decided that the matter might be sent for legal opinion before consideration by the Council.

34. To consider the letter of resignation tendered by Shri Charu Chandra Dev, Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) Department of Chemistry, w.e.f. 26.8.82.

The Council accepted resignation submitted by Sri Charu Chandra Dev, Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.), Department of Chemistry w.e.f. 26.8.82 subject to clearance of all dues.

The Council accepted resignation submitted by Sri Biswaroop Ghosh, J.R.F., Department of Physics with effect from 4.9.82 subject to clearance of all dues.

35. To consider the minutes of the 32nd adjourned meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 27.8.82.

Noted and approved except item 6 on which a decision was taken by the Council in its meeting held on 28.8.1982.

The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

36. To report that a G.O. No. 1292-Edn(U) dated 4.9.82 in connection with the establishment of a Law College at Jalpaiguri has been received.

Noted.

The Council approved the Governing Body as constituted provisionally under the Govt. Order mentioned above.

37. To consider a letter No. SKM/GOVT/834/82 dated 26.8.82 along with enclosures received from the Governor of Sikkim in connection with recognition of Sikkim Research Institute of Tibetology and other Buddhists Studies as a Research Centre for Buddist Studies and allied subjects.

The Council decided that the matter be placed before the Academic Committee and the Vice-Chancellor was authorised to take necessary action.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

38. To consider a letter No.F.1-93/74(CP) dated 24.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. communicating the revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for teaching posts in Universities and Colleges in various subjects.

Deferred.

39. To consider a letter No.F.1-34/82(CP) dated 27.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. communicating certain clarifications in respect of revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for University and College teachers.

Deferred.

40. To consider a letter from Dr. N.L.Karmakar, Sr. Research Assistant, NBU.

The Council decided that Dr. Karmakar be asked to join his post positively on or before 22.11.82. In case he fails to join the Council decided that his services would stand terminated. U.G.C. is to be informed.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

41. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of two Junior Research Fellows (U.G.C.) in the Department of Centre for Life Sciences, N.B.U.

The Council approved the panel recommended by the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Sri Saurav Kanti Sarkar and Sri Bholanath Paul as Junior Research Fellows in the Research Project sanctioned by the U.G.C. to Dr. A.K. Chakraborty, Reader, Centre for Life Sciences. The appointments are subject to the terms and conditions laid down in the sanctioned project.

The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

42. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) in the department of Chemistry, N.B.U.

(i) The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Smt. Purabi Sarkar as Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) in the Department of Chemistry on a scholarship of Rs. 600/- per month and Rs. 3000/- per annum as contingent grant. She will be guided as per rules in this regard.

(ii) The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided that Dr. Anupam Sarkar be appointed as Research Associate on Rs. 1000/- per month (fixed). The Council also decided that Sri Amaresh Chandra Lahiri be appointed as Junior Research Fellow on Rs. 400/- per month (fixed). The terms and conditions of the Associateship and the Fellowship will be as per ICAR Scheme No. F.13-41/80 SW-DF under the supervision of Dr. J. L. Das Kanungo, Reader in Chemistry.

(iii) The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Sri Narayan Chandra Basak and Sri Gautam Kumar Biswas as Research Scholars (N.B.U.) in the Department of Mathematics on a scholarship of Rs. 600/- (each) per month and Rs. 3000/- (each) per annum as contingent grant. They will be guided as per rules in this regard.

The above decision were confirmed for immediate action.

43. To consider the following cases of some employees for confirmation.

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Sri Bijoy Kr. Sarkar Engg. Helper.	22.9.81 (Forenoon)	22.9.82
2. Sri Narayan Ch. Das Engg. Helper.	22.9.81 (")	22.9.82
3. Sri Joseph Nagasia Mali, Care-taking Section	22.9.81 (2 P. M.)	22.9.82
4. Sri Madhusudan Ghosh Lecturer in Economics, N.B.U.	1.9.81	1.9.82
5. Sri Sekh Rahin Mandal Lecturer in Sociology and Social Anthropology, N.B.U.	18.9.81 (Forenoon)	18.9.82
6. Prof. K. B. Datta Centre for Life Science, N.B.U.	21.9.81 (")	21.9.82
7. Sri Gautam Biswas Lecturer in Philosophy, N.B.U.	23.9.81 (")	23.9.82

The Council in consideration of the confidential reports and recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor decided to confirm the services of the following employees of the University with effect from the date mentioned against each, subject to (i) their being found medically fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) verification of age and academic qualifications, and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose :

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Sri Bijoy Kr. Sarkar Engg. Helper	22.9.81 (Forenoon)	22.9.82
2. Sri Narayan Ch. Das Engg. Helper	22.9.81 (")	22.9.82
3. Sri Joseph Nagasia Mali, Care-Taking Section	22.9.81 (2 P. M.)	22.9.82
4. Sri Madhusudan Ghosh Lecturer in Economics, N.B.U.	1.9.81	1.9.82
5. Sri Sekh Rahim Mandal Lecturer in Sociology and Social Anthropology, N.B.U.	18.9.81 (Forenoon)	18.9.82
6. Prof. K. B. Datta Centre for Life Science, N.B.U.	21.9.81 (")	21.9.82
7. Sri Gautam Biswas Lecturer in Philosophy N.B.U.	23.9.81 (")	23.9.82

Confirmed for immediate action.

44. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to the Bar Council of India Rules relating to standards of Legal Education and Recognition of Degrees in Law framed under the Advocates Act 1961.

The Council considered the note and decided that a Committee with the following might examine and submit a report on the Bar Council of India Rules relating to standards of Legal Education and Recognition of Degrees in Law framed under the Advocates Act 1961 :

(i) Shri B. Hore, Advocate, Jalpaiguri
(ii) Shri P. R. Chandra, Principal, Sikkim Law College
(iii) Shri Arun Bhattacharjee Advocate, Cooch Behar
(iv) Shri T.P. Misra, Lecturer-in-charge, University Law College
(v) Shri R. K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar - Convener.

The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

Supplementary Agenda

1. To consider evaluation reports including the reports of the viva-voce examination on the theses submitted for the Ph.D. Degree of the North Bengal University.

(i) The Council considered evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examination and decided to admit Shri Pabitra Kumar Roy to the Degree of Ph.D. (Arts) for his thesis entitled "Hume's Theory of Passions : A Study of Book II of the Treatise of Human Nature."

Shri Roy worked under the guidance of Prof. S. K. Sen, Head of the Department of Philosophy, North Bengal University.

The result may be published immediately.

(ii) The Council considered evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examination and decided to admit Shri Prankumar Mukherjee to the Degree of Ph.D. (Arts) for his thesis entitled "A Study in the Poetry of Dylan Thomas (Theme and Imagery in Thomas' Poetry)."

Shri Mukherjee worked independently.

The result may be published immediately.

2. To consider modification of resolution No. 7 of the meeting of the N.B.U. Council dated 14.1.82.

The Council in partial modification of the resolution (Item No. 7) of the meeting of the North Bengal University Council dated 14.1.82 decided that the words "Department of Physics" written after the words "Senior Research Assistant" be deleted.

3. To consider the minutes of the 30th meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 24.9.82.

The Council directed that the minutes be annexed with the papers of the next meeting of the Council for consideration. In the meantime the Council decided to request the Vice-Chancellor to order necessary action on matters which needed immediate implementation.

4. To consider a letter of Sri Sankar Bandyopadhyay in connection with his appointment as Lecturer in N.B.U. Law College.

The Council noted that Sri Sankar Bandyopadhyay who was appointed a Lecturer in N.B.U. Law College has declined the offer. The Council noted that the post be readvertised immediately.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

5. To consider a letter from Miss Sakti Kundu, Jr. Research Fellow, (U.G.C.) Department of Geography & Applied Geography praying for granting of extension of Scholarship for six months w.e.f. 8.9.82.

The Council decided to grant extension of Fellowship of Smt. Sakti Kundu by six months with effect from 8.9.82.

Confirmed for immediate action.

6. To consider prayer of Sri Sreman Dorjee, Guard, for house rent allowance.

The Council, as a special consideration, decided to allow Sri Sreeman Dorjee, Guard, Watch & Ward Department to live outside the Campus provided he would be available for emergent duties on short notice. The Council also decided that Sri Dorjee may be allowed to draw house rent allowance with effect from 1.4.82.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

7. To consider an application from Sri Ranjit Kr. Sananta, Jr. Technical Asstt., Research Service Centre, N.B.U. praying for granting of 24 days leave from 24.6.82 to 17.7.82.

The matter might be taken out of the agenda.

8. To consider granting of extension of services of (1) Prof. S. R. Dasgupta, Sr. Prof. of Mathematics, N.B.U. by one year w.e.f. 1.11.82 (2) Prof. S. P. Sengupta, Prof. of English w.e.f. 1.2.83.

(i) The Council decided to grant extension of service to Prof. S.R. Dasgupta, Department of Mathematics by a further period of one year with effect from 1.11.82 when he will attain the age of superannuation i.e. 65 years of age.

(ii) The Council decided to grant extension of service to Prof. S.P. Sengupta, Department of English by a further period of one year with effect from 1.2.83 when he will attain the age of superannuation i.e. 65 years of age.

The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

9. To consider a decision of the College Council (Resolution No. 21 of the minutes of the meeting of 8th February, 1982) of Raiganj College in connection with holding of a Seminar on life and activities of Gurusaday Dutta.

The Council decided that the U.G.C. might be approached for financial assistance.

10. To consider a note from the Finance Officer in the matter of House Rent Allowance to the employees.

The item might be taken out of the agenda.

11. To consider a letter from the University Engineer, N.B.U. in the matter of construction of Auditorium.

The Council decided that for expeditious work the P.W.D. Set Plan for Auditorium might be considered by the Vice-Chancellor for approval.

Confirmed for immediate action.

12. To re-constitute the Building Committee.

The Council decided that the Zonal Manager (Distribution) North Bengal, S.E.B. be appointed a member of the Building Committee in place of the Additional Chief Engineer, North Bengal, S.E.B. whose office has been shifted to Calcutta.

Confirmed for immediate action.

13. To consider extension of contractual service of Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges.

The Council decided that Dr. A. B. Majumdar be appointed as Inspector of Colleges on contractual basis for a further period of three months with effect from 1.11.82 in the same terms and conditions as before.

Confirmed for immediate action.

14. To consider representation of Librarian of Raiganj College.

Deferred.

15. To consider a letter dated 10.9.82 received from Sri Pran Kumar Mukherjee, Reader in English, N.B.U. in connection with his date of joining as Reader in English.

The Council noted that Sri Pran Kumar Mukherjee, Lecturer in English had to be away from the Campus on University duty when he was promoted to the post of Reader in English. Under the circumstances the Council favourably considered the application of Sri Pran Kumar Mukherjee and decided that his date of joining as Reader in English should be taken as 31.8.82.

Misc. 1 The Council noted that as per order of the Vice-Chancellor the persons working as contingent staff were paid puja advance of Rs. 100/-.

Misc. 2 The Council decided to request the Vice-Chancellor to examine the demands of the Employees' Association in the light of previous decision of the Council in this regard and to include the same as a separate item of the agenda at the next meeting of the Council.

Misc. 3 In partial modification of the decision of the Council taken on 16.4.82 the Council decided that a separate Bank Account with the State Bank of India, North Bengal University Campus Branch be opened to be known as "North Bengal University Eco-Development Account" for the receipt and disbursement in connection with the programme to be operated by the Finance Officer, North Bengal University.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- D. B. Dutta
CHAIRMAN

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Appendix - D

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the meeting of the Engineering Examinations Advisory Committee held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 3.9.82, at 2p.m.

Members present :

1. Principal H.Bhaumik,Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
2. Shri Debabrata Ghosh,Member,N.B.U.Council.
3. Prof.N.C.Sinha,Hd.of the Deptt.of Civil Engg., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
4. Prof.T.K.Roy,Hd.of the Deptt.of Mechanical Engg., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
5. Prof.S.K.Bhattacharyya,Electrical Engg.Deptt., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
6. Dr.Sripati Datta,Mechanical Engg.Deptt., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
7. Shri S.K.Sengupta,Civil Engg.Deptt., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
8. Shri J.C.Das,Chemistry Deptt.,Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg. College
9. Shri D.K.Banerjee,Humanities Deptt., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.

Item No.1: To fix the date of commencement of B.E.Part II (1st Semester) Examination,1981 boycotted earlier by the candidates.

Decision : The examination was recommended to be held from the 20th September,1982 subject to the condition that the boys would give an undertaking to the Controller of Examinations through their Principal expressing regret for their non-appearance in the examination on the earlier occasion.

Item No.2: To fix the dates of commencement of B.E.Part I, Part III and Part IV (2nd Semester) Examination, 1981.

Decision : The Principal reported to the members that the College Council earlier recommended 10th September, 1982 as the date of commencement of the examinations. The Students' Union,however, requested the Principal to arrange the examination from the 12th October,1982. Some of the members objected to fixing of dates without ascertaining the fact whether the courses prescribed for the examination have been amply covered. Accordingly, the Principal was requested to collect information regarding course coverage in all the branches for placement before the next meeting to be held on the 8th ~~December~~ September,1982 at 2p.m. The dates will be fixed after receipt of the report from the Principal.

Miscellaneous :

(i) To consider the letter No.1358 dated 9.8.82 of the Principal along with the application of one student of Third year Civil Engg. praying for permission to appear in assessment examinations of Part II Second Semester.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed the letter before the members from which it appeared that the candidate could not appear in one of the two assessment examinations in Hydraulics and Structural Mechanics II of B.E.Part II(Second Semester) as he had to remain out of station for a considerable period for medical treatment. The members also noted that the same candidate was earlier permitted by the University to reappear in another assessment examination in the first semester considering the medical ground.

After detailed discussion the Committee recommended to grant his prayer as a special case on condition that no such concession will be granted to him in future.

(ii) To consider drawing of Academic calendar for Engineering Examination.

Decision : The members present unanimously recommended drawing up of academic programme at the beginning of the session to avoid unnecessary complications in fixing dates of various Engineering Examinations. It would also enable the University to start Preliminary work well ahead of the date of examination. In this connection the Deputy Controller of Examinations impressed upon the members the necessity of providing the panels of Papersetters/Examiners etc. at the beginning of each session.

(iii) To consider the case of a candidate of B.E.Final B (Old 5 Year Course) Examination who having completed the first semester course could not continue studies owing to serious illness.

Decision : After a thread bare discussion the committee recommended as under :

1. Since he completed all sessional work and appeared in external Assessment examinations in the 1st Semester of the final year of five year degree course he may be allowed to appear in the Special 1st Semester examinations of B.E.Final Section B.

2. Since it is not possible to arrange 2nd Semester classes of B.E.final Sec.B (M.E.) as the course has already been discontinued he may be allowed to appear as an external candidate in a B.E.Final Sec B Second Semester examination specially arranged for him instead of usual internal assessment and comprehensive examinations. The question for the said

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examination will be set in two halves-one half being internal and the other half being external. There should be 10 questions five in each half and the candidate will be required to answer three from each half. Full marks for each half will be 50. Separate answerscripts should be given for each half.

3. The candidate will be required to complete all sessional and Laboratory works satisfactorily. For this the College may allow necessary facilities to the candidate for attending corresponding classes in 3rd year ME / 4th year ME as the case may be.

There being no other item the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Appendix - II

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Proceedings of the meeting of the Advisory Committee for Engineering Examinations held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 8.9.82 at 2p.m.

Members present :

1. Principal H.Bhaumick, Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
2. Prof.N.C.Sinha,Hd.of the Civil Engg.Deptt.,Jalpaiguri Govt. Engg.College.
3. Shri S.K.Sengupta,Civil Engg.Deptt.,Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
4. Prof.T.K.Roy,Hd.of the Mechanical Engg.Deptt.,Jal Govt.Engg.Col.
5. Dr.S.Datta,Mechanical Engg.Deptt.,Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
6. Prof.S.K.Bhattacharyya,Electrical Engg.Deptt.,Jal Govt.Engg.Col.
7. Shri D.K.Banerjee,Humanities Deptt.,Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
8. Dr.B.Banerjee,Mathematics Deptt.,Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
9. Shri J.C.Das,Chemistry Deptt.,Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.

Item No.1 : To consider the fixation of dates of B.E.Part I,III and IV (Second Semester) Examinations,1982.

Decision : The Principal placed the records of course coverage obtained from the different Heads of Departments from which it appeared that the 70% to 80% of the syllabuses have been covered in the three branches of Engineering. The Principal informed the members that the Students' Union was in favour of holding all the three examinations simultaneously with effect from 12.10.82. The Deputy Controller of Examinations explained the difficulties in arranging all the examinations in such a short notice in view of the agitational movement of the employees under which routine office work has received a serious set back. The recommended list of Papersetters and copies of syllabi in respect of Mechanical Engineering Branch was received only on 8.9.82. After detailed discussion the members present recommended the following dates of commencement for various B.E.(Second Semester) Examinations,1982.

B.E.Part IV (Second Semester) - 12.10.82
B.E.Part I and Part III(Second Semester) - Any date between 20/22/22 November,1982. The Principal was authorised to communicate the final date to the Deputy Controller of Examinations.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Proceedings of the meeting of the Adv. Committee for M.B.B.S. Examination held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 22.9.82 at 12 noon.

Members present :

1. Dr. Dwijendra Kumar Roy, Deptt.of Medicine, N.B.Medical College.
2. Dr. A.K.Ram, Deptt.of Pharmacology, N.B.Medical College.
3. Dr. Kamal Kanti Chatterjee, Deptt.of Surgery, N.B.Med.College.
4. Dr. Bikash Basu, Deptt.of Ophthalmology, N.B.Med.College.
5. Dr.(Mrs.)R.Ram, Deptt.of P.S.M., N.B.Medical College.

Item No.1 : To fix up the programme of various Professional M.B.B.S. Examinations.

Decision : The proposed programmes as received from the Principal, N.B.Medical College were placed for consideration of the members. After a detailed discussion the members recommended acceptance of the programmes annexed hereto.

There being no other item the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Programme for the 1st Professional M.B.B.S. Examination, 1982

Theoretical papers	Time:- 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
Wednesday, 24th November, 1982	Anatomy paper I
Friday, 26th November, 1982	Anatomy paper II
Monday, 29th November, 1982	Biochemistry
Thursday, 2nd December, 1982	Physiology Paper I
Saturday, 4th December, 1982	Physiology Paper II

Practical/Oral

7th & 8th December, 1982	Physiology in batches
11th & 13th December, 1982	Biochemistry in batches
17th & 18th December, 1982	Anatomy in batches

Dated, RajaRammohunpur,
the 29th September, '82

S.Majumder
Dy. Controller of Examinations.

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Programme for the 2nd Professional M.B.B.S. Examination, 1982

Theoretical Papers.	Time:- Morning 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
Monday, 8th November, 1982	Pharmacology
Thursday, 11th November, 1982	P.S.M.
Monday, 15th November, 1982	P.S.M.
Friday, 19th November, 1982	Microbiology
Monday, 22nd November, 1982	Pathology
Practical/Oral	
25th & 26th November, 1982	P.S.M. in batches
29th & 30th November, 1982	Microbiology in batches
2nd & 3rd December, 1982	Pathology in batches
6th & 7th December, 1982	Pharmacology in batches
9th & 10th December, 1982	F.S.M. in batches

Programme for the 3rd Professional M.B.B.S.Examination, 1982

Theoretical papers	Time:- 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
Saturday, 6th November, 1982	Medicine paper I
Twesday, 9th November, 1982	Medicine paper II
Friday, 12th November, 1982	Medicine paper III
Twesday, 16th November, 1982	Surgery paper I
Thursday, 18th November, 1982	Surgery Paper II
Twesday, 23rd November, 1982	Obstetrics & Gynaecology
Friday, 26th November, 1982	EYE &E.N.T.
Practical/Oral	
2nd & 3rd December, 1982	Medicine in batches
7th & 8th December, 1982	Obst. & Gynae. in batches
10th & 11th December, 1982	EYE & E.N.T. in batches
14th & 15th December, 1982	Surgery in batches

Dated, Raja Rammohunpur,
the 28th Sept., 1982

S. Majumder
Dy. Controller of Examinations.

Appendix-IV

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Minutes of the meeting of the Research Service Centre Committee held on 20.9.82 at 3 P.M. in the office of the Vice-Chancellor.

Members present :

1. Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U.
2. Prof. S.N. Sen, Deptt. of Physics, N.B.U.
3. Prof. P.C. Sarkar, Deptt. of Economics, N.B.U.
4. Dr. S. Mukherjee, Deptt. of Physics, N.B.U.
5. Sri S. Pal, Deptt. of Mathematics, N.B.U.
6. Sri B. Majee, Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.
7. Sri R.K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar, N.B.U.

1. The Committee decided that the proposal for starting Post-B.Sc. Diploma Courses in Computer Science be referred to the Academic Committee for consideration.

2. The Committee noted that the U.G.C. has agreed to provide of Rs. 50,000/- p.a. during sixth Plan Period for buying Computer Time to meet the requirements of research programme under-taken by the departments of the University. In this connection the committee decided to write to U.G.C. for allocation of a sum of Rs. 35,000/- out of the grant of Rs. 50/000/- sanctioned for expansion of the existing computer facilities so that the researchers may use more computer time locally.

3. The Committee noted the questionaire sent by U.G.C. and decided that Sri B. Majee shall fill in the questionaire sent by U.G.C. and forwar it to the Vice-Chancellor for onward transmission to the U.G.C. In connection with question No. 15(e) of the above questionnaire it was decided that B. Majee as convener of R.S.C. shall be entrusted with the installation of the Computer system as and when sanctioned by U.C.C. In this connection the committee requested Sri Majee to continue to act as Convenor, Research Service Centre at present.

4. The committee decided to recommend the proposal that not more than one hour of the existing available Computer Time may be utilised for out side demands for Computer service. The charges will be double the existing internal charges. In this connection the committee desired that this may be referred to the next meeting of the University Council for approval.

5. It is resolved that the staff of Research Service Centre may be put under the control of the Convenor of Research Service Centre Committee.

6. The committee recommended that the University teachers who do not have any research grant may be given some free computer time at the discretion of the Vice-Chancellor. In this connection the committee desires that this may be referred to the next meeting of the University Council for approval.

Sd/- R. K. Ghosh
Sd/- B. Majee
Sd/- S. Pal
Sd/- S. Mukherjee

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Annexure-IV

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the 61st meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Tuesday, the 6th April, 1982 at 9-15 A. M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Dr. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Shri G. S. Banerjee, Secretary, Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal
3. Dr. I. K. Chatterjee
4. Shri Subrata Chanda
5. Dr. Dr. H. Bhaumik, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College
6. Dr. G. C. Chatterjee, Principal, Malda College
7. Dr. S. N. Sen, Professor of Physics, N.B.U.
8. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
9. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
10. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
11. Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya
12. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj (University) College.

1. The Council approved the Programme of the 16th Convocation.

(Appendix I)

2. The records of Diplomas to be conferred at the Convocation were signed by the Chancellor when he came to the University after the meeting was over.

3. The Council approved the list of candidates admitted to the degree of Ph.D. in Arts and Science.

4. The Council approved the list of recipient of Medals.

(Appendix II)

5. The Council while approving the recommendation of the Committee decided that the First Vice-Chancellor's Medal be awarded to Shri Dilip Kumar Sarkar, a student of Political Science.

The Chancellor came at 9-30 A.M. and met the members of the Council.

As per programme the Convocation was held where the Chancellor presided.

(Appendix - III)

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

ad/-

HE VICE-CHANCELLOR addresses the Convocation.

HE CHANCELLOR addresses the Convocation.

ational Anthem.

HE CHANCELLOR declares the Convocation closed.

THE CHANCELLOR, THE VICE-CHANCELLOR, THE CHIEF GUEST and MEMBERS of the North Bengal University Council, the University Officers and the Members, Academic Committee will retire in procession. All present shall remain standing till the procession has left.

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Timing of the Programme of the Convocation

9-15 A.M.
Meeting of the North Bengal University Council at the Conference Room of the Administrative Building.

10-00 A.M.
Robing and Taking up position in the Procession.

10-10 A.M.
Procession starts.

10-15 A.M.
Procession Ends, Invocation—Garlaiding Convocation declared open by the Chancellor.

0-30 A.M.
Convocation address by the Chief Guest, Dr. Ramachandra Rao, Vice-Chairman, University Grants Commission.

10-40 A.M.
Award of Medals, degrees etc.

11-25 A.M.
Address by the Vice-Chancellor.

11-40 A.M.
Chancellor's address.

National Anthem

Convocation declared closed by the Chancellor and the procession retires.

Appendix -I

Procedure

of the

16th Convocation

of the

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

TUESDAY, APRIL 6, 1982
10-00 A.M.

अनुशासन — विद्यार्थी वर्ग स्वीकार गर्छन ।

उच्चतर विद्या प्राप्त गर्न सदैव
प्रयत्नशील होऊ— जी आज्ञा
आफ्नु कर्तव्य परिपालन गर— ,,
सधै साँधी बोल— ,,
माता पिता र गुरुजनमा सदैव श्रद्धालु बन— ,,
आत्मोन्नति र उन्नत समाज गठन को लागि
प्राप्त ज्ञान व्यवहार गर— ,,
विद्यास्थान आत्मलाई प्रेम गर— ,,
जन्मभूमि प्रति सदैव सेवारत होऊ— ,,

यो उपदेश हो । यही आदेश हो । यही नै विशेष अनुशासन हो ।

उच्चतर ज्ञानের পথ অনুসরণ করবে— শপথ নিচ্ছি করব
নিজের কর্তব্য পালন করবে— শপথ নিচ্ছি করব
সত্য কথা বলবে— শপথ নিচ্ছি বলব
পিতামাতা ও গুরুবর্গের প্রতি
ভক্তিমান হবে— শপথ নিচ্ছি হব
আত্মোন্নতির জন্য এবং সমাজ গঠনে
লব্ধ জ্ঞান প্রয়োগ করবে— শপথ নিচ্ছি করব
নিজ শিক্ষা প্রতিষ্ঠানকে ভালবাসবে— শপথ নিচ্ছি ভালবাসব
মাতৃভূমিকে সেবা করবে ও রক্ষা করবে— শপথ নিচ্ছি করব

এটি উপদেশ ॥ এটি আদেশ ॥ এটি-ই অনুশাসন ॥

The members of the North Bengal University Council, the Members of the Academic Committee and the University Officers will assemble in the Health Centre at 9-55 A.M. on April 6, 1982.

A Procession will be formed at 10-00 A.M. in the following order.

The Registrar
The Librarian
Controller of Examinations
The Finance Officer
The Inspector of Colleges
Members, Academic Committee
Members of the North Bengal University Council
The Chancellor, the Chief Guest and the Vice-Chancellor.

On the approach of the procession, the assembly shall rise and remain standing until the Chancellor, the Vice-Chancellor, the Chief Guest and the members of the North Bengal University Council, and the Members, Academic Committee have taken their seats.

Invocation—Garlaiding.

The Chancellor declares the Convocation open.

When the candidates for Degrees stand up, the Vice-Chancellor exhorts them as follows :—

I exhort you as follows :—

Pursue higher knowledge — I take the pledge
Do your duty — ,,
Speak the truth — ,,
Show devotion to your parents and preceptors — ,,
Use your knowledge to improve yourself and to better society — ,,
Love your alma mater — ,,
Love and defend your Motherland — ,,

This is the teaching ; this is the command ; this is the special injunction.

The Chancellor requests the Chief Guest to address the Convocation.

The Chief Guest, Prof. B. Ramachandra Rao, delivers the Convocation address.

The REGISTRAR presents the recipients of the University and other Medals.

The VICE-CHANCELLOR says, "Let the candidates degrees be presented".

a) The REGISTRAR presents the candidates for t Ph. D. degree.

b) Prof. N. C. Chowdhury, the Head of the Depa ment of Sociology and Social Anthropology presents the Po Graduate students of Arts and Commerce.

c) Prof. S. N. Sen, the Head of the Department Physics presents the Post-Graduate students of Science.

d) PRINCIPALS of the respective Constituent a affiliated Colleges present their candidates and

e) The REGISTRAR presents the external candidates.

In each case, the candidates while being presented w remain standing.

Presentation of candidates will be in the followi terms—

Sir, I present to you the candidates of the..... .....College, who have passed the Degr Examinations of 1979 and 1980 and pray they may l admitted to the degree of Master of Arts/Master Commerce/Master of Science/Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor Science/Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Education/Bachel of Engineering/Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surge and Bachelor of Law.

THE VICE-CHANCELLOR will then say—

'By virtue of the authority vested in me as VICE-CHAN CELLOR of the University of North Bengal, I admit you t the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy/Master of Arts/Maste of Commerce/Master of Science/Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor Science/Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Education/Bach lor of Engineering/Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor Surgery and Bachelor of Law of this University, and I charg you that ever in your life and conversation you shall prov yourselves worthy of the same'.

THE CHANCELLOR calls upon the VICE-CHANCELLO to deliver his address.

AWARD OF MEDALS ON THE OCCASION OF THE 16TH CONVOCATION, 1982 (FOR EXAMINATION, 1979) Appendix-II

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UNIVERSITY SILVER MEDAL WITH GOLD RIM & CREST

SL.NO.	Name	Subject	Exams.	Position.
1.	Smt. Anita Chakraborty (Rammohun (P) 8)	Philosophy	M.A.	1st Cl. 1st
2.	Sri Ramkrishna Mitra (Rammohun (Ec) 15)	Economics	M.A.	1st Cl. 1st
3.	Sri Mohanprasad Dahal (Rammohun (N) 2)	Nepali	M.A.	1st Cl. 1st
4.	Sri Tankabahadur Subba (Rammohun (SSA) 8)	Sociology & Social Anthropology	M.A.	1st Cl. 1st
5.	Sm. Urmilla Rumba (Rammohun (Geo) 13)	Geography	M.A.	1st Cl. 1st
6.	Sri Asish Kumar Das (Rammohun (Ph) 7)	Physics	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
7.	Sri Abul Hassan (Rammohun (Ch) 10)	Chemistry	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
8.	Sri Syamal Kumar Basak (Rammohun (M) 1)	Mathematics	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
9.	Sri Sanja Dolma Tamang (Dar (Sc) Zoo. 4)	Zoology	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st

UNIVERSITY SILVER MEDAL

10.	Sri Suvash Ch. Dasgupta (Rammohun (E) 11)	English	M.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
11.	Sri Santosh Chakdar (Rammohun (B) 3)	Bengali	M.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
12.	Md. Yusuf Ali (Rammohun (H) 11)	History	M.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
13.	Sri Anil Kumar Chanda (Rammohun (PS) 4)	Pol. Science	M.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
14.	Sri Sankar Kumar Bhaumik (Rammohun (Ec) 22)	Economics	M.A.	1st Cl. 2nd
15.	Sri Arjuncharan Nayak (Rammohun (P) 6)	Philosophy	M.A.	1st Cl. 2nd

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UNIVERSITY SILVER MEDAL

Sl. No.	Name	Subject	Exams.	Position
16.	Sri Deepak Kumar Giri (Rammohun (N) 4)	Nepali	M.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
17.	Sri Biswajyoti Bhattacharya (Rammohun (SSA) 2)	Sociology & Social Anthropology	M.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
18.	Sri Bhabesh Ch. Indra (Rammohun (Com) 9)	Commerce	M.Com.	2nd Cl. 1st
19.	Sri Nikhil Sarkar (Rammohun (Ph) 9)	Physics	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 2nd
20.	Sri Dibakar Sinha (Rammohun (Ch) 5)	Chemistry	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 2nd
21.	Sm. Sipra Mandal (Rammohun (M) 11)	Mathematics	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 2nd
22.	Sm. Sarala Tamang (Rammohun (Geo) 9)	Geography	M.A.	1st Cl. 2nd
23.	Neeru Pradhan (Dar (Sc) Zoo. 7)	Zoology	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 2nd
24.	Sm. Shampa Mitra (Dar (Sc) Bot. 2)	Botany	M.Sc.	2nd Cl. 1st
25.	Sri Subhasis Sarkar (Sushruta - 39)		M.B.B.S.	1st position in M.B.B.S. Examination.

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26.	Sri Shyamal Sarkar (Sushruta -15)		M.B.B.S.	2nd position in M.B.B.S. Examination.

PRIVATE ENDOWMENT MEDALS

Sl.No.	Name	Awarded to	Donor
27.	Tariniprasad Ray Medal	Sri Asish Kr. Das (1st Cl. 1st in M.Sc.(Physics)	Sri Satyendra Prasad Roy
28.	Surendranath Bhattacharyya Medal	Sri Abul Hassan (1st Cl. 1st in M.Sc. (Chemistry)	Sri Anandamay Bhattacharyya
29.	Kiranchandra Bhattacharyya Medal	Sri Syamal Kr. Basak (1st Cl. 1st in M.Sc. (Mathematics)	Sri Kantichandra Bhattacharyya
30.	Abaninath Bhattacharyya Medal	Sri Suvash Ch. Dasgupta (2nd Cl. 1st in M.A.(English)	Sri Anandamay Bhattacharyya
31.	Mukutmani Medal	Sri Ramkrishna Mitra (1st Cl. 1st in M.A. (Economics)	Sri Kalipada Mukutmani
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Sl.No.	Name of the Medal	Awarded to	Position
33.	Uday-Somnath-Ashok Memorial Medal	Sri Ranjan Kr. Choudhuri	M.B.B.S. 1st Professional
34.	Uday-Somnath-Ashok Memorial Medal	Sri Subhasis Sarkar	M.B.B.S. 2nd Professional
35.	Uday-Somnath-Ashok Memorial Medal	Smt. Suvra Choudhuri	M.B.B.S. 3rd Professional
36.	Dr. Amulya Kr. Ghosh Memorial Medal	Sri Prakhar Ch. Das (1st Position in Pathology(M.B.B.S.) 1979.	Dr. Bijon Kr. Ghosh and Dr. Benoy Kr. Ghosh

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UNIVERSITY SILVER MEDAL

Sl.No.	Name	Subject	Exams.	Position
1.	Md. Mazaffarul Islam (Mal (Sc) 1)	Chemistry	B.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
2.	Sri Subrata Guha (Coo (Sc) 10)	Physics	B.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
3.	Sm. Neemlaxmi Shakya (Dar (sc) F. 25)	Zoology	B.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
4.	Sm. Ishani Gupta (Dar (Sc) F. 21)	Botany	B.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
5.	Sm. Krishna Guha (Sili (Sc) F. 4)	Geography	B.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
6.	Sri Rajendra Kr. Singhi (Jal (Com) 6)	Commerce	B.Com	1st Cl. 1st
7.	Sri Debashis Ray. (Jal (C) 25)	Civil	B.E.	1st Cl. 1st.
8.	Sri Alok Basu (Jal (M) 50)	Mechanical	B.E.	1st Cl. 1st
9.	Sri Tapas Banerjee (Jal (E) 17)	Electrical	B.E.	1st Cl. 1st
10.	a) Sri Nagendra Bhowmick (Rammohun (FL) 1)	Law	LL.B.	1st Cl. 1st
10.	b) Sri Suresh Kumar Agarwal (Rammohun (FL) 5)	Law	LL.B.	1st Cl. 1st

UNIVERSITY SILVER MEDAL

11.	Sri Sidhartha Bhattacharjee (Dar - 1)	English	B.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
12.	Sri Kanak Chanda (Coo. 2)	Bengali	B.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
13.	Sri Lalanprasad Gupta (Dar. 13)	Pol. Science	B.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
14.	Sm. Yangchen L. Tshering (Dar. F. 5)	History	B.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
15.	Sri Sangay Yolmoo (Dar. 7)	Nepali	B.A.	2nd Cl. 1st

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Sl.No.	Name	Subject	Exams.	Position
~~16.~~	~~Sri Jagannath Bhattacharya (Coo (Sc) 13)~~	~~Chemistry~~	~~B.Sc.~~	~~2nd Cl. 1st.~~
17.	Sm. Anita Gurung (Dar (Sc) F. 26)	Zoology	B.Sc.	2nd Cl. 1st.
18.	Md. Dabirul Islam (Dar (Sc) 2)	Botany	B.Sc.	2nd Cl. 1st.
19.	Sm. Renuka Barman (Sili (Sc) F. 3)	Geography	B.Sc.	2nd Cl. 1st.
20.	Sri Santosh Kr. Singhi (Jal (Com) 5)	Commerce	B.Com	1st Cl. 2nd
21.	Sri Sisir Kr. Saha (Jal (C) 3)	Civil	B.E.	1st Cl. 2nd
22.	Sri Syamal Bandyapadhyay (Jal (M) 4)	Mechanical	B.E.	1st Cl. 2nd
23.	Sri Subrata Ghosh (Jal (E) 4)	Electrical	B.E.	1st Cl. 2nd
24.	Sm. Malabika Basu (Jal. F. 5)		B.Ed.	1st Cl. 1st.
25.	Sri Biswanath Sarkar (Matha - 3)		B.A. (Pass)	1st position in B.A. Pass with distinction.
26.	Sm. Tshering Wangmo Basi (Kalim (Com) F. 3)		B.Com. (Pass)	1st position in B.Com. Pass with distinction.
27.	Sm. Sibani Das (Coo. (Sc) F. 2).		B.Sc. (Pass)	1st position in B.Sc. Pass with distinction.

PRIVATE ENDOWMENT MEDAL

Sl.No.	Name	Awarded to	Donor
28.	Tarapada Banerjee Medal	Sri Sidhartha Dhattacharjee (2nd Cl. 1st in B.A. Hons. in English)	Late Tarapada Banerjee
29.	Jyotsnamayee Medal	Sm. Archana Chakraborty (Highest marks among the girl's students in B.A. (pass course) with distinction (Jal. F. 275)	Late Tarapada Banerjee
30.	Jyotsnamayee Medal	Sm. Sibani Das (Coo.(Sc) F. 2) (Highest marks among the girl's students in B.Sc. (Pass Course) with distinction.	Late Tarapada Banerjee
31.	First Vice-Chancellor's Medal	Sri Dilip Kr. Sarkar	Prof. B.N. Dasgupta

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Appendix - IV

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

SIXTEENTH ANNUAL CONVOCATION

Address

by

H. E. Shri B.D. Pande,

Governor, West Bengal

and

Chancellor

North Bengal University

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Mr. Vice-Chancellor, Professor Rao, ladies and gentlemen, and students.

It is always a privilege to be in the midst of distinguished educationists, teachers and students specially on a solemn, yet joyous occasion like the Convocation. On your behalf and on mine I would like to thank Prof. B. Rama Chandra Rao, a renowned educationist for accepting the invitation to be the Chief Guest for today's function. His address will not only benefit the University but has been of interest to all who are present here.

Your University is situated at the foot-hills of the great Himalayan range. From the most ancient times to the modern, it has been a source of inspiration to our thinkers and poets. It has attracted the most adventurous people from all parts of the world. Swami Vivekananda described it as "Father of Mountains where Rishis lived, where philosophy was born." You are fortunate to be studying in these beautiful surroundings which are picturesque and ever-green. Such surroundings have an unconscious but beneficial effect on the development of one's personality.

Inspite of rapid growth and developments in different fields, we are facing considerable tension, want and exploitation in society. All these are disturbing to human relationship. Some of these are the inevitable consequence of change in the political, economic and social spheres. It is therefore necessary that the existing value systems be changed and adjusted to the new requirements. Only thus can the gap between material development and intellectual development be reduced for the growth of a balanced personality and in the interest of all. According to the Sixth Five Year Plan document - "Education, broadly perceived as a seamless continuum of life-long learning, is essential for human resource development at every age level. In a package of developmental inputs available to the community, education should form

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an effective means to improve the status and character of living patterns of the people, help intellectual, social and emotional development of the individuals and enable them to meet their basic needs of daily life."

The Vice-Chancellor has already indicated the activities and developments of your University. Like everyone else, the University is also facing financial constraints. There are likely to be many other problems. Our Government is also in a difficult financial position. Despite this, however, it is extending the maximum possible financial assistanceto this University. Recently some additional funds have been released for various purposes. At the same time, there is need for considerable financial discipline so as to get maximum benefits out of the limited resources. Therefore, I would appeal that all efforts be made to avoid wasteful expenditure and make the best use of the existing funds.

This University which is required to meet the needs of higher education of the students and scholars of the districts of North Bengal and Sikkim has a unique contribution to make. The University, besides imparting higher education in the usual subjects, may also carefully examine whether it can introduce a course of interdisciplinary studies for the socio-economic development of North Bengal plains districts. The Planning Commission has already entrusted this University with funds to make a special study of the hill regions of Darjeeling and of Sikkim. Such a study is of paramount importance if we are to preserve the ecology and special life styles of these hill regions. Being situated at the foothills of the Himalayas, the University can also make a study in depth of the special problems and customs of the hill tribes as well as of the people of Coochbehar and Jalpaiguri districts. There is very great scope to study the folk songs, folk stories, folk poems of these areas. Students studying in this University, who are mainly inhabitants of the neighbouring districts and Sikkim should be made aware of the sociological and anthropological background of the people in these areas.

Education does not mean only imparting of information but concerns the whole person. It is necessary that in this process of education, not only has the student's intellect to be stimulated, but his feelings have to be respected, his body nurtured and his will to learn strengthened. This throws a great task on the teachers. The knowledge and learning that is imparted has to be for the benefit of the student as well as society as a whole. The educational system has to be designed in accordance with the requirements of a country and it must have a

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relevance not only to the existing situation but of the future. The endeavour has also to be to prevent wastage of national resources and check furtherance of educated unemployment on a large scale.

Since independence there has been a phenomenal growth in the field of higher eduoation. Many defects and shortcomings have also come to notice which have been commented upon by various commissions and other agencies. Education should not be only for acquiring degrees and diplomas but it should be relevant to the requirements and needs of the society and individual as well. More attention needs to be paid to the middle or higher school level so that students are encouraged to go in for such courses which will enable them to establish and obtain self-employment as far as possible. Proper courses of study for this purpose have to be designed.

The total development of the country is dependent upon planned growth of both urban and rural areas. Each requires equal attention. But their needs are different. In our country there has been a disparity in growth between the rural and urban areas and their people. Can this University, in the midst of a large rural hinterland, make special studies and suggest methodologies which can make for rapid advancement of the rural areas and provide opportunities of gainful employment to the educated? I confess I have no answer, but an active involvement of the teachers and students together may help in finding an answer.

There is a tendency among some of the academic community to remain in seclusion. The general thinking today is that Universities should be a part and parcel of the society around them and its members should identify themselves with its dreams and aspirations. A methodology for such a contact and integration has to be developed.

During the last thirty years we have seen great changes in all spheres of life - political, social, scientific, economic, cultural and so on, some of which could not even be foreseen beforehand. Much more rapid and extensive changes are also likely to occur in the next twentyfive years. It is necessary that the young are prepared to meet the challenges of the future. The syllabus and the academic curriculum have to be so prepared as to suit the changing conditions.

Many of you will be leaving the University shortly and enter into a new world where you will come across many challenges in life. I am sure, you will face them boldly and with a smile and overcome them. I congratulate the recipients of the degrees and diplomas today and I wish all of them a bright future.

Thank you.

JAI HIND.

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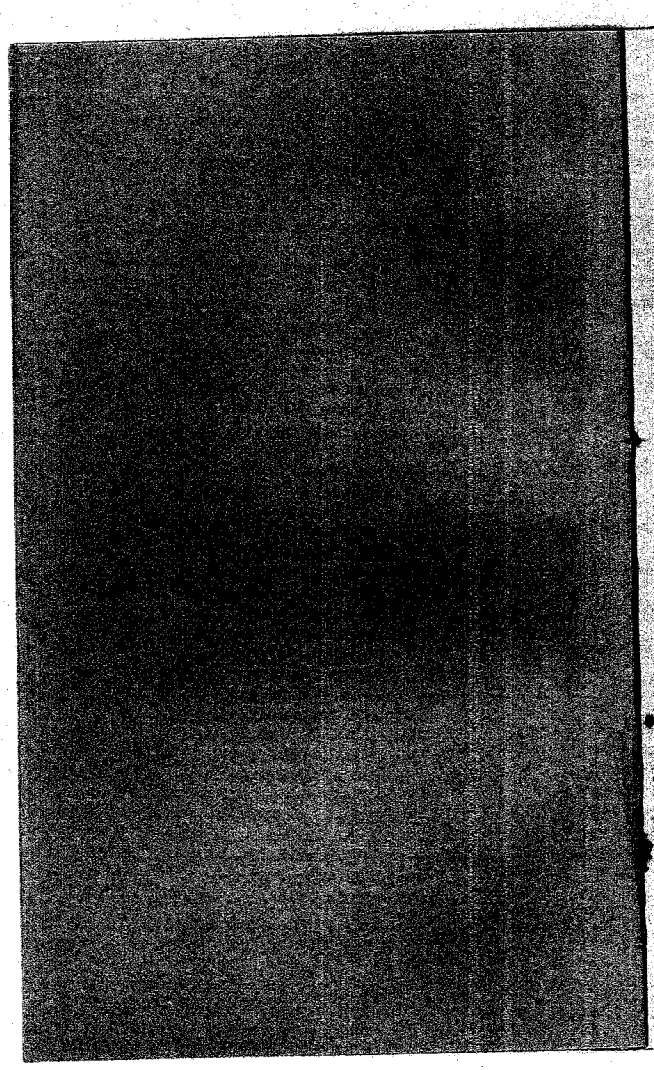

Distinguished Chancellor,
Vice-Chancellor,
Members of the Faculty
Graduates of the year,
Ladies and Gentlemen,

May I take this opportunity of expressing my heartfelt gratitudes to the Chancellor, Vice Chancellor and Faculty Members for inviting me to deliver the convocation address of this highly esteemed university of North Bengal. This is an auspicious occassion for the university, in general, and graduates and post-graduates students, in particular, who will be obtaining their degrees today and would be entering in a new arena of life and work. While awarding them degrees the first thing which strikes me most is about their career prospects, especially at a time when we are confronted with the threatening problem of unemployment and the university degrees do not hold any promise to serve as a passport to job. Nor does the present system of education provide them an adventurous spirit, a self-confidence, faith in one's own resources and the functional capability to start a small scale industry or some business enterprise. Most of our students who have been accommodated in the university system do not have any purpose in life and they are primarily staying in the system because they do not have anything else to do except to find some suitable job in the government or non-governmental agencies. Whenever I visit an institution of higher education, I generally get upset on looking at the grim and gloomy faces of young students because of the poor job opportunities in our developing society. This is understandable because their main motive for obtaining university education is to get some secure and pensionable job preferably in the public sector.

It is rather sad that we have not cared to understand the implications of the university education in terms of man-

making, nation-building and world-making as enunciated by Swami Vivekananda and Sri Aurobindo. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru gave a highly perceptive and incisive definition of the university in a convocation address at the University of Allahabad in 1947. He said. "A university stands for humanism, for tolerance, for reason, for the adventure of ideas and for the search of truth. It stands for the onward march of the human race towards even higher objectives. If the universities discharge their duties adequately then it is well with the nation and the people", Rabindranath Tagore in his memorable poem has viewed the university education in terms of the actualization of maximum human potentials, the emancipation of mind from various fears and the preparation of individual for his voyage to self-discovery, He writes :

Where the mind is without fear and the head is held high;
Where knowledge is free;
Where the world has not been broken up into fragments by narrow domestic walls;
Where words come out from the depth of truth;
Where tireless striving stretches its arms towards perfection;
Where the clear stream of reason has not lost its way into the dreary desert sand of dead habit;
Where the mind is led forward by thee into ever widening thought and action—
Into that heaven of freedom, my Father, let my country awake.

Why we have not been able to operationalize the educational ideas of our thinkers and seers in the educational system during the post-independence period is a serious question which we have to address ourselves today to find out a sound and reasonable answer. Granted that there may not be a simplified prescription to this complex problem, we should not abandon our quest for a new educational alternative. Perhaps this is the right place for posing this issue and we might succeed in locating an appropriate educational alternative along with the operational strategies for overcoming the present-day educational stalemate. I deliberately used the word "right place" because whenever I look at the contribu-

tions of the Bengal State towards the awakening of the political consciousness among the Indian people, providing them a rich cultural ideology and new energy and a driving force for fighting a relentless battle against the colonial rulers during the pre-independent days, I am overwhelmed with the mixed feelings of joy and agony. Joy because at such a critical juncture of the Indian history, the State of Bengal could produce distinguished multi-dimensional personalities like Raja Ram Mohan Roy, Sri Aurobindo, C.R. Dass, Austosh Mookerji, Bankim Chandra Chatterji, Swami Vivekananda, Rabindranath Tagore and Subash Chandra Bose who not only furnished us an ideological framework for the emancipation of the country from foreign domination but they were themselves relentless fighters and revolutionaries and nothing was more dear to them than the freedom of the country. One is deeply moved by the literature produced by these distinguished luminaries of Bengal like Rabindranath Tagore, Bankim Chandra Chatterji, Sri Aurobindo and Swami Vivekananda which explicity or implicity contributed to the cultural renaissance in the country. While the people of other parts of the country were living in complacency and accepting passively the colonial rule, Bengal was struggling for national identity and cultural autonomy. In fact, the national objective and ideals were furnished by the revolutionaries of Bengal to the leaders of other parts of the country.

What depresses me most is why we could not carry forward and appropriately integrate the idealistic ideology, a sense of belonging to the nation, a cultural momentum, an adventurous spirit and an invincible faith in the humanistic values nourished to us by our national elites in our planned developmental programmes for the reconstruction of the country during the post-independence period. Indeed, the entire freedom movement was built on the rich Indian cultural ethos. A set of cultural values that could hold population together were meaningfully employed to harness the energies of masses towards the social and political reforms and cultural revitalization. These values became sufficient cause for the growth of our national ideology and modernization of our socio-economic structure. The pre-independence political

elites drew the symbols from the pragmatism of the Vedas, the logical metaphysics of Upanishads and the karma yoga or the philosophy of positive action as contained in the Gita'. Their idealism was deeply rooted in ethical principles and non-acquisitive forces. For example, Gandhiji always insisted on containing the multiplication of wants of the individual and austerity in our style of living. The current ecological crisis should make humanity pause and think to re-discover the significance of Gandhian ideas to contain the ecological imbalance.

The point which I 'am trying to make is that why we could not incorporate our rich cultural ideology in our socioeconomic development programmes. The process of modernization demands, spontaneous upsurge of values and motives for laying the firm foundations of economic development. In the absence of clearly defined and coherent cultural goals, it is difficult to achieve a balanced and continuous economic growth. The healthy and positive relationship must be willed and worked out. There are enough evicences to substantiate our point of view that in all modern societies the cultural values were the natural concomitants in the process of their industrialization. According to Max Weber, protestantism was the major cultural influence during the formative phase of industrialization. In Russia, it was Bolshevism which served as the fountain-head for carrying out the industrial revolution. The Puritans of England and the Samurai of Japan also exploited both the instinct of non-acquisitiveness and rich moral propensities for economic development. It should not be overlooked that the major determinant of economic growth is not the resource allocation, but optimum use of human development. The economic breakthrough calls for a new deal in emotions: a definite cultural ideology, commitment to work ethic and high moral and intellectual standards. It calls for a decisive shift of resources and power from the parasites to the productive classes. Why could not we employ our rich cultural tradition: this-worldly austerity and ethical impulses to achieve a balanced growth of economy and a rich qualitative life?

Partly the reason of this failure can be located in the role and structure of the elite of our society. This is not the place

to identify the characteristics and qualities of modern elites and compare them with the national elites of pre-independence days, but the point which I intend to make is that modern intellectual and bureaucratic elites have no moorings in the Indian cultural ethos, have acquired contempt for manual and technical type of work and Consequently, they suffer from deep-rooted sense of status anxiety. This loss is serious and is affecting deeply the healthy growth of our polity, society and economy. Unless we are able to recover in our life-styles a sense of belonging to the national ethos, commitment to work ethic, an invincible faith in cultural and humanistic values, a scientific temper, a deep interest in the welfare and love for the down-trodden, I'am afraid we would not succeed in achieving the national goal of an egalitarian social order in the near future.

Perhaps the time has come when we must do ruthless introspection into our planned developmental priorities to find out our major weaknesses in the planning process. The planning was introduced in our country in the early fifties with highly laudable objectives that it would generate a co-ordinated growth in various developmental sectors and facilitate the process of equalization of opportunities by modifying the structural and societal constraints in our society. Apart from enhancing the level of rationality in the process of developmental tasks, there were many other considerations which prompted us to go in for five year planned programmes. Perhaps in our search for planned developmental strategy, we were guided by the experience of East European countries. Through the planning process in all the fields of social and human activities these Countries had been able to achieve dramatic results in organising the state responsibility. A critical analysis of the total planning programme in general, and educational planning in particular, would demonstrate that this process might have helped in the identification of specific projections and the formulation of dynamic decisions but its overall impact in solving the threatening problem of poverty, unemployment, distribution of socio-economic benefits and in accomplishing structural and societal reforms has been marginal. On the contrary, it has perpetuated conservative tendency of *status*

quo and the theoretical and methodological models of social and human development which it recommended were inadequate to the needs and aspirations of people and the environmental situation. The models were built from the apex of the pyramid, showing the way people should develop. It was assumed, that the people would conform to these models but they did not. Because of the inherent defects in the planning process, we could not mobilize and involve our masses in the developmental tasks. What we have witnessed are the glaring disparities between the urban rich and the rural poor and sectoral and regional imbalances in the developmental process. That precisely explains the reason that our planners and policy-makers are in somewhat chastened mood while recommending fresh planning orthodoxies of development.

Looking at the Sixth Five Year Plan document, one is amazed by the fact that over forty-eight percent of population still lives below the poverty-line without any access to modern educational system, social welfare programmes and transport and communication systems, and approximately eighty percent people are still living in an impoverished rural environment and urban slums and are suffering various forms of socio-economic exploitation, deprivation and injustices.

It is sad but it is widely accepted today that whatever socio-economic benefits have occured as a result of planned developmental programmes, its major share has been taken away by the articulate upper middle class and landed gentry and the rural people have been grossly neglected in this imbalanced process of development. This is a serious lapse on the part of our planners and policy-makers to allocate the major financial and manpower resources to the development of urban segment of population at the cost of rural economy. Currently, this imbalance has become a source of tension and is often reflected in various class and caste conflicts which are adversely affecting the productivity of the system.

In the present socio-economic environment, nothing is more important than a radical departure from the existing planned developmental strategies and priorities for accelerating the pace of development of our rural environment and enhancing the quality of the people living under various cons-

traints with the application of science and technology. In fact, both the material and manpower resources of rural areas are awaiting for development. This is a unique challenge and promising opportunity for our scientists, social scientists, technologists and planners to ensure an integrated development of rural environment by developing, designing and fabricating appropriate technologies and training programmes, suitable to the environmental situations and socio-cultural needs of the rural population.

A word of caution is necessary in this regard because the technological and developmental models which we employed during the course of planned developmental programmes were imported from developed societies of the world and I would not be exaggerating that these technological models had been declared obsolete and redundant in their own native habitates because of the emergence of new concept of development in the western developed societies of the world during the early seventies. It is on account of these developmental models that the western society has got under the grip of ecological crisis. Environmental pollution and the degradation of the quality of life. The transplanting of these models on different environmental situation and socio cultural units was bound to generate unbalanced development of socio-economic growth, which our planners and policy-makers could not forsee, let alone quantify. First of all, they have generated a set of socio-psychological conflicts and various forms of alienations, consumerism, unemployment, poverty, deterioration in our standards of life and fragmentation of basic human values which have become a great menace to the healthy growth of our society, and our creative thinkers and functional elites are looking before and after as how to arrest the flow of the impersonal forces which are desecrating aimlessly, yet compulsively in our social environment.

In such a situation, it is necessary for us to design and fabricate appropriate technologies which would ensure an accelerated pace of integrated rural development and improve the quality of life without dislocating the beauty of our flora and fauna. This is a delicate balance which we have to strike thoughtfully and carefully. It may be receptulated that the

deliberations of the Indian Science [illegible] Session held at Waltair, Andhra Pradesh in [illegible] centered around the theme of Science and [illegible] Development. In her inaugral address, the [illegible] Smt. Srimati Indira Gandhi pointed attention to the fact that the drain of talent from village to town is an elder form of brain drain ... no less notable is the economic drain from rural to urban area. She asked that this economic and talent drain from the village to the city be reversed. A working group consisting of representatives of the Department of Rural Development, Agricultural Research and Education (DARE), Science and Technology (DST), Planning Commission and the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) was set up in May, 1976 to select at least one district in each state for initiating an integrated rural development project. The choice of district was based on certain criteria, such as :

(i) economically backward districts that have considerable development potentials;
(ii) districts in which problem of rural unemployment and under-employment are acute;
(iii) districts that already have certain basic developmental infrastructure; and
(iv) districts in which scientific and technological institutions have already begun working.

With the completion of this basic exercise, the overall responsibility for implementing the programme has been entrusted to the Department of Rural Development. In the absence of an evaluatory study on the subject, it would be difficult to say with any degree of authenticity about the performance of this project, but whatever scanty data is available, clearly indicate that we have not been able to achieve considerable success on this front.

In any analysis of the developmental strategies, we cannot afford to overlook the foundamental fact that the higher education is of strategic importance in stimulating economic growth and social change. This tends to drive us to know the direction of educational advances and their implications on educational planning, learning methodologies, testing and evaluation techniques, curricula reforms and the viable growth of educational system in particular, and socio-economic development in general.

Immediately after the attainment of country's independence, the Government of India set up the university education commission under the chairmanship of Dr. S. Radhakrishnan "to report on Indian university education and suggest improvement and expansion that may be desirable to suit the present and future requirements of the country". Following on the recommendation of the *University Education Commission Report (1948-49)*, the University Grants Commission was established as a statutory autonomous organization under the Parliament Act of 1956 to disburse grants and take all such, steps as it may think fit for the promotion and coordination of University education and for the determination and maintenance of standards of teaching, examination and research in universities. The educational activity in the country has witnessed a spectacular growth during the post-independence period due to a combination of factors and has come to be identified as a great leap forward. As against 19 universities and some 450 colleges with a total enrolment of 2,50,000 students at the time of independence, the country has acquired 112 universities, 12 institutions deemed to be universities and 4,722 colleges with a total enrolment of 27,52,437 students as given in the annual report of 1980-81 of the University Grants Commission. The number of students enrolment would have been still higher, had the University Grants Commission not excluded students enrolment in intermediate, pre-university and pre-professional classes from its report.

Though the planning of education was introduced in India with the idea of evolving an effective strategy for the development of educational system, however, the growth has occurred not in response to the planning processes, but under the dictates of socio-political pressures. The educational planners have been primarily concerned with the statistics of growth potential, patterns and conditions of growth but they did little professional exercise how far the development of education is going to bring about the distribution of educational opportunities across different regional or social groups of the population, and how to re-orient and re-organize the edu-

cational system in both structural and substantative terms to make it functionally more efficient and effective? Its main contribution has been to map out a pattern of development that would assure a more or less linear expansion of *status quo*. There is a growing consensus that this lop-sided expansion of higher education in the country has brought the educational system to a critical point. Its implications can seen on the dilution of quality of educational standards, the deterioration of excellence in the styles of teaching, growing student indiscipline and general poverty in the management and administration of universities.

The major problem which is bothering the educational planners and policy-makers, is how to reconcile between quantity and quality of education, and quality and equality of education? Is there any inherent contradiction between them? The advocates of excellence in education believe that if students from impoverished socio-economic backgrounds with poor motivation and inadequate mental preparation are admitted in the system they are bound to spell disaster to the viable growth of the system, as it has happened on the contemporary educational scene. If we follow this assumption, it would mean that we would be keeping students belonging to rural communities and urban slums away from the system of higher education and our objective of equalisation of educational opportunity would remain an elusive dream. Let me tell you a little bluntly that if we keep students belonging to culturally and economically backward communities away from the system, we would not only be only blocking the way to their socio-economic mobility but would be inviting danger to our political and national stability and growth.

The major issue before us is how to promote, encourage and nurture talent drawn especially from the impoverished rural environment and urban slums? We cannot afford the potential talent to remain untapped because he is born in a surrounding where physical facilities of the actualization of his potential do not exist. It is necessary to evolve a mechanism for identifying a talent from these communities and providing him necessary educational and other facilities for the blossoming of his creative genius. It is true that the

National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) has introduced a scheme of science talent search some years ago, but I can say to the best of my knowledge and experience that most of the students selected under this scheme have come primarily from middle and upper classes and hardly any from the poorer sections got a chance. A more flexible and open-ended system is suggested which would be able to draw children especially at an early age especially from the impoverished homes.

In any study of the educational development in the country we should not overlook the fundamental fact, that the system of education which we have got today is a legacy of the colonial rulers in our country. In the name of educational reforms we went on importing textbooks, curricula development models, evaluation techniques and testing tools, educational innovations and experimental models either from the United States or USSR or other European countries during the post-independence period and grafted them on the British system of education. This process of borrowing and following the methods of permutation and combination have resulted in making the system highly complex and bureaucratized. This process has generated a number of socio-psychological conflicts and we are now fruitlessly trying to emancipate ourselves from foreign educational models.

It would be interesting to note that most of our highly innovative educational experiments could not make a dent either in arresting the deterioration in the quality of education or bringing about an improvement in the structure and the institutional framework of the university system. Surprisingly, the implementation of most of these programmes was blocked by the powerful lobbies which have come to dominate in various bodies of the university. The procedure of approving any innovative programme by the university systems has become so complicated and bureaucratized that it takes a long time for any educational reform to go through various procedural formalities, like obtaining of the approval of the academic council, syndicate, senate and court. How to debureaucratize the governance models of our university system so that we could implement the desired educational innovations

and experimental models expeditiously? This is an area which we have to examine in-depth so that the university system becomes more dynamic and open-ended and responsive to the necessary change.

Another major weakness in the system which has currently assumed a considerable threat to the smooth functioning of institutions of higher learning relates to the politicization of campuses. Most of our campuses have become highly politicized and the politics is being brought to the campus environment by various political groups and parties who are using students for the advancement of their political prospects. It is rarely one comes accross students strikes, dharnas, gheraos of the Vice-Chancellor, or the faculty-member by the student community purely on account of the redressal of academic grievances. Most of the students strikes are sponsored by the vested political groups in which students either willingly or un-willingly get involved without knowing what they are fighting for.

This phenomenon is not only confined to the student community but our academic community is no exception to this rule. In fact, the academic community too has become highly politisized by aligning itself with one political party or another for the advancement of its ephemeral interests. It has been observed that it is the academic community which often triggers students power into action and is primarily responsible for the student violence and rampages in campuses. How to introduce the concept of accountability in our campuses is a problem of problems. Currently our academics are answerable to none except in the widest sense of term to the Vice-Chancellor. Can't we evolve a mechanism of rewards and punishments in the educational system? At present there is no method by which a good and excellent teacher can be rewarded and unmotivated teacher is reprimanded and debarred from the profession for his lack of commitment to the professional and intellectual ethics. Most of our teachers consider teaching as a perfunctory and peripheral activity and give importance to the research work in the entire educational endeavour. It is understandable because the system gives importance to research and publication work while determining the promo-

tional mobility of the teacher in terms of his career advancement. Research work, both basic and applied, is absolutely necessary for the extension of the frontiers of knowledge and stimulating the process of industrial development. But research and teaching activities are not opposed to each other rather they complement each other and enrich the entire educational endeavour. We must strike a balance between the research work and the teaching activity in the entire educational process for the healthy growth of the system.

While analysing the direction of educational development, one is often struck by the fact that our planners and policy-makers did not pay adequate attention to the development of human resources. By development of human resources, I mean the acquisition of functional capability accompanied with high degree of moral and intellectual integrity. The first, second and third Five Year Plan carried chapter on 'education' but did not say anything about the manpower or human resources development. It is only in the fourth five year plan that a chapter on education was combined with manpower development. The irony of situation is that while expanding the educational system, the planners did not care to plan it in terms of our manpower needs in the emerging and foreseeble future. The linkage between educational developments and manpower projections was not coherently spelt out even in professional, science and technological courses. This lopsided expansion of education has created a threatening problem of educated unemployment which is posing a danger to the productivity and economy of our country. The educational priorities were so ill-matched that in 1962 on the eve of Chinese aggression, we suddenly discovered serious shortages of our scientific and technological manpower. This discovery led to an expansion of scientific and technological education at an accelerated rate. Since we did not carry out any professional exercise while expanding scientific and technical education, we ran into serious trouble of unemployment problem of engineering graduates and post-graduates in the late sixties and early seventies. We achieved surplus in some areas of highly skilled manpower, but at the medium level we experienced shortages of manpower, and this mis-match in manpower projection has greatly distur-

bed our developmental programmes. The manpower planning should therefore be done seriously while expanding educational facilities for achieving an integrated socio-economic development in the country.

Granted that our growth strategy has brought the system to a critical point but this should not lead to the conclusion that we should halt the expansion of higher educational facilities in the country. But while expanding the system, we must give adequate attention to the quality of educational standards. Hardly four percent of our total population has been accommodated in the system, whereas in the developed societies of the world this percentage is very much higher ranging even from fifteen to twenty percent. What is needed is a balance between quality and quantity, and quality and equality for achieving a harmonious growth of our educational system. This need not be assumed that I am advocating further proliferation of colleges and universities but what I am suggesting is of effective and efficient utilisation of the existing physical facilities. Considering the pressure on the system we have to popularise alternative channels of the education by strengthening 'correspondence courses' and by establishing an Open University in the country. The Open University, London has done a remarkable job in providing educational opportunities to students who could not enter in the formal system of education due to a number of constraints. Even most of the developing societies have been able to establish an Open University in their respective countries. Why can't we expedite the process of establishing an Open University when we have got both hardwares and softwares.

The picture of Indian campus environment may look to be gloomy, but it should not dismay us. I would like to conclude this address with a note of optimism because of my great faith in the educational process. It is only through education that we can bring about a change in the individual behaviour, provide him with a scientific temper, capacity of adventorous spirit, and a self-reliance to face any challenge with firmness and foresight. If education has succeeded in providing you the basic human values and a capacity to rely on your inner resources it has served the necessary purpose.

I congratulate all the graduates and postgraduates who have received degrees, medals and prizes for the distinction conferred on them as a reward for their talent and hard work. Let me exhort you to dedicate yourself to the noble task of applying the knowledge acquired by you to the welfare of mankind, in general, and our fellow countrymen, in particular. On this auspicious occasion, I pray almighty to give you enough inner strength to face the challenges you face in your life. Wherever you are, I do hope that you will work with dedication, zeal and committment in building a new India as visualised by our great seers, thinkers and leaders, like Mahatma Gandhi, Sri Aurobindo, Swami Vivekananda and Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru.

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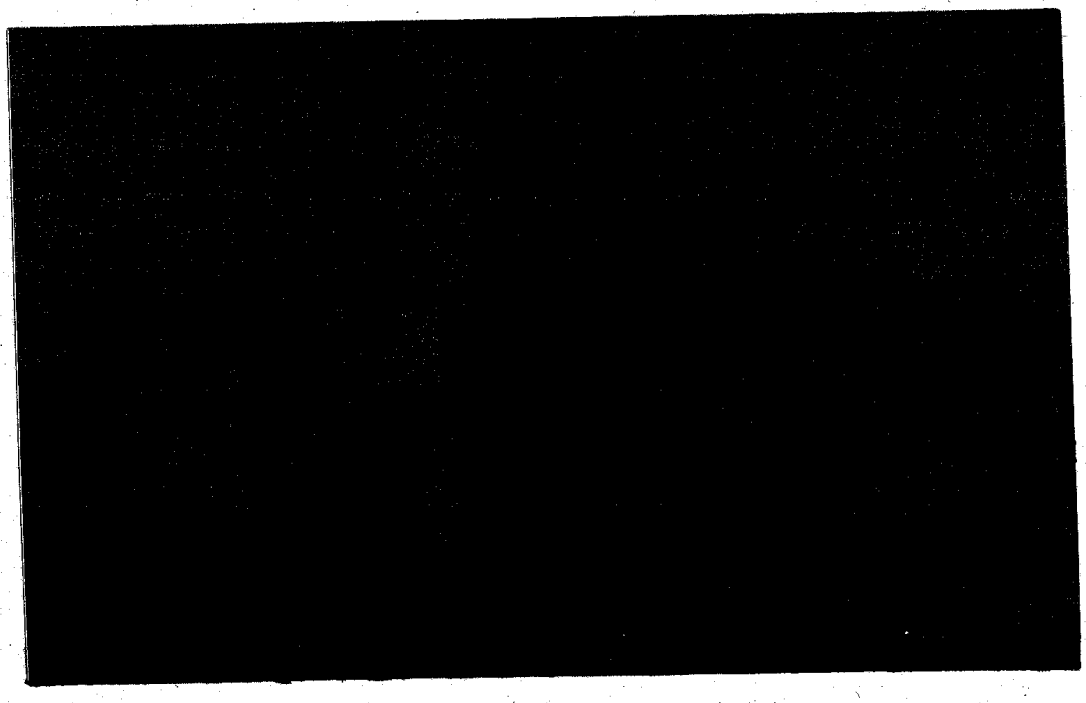

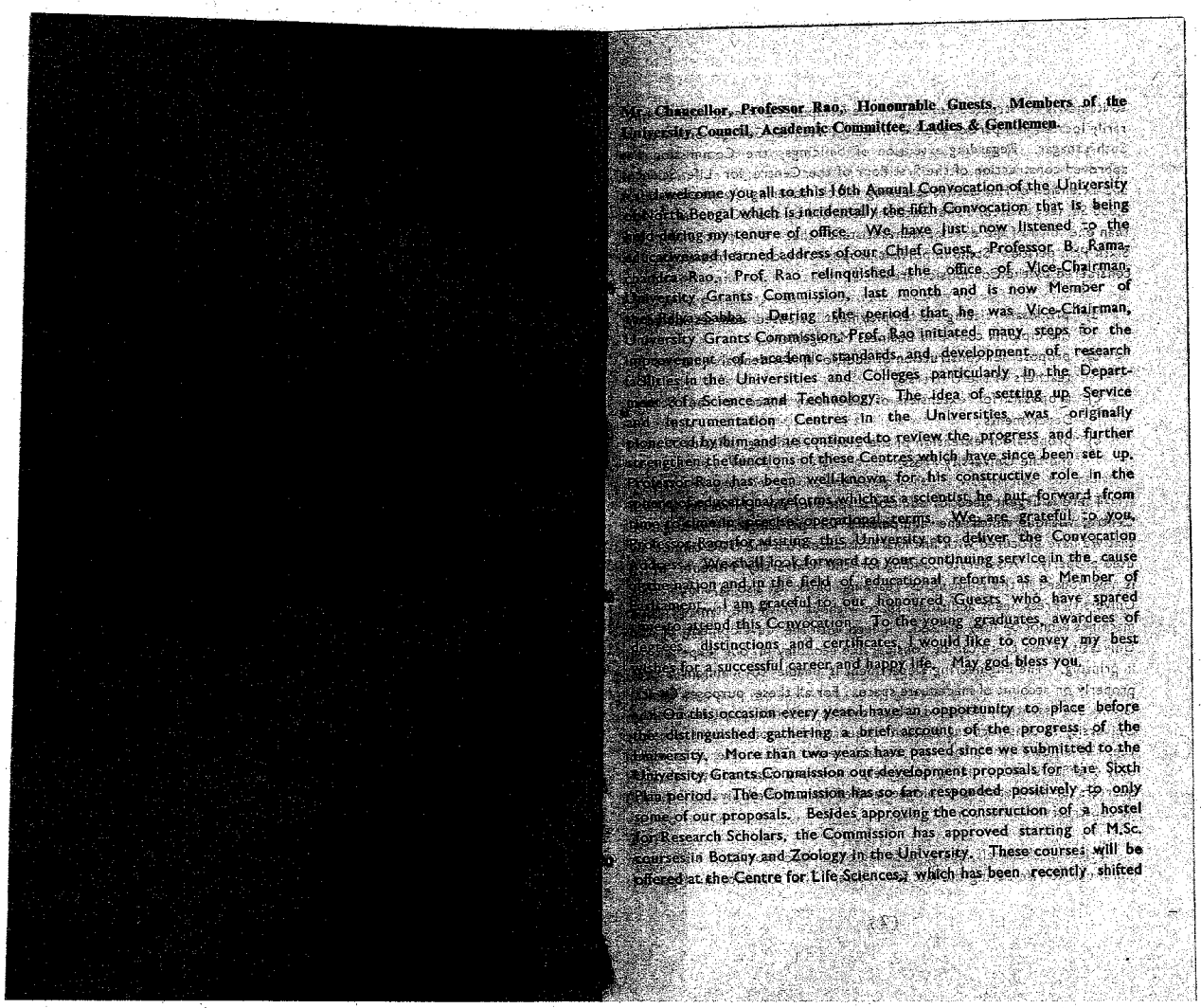

Mr. Chancellor, Professor Rao, Honourable Guests, Members of the University Council, Academic Committee, Ladies & Gentlemen,

I welcome you all to this 16th Annual Convocation of the University of North Bengal which is incidentally the fifth Convocation that is being held during my tenure of office. We have just now listened to the educative and learned address of our Chief Guest, Professor B. Rama Devi Rao. Prof. Rao relinquished the office of Vice-Chairman, University Grants Commission, last month and is now Member of Rajya Sabha. During the period that he was Vice-Chairman, University Grants Commission, Prof. Rao initiated many steps for the improvement of academic standards and development of research facilities in the Universities and Colleges particularly in the Departments of Science and Technology. The idea of setting up Service and Instrumentation Centres in the Universities was originally pioneered by him and he continued to review the progress and further strengthen the functions of these Centres which have since been set up. Professor Rao has been well-known for his constructive role in the academic and educational reforms which as a scientist he put forward from time to time in speeches and operational terms. We are grateful to you, Dr. Rao, for kindly agreeing this University to deliver the Convocation Address. We shall look forward to your continuing service in the cause of education and in the field of educational reforms as a Member of Parliament. I am grateful to our Honoured Guests who have spared time to attend this Convocation. To the young graduates, awardees of degrees, distinctions and certificates, I would like to convey my best wishes for a successful career and happy life. May god bless you.

On this occasion every year I have an opportunity to place before this distinguished gathering a brief account of the progress of the University. More than two years have passed since we submitted to the University Grants Commission our development proposals for the Sixth Plan period. The Commission has so far responded positively to only some of our proposals. Besides approving the construction of a hostel for Research Scholars, the Commission has approved starting of M.Sc. courses in Botany and Zoology in the University. These courses will be offered at the Centre for Life Sciences, which has been recently shifted

I. PREFACE

During the last decade, after the programme of continuing education was initiated in 1970, 21 Universities were selected for the above Programme.

After the introduction of the National Adult Education Programme in 1978, 68 Universities and 705 Colleges are being assisted for the above purpose.

An effort is made to reflect the new needs of the programme in the new guidelines in the light of experience gained in this area.

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II. APPROACH AND FOCUS

1. Universities have been largely concerned with two important functions viz., teaching and research. There is now a growing realisation that the Universities though concerned with higher learning have an obligation to get intimately involved in the development of the community. So far these institutions of higher learning have been accessible largely to limited number of people. In India large masses of people are deprived of any tangible benefits of our educational system as such. Consequently illiteracy, social and cultural deprivations and poverty are on the increase. Thus large sections of our population are denied of the legitimate socio-economic opportunities so essential for removal of inequitable social order.

2. The country which has accepted democracy, socialism and secularism as its national goals to achieve development, cannot afford to restrict the knowledge only to privileged few. Plans to realise their objective of improving the level of living of all and to narrow the inequalities have to look towards a system of education which will achieve the maximum spread of knowledge and skills to less privileged and underprivileged sectors of population. Viewed in this perspective it is imperative that the universities and colleges become sensitive to the learning needs of community and respond to same through relevant learning programmes and tools. The relevance of continuing and extension education, which is the third essential function of universities, in addition to teaching and research should be conceived in a more comprehensive manner. It should comprising all spheres of life. This will require in inorganic linkage between continuing and adult education on one side and teaching and research on the other.

3. In order to facilitate such comprehensiveness and integration, it is necessary to bring all aspects of continuing education, adult education adult education and population education, planning forums etc. under a single umbrella and adopt a uniform nomenclature for the Department, namely, Department/Centre of Continuing Education and Extension work. This Department/Centre should have the same status for the representation on academic bodies of the university, recognising its inter-disciplinary nature and functions. In concrete terms the Director of this Department/ centre should enjoy the same status and privileges of any other unin-disciplinary subject head.

4. The programmes of continuing and adult education and extension work should use non-traditional approaches and innovative methods which will be participatory and work centred in content. The techniques of distance education and mass media should be explored and used. Different resources available with the university and colleges should be used to the fullest for the programmes through continuous inter-action between different departments. The distinct characteristic and features of the institution should leave its mark on the programmes undertaken.

5. It is not adequate that universities alone should participate in this programme; it is imperative to involve colleges in this work to extend this programme to absorb local needs. Particularly, involvement of women's colleges located in tribal/backward/rural areas and professional colleges dealing in areas like medicine engineering, teachnology, agriculture, home science, nursing, pharmacy, law education, etc. should be encouraged.

The programme of continuing and adult Education and extension work should have interalia, following objectives which are based on approach and focus of the programme indicated above.

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III. OBJECTIVES

1. To enable the universities to establish the necessary linkage with the community with a view to fostering social change through meaningful relationships and inter-actions, which are mutually beneficial by offering needs based and relevant educational programmes that may ultimately facilitate self-reliance.

2. To provide opportunities for disseminating knowledge in all walks of life in different segments of population to enable individuals and groups to fill up the gaps in their intellectual growth, professional and technical competence and understanding of contemporary issues.

3. To cater to the felt needs of all sections of society but specially to the needs of the less privileged and under privileged sections in order to secure their effective participation in development process.

4. To enrich higher education by integrating continuing and adult education programmes and extension work in the system and thus provide opportunities to remove its isolation.

5. To provide an opportunity to the faculty and the students to an exposition of field experiences and to sensitize themselves with the problems and realities.

6. Faculty and student participation in Extension Research and Action-Research in selected Areas in relation to major problems of development in co-operation with Government.

IV. PROGRAMMES

Programmes of continuing and adult education should be tailored to the felt needs and requirements of different target groups. The programmes could be of a general or professional nature or of a specialised nature according to the needs to be served including functional literacy and numeracy. With this general goal in view universities and colleges should identify and adopt areas or communities and though continuing education and extension activities, extend the benefits of knowledge and skills through their physical and human resources, to fulfil the new obligation.

The programmes can be planned by the Department of Continuing Education and Extension work at the university or the college independently or in collaboration with the academic departments of the university, voluntary organisations, industries, or other agencies whose co-operation is essential. However, the academic input would be the responsibility of the University Department, or the college and should not be left solely to an outside agency. When programmes are planned in co-operation with other academic departments of the university the academic inputs should generally come from the academic departments and the organisation and co-ordinating inputs should be the responsibility of the department of Continuing Education and Extension work. The models for curriculum, linkage would differ from institution to institution depending on the thrust adopted.

The programmes can broadly be conceived into four categories :

A. Awareness and development of general interest in contemporary affairs.

B. Imparting functional literacy and numeracy, post-literacy and supplementary education through non-formal programmes.

C. Imparting and improving skills and professional through special training.

D. Developing curricular linkages with field and action.

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The scope of each of the above categories is amplified hereunder illustratively.

A. Awareness generating and general interest programmes should be developed with a view to :-

- help people become increasingly aware of current and social problems in contemporary world.
- promote the social, economic, literary, cultural and intallectual enrichment of the community.
- organise activities with reference to special interest groups like youths, housewives, retired people, age etc. to enable them to make fruitful and productive use of their time.

B. Development of basic education and skills through

- social awareness and motivational programmes
- functional literacy and numeracy courses
- post literacy programmes
- skill and craft development courses
- supplementary activities to motivate the community.

C. Imparting and improving skills and professional know-how through -

- developing vocational skills and professional competence
- creating opportunities for inservice and refresher training to help updating academic and professional knowledge in ordor to keep pace with rapid changes.
- training programmes for industrial workers, technicians, vocations, and staff and administrative, personnel, etc.
- developing such skills as would generate self-employment and self-reliance
- offering remedial/bridge programmes for students, teachers parents etc.

D. Developing curricular linkages by -

- offering training programmes for different types of personnel for continuing and adult education programmes.
- modulate extension programmes for each subject discipline to facilitate its integration in the curriculum.
- involving students in integrated programmes of area development or community development as a part and parcel of their learning process.

Target Groups

The target groups for which the programmes are to be organised could be identified on the basis of the surveys. While doing this, as the resources of the universities are limited, it would be advisable to organise programme among the communities, groups of people and individuals in areas close to the universities and colleges instead of distant areas.

With regards to the target groups belonging to the less privileged and under privileged and under privileged sections of the society some suggestions by way of an illustration are given below :

- Women, in particular women of rural and slum areas
- Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes
- Drop-outs
- Unemployed and out of school youth

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- Handicapped
- Workers in the unorganised sectors
- Works in the organised sectors
- Teachers, teaching primary, secondary and handicapped children
- University students from under privileged rural groups and from slums.

With regard to other target groups, these could cover any groups, whose need is identified by the University or the college.

V. Organisation set-up of Department/Centre of Continuing Education and Extension Work :

Continuing Education Programmes may be organised by the University by setting up a new Department/Centre or by Strengthening the work at an existing Department.

The Department/Centre of Continuing Education and Extension work would be a non-vacation, academic department and will function under the direction of the Vice-Chancellor.

Continuing education does not require a faculty in the traditional sense; nor a structured 'Board of Studies' and hence the constitution of an Advisory Board is recommended.

The Department/Centre for Continuing Education and Extension work should have both core and supporting staff.

The expertise in the subject area should be drawn from the University departments or from outside on part-time basis or through payment of honorarium as necessary.

The core staff of the Department/Centre for Continuing Education and Extension Work will consist of :-

Designation	Scale
Director	Rs. 1500-60-1800-100-2000 plus allowances
Assistant Director	Rs. 1100-50-1600 plus allowances
Project Officer	Rs. 700-40-900-EB-40-1100-50-1300 plus allowances

If a Professor/Reader/Lecturer is appointed as Director, Assistant Director/Project Officer, the person concerned will be permitted to carry the scale and salary drawn.

The supporting Staff shall consist of stenographer, Clerk Typist, Accounts Clerk and Technical Assistants in the scales approved by the University concerned.

An Organisational charge clarifying the set-up is enclosed.

Advisory Committee on Continuing Education and Extension Work at University level.

Constitution :-

1. The Vice-Chancellor, Ex-Officio-Chairman
2. One member to be nominated by the Executive Council from amongst its members on the academic council.
3. Two members of the community/voluntary organisation industries/ women's organisations from the university area to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor.
4. Three principals to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor in rotation.

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5. Two Heads of University Departments and teachers to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor.

6. The University Librarian

7. The Dean of Students/Director of students welfare

8. Two experts to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor

9. Any other expert as required for specific projects to be co-opted by the Vice-Chancellor/Committee for the purpose.

10. A representative of State Govt.

11. The Director of Continuing Education and Extension work. Member Secretary

Functions of the Advisory Committee

1. To make recommendations regarding the overall planning and organisation of programmes of continuing education and extension work including adult education, population education etc.

2. To review from time to time the work undertaken by the Department of Continuing Education and Extension work.

3. To prepare the budget estimates of the Department to be recommended to the Executive Council.

4. To make recommendations to the Executive Council regarding the organisational structure and the staffing pattern of the Department in the light of UGC Guidelines.

5. To adopt the Annual Report of the Department/Centre

6. To review the objectives and functions of the Department/Centre from time to time and make recommendations in the matter to the executive council.

7. Wherever necessary, to co-ordinate work with the extra-mural board.

8. To make recommendations of any other matter related to Continuing, adult Education, extension work, etc. and matters referred to the Committee from time to time by the Executive Council and the other authorities of the University.

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NOTE: The Constitution may be modified to suit the needs of each University and will have to be broad-based to give it a flexible approach.

VI. Functions of Departments/Centres of Continuing Education and Colleges:

A. Departments/Centres

The main functions of Departments of Continuing Education during the past years were to develop and offer programmes and courses, co-ordinate the work of adult education after its introduction and in some universities offer training in the field. With the expansion of activities under continuing education and the involvement of colleges under this programme, the focus of activities has shifted. In order to meet the new needs while continuing the erstwhile programmes, a few selected university departments will be identified to initiate new steps like -

- Setting up curriculum development cells with a two-fold purpose.

a) Linking curriculum with extension through a process of restructuring courses, instituting certificate or diploma courses for training a cadre of staff and workers for continuing and adult education and extension work.

b) developing need based courses on an on-going basis and formulate a 'course bank' as a result of feed back received from colleges and communities where programmes are offered to enable colleges to draw courses from the bank by adopting them to the local needs.

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- Guiding newly selected colleges of the University to set up continuing education cells and undertake programmes, conduct surveys, etc. and having continuous dialogues and consultations with them.
- Co-ordinating the work undertaken at different colleges and monitoring and evaluation their programmes.
- Preparation of materials and acting as a resource centre for the needs of the colleges with reference to books, slides, filmsand other available audiovisual materials; also establish a documentation unit for reference purpose.
- Undertaking surveys and researches an identified areas which would help in the growth of the subject and field area of continuing education.
- Continue to offer programmes at university level and collaborate with university academic departments and also develop institutional linkages in organising programmes.

Colleges

- Identifying the neighbourhood and the learning sections of the community it would like to serve, keeping in view the available physical and human resources.
- Identifying the needs of the community the college, desires to serve.
- Conducting programmes at the institution so as to have maximum utilisation of physical facilities or going into the community to offer programmes thrust of the programme should be need based for neighbourhood community, adult learners, deprived sections and professional groups.
- Co-ordination and inter-linking with industries, other organisations and agencies for this work.
- Disseminating information about programmes to be offered on a continuous basis through publicity and other measures to maintain the tempo.
- Involving as many teachers and students as possible in the developmental activities in the community.
- Review and self assessment of the programme undertaken.

VII. Financial Pattern

Financial assistance from the Commission will be available on the following basis during the Plan period :

A. Department/Centre

(1)	Staff support (Core and Administrative as per guidelines)	100%
(2)	Programmes	75%
(3)	On-going adult education programmes, including staff for two years	Same basis as hitherto
(4)	Other items	As may be approved
(5)	Special Programmes	- do -

A proposal received for 'Seed Money' to formulate proposal will be considered.

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B. College :

(1) Administrative Support	Within a ceiling of Rs. 3000/- p.a.
(2) Adult Education on-going programmes including instructors etc. for two years.	Same basis as hitherto
(3) Programmes	75%

A college eligible to receive basic grant would be eligible for receiving financial assistance for Continuing Education and Extension Work. A proposal received from a college for 'Seed Money' to prepare the project and needs will be considered. State Govt. should be approach to take over the recurring liability of the programme after the UGC assistance ceases.

VIII. Monitoring & Evaluation & Research

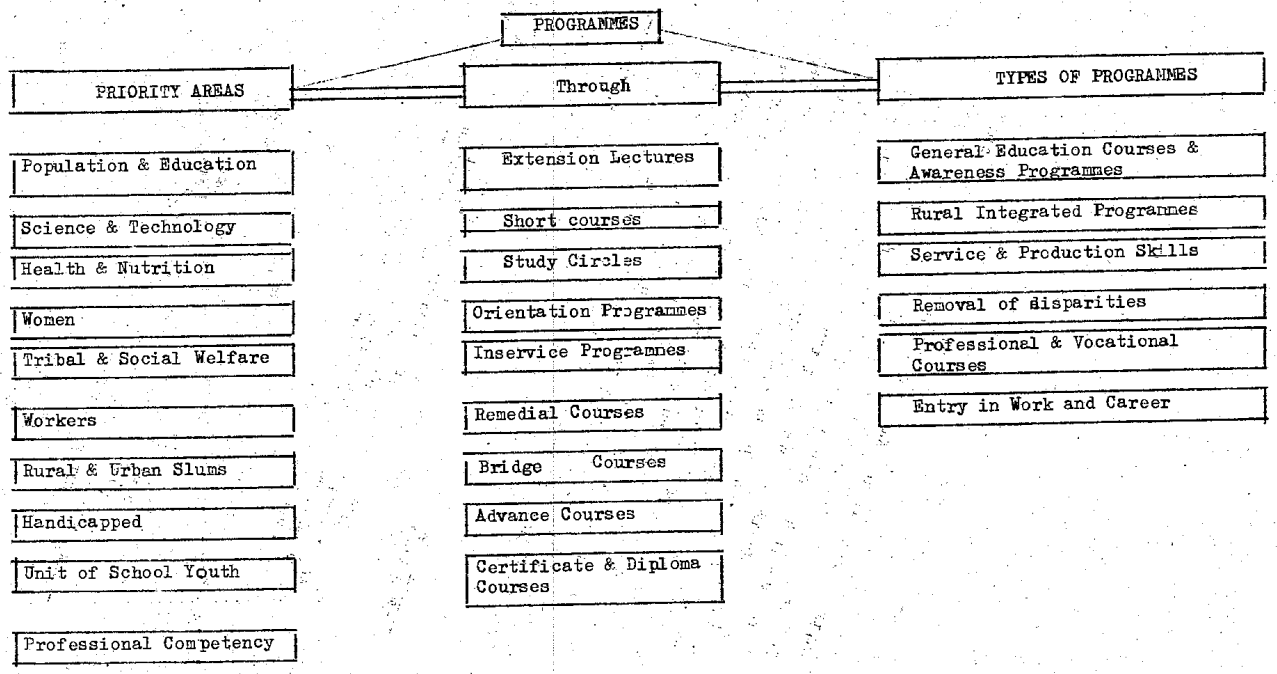
The Universities will monitor and evaluate their own programmes and the colleges.

The UGC will encourage universities to undertake continuous sustained and sequential research concerning the various aspects of adult, continuing & extension education like curriculum methods, evaluation with a view to developing and improving the content methods and practice of adults, continuing and extension education.

ANNEXURE- I

ADULT EDUCATION :

The education of Adults has received very low priority so far. But in view of the fact that it yields and early dividends, it should be accorded the highest priority in the years ahead and even among adults, the education of the large number of poor and illiterate persons should receive the utmost attention. The main objectives of this programme should be to educate and mobilize the masses and to involve them meaningfully in national development. It should also strive to make all adults (Particularly in the age group 21-35) functionally literate, and lay the greatest emphasis on the non-formal education of youth (age-group 15-21) A massive programme of motivating adults and enthusing and training voluntary workers and institutions will have to be developed for the purpose.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Study Circles
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Bridge Courses
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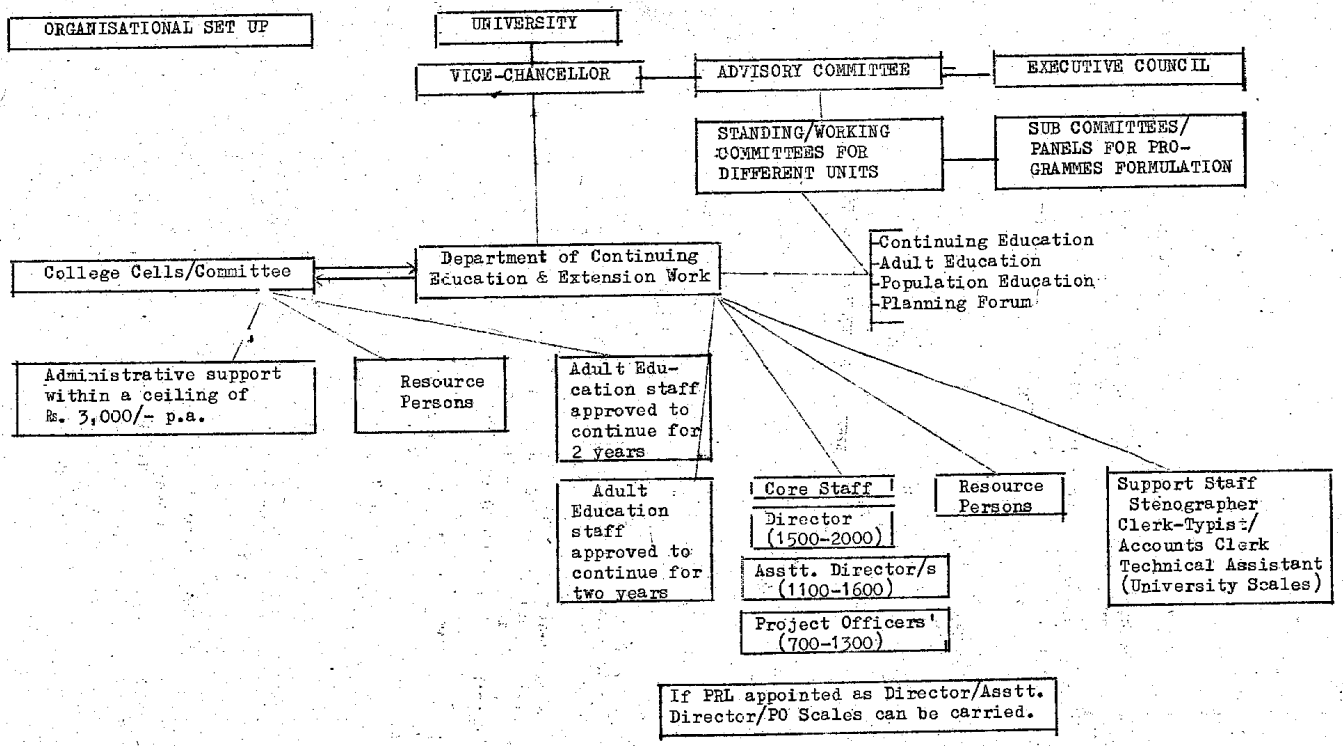
ORGANISATIONAL SET UP
UNIVERSITY
VICE-CHANCELLOR
ADVISORY COMMITTEE
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL
STANDING/WORKING COMMITTEES FOR DIFFERENT UNITS
SUB COMMITTEES/ PANELS FOR PRO-GRAMMES FORMULATION
College Cells/Committee
Department of Continuing Education & Extension Work
Continuing Education
Adult Education
Population Education
Planning Forum
Administrative support within a ceiling of Rs. 3,000/- p.a.
Resource Persons
Adult Education staff approved to continue for 2 years
Adult Education staff approved to continue for two years
Core Staff
Director (1500-2000)
Asstt. Director/s (1100-1600)
Project Officers' (700-1300)
Resource Persons
Support Staff
Stenographer
Clerk-Typist/ Accounts Clerk
Technical Assistant (University Scales)
If PRL appointed as Director/Asstt. Director/PO Scales can be carried.

EXTENSION :

If the University system has to discharge adequately its responsibilities to the entire educational system and to the society as a whole, it must assume extension as the third important responsibility and give it the same status as research and teaching. This is a new and extremely significant area which should be developed on the basis of high priority. As can be easily imagined, the extension programme of the University system will fall into two broad categories.

1. Extension Services to Schools and Colleges :

The Universities should work with the colleges which, in turn, should work with the secondary and elementary schools in their neighbourhood and help them to improve standards by in-service education of teachers, sharing of facilities, provision of enrichment programme for students and discovery and cultivation of talent. The development of a proper Research and Development (R & D) programme for the education system is also a special responsibility of the Universities.

2. Extension Service to the Community :

The University system also has a great responsibility to the society as a whole. All universities and colleges should develop close relationships of mutual services and support with their local communities, and all students and teachers must be involved in such programmes as a integral part of their education. The National Service Scheme (N.S.S.) programme should be expanded and improved, ultimately to cover all students. The fundamental purpose of these and other student programmes should be to implant a spirit of cooperation and social commitment inter-related to moral development. It should be the obligation of the teaching community to give extension lectures to interpret recent trends in their fields to the community, to create scientific awareness, to participate in adult education and Workers' education programme etc. Universities can also help in the preparation of developmental projects for the community around them, including the rural community. Such involvement will also help in bringing greater relevance into the courses at the undergraduate and the postgraduate levels and into the research programmes.

ANNEXURE II

SUGGESTED PROGRAMMES FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION UNDER DIFFERENT CATEGORIES

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GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES

The Universities may like to organise courses in Humanities, Social Sciences and Sciences, to enable the average citizen to keep up-to-date to understand public issues, and the significance or progress in the economic, social and scientific fields. These will be self-contained courses spread over varying periods of time and may include lectures by specialists extension lectures series, etc. The lectures could be supplemented by background materials, bibliographies and illustrated matter.

PROFESSIONAL COURSES:

Professional Institutions and universities concerned with medicine, engineering, agriculture, home science, pharmacy nursing etc. could organise professional courses in the areas of their specialisation. The courses should aim at improving professional ability of the learners to enable them to know the latest developments in their fields and to apply them in their practical work.

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COURSES IN HUMAN RELATIONS, LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT SKILLS :

These courses would interest not only professional people but also others who are engaged in organised activity which may require certain common skills for taking decision, analysing issues, proparing and supervising the implementation of projects. Courses for parliamentarians and legislators and people in executive positions in various democractic institutions would also have relevance to this programme. The Technique of discussions and examination of actual situations and problems could be used profitable in conducting these courses.

PROGRAMMES FOR WORKERS' EDUCATION:

It is generally understood that productivity and industrial growth depend considerably upon the conscious and willing participation of industrial and rural workers as much as on general consciousness about the development problems of the community. The success of the labour movement also depends on enlightened leadership imbused with a high sense of social responsibility. Universities can play their role in the continuing education of workers by offering short-term and part-time courses on such subjects as industrial relations, labour and industrial laws, history of trade unions and a whole range of background economic and social studies. Such programme can more profitably be taken up by universities situated in highly industrialised areas where the leaders of industry are willing to cooperate and offer proper facilities for the programme.

TRAINING OF PERSONNEL:

Some universities may consider the introduction of diploma and degree courses in continuing education leading to possible specialisation and covering padagogies, communication and sociology. Such courses would include those who are engaged in continuing education activities and also those who wish to specialise for such jobs.

PROGRAMMES FOR THE RURAL COMMUNITY :

There would be a great advantage in establishing contact between the university campus, its staff and students on the one hand and the rural community on the other, by organising appropriate courses for them. Such courses will very according to the requirements and needs of the rural people in the neighbourhood. The programme should concentrate on skills relating to the vocation of the adult villager, his understanding of the democratic process and social change. Those courses could also include orientation of the rural people to the Constitution and law of the land policies and development programmes of the country.

A chart indicating priority areas requiring focus is enclosed.

ANNEXURE III

DETAILS OF QUALIFICATIONS, FUNCTIONS, ETC. CORE STAFF

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Director of continuing Education & Extension Work.

Qualifications & Experience :

(a) First or Second Class Master's Degree of an Indian University or an equivalent qualification of a foreign university in adult education/special sciences/social work.

(b) A research degree of the doctorate standard in any of the social sciences, education adult education or on the basis of review of published research carried out.

(c) About ten years experience in programme planning, administration and teaching.

(d) Persons with experience in community development projects with emphasis on adult/non-formal education will be preferred.

NOTE: Conditions of experience and/or qualifications for the post may be relaxed in very special cases for very experienced persons if suitably qualified candidates are not available, on the recommendation of the Selection Committee.

Salary scale Rs. 1500-60-1800-100-2000/- plus admissible allowances. (If a professor holding a substantive post is selected, from the same university he/she will be permitted to carry the scale and salary and other benefits).

Job Specifications :

1. Overall administrative charge of the Department of Continuing Education and Extension Work including population education, planning forum, etc. under the Vice-Chancellor. Supervising the work of the staff and the functioning of the Department. Guiding and assisting the colleges and departments undertaking continuing and adult education programmes and activities related to continuing and extension work.

2. Planning the programmes of continuing education and extension work under the guidance and in consultation with the Working/Standing Committee and Advisory Committee of Continuing Education. Implementing programme with co-operation of faculty members of the various departments of the University and Colleges and other organisations.

2. (a) Developing courses/programmes for continuing education.

3. Looking after work related to advisory committee of continuing education and extension work and its follow up, etc.

4. Implementation of the programmes of adult education population education and other courses conducted under the Department as decided from time to time and maintaining public relations with mass-media and other who be associated with the programme.

5. Monitoring and evaluation of the programmes of continuing education and extension work and non-formal programmes undertaken from time to time, undertaking studies, serveys and investigations pertaining to continuing education, adult education and extension work, approved by the University.

6. Teaching some of the courses in the discipline of continuing education and adult education when introduced.

7. Teaching some of the courses undertaken the programme of continuing education and extension work if pertaining to his/her specialisation.

8. Anyother/work related to the Department and its functions as may be assigned by the Vice-Chancellor from time to time added to the Department.

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Assistant Director of Continuing Education and Extension work

QUALIFICATION & EXPERIENCE:

(a) Postgraduate Degree at least in the Second Class in one of the Social Sciences/Social work/Adult Education or an equivalent qualification of a foreign university. A person with a doctorate in any of these areas will be preferred.

(b) Experience of research, teaching and/or field work of at least 2 years experience of field work or extension work will be preferable and experience of teaching and research work will not be necessarily essential. The requirement of experience should not be more than two years.

(c) Salary Scales: Rs. 1100-50-1600 plus admissible allowances.

(If Reader holding a substantive post is selected from the University concerned he/she will be permitted to carry the scale and salary and other benefits).

Job Specifications :

1. Assisting the Director in Administrative work and in planning, developing and executing of programmes and if necessary teaching some of the courses when the discipline of Adult Education is started.

2. Teaching some of the courses undertaken under the programme of continuing education and extension work.

3. Assisting in studies, surveys, etc. undertaken by the department pertaining to the work of continuing education, adult education, extension work and non-formal education.

4. Assisting in evaluation of the programme of continuing education and extension work.

5. Assisting in the work of non-formal or extra-mural education that may be taken up by the University.

6. Any other work related to the Department and its functions as may be required to be added from time to time.

Project Officer-Continuing Education & Extension Work

Qualifications & Experience :

Postgraduate degree in Second Class in Social Work, Social Sciences, Adult Education with two years experience in community work/field work. Requirement of experience will not be necessary if the candidate has necessary aptitude for this work.

Salary scale Rs. 700-40-900-EB-40-1100-50-1300 plus admissible allowances (if a lecturer holding a substantive post is selected from the University concerned. He/She will be permitted to carry the scale and salary and other benefits).

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Job Specifications :

Project Officer has four broad areas of work:

1. Identifying needs of the area, training and field work.
2. Supervision and Co-ordinating work of different units/Centres.
3. Public Relations - contacts with massmedia and community resources.
4. Evaluation - Surveys of areas where work is going on, feed back, follow-up etc.

Project officer for population Education

Qualifications & Experience :

Master's degree in population Education/Demography or Social Science with specialisation in demography with experience of Population Education and/or Family Planning Education.

Scale Rs. 700-1300(700-40-900-EB-40-1100-50-1300)

Job Specifications :

Same as for project officer but relating generally to the work to be undertaken for population education.

NOTE: All posts under the Department of Continuing Education and Extension Work will be non-vocational posts and the work-load and timings would be similar to persons holding administrative positions depending on the need of the Department.

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Annexure- VII

CHANCELLOR'S SECRETARIAT

From : Sm. J. S. Ray
Deputy Secretary to the
Government of West Bengal.

To : Dr. Prosad Kumar Ghosh
Vice-Chancellor
North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur
P.O. North Bengal University
Siliguri
Dt. Darjeeling.

No. 418(14)-Edn.(U) Dated Calcutta, the 26th/29 April '82

S i r,

I am directed to send herewith a copy of the decision arrived at the conference of the Vice-Chancellors with the Chancellor on the 5th March 1982, as approved by the Chancellor for your information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- J. S. Ray
Deputy Secretary

Decision arrived at the conference of the Vice-Chancellors with the Chancellor held on 5th March 1982 at Raj Bhavan, Calcutta.

Members present :

1. Shri B. D. Pande
   Chancellor.

2. Minister-in-charge of
   Higher Education.

3. Dr. R. K. Poddar
   Vice-Chancellor
   Calcutta University.

4. Dr. M. M. Chakraborty
   Vice-Chancellor
   Jadavpur University.

5. Dr. Ramaranjan Mukherjee
   Vice-Chancellor
   Burdwan University

6. Dr. Prosad Kumar Ghosh
   Vice-Chancellor
   North Bengal University.

7. Dr. Devi Pada Bhattacharyya
   Vice-Chancellor
   Rabindra Bharati.

8. Dr. S. K. Mukherjee
   Vice-Chancellor
   Kalyani University

9. Dr. L. N. Mondal
   Vice-Chancellor
   Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya.

10. Prof. B. C. Mukherjee
    Vice-Chancellor
    Vidyasagar University
    Midnapore.

11. Shri G. S. Banerjee
    Secretary
    Education Department
    Government of West Bengal.

12. Shri G. Venkataramanan
    Secretary
    Finance Department
    Government of West Bengal.

13. Shri P. V. Shenoi
    Secretary
    Agriculture Department
    Government of West Bengal.

14. Shri L. R. K. Prosad
    Secretary to the Governor
    West Bengal.

The conference started with the itemwise discussion of the agenda of the meeting. The items of agenda discussed and the decisions on these items are stated below :-

ITEM NO. (1) - Maintenance of examination schedule and measures for examination reform.

The following decisions were taken under this item :-

(a) Every University authority would draw up and announce at the beginning of the academic year a time table for holding of all examinations. The time table so drawn up should not be changed under any circumstances.

(b) Steps should be taken by the universities to publish the results within three months from the dates of examinations.

(c) The Vice-Chancellors may approach the State Government for assistance towards maintenance of discipline in the examination halls whenever necessary.

(d) On a review of the position in respect of holding of examinations by the universities and the publication of results thereof, the back-log was found to vary from six months to two years at both undergraduate and post-graduate levels.

It was decided that the back-log in holding all examinations should be cleared by December 1983, by holding more than one examination in an academic year, if necessary.

(e) The Chancellor emphasised the need for simplification of examination system at the undergraduate level and introduction of objective test on a limited scale to begin with. He observed that this matter might be considered by the Advisory Committee of Vice-Chancellors and the Education Department.

(f) It was decided that the Universities should fill up all existing vacancies in the Controller's Department as early as possible pending consideration by Government of the overall staffing pattern of the Controller's Department on the basis of the recommendation of the Advisory Committee of the Vice-Chancellors.

The universities may consider the setting up of regional offices for speedier distribution of answer scripts and collection of evaluation reports.

ITEM NO. (2) - Maintenance and improvement in the academic environment in universities and colleges.

Following decisions were taken on this item :-

(a) The universities should try to achieve 200 teaching days per academic year and vacation and holidays may be regulated on this basis. The same norm should be followed as far as possible in respect of affiliated colleges.

(b) There should be a system in the university of collecting information about the classes that are held by a teacher in an academic year and performance of the students. The information may be collected at the end of each academic year in the form of a statement from every teacher of the universities and affiliated colleges indicating classes taken by the teacher concerned against the number of classes allotted to him, the percentage of pass in respect of students in the concerned subject in the university examination as compared to the university average.

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If the teacher has in addition to taking classes published any paper/book during the year that may also be indicated in the statement.

(c) The Advisory Committee of the Vice-Chancellors may consider laying down guidelines for uniform pattern of duties, responsibilities and code of conduct for the non-teaching staff of the universities and affiliated colleges.

(d) Discipline has to be maintained not only in the university campus but also in the hostels of the students. It was decided that no student should be allowed to stay in a college or a university hostel for more than five years.

ITEM NO. (3) - Implementation of new University Acts.

It was decided that the Vice-Chancellors might examine the difficulties or anomalies that might arise in the process of the implementation of the Act and propose amendment to the Chancellor, if necessary.

As regards provision in the new Acts relating to preparation of budget estimate it was decided that the Advisory Committee of the Vice-Chancellors might study the issue at length and come up with their recommendations.

ITEM NO. (4) - Release of grants to the universities and rationalisation of staffing pattern.

It was decided that the State Government might consider release of grants to the universities in respect of incomplete projects which are being jointly financed by the State Government and the U.G.C.

Chancellor observed that adequate provision should be made for maintenance of works completed from Plan provision.

ITEM NO. (5) - Increased hostel facilities for students and measures for improvement of the management of the hostels, students amenities etc.

Following decisions were taken under this item :-

(a) Construction of hostels may be given priority particularly in Universities of residential character. The State Government should provide financial assistance in all the projects sanctioned by the U.G.C.

(b) Adequate grants should be provided towards subscription to journals, periodicals, etc. The Chancellor emphasised the need of proper screening of such requirements to avoid duplication.

(c) The consensus of the conference was for construction of multipurpose Halls by the universities which could be used both as autitoria and examination Halls to ensure optimum utilisation of such buildings.

(d) For projects like hostel buildings, housing projects on rental and ownership basis, staff quarters, etc. the Chancellor requested the Vice-Chancellors to explore the possibilities of obtaining Institutional Finance with guarantee from the State Government.

(e) Regarding student canteen subsidy should be limited to providing infrastructural facilities.

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ITEM NO. (6) - Consideration of a procedure for conferment of honorary degrees on distinguished persons.

The Chancellor requested the Vice-Chancellors to consider restricting the number of receipients of honorary degrees.

ITEM NO. (7) - Provision of funds for lands and buildings towards development of University campus during the sixth five year plan.

The Chancellor requested the Vice-Chancellors to draw up schemes for campus development keeping in view their own priorities and availability of funds from the State Government.

Regarding development of the Calcutta University campus the Vice-Chancellor was requested to submit the plan and estimate to the U.G.C. with copy thereof to the Education Department.

ITEM NO. (8) AND ITEM NO. (9) - (8) Miscellaneous items suggested by the Universities, and (9) Items suggested by the Vice-Chancellor, Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya.

Following decisions were taken :-

(a) It was decided that the U.G.C. be requested to ensure that the Officer assigned to look after the universities in North-East India visits the universities frequently to sort out outstanding issues and establish better and more effective liasion with U.G.C.

(b) The Vice-Chancellor, Bidhan Chandra Krishi Viswavidyalaya was requested by the Chancellor to submit a revised proposal to the Agriculture Department towards construction of boundary wall at vulnerable points only in different agricultural farms of the university.

(c) Chancellor desired that the Universities should be involved in more effective way in the affairs of NCC, especially, in sponsoring a larger number of students for NCC training, providing land and facilities for firing grounds, liberalisation of leave rules for participants in NCC training programme and providing other incentives to the students.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

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Annexure - VIII

INSPECTOR OF COLLEGES
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Date: 25.5.82

To
The Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur.

Sub: Raiganj B.Ed. College : Visit.

Sir,

On 12th May, 1982 the Registrar and the Inspector of Colleges visited Raiganj B.Ed. College. There were reasons to apprehend that the college authorities might start admitting trainees from July 1982 before they were able to fulfil the terms and conditions suggested by the Inspection Team on 11th February, 1981. A similar situation occured during 1981-82 session when it was reported that the B.Ed college would start from that very session without waiting for the formal affiliation being granted by the University. Fortunately, the college failed to take start in 1981-82.

In this connection it may also be noted that the University on the basis of the report of the Inspection Team decided to grant affiliation with effect from 1982-83 academic session subject to the condition that the college will appoint whole-time teachers and also sufficient number of part-time teachers for proper teaching.

In the first week of May, 1982 it was learnt from the Officer-in-Charge that only two full-time teaching posts, against five posts recommended by the Inspection team, were sanctioned by the Government along with a sum of Rs. 20,000/- for purchase of office equipments, teaching aids and books. The Officer-in-Charge further stated that due efforts were being made to get teachers in the two sanctioned posts from the College Service Commission. Pending placement of teachers by the C.S.C. the College authorities were trying to get part-time teachers; they assured that atleast three qualified part-time teachers were found available.

Mr. S.N.Roy, Prinoipal Raiganj College and the only member of the sponsoring Committee, could be negotiated by the present Inspection team; the Officer-in-Charge was out of the station. After discussions with Principal Roy the undersigned were convined of the honest efforts that were being made by the sponsoring Authority to start the College from 1982-83 session; at the same time, however, the undersigned did not feel happy over the existing state of affairs. The University had granted affiliation to the Raiganj B.Ed. College w.e.f. 1982.83 session; but it was not known to the Team how the college could hold effective classes from 2nd July 1982 with only three part-time teachers. Usually, a training college has at its disposal barely nine months to complete the course. If the College Service Commission failed to place teachers within July 1982, the whole planning of periods of lectures subject-wise will be adversely affected. But since affiliation was already granted, the B.Ed. College authorities should again be asked to restrict the number of trainees in the first year of affiliation to fifty only (including freasher and in-service). As the same time, personal efforts made by the Chairman, Sponsoring Committee at the Government level might expedite appointment of the whole-time teachers in the B.Ed. College. Further, the College should be asked to send to the University the names of the part-time teachers proposed to be appointed with full academic particulars of each one of them.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
Registrar
N. B. University

Sd/- A.B. Majumder
Inspector of Colleges
N. B. University

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Annexure - IX

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Minutes of the 31st Adjourned meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 1.6.82 at 11.30 A.M. in the Chamber of the Vice-Chancellor.

Present:-

(1) Dr. S. N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor... Chairman.
(2) Dr. I. K. Chatterjee, Prof. Kalyani University.
(3) Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj College.
(4) Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer... Secretary.

Item-1. To consider the Transfer T.A. of Sri M.B.Sen, Lecturer in Economics from Raiganj College (University College) to University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar.

While considering the T.A. claim preferred by Sri M.B.Sen for his journeys on transfer from Raiganj College (University College) to University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar, the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 30.3.82 desired, the matter to be placed again before the Finance Sub-Committee after quoting the Govt. Rules in this regard. The Govt. Rules in this regard are appended below:-

General conditions of admissible:

Rule: 99.

Travelling allowance may not be drawn under this Chapter by a Govt. servant on transfer from ~~xx~~ one station to another unless he is transferred for the Public convenience and is entitled to pay or leave salary which ever is admissible under the Rules, during the period occupied by the journey. A transfer at his own request should not be treated as a transfer for the Public convenince unless the authority sanctioning the transfer, for spl. reasons which should be recorded otherwise directs.

Wherefrom it will appear that in reference to transfer at any bodys' own request transfer for T.A. is not admissible. While the transfer of Sri Sen from Raiganj College (University College) to University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar is on Public convenience but his transfer from University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar to Raiganj College (University College) is at his own seeking (vide N.B.U. Council resolution No. 4 dated 6.10.80).

Transfer T.A. in admissible rate for his journey from Raiganj College (University College) to University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar may be allowed. The expenditure may be charged from the A/C University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar.

Item-2. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri M. K. Saha, Asstt. Cashier on his promotion to the post of Cashier.

The fixation of pay of Sri M.K.Saha, Asstt.Cashier on his promotion to the post of Cashier w.e.f. 1.10.81 was placed before the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 30.3.82 for consideration.

Sri Saha has requested that if his pay is fixed at Rs. 640/- on 1.5.78, his pay will be lesser than that of Sri A. K. Roy, Asstt. Actt. (who is Jr. to Sri Saha, Asstt. Cashier) His pay being Rs. 735/- on 1.10.80 where as the pay of Sri Saha will come to Rs. 700/- on 1.10.80. This is due to allowing Sri Roy the benefit of upgradation before fixation of pay in the revised scale.

The matter was discussed and it was decided that the case might be put up again with a comparative statement showing the stages and benefits enjoyed by Sri A.K.Roy & Sri M. K. Saha in their respective scales of pay since the beginning of their services in the University.

A comparative statement is appended below showing the stages and benefit enjoyed by Sri M.K.Saha and Sri A. K. Roy from their date of joining the University.

Sri M. K. Saha Date of appointment 28.8.65		Sri A. K. Roy Date of appointment 27.5.68	
1.5.70	185.00	1.5.70	170.00
1.5.71	195.00 (165-10-365)	1.5.71	185.00 (165-10-365)
1.5.72	205.00	1.5.72	195.00
1.5.73	215.00	1.5.73	205.00
1.5.74	225.00	1.5.74	215.00
75	235+5=240/-(Asstt. Cashier 225-15-300-20-500)	1.5.75	225.00
		1.5.76	235.00
		1.5.77	245.00
		1.5.78	245+10=255/-(Upgradation 225-500)
1.5.76	255.00		
1.5.77	270.00		
1.5.78	285.00		

Pay after revision			Pay after revision		
1.5.78	285.00 + 15 Addl. increment.		27.5.78	270.00 (400-15-430-	
	300.00			180.00 430-20-530-	
(500-25-	180.00			56.00 25-655-30-	
550-30-700-	56.00			40.00 865-35-900)	
35-770-40-	40.00			546.00	
1010-45-	576.00			13.00 (booster)	
1100)	13.00 (booster)			559.00	
	589.00			21.00 (Diff.)	
	21.00 (Diff.)			580.00	
	610.00			25.00 ((Addl. increment	
	30.00 (Addl. increment for non upgradation)			25.00) for upgrada-	
1.5.78	640.00	1.5.78		tion)	
Revised pay	30.00			630.00	27.5.78
scale.	670.00	1.5.79		25.00	
	30.00			655.00	27.5.79
	700.00	1.5.80		30.00	
				685.00	26.5.80
Asstt.Cashier	700.00 as on 1.10.80.			30.00 (Addl. increment	
				715.00 due to promo-	
				tion w.e.f.	
			(Diff)	20.00 1.10.80)	
				735.00 as on 1.10.80	
				Asstt. Actt.	
				(500-25-550-30-700-35-	
				770-40-1010-45-1100)	

While considering the case of Sri M.K. Saha for fixation of his pay, the Committee liked to know whether there are similar cases as that of Sri Saha consequent to the up-gradation/promotion of the employees. It was therefore, decided that the Estb. Branch may be requested to review the cases of up-gradation/promotion of the employees from their service Book/service records and prepare a list showing the cases of employees who although Sr. in service have been placed in lower stages in pay consequent to

up-gradation/promotion. List may be prepared by the Estb. Section in the following Proforma showing not only comparative cases of employees of similar cadres but also comparative cases of employees of different cadres in different department. On receipt of the list from Estb. Section, the matter may be placed before the N.B.U. Council for decision.

1. Branch.	7. Pay after up-gradation.
2. Name of the employee.	(a) the pay scale.
3. Designation.	(b) pay after promotion and the pay scale.
4. Date of joining in service.	8. Pay after the revised scale was introduced and the scale of pay.
5. Date of up-gradation.	9. Date of next increment.
6. Pay before up-gradation.	10. Pay after the annual increment.

Item-3. To consider a representation from Sri Naresh Nag, Binder for re-consideration of his pay in the revised pay scale w.e.f. 1.5.70.

The matter was placed before the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 4.7.81 and the matter wad deferred.

As per his representation dated the 19.2.80 his case had been examined.

(a) His date of joining as Binder on 5.2.65 in the fixed pay of Rs. 100/- P.M.

(b) On 1.1.67 the scale of pay of Binder was introduced and his pay was fixed at Rs.125/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 125-3-140-4-200.

(c) On 1.5.70 the scale of Binder was again revised to Rs. 165-10-365. As per resolution of the E.C. dated 11.2.70 his pay was to be fixed after allowing increments on the basis of 2:1 from the date of his appointment. Accordingly his pay was fixed at Rs. 195/- but subsequently that was changed and reduced to Rs. 185/- without showing any reasons in the service book.

The matter was discussed. It was decided that the matter may be considered along with other cases pointed out by the N.B.U.E.A. The Estb. Section may be asked to furnish a report in respect of those cases.

Item-4. To consider the financial implication of entering into servicing contract with M/S. Otis Elevator Company (India) Ltd. by the Library Deptt.

The Otis Elevator machine with the Library required servicing after the expiry of the guarantee period. The Librarian has proposed of entering a servicing contract with M/S. Otis Elevator (India) Ltd. the firm who has supplied the machine. The Firm had forwarded a contract form which runs as follows:-

(a) The total contract price for one year will be Rs. 400/- per month 400/- x 12 = Rs.4,800/- per annum. There will be a 10% rebate on annual payment i.e. Rs. 4,800/-.

(b) The Firm will be responsible for repairing and replacing the machine, motor generator and controller parts and also some other accessories .

(c) This contract does not include emergency minor adjustment call back service but if called upon will be charged separetly at the rate of Rs.180/- per call.

The proposal for entering into contract had already been approved by the Vice-Chancellor and the Firm informed accordingly by the Librarian.

The proposal was approved and noted.

Item-5. To consider the fixation of pay of some newly appointed teacher/non-teaching staff in the University.

(a) Sri Goutom Biswas, Lecturer in Philosophy. Joined as Lecturer in Philosophy on 23.9.81(F/N).

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-400-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D.N.I. on 23.9.82.

(b) Sri Palas Rangan Sengupta, Lecturer in Commerce. Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Commerce on 26.3.82(F/N).

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D.N.I. on 26.3.83.

(c) Sri Manas Ch. Chakraborty, Lecturer in Pol. Science. Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Pol. Science on 31.3.82(F/N).

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40 -1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/- D.N.I. on 31.3.83.

(d) Imtiaz Gulam Ahmed, Lecturer, N.B.U. Law College. Joined as Lecturer, N.B.U. Law College on 8.4.82.

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40 -1100-50-1600.

Mr. Ahmed has requested in his original application that his pay may be fixed after allowing 8 addl. increments.

Deferred. After discussion, the Committee decided that the Estb. Section may be asked to refer the case to Selection Committee for clarification after discussing the matter with the Vice-Chancellor.

(e) Sri Ashoke Roy, Jr. Asstt-cum-typsit, Inspector of Colleges. Joined as Jr. Asstt-cum-typsit in the Deptt. of Inspector of Colleges on 17.4.82. Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 400-900.

Pay fixed at Rs. 400/-. D.N.I. on 17.4.83.

(f) Sri Chandan Lal Dekhan, Jr. Prof. Asstt., Library Deptt. Joined as Jr. Prof. Asstt. in the Library Deptt. on 17.4.82 (F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 460-1000.

Pay fixed at Rs. 460/-. D.N.I. on 17.4.83.

(g) Sri Subrata Bachi, Sr. Proof Reader, University Press. Joined as Sr. Proof Reader in the University Press on 13.4.82. Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 500-1100.

Pay fixed at Rs. 500/-. D.N.I. on 13.4.83.

(h) Sri Radheshyam Chanda, Machineman, University Press Joined as Machineman in the University Press on 16.4.82(F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 400-900.

Pay fixed at Rs. 400/-. D.N.I. on 16.4.83.

(i) Sri Mridul Kar, Jr. Plumber, Engineering Branch. Joined as Jr. Plumber, Engineering Branch on 13.4.82(F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 375-800.

Pay fixed at Rs. 375/-. D.N.I. on 13.4.83.

(j) Sri Upen Mallick, Sweeper, Health Centre, Joined as Sweeper on 1.4.82(F/N) in the Sanitary Deptt. (Health Centre). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 300-525.

Pay fixed at Rs. 300/-. D.N.I. on 1.4.83.

(k) Sri Gopal Bajpore, Sweeper, Health Centre. Joined as Sweeper in the Sanitary Deptt. (Health Centre) on 12.4.82(F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 300-525.

Pay fixed at Rs. 300/-. D.N.I. on 12.4.83.

(l) Sri Papuram Balmiki, Sweeper, Health Centre. Joined as Sweeper on 1.4.82 (F/N). in the Sanitary Deptt. Pay to be fixed in the the scale of pay of Rs. 300-525.

Pay fixed at Rs. 300/-. D.N.I. on 1.4.83.

(m) Sri Sitaram Balmiki, Sweeper, Health Centre.Joined as Sweeper in the Deptt. of ~~Sri~~ sanitary Deptt. on 1.4.82(F/N). Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 300-525.

Pay fixed at Rs. 300/-. D.N.I. on 1.4.83.

Item-6. To consider the proposal for entering into servicing contract of typewriter machine lying with in all Branches/Deptts. in the University.

The proposal for entering into servicing contract was discussed. It was decided that the Finance Officer is authorised to settle the matter after calling quotation from the repoted firms from Siliguri. The expenditure is to be charged from the Departmental contingency on receipt of a certificate from the Departmental Head on the body of the individual bills to be submitted separately for each department by the servicing form.

Item-7. To consider the proposal for entering into servicing contract with M/S. C.C.Co Ltd. for servicing of the Facit adding machine's in the Finance Branch at the cost of Rs. 180/- per annum per machine.

The proposal for entering into a service contract with M/S. C.C.Co. Ltd. @ Rs. 180/- per machine per annum was considered and accepted. In this connection an agreement may be made by the Finance Officer and the Firm immediately.

Suppl. Item:

1(a) Sri Pinaki Chakraborty, Lecturer in Economics. Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Economics on 13.5.82.

Last pay drawn at Taki Govt. College for the month of Jan.,82.

Basic.	780.00	
Spl.pay	100.00	
D.A.	519.00	
H.R.A.	132.00	
M.A.	16.70	1547.70

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40-1100-50-1600.

Deferred. Further action might be taken in this case after obtaining a clarification from Sri Chakraborty regarding Spl. pay shown inthe L.P.C. The Estb. Section may be requested to ask Sri Chakraborty to produce the same.

(b) Sri Sekh Rahim Mandal, Lecturer, Sociology & Social Anthropology. Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology on 18.9.81. Last pay drawn as Sr. Tech. Asstt. in the Deptt. of Eastern India Region Anthropology Survey of Indian, Cal.

Basic .	470.00	
D.A.	126.90	
A.D.A.	216.90	
C.C.A.	28.20	
H.R.A.	70.50	912.50

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D.N.I. on 18.9.82.

(c) Sri Sankar Bandyopodhyay, Lecturer, Law College. Last pay drawn from the State Bank of India, Behala Branch for the month of April,82 as followas:-

Basic.	585.33	
H.A.	43.89	
C.C.T.	52.67	
Adjusting D.A.	31.60	
D.A.	670.91	1384.40

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.700-40-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D.N.I. after one year from the date of joining the post.

(d) Sri Ranjit Kr. Mitra, Jr. Professional Asstt. Last pay drawn at Islampur College as Asstt. Librarian in the scale of pay of Rs. 550-900.

Basic.	550.00	
Other allowances.	382.70	932.70

Pay to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs.450-1000.

Pay fixed at Rs. 550/-. D.N.I. on after one year from the date of joining the post.

(e) Smt. L.D. Sundas, Lecturer in Nepali. Last pay drawn as Lecturer at Darjeeling Govt. College as follows:-

Basic	780.00	
Spl.pay.	100.00	
H.R.A.	132.00	
D.A.	519.00	
H.C.A.	78.00	
M.A.	16.70	1625.70

Deferred. Further action might be taken in this case after obtaining a clarification from Smt. Sundas regarding Spl. pay shown in the L.P.C. The Estb. Section may be requested to ask Smt. Sundas to produce the same.

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

The minutes are confirmed.

Sd/- S. M. Roy
Finance Officer
Secretary.

Sd/. S. N. Sen
Vice-Chancellor
Chairman.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

AGENDA PAPERS

FOR

the 65th meeting of the NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Date: 28-8-1982
Time: 11-00 A.M.

Place: Conference Room
Administrative Building
Raja-Rammohunpur

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur, Darjeeling

N o t i c e

The 65th meeting of the North Bengal University Council will be held on Saturday, the 28th August, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur to consider the following agenda :

A G E N D A

1. To report that the 64th meeting of the N.B.U. Council scheduled on 28.6.82 could not be held due to want of quorum.

   Decision: (Annexure-I)

2. To confirm the minutes of the 64th (adjourned) meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 12.7.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-II)

3. To confirm the minutes of the Emergent meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 26.7.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-III)

4. To consider recommendation of the Committee formed by the Council for the non-teaching post.

   Decision:

5. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

   Decision:

6. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

   Decision:

7. To consider the cases of the following non-teaching employees.

(a) Sri Satyendra Nath Ghosh - Binder
(b) Sri Benu Kumar Das - Plumber Helper
(c) Sri Prabhat Kumar De - Jr. Assistant
(d) Sri Muneswar Bajpore - Sweeper

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

8. To consider the proceedings of the 29th meeting of the Liveries Committees held on 28.5.82. and also the proceedings of the emergent meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 9.6.82

Decision: (Annexure-V)
(Deferred in the previous meeting)

9. To consider a representation received from employees of Watch & Ward Department.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

10. To consider an application from Shri Sreeman Darjee, Guard, N.B.U. praying for granting of House Rent allowance from the date of vacating the University Quarter i.e. (1st January, 1980).

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

11. To consider a letter from Smt. Mita Bhadra, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Sociology & Social Anthropology praying for releasing full pay for the period she was on maternity leave i.e. 15.9.80 to 15.12.80.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

12. To consider a prayer from Sri Pranesh Kumar Roy, Sr. Lab. Attendant, Department of Physics, N.B.U.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

13. To consider a joint note from the Finance Officer and Dy. Controller of Examinations.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

14. To consider the recommendations of the Post-graduate Examination Advisory Committee dated 23.6.82.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

15. To consider the recommendations of the M.B.B.S. Examination Advisory Committee dated 17.5.82.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

16. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to interpretation of the rules relating to award of Medals.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

17. To consider a D.O. No. F.4-3/82-(U)-1 dated 8.6.82 received from the Secretary, Ministry of Education and Culture, Deptt. of Education, Govt. of India suggesting implementation of steps to eliminate the practice of ragging in educational Institutions.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

18. To consider recommendation for extension of tenure of Scholarship of Mrs Mita Bhadra, J.R.F. (U.G.C.) Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology for six months w.e.f. 23.8.82.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

19. To consider a letter No. N.B.U.E.A/24 dated 8.6.82 received from General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. for introduction of a scheme covering risks of life of such employees as have been engaged in works involving risks of life.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

20. To consider a note from Dy. Registrar in connection with the application for P.L. submitted by Sri Bishnulal Brahman, Guard, Watch & Ward Section for a period of 111 days with effect from 28.11.81 to 12.3.82 in continuation of his C.C.L.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

21. To consider a letter from the Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies suggesting withdrawal of offer of Junior Research Fellowship from Sri Paresh Chandra Roy and to appoint next available person from the panel of names recommended by the Selection Committee.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

22. To consider the case of Sri Naresh Nag, Binder, University Library.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

23. To consider a letter No. 004/058/02/625/5(1) dt. 19.6.82 from the Project Director, West Bengal Comprehensive Area Development Corporation, Siliguri-Naxalbari Project Proposing to start under the collaboration of the University cultivation of Medicinal Plants in 10 acres of University land.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

24. To consider constitution of Selection Committee for the post of Electrical Supervisor.

Decision:

25. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar regarding fixation of pay of Sri Mihir Kumar Saha, Cashier, N.B.U.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

26. To consider a letter No. Admn/29-42/50/313 Pt-II/2970 dated 21.6.82 received from the Audit Officer/Admn., Office of the Chief Auditor, North East Frontier Railway, Maligaon, Gauhati regarding appointment and fixation of pay of Sri S. M. Roy.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

27. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College held on 17.4.82.

Decision: (Annexure-VI)

28. To consider the minutes of the meetings of the College Council, University B.T. & Evening College held on -

1. 18.11.81
2. 16.2.82

Decision: (Annexure-VII)

29. To consider the proceedings of the meetings of the Building Committee held on :-

1. 14.12.81
2. 12.3.82
3. 11.5.82

Decision: (Annexure-VIII)

30. To report that, in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council the Vice-Chancellor has accepted the resignation tendered by Shri Ashutosh Sinha, Assistant Engineer (Electrical) and to consider appointment of the second person from the panel.

Decision:

31. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Research Scholars' Association regarding monthly subsidy @ Rs. 600.00 towards the payment of mess staff and meeting the cost of establishment.

Decision:

32. To consider the recommendations of the under-graduate Examination Advisory Committee dated 25.6.82.

Decision:

33. To consider the recommendation of the Committee formed for taking the type test of some non-teaching staff of the University.

Decision:

34. To consider matters regarding constitution of Screening Committee for preliminary screening of the applications for the various non-teaching posts.

Decision:

35. To consider a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Departmental Committee in English.

Decision:

36. To consider a letter from the University Grants Commission regarding revised qualifications for recruitment to the posts of Lecturer in Law.

Decision:

37. To consider a letter from the Director of Health Services, Govt. of West Bengal communicating re-inspection of N.B. Medical College during examinations.

Decision:

38. To consider a letter from Dr. P.C. Sarkar, Head of the Deptt. of Economics in the matter of holding the annual conference of the Indian Society of Agricultural Economics in 1982 at this University.

Decision:

39. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Research Scholars' Association in connection with doubling the value of tiffin coupon.

Decision:

40. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Deptt. of Education, Govt. of West Bengal for observing austerity in respect of expenditure to be incurred by the University during the current year.

Decision: (Annexure-IX)

41. To consider a letter from the University Engineer in the matter of appointment of two Engineering helpers.

Decision:

42. To consider prayer from Sri Shyamal Chandra Basak, Sri Bijoy Kr. Chhetri and Sri Chandan Lal Dekhan attached to University Library alongwith the confidential report of the Librarian for permitting them to accept the post of Honorary Lecturer, Librarianship Training Centre at Siliguri.

Decision:

43. To consider a letter from the Deputy Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal regarding question of fixation of the age of superannuation of the Officers serving in the State aided Universities.

Decision: (Annexure-X)

44. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Botany held on 15.7.82.

Decision: (Annexure-XI)

45. To consider certain resolutions of the North Bengal University Law College Council dated 11.5.82.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)
(Annexure-XII)

46. To report that the Chancellor has been pleased to approve the amendment in the Statutes relating to Contributory Provident Fund with some modifications.

Decision: (Annexure-XIII)

47. To consider prayer from Prof. S.P. Sengupta, Professor of English and Prof. S.R. Dasgupta, Professor of Mathematics, N.B.U. for permitting them to opt for the new scales of pay with effect from 1.1.73.

Decision:

48. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Junior Research Scholar in the Deptt. of English.

Decision:

49. To consider an application from Shri Santipriya Guha, Assistant Secretary, Sports Board praying for study leave for a period of two years for joining M.Ed course in Physical Education at Kalyani University commencing from August 1982.

Decision:

50. To consider an application from Shri Arabinda Mukhopadhyay, J.R.F. (U.G.C.) praying for extension of his tenure of Scholarship by six months w.e.f. 21.9.82.

Decision:

51. To report that the Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council, has ordered appointment of Shri Soumitra De as a Junior Research Scholar in the Deptt. of Political Science.

Decision:

52. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with verification of age of certain employees.

Decision:

53. To consider a note from the Finance Officer in connection with the final settlement of retirement benefits of Shri Pulin Behari Deb, Ex-Sr. Laboratory Attendant, Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.

Decision:

54. To consider a note from the Finance Officer in connection with regularisation of the period of absence of Shri Kashinath Mallik, Peon, Controllers' Branch.

Decision:

55. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with special leave as prayed for by Shri Sufal Chandra Singha, Jr. Skilled Helper, Chemistry Deptt.

Decision:

56. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of a Jr. Research Fellow for the Research Project entitled "Investigation of hadrons and muons in extensive air showers at sea and mountain level."

Decision:

57. To consider granting of extension of the tenure of Research Scholarship of Shri Prabir Dam, Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology for [illegible] period of two years w.e.f. 23.6.82.

Decision:

58. To consider a letter from Shri P.K. Roy, Lecturer in Philosophy intimating inability to produce original matriculation and M.A. certificates till duplicate copies are received. Those documents were required for confirmation of his service.

Decision:

59. To consider an application from Sm. Dipti Chakraborty, Jr. Assistant, Controller's Branch praying for granting her leave as under along with a note from the Dy. Registrar.

a) P.L. : 5 days w.e.f. 6.11.81 to 10.11.81
b) Commuted leave : 8 days w.e.f. 11.11.81 to 18.11.81
c) Leave not due :77 days w.e.f. 19.11.81 to 3.2.82.

Decision:

60. To consider the recommendation of enhancement Committee for enhancement of fellowship of Smt. Sakti Kundu, J.R.F., Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography from Rs. 400/- to Rs. 500/- for the period 8.9.80 to 30.9.80 and from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 1.10.80.

Decision:

61. To consider the under noted cases for confirmation:

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Prof. K. Deb, Professor of Commerce N.B.U.	19.8.81	19.8.82
2. Shri Subir Kumar Sarkar, Lecturer, Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography, N.B.U.	2.7.81	2.7.82

Decision:

62. To consider an application from Mrs. V. Sharma, Lecturer in Nepali (on leave) praying for extension of her extra-ordinary leave by one more year w.e.f. 17.8.82.

Decision:

63. To consider granting of extension of the tenure of Research Scholarship of Sri Barun Kanti Deb, University Research Scholar Deptt. of Chemistry by six months w.e.f. 26.9.82.

Decision:

64. To consider an application for reimbursement of T.A./D.A. etc. received from Shri P.K. Pal, Lecturer in English along with a note from the Dy. Registrar.

Decision:

65. To consider evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examinations on the theses submitted for the Ph.D. Degree of the North Bengal University.

Decision:

66. To consider applications for Ph.D. registration.

Decision:

67. To consider a letter from Sri Badal Kr. Nag, Asstt. Foreman, Central Workshop seeking clarification on certain point.

Decision:

68. To consider a letter from the Principal, Ananda Chandra College for granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in Philosophy.

Decision:

69. To confirm the last date of admission to the 1st year classes of Two year pass & Three year Honours courses as approved by the Vice-Chancellor.

Decision:

70. To consider a letter from the Principal, Malda College for granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in Philosophy.

Decision:

71. To consider a letter from the Principal, Mathabhanga College for granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in Bengali, Philosophy & Pol. Science.

Decision:

72. To consider letters from the Principals, Balurghat & Alipurduar College in connection with introduction of uniform service conditions for the workers, employees of Hostel Messess attached to University/Colleges.

Decision:

73. To approve the appointments of the following teachers of Dinhata College :

1. Sri Bhriguram Mandal : Lecturer in Bengali
2. Sri Asit Kr. Chakraborty : Lecturer in Mathematics
3. Sri Sankar Chattopadhyay : Lecturer in Chemistry
4. Sri Ashis Kr. Sarkar : Lecturer in Mathematics

Decision:

74. To approve the appointments of the following teachers of Kaliyaganj College :

1. Smt. Jayanti Purakayastha : Lecturer in Pol. Science (on leave vacancy)

Decision:

75. To consider inspection report on Kalimpong College.

Decision: (Annexure-XIV)

76. To consider a letter No. UE/226/03-82 dated 8.8.82 received from the University Engineer with regard to filling up the posts of Asstt. Engineer (Electrical), Electrical Supervisor, & Electrician-cum-Line Man etc.

Decision:

77. To consider granting of recognition to Netaji Institute for Asian Studies.

Decision:

78. To consider a letter received from Prof. P.K. Ghosh.

Decision:

79. To report that Sri Utpalendu Sarkar, Lecturer in Political Science and Sri Dilip Kumar Ghosh Roy, Lecturer in Economics, Raiganj College have duly been elected as representatives on the College Council of Raiganj University College.

Decision:

80. To consider renaming of Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies as Inter-Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies.

Decision:

81. To consider letter a letter from the Deputy Secretary, Rural Development Department, Govt. of Sikkim.

Decision:

82. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Department of Education, Govt. of Sikkim in connection with the appointment of the Principal, Sikkim Law College as member on the Committee of under-graduate Studies in Law/Law College Council.

Decision:

83. To consider a letter from the Chairman, Jagadis Bose National Science Talent Search, Calcutta, for assisting scholarship scheme through an annual grant of Rs. 3000.00. (The value of scholarship is Rs. 15,000.00 tenable for five years).

Decision:

84. To consider granting of extension of leave upto 25th August, 1982 to Sri Charu Chandra Deb, U.G.C. Junior Research Fellow Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.

Decision:

85. To report that the Vice-Chancellor has sanctioned study leave to Sri Chandan Kumar Mukhopadhyay, Lecturer in Commerce in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council.

Decision:

86. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the Committee formed by the Vice-Chancellor to consider the representation from Sri Subrata Dev.

Decision:

87. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

REGISTRAR

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
The 18th August, 1982.

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Annexure-I

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the 64th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Monday, the 28th June, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Prof. S. N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, North Bengal University
3. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A. C. College
4. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College.

Prof. I. K. Chatterjee intimated inability to attend the meeting due to pre-occupation.

Shri P. K. Majumdar intimated inability to attend the meeting due to illness.

Since there was no quorum for the meeting the Chairman adjourned the meeting till 11-00 A.M. of 12th July, 1982, the venue remaining the same.

S. N. Sen.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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Annexure-II

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the 64th (adjourned) meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Monday, the 12th July, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Prof. S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Dr. H.P. Bhowmik, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College
3. Dr. S.K. Biswas, Principal, North Bengal Medical College
4. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, North Bengal University
5. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A. C. College
6. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
7. Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya
8. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College
9. Shri Hiten Nag, Lecturer, Dinhata College.

Shri R. K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar and Shri S. Majumdar, Deputy Controller of Examinations were requested to make themselves available during the meeting.

Prof. I. K. Chatterjee intimated inability to attend the mesting due to pre-occupation.

Shri P. K. Majumdar intimated inability to attend the meeting due to illness.

1. The minutes of the adjourned meeting (63rd) of the North Bengal University Counoil held on 3.5.82 were noted.

2. The minutes of the adjourned 63rd meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 31.5.82 were confirmed with the following amendments :

(i) Item 20 (a) The following be inserted after the word "University" arising in the 4th line of paragraph 1 "after adjusting the accounts on the basis of the vouchers produced by Dr. Chakraborty and accepted as valid."

(b) Delete serial 1 after paragraph 1 and reserial 2 as "1" and 3 as "2".

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(c) The word "some" arising in line 2 of paragraph 1 and line 1 of paragraph 2 be re-written as the "sum".

(ii) Item Suppl. 1(A) Substitute the words "Engineering Banch" by the words "Physics Department" in serial 3.

(iii) Item Suppl. 1(B) Add the name of Dr. N. Chaudhuri, Professor of Physics as serial number 4.

Matter arising out of the confirmation of the adjourned 63rd meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 31.5.1982.

(i) Item Suppl. 5 The Council decided that the amount of Rs. 488.75 lying outstanding as advance against Shri A.R. Datta, Officer-in-Charge (Retd) may be written off as it has been ascertained from records that Shri Datta had submitted all adjustment vouchers which could not be traced out. The amount which has been held up from leave encashment benefit may be released.

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

A. Lecturer in Philosophy

The Council while approving panel recommended by the Selection Committee decided to appoint Dr. Usha Ranjan Chakraborty as Lecturer in Philosophy in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus admissible allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

It was noted that none of the candidates belonging to SC appeared before the Selection Committee.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

B. Appointments against M.P.S. for University teachers as per Govt. Order No. 957(6)-Edn(U) dated July 22, 1982.

(i) The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and comments of the referees decided to appoint Dr. Sitansu Bimal Karanjai, Lecturer in Mathematics as Reader in Mathematics in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus admissible allowances subject to the conditions laid down in the above Govt. Order. The post of Reader would be personal to the incumbent. Dr. Karanjai's initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

(ii) The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and comments of the referees decided to appoint Dr. Prafulla Chandra Sarkar, Reader in Economics as Professor of Economics in the scale of pay of Rs. 1500-2500/- plus admissible allowances subject to the conditions laid down in the above Govt. Order. The post of Professor would be personal to the incumbent. Dr. Sarkar's initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

The above resolutions were confirmed for immediate action.

4. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

The Council directed that the recommendations be placed at the next meeting along with other information as discussed.

5. To consider the report of the meeting of the Advisory Council of the Centre for Himalayan Studies dated 1.4.82.

Noted and approved.

6. To report a communication No. 239-Edn(U) dated 8/11.3.82 received from the Dy. Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Deptt. of Education with regard to admissibility of House Rent Allowance to the spouse occupying the University Quarters.

The Council decided that the employees, husband and wife, living in the University Quarters will be eligible to draw house rent allowance if both of them draw pay within Rs. 500/- per month each. If the pay of both or either of them exceeds Rs. 500/- house rent allowance will be admissible to either the husband or the wife whichever is favourable to them. Confirmed for immediate action.

7. To consider a joint note from the Registrar and Finance Officer, N.B.U. in respect of D.A. rates for field trips under area studies programme to Sikkim and Bhutan.

The Council approved the D.A. rates for field trips under Area Studies Programme to Sikkim and Bhutan as recommended by the Committee consisting of the Finance Officer and the Registrar.

8. To consider a letter No. F.6-1/81(AE) dated 17.3.82 received from the Secretary, U.G.C. in connection with the revised Guide-lines of Programmes of Adult and continuing education and extension through Universities and Colleges.

The Council decided to implement the revised guide-lines of programmes on Adult and continuing education and extension through Universities and Colleges as sent by the University Grants Commission. The Council decided to create the following posts mentioned

in the guide-lines subject to the approval of the State Govt. :-

(i) Director
(ii) Assistant Director
(iii) Project Officer
(iv) Stenographer
(v) Clerk Typist
(vi) Accounts Clerk
(vii) Technical Assistants(number to be determined later).

The Council directed that the above decision along with the schemes sent by the U.G.C. be immediately forwarded to the State Govt. for approval.

9. To consider the representation received from some non-teaching employees.

The Council considered the representation submitted by Sri Mukul Majumdar and others and Sri Haradhan Nag and others. The Council decided to refer the matters to the Finance Sub-Committee for examination in the light of the Finance Sub-Committee's recommendation dated 20.9.80 and subsequent refixation of pay of some employees. It was, further, directed that the Finance Sub-Committee would also examine the decisions of the North Bengal University Council taken in this regard from time to time. Confirmed for immediate action.

10. To consider the decisions of the Conference of the Vice-Chancellors with the Chancellor held on 5.3.82.

Noted.

11. To consider matter relating to Sri Subhas Guha Neogi, Lecturer, Department of Chemistry.

The Council noted the reply sent by Dr. Subhas Guha Neogi to the Show Cause Notice issued to him. The Council requested the Vice-Chancellor to take appropriate action as per Ordinance 18 of the Ordinances relating to appointments, terms and conditions of services of the teachers of the University. Confirmed for immediate action.

12. To consider the prayer of Smt. Chhanda Chakraborty, Lecturer, Deptt. of History for Study allowance.

The Council regretted to grant any study allowance to Smt. Chhanda Chakraborty who is on Study Leave with full pay and allowances.

13. To consider Inspection Report on Raiganj B.Ed College.

The Council decided to grant affiliation to Raiganj B.Ed College for one year with effect from 1982-83 academic session subject to fulfilment of conditions already laid down. Confirmed for immediate action.

14. To consider recommendation of the Committee formed for the staff of USIC.

The Council decided to withdraw the item.

15. To report the Govt. letter relating to Non-Practising Allowance of University Medical Officer.

The Council noted that the Govt. of West Bengal (vide letter No. 38-Edn(U) dated 12/14 January, 1982) has intimated its inability to sanction non-practising allowance to Medical Officer attached to the University of North Bengal. The matter was previously referred to the Govt. as per decision of the Council.

16. To consider a note from University Engineer for creation of a post of S.A.E. (Electrical).

The Council regretted that no new post could be created.

17. To consider prayer of Sri Kamal Kumar Nandi, Lecturer, Deptt. of Mathematics for treating his absence as leave on duty.

The Council regrets inability to convert extra ordinary leave without pay granted to Sri Kamal Kumar Nandi, Lecturer in Mathematics, into leave on duty.

18. To consider a note of Finance Officer for creation of some posts.

The Council regrets its inability to create any new posts and directed that the Audit & Accounts Officer may organise continuous internal auditing by rationalization of work in the department.

19. To consider the cases of the following non-teaching employees.

(a) Sri Satyendra Nath Ghosh - Binder
(b) Sri Benu Kumar Das - Plumber Helper
(c) Sri Prabhat Kumar De - Jr. Assistant
(d) Sri Muneswar Bajpore - Sweeper
(e) Sri Paresh Bhowmik

The Council directed that the members should be supplied with full details of the case with decisions of the North Bengal University Council in connection with those cases.

20. To consider the recommendations of promotion implementation committee.

The Council noted the recommendation and decided to refer the matter back to the Committee for recommendation as per discussions held.

In this connection the Council directed that no appointment would be made on contingent basis without prior approval of the Vice-Chancellor issued through the Establishment Section.

21. To approve the appointments of teachers and Principal of Falakata College selected by the West Bengal College Service Commission.

The Council approved appointment of the following teachers including the Principal at Falakata College :

(i) Sri S. N. Guha Thakurta - Principal
(ii) Sri Swapan Kumar De - Lecturer in Bengali
(iii) Sri Uday Sankar Roy Chowdhury - Lecturer in Philosophy
(iv) Sri Mrinal Kanti Sinha - Lecturer in English
(v) Smt. Krishna Paul, Lecturer in History

22. To consider the cases of the undernoted employees for confirmation :

Sl.No.	Name	Date of appointment	Date of confirmation
1.	Sri Gopal De Sarkar (Guard)	1.6.81 (Forenoon)	1.6.82
2.	Sri Monoj Kr. Kundu (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
3.	Sri Saohin Ch. Singh (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
4.	Sri Chandra Bahadur Thapa (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
5.	Sri Sufal Ch. Singha Skilled Helper (Jr) Deptt. of Chemistry	17.6.81 (")	17.6.82
6.	Sri Gobinda Gopal Raha (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
7.	Sri Narayan Ch. Dutta (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
8.	Sri Krishna Kr. Chakraborty (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
9.	Sri Phani Bhusan Singh (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
10.	Sri Satya Ranjan Das (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
11.	Sri Shyamal Kr. Singha (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
12.	Dr. (Mrs) Bhaswati Chakraborty Lecturer in Philosophy.	4.7.81 (")	4.7.82

The Council in consideration of the confidential reports and recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor decided to confirm the service of the following employees of the University with effect from the date mentioned against each, subject to (i) their being found medically

fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) verification of age and academic qualifications, and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose :

Sl.No.	Name	Date of appointment	Date of confirmation
1.	Sri Gopal De Sarkar (Guard)	1.6.81 (Forenoon)	1.6.82
2.	Sri Monoj Kr. Kundu (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
3.	Sri Sachin Ch. Singh(Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
4.	Sri Chandra Bahadur Thapa (Guard)	1.6.81 (")	1.6.82
5.	Sri Sufal Ch. Singha Skilled Helper (Jr.) Deptt. of Chemistry	17.6.81 (")	17.6.82
6.	Sri Gobinda Gopal Raha(Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
7.	Sri Narayan Ch. Dutta(Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
8.	Sri Krishna Kr. Chakraborty (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
9.	Sri Phani Bhusan Singh(Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
10.	Sri Satya Ranjan Das (Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
11.	Sri Shyamal Kr. Singha(Peon)	18.6.81 (")	18.6.82
12.	Dr.(Mrs) Bhaswati Chakraborty Lecturer in Philosophy	4.7.81 (")	4.7.82

Confirmed for immediate action.

23. To report that the Registrar received a copy of a letter No. MC-82(1)/82-Med/2070 dated 3.5.82 along with a copy of the Inspection Report on North Bengal Medical College from the Secretary, Medical Council of India derecognising the M.B.B.S. degree granted by the N.B.U. in respect of the students being trained at the N.B. Medical College.

The Council noted the above letter and decided to draw the attention of the Govt. of West Bengal for immediate and urgent action with regard to reconcile the deficiencies mentioned in the report of the Inspector of the Medical Council of India. The Council strongly felt that in the interest of the students and also the institution, the North Bengal Medical College, special attention be given by the Govt. of West Bengal especially in the areas mentioned by the Medical Council of India. Confirmed for immediate action.

23.(a) To consider communication No. HEALTH/MERT/541/HPT/31 M-3/82 dated 15.5.82 received from the Govt. of West Bengal, Deptt. of Health & Family Welfare regarding constitution of a Committee for devising measure towards fulfilment of the Medical Council of India's stimulations in the matter of recognition of the North Bengal Medical College.

Noted.

24. To approve the appointments of teachers and Principal of Gangarampur College selected by the West Bengal College Service Commission.

The Council approved appointment of the following teachers including the Principal at Gangarampur College :

(i) Dr. Gaurendra Nath Sarkar - Principal
(ii) Smt. Shibani Roy - Lecturer in Economics
(iii) Smt. Sumita Sinha, Lecturer Pol. Science
(iv) Sri Ganesh Chandra Betal - Lecturer in English
(v) Sri Soumen Chakraborty - Lecturer in History
(vi) Sri Atin Bhattacharjee - Lecturer in History

25. To consider the proceedings of the 29th meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 28.5.82.

Deferred.

Should be placed at a meeting with annexure.

26. To consider a letter of resignation submitted by Shri Alok Majumder, Senior Research Fellow (U.G.C.), Deptt. of Chemistry, w.e.f. 14.11.1981.

The Council decided to accept resignation submitted by Shri Alok Majumder, Senior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) Department of Chemistry with effect from 14.11.81 subject to clearance of all dues.

27. To consider the recommendation of the enhancement Committee for enhancement of fellowship of Shri Partha Chattopadhyay, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Chemistry, from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 29.2.82.

The Council decided to enhance the fellowship/scholarship of the following scholars with effect from the dates mentioned against each :-

(i) Shri Partha Chattopadhyay (J.R.F.) from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 29.2.82.
(ii) Shri Pradip Kumar Datta (University Research Scholar) from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 14.11.81.

Confirmed for immediate action.

28. To report that 7 candidates have completed their one year's compulsory internship training after passing the M.B.B.S. examination held in April, 1981.

The Council considered letter dated 17/21.5.82 from the Principal, North Bengal Medical College and decided that 7 studente mentioned in the appendix have been found eligible for permanent registration by the State Medical Council. The 7 students satisfactorily completed their internship for one year on 15.4.82 and 28.4.82.

Confirmed for immediate action. (Appendix I)

29. To consider a note from the Registrar for determining eligibility of candidates who have passed B.A./B.Sc./B.Com examination in Pass Course under New Two Year degree course to appear at the M.A./M.Sc./M.Com Part I Examination as external candidates.

The Council decided to refer the matter to the Academic Committee. Confirmed for immediate action.

30. To consider a representation received from employees of Watch & Ward Department.

The Council decided to consider the matter at the next meeting. The relevant information from other campus Universities may be obtained in the meantime.

31. To consider certain resolutions of the North Bengal University Law College Council dated 11.5.82.

The Council directed that the resolution should be annexed with the papers for the next meeting. In this connection the Council considered representations from members of the Defence Forces of India for admission to N.B.U. Law College. It was decided that such applicants might be given special preference for admission if they were otherwise eligible i.e. with regard to qualifying marks.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

32. To consider an application from Sri Somnath Choudhury, Asstt. Superintendent, University Press preying for permission for enrolling his name in the panel of experts for assignment to the developing countries of Asia, Africa and Latin America.

The Council permitted Sri Somnath Choudhury, Assistant Superintendant, University Press to enrol his name in the panel of experts for assignment to the developing countries of Asia, Africa and Latin America.

33. To consider the minutes of the 31st Adjourned meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 1.6.82.

Noted and approved.

However, the Council directed that the item 5(d) was to be considered by the Finance Sub-Committee further.

34. To consider a proposal from the Head of the Deptt. of Physics, in connection with filling up one U.G.C. Research Fellowship.

The Council decided that for U.G.C. Research Fellowship in the Department of Physics a fresh advertisement should be inserted.

35. To consider an application from Shri Sreeman Darjee, Guard, N.B.U. praying for granting of House Rent Allowance from the date of vacating the University Quarter i.e. (1st January, 1980).

The Council directed that the matter might be placed at the next meeting with facts if the person obtained permission to stay outside the Campus.

// Supplementary Agenda //

1. To consider a note from the Principal, Govt. Engineering College, Jalpaiguri.

Noted and approved.

(Appendix-II)

2. To consider the recommendations of the Engineering Examinations Advisory Committee meeting dated 18.6.82.

Noted and approved.

(Appendix-III)

In this connection it was noted that the students did not appear at the B.E. Part II Examination scheduled on 8.7.82. The same students did not appear in the same examination earlier on 31.5.82.

3. To consider the recommendations of the Mal-Practice Enquiry Committee for M.A. Part I (Public) Examinations 1981.

While approving the recommendations the Council decided that the following candidates be debarred from appearing in M.A. Part I Examinations 1982 :

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(Appendix-IV)

4. To consider a letter from Smt. Mita Bhadra, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Sociology & Social Anthropology praying for releasing full pay for the period she was on maternity leave i.e. 15.9.80 to 15.12.80.

Deferred.

5. To consider a prayer from Sri Pranesh Kumar Roy, Sr. Lab. Attendant, Department of Physics, N.B.U.

Deferred.

6. To consider the case of Sri Jiban Kr. Ghosh, Controller's Branch.

The Council decided that action be taken in the line mentioned in the decision on item 19.

7. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in the matter of contractual service of Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges. His contractual service will terminate on 30.6.82.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in appointing Dr. A. B. Majumdar on contractual basis for one month with effect from 1.7.1982. The Council further decided to appoint Dr. A.B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges on contractual service for a further period of one month with effect from 1.8.1982.

Confirmed for immediate action.

8. To consider a joint note from the Finance Officer and Dy. Controller of Examinations.

Deferred.

9. To consider the recommendations of the Post-Graduate Examination Advisory Committee dated 23.6.82.

Deferred.

10. To consider the recommendations of the M.B.B.S. Examination Advisory Committee dated 17.5.82.

Deferred.

11. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to interpretation of the rules relating to award of Medals.

Deferred.

12. To consider a D.O. No. F.4-3/82-(U)-1 dated 8.6.82 received from the Secretary, Ministry of Education and Culture, Deptt. of Education, Govt. of India suggesting implementation of steps to eliminate the practice of ragging in educational institutions.

Deferred.

13. To consider recommendation for extension of tenure of Scholarship of Mrs Mita Bhadra, J.R.F. (U.G.C.) Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology for six months w.e.f. 23.8.82.

Deferred.

14. To consider a letter No. N.B.U.E.A./22 dated 3.6.82 received from General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. for filling up the post of Assistant Cashier lying vacant in the Finance Department.

The Council noted that previously the Employees' Association agreed to the terms of promotional appointment in the Finance Branch from among those who were serving in the said branch.

15. To consider a letter No. N.B.U.E.A./24 dated 8.6.82 received from General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. for introduction of a scheme covering risks of life of such employees as have been engaged in works involving risks of life.

Deferred.

16. To consider the recommendation for enhancement of fellowship money of Sri Apurba Kumar Roy, U.G.C. Fellow, Deptt. of Physics from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 14.11.81.

The Council decided to enhance the fellowship of Sri Apurba Kumar Roy, U.G.C. Fellow, from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 14.11.81. Confirmed for immediate action.

17. To consider a note from Dy. Registrar in connection with the application for P.L. submitted by Sri Bishnulal Brahman, Guard, Watch & Ward Section for a period of 111 days with effect from 28.11.81 to 12.3.82 in continuation of his C.C.L.

Deferred.

18. To report that in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council the Vice-Chancellor has allowed Sri Nirmalendu Pal, Sr. Technical Assistant, Deptt. of Physics to proceed to attend a course work on Digital System and Instrumentation to be conducted by the Jadavpur University for 8 weeks w.e.f. 23.6.82.

Noted and approved

19. To consider a letter from the Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies suggesting withdrawal of offer of Junior Research Fellowship from Sri Paresh Chandra Roy and to appoint next available person from the panel of names recommended by the Selection Committee.

Deferred.

20. To consider a letter received from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. in connection with the case of Sri Paresh Ch. Bhoumik, Peon, Care-Taking Section, N.B.U.

Deferred.

21. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Zoology held on 26.6.82.

Noted and approved. (Appendix V)

Misc. 1 The Council decided to appoint Dr. B. Das Gupta, Principal, Darjeeling Govt. College, as a member on the Committees of Post Graduate and Undergraduate Studies in Zoology and Botany. Confirmed for immediate action.

Misc. 2 Prof. S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor(Acting) reported that he had received a communication from Dr. P.K. Ghosh, the Vice-Chancellor, intimating that he had sent in his resignation to the Chancellor. The Council decided that a letter be sent to Dr. Ghosh requesting him to reconsider his decision and rejoin his post as Vice-Chancellor.

Misc. 3 The Council hereby authorises Sri Ratan Kumar Ghosh, the Deputy Registrar of North Bengal University, to swear affidavits, sign and file petitions etc. and do all other works necessary on behalf of North Bengal University in connection with contesting the awards (six numbers) of Sri D.N. Ghosh, on the arbitration proceedings between M/S Unit Construction Company Private Limited and the University of North Bengal, before the High Court, Calcutta in connection with the Award cases Nos. 135, 136, 137, 138, 139 and 140 all of 1982.

Misc. 4 The Council noted that experts nominated by the Council on the Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Professor/Reader in English were not available due to indisposition. The Council nominated another expert in their place.

Misc. 5 The Council considered a representation from some Junior Technical Assistants of the North Bengal Medical College for upgradation. The Council decided that the petition may be forwarded to the Govt. for necessary action.

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Misc. 6 The Council decided that Prof. S.R. Das Gupta be appointed Senior Professor with effect from 14.9.81 irrespective of the fact that the same was communicated to him later on in March 1982 and Prof. Das Gupta accepted the same in March 1982. Since such appointment did not involve any higher responsibility the date of decision of the Council be taken into consideration rather than the date when same was communicated to him and accepted by him.

Confirmed for immediate action.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

S. N. Sen

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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NORTH BENGAL MEDICAL COLLECE
SUSHRUTANAGAR: DT:DARJEELING

Appendix-1

No. Med/F-48/1397 Dated, May 17/21, 1982

To
The Registrar,
University of North Bengal,
Raja Rammohunpur,
Darjeeling.

Sub: Award of MBBS Degree to N.B. Medical Students.

Sir,

The following students, who have passed the 3rd Professional M.B.B.S. Examination in April, 1981, have completed their one year rotating Internship training satisfactorily. I recommend their names for the award of M.B.B.S. Degree.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- S. K. Biswas
PRINCIPAL

Name of the students

1. Ashok Kumar Ray
2. Ajit Kr. Ray
3. Ujjal Kanti Samaddar
4. Sanatan Mandal
5. Meghanil Bose
6. Swapan Kumar Dutta
7. Santanu Kumar Sarkar.

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GOVT. OF WEST BENGAL
OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL
N.B. MEDICAL COLLEGE

No. Med/F-48/1631 Dt. 26.7.82

To
The Registrar,
University of North Bengal
Raja Rammohunpur, Darjeeling.

Sir,

Reference to your communication no 3019/R-82 dated July 7th, 1982, the information as desired is furnished here under.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- S. K. Biswas
Principal.

Name	Period of training
1. Ashok Kr. Ray	From 16.4.81 to 15.4.82
2. Ajit Kr. Ray	- do -
3. Ujjwal Kanti Samaddar	- do -
4. Sanatan Mandal	- do -
5. Meghanil Bose	- do -
6. Swapan Kr. Dutta	- do -
7. Santanu Kr. Sarkar	From 29.4.81 to 28.4.82.

Appendix- II

OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL
JALPAIGURI GOVT.ENGINEERING COLLEGE
JALPAIGURI.

Dated : .17....6....82..

In the Second Semester Examination of 1981 which was held in Sept, '81 & Dec, '81., six candidates were reported against. Two from Final year, two from 2nd. year and 2 from Ist. year. The malpractices Committee cancelled the whole Semester Exam. of these students. The students represented for reconsideration and the General Secretary, Students' Union had a discussion with the Vice-Chancellor in this context. The matter came up in the University Council and it was referred to the Examination Advisory Committee. The Committee recommendod holding of their second semester exam. with the next first semester exam. so as to avoid loss of year of these students since already they are lagging a lot. The Council ratified this in respect of the final year students and a special examination for them has already been arranged. In the meantime two teachers Sri D.K.Indra and Sri P.K.Chatterjee complained misbehaviour by two students viz. Sri Shovan Acharya and Sri Premangshu Sarkar. In view of this complain the University Council has preferred to defer a decision in respect of the remaining four boys. The name of Srix Sri Premangsu Sarkar has already been struck off the rolls and he has been asked to leave the hostel and he had done so. Sri Shovan Acharya's mother came here and begged appology from Sri D.K.Indra who complained about him. Sri Indra has appologised him and I have also asked him to vacate Hostel and his mother has given undertaking to this effect (document enclosed). Since punishment has been given to both it is requested that recommendation of Examination Advisory Committee be finally approved.

Sd/ .H.BHAUMIK
PRINCIPAL,
JALPAIGURI GOVT.ENGG.COLLEGE
JALPAIGURI.

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Appendix III

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL.

Proceedings of the meeting of the Advisory Committee for Engineering Examinations held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 18.6.82 at 2 p.m.

Members present :

1. Principal H.Bhaumik - Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College
2. Prof.T.K.Roy - Head of the Deptt.of Mechanical Engg., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
3. Dr.B.Banerjee - Head of the Deptt.of Mathematics, Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
4. Shri Sripati Datta- Mechanical Engg.Deptt., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
5. Shri Debabrata Ghosh- A.C.College,Jalpaiguri.

Item No.1 : To fix the dates of commencement of B.E.Part II (1st Semester) and B.E.Part IV (1st Semester) Examinations,1982 (Academic session 1981-82).

Decision : Some of the members expressed dissatisfaction over the piecemeal manners in which the Engineering Examinations of different years are being held at present. It is desirable that the examination for all the years should be arranged simultaneously. The Deputy Controller of Examinations also expressed his difficulties in arranging examinations with 10/15 days' notice as is being currently held. The members present unanimously favoured discussion of the matter relating to regularisation of examinations in future for which the Deputy Controller of Examinations was requested to keep a separate agenda at the next meeting to be held tentatively on 22.7.82. However the members recommended the following dates of commencement of B.E.Part II and Part IV (First Semester) Examinations,1982.

B.E. Part IV - 30.6.82

B.E. Part II - 8.7.82.

In view of the fact that most of the candidates of B.E.Part II(1st Semester) are not in the College campus due to Summer Vacation, the members requested the Deputy Controller of Examinations to notify the date of commencement in the Calcutta news papers.

The members also discussed the matter relating to submission of sessional marks to the Principal (Coordinator) by the internal examiners. It was observed that owing to absence of any instruction from the Controller of Examinations to submit marks within a specified period the publication of the results of examinations is delayed due to late

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submission of marks by the examiners. With a view to overcome the problem it was proposed to note down the last date for submission of sessional marks in their letter of appointments.

There being no other item the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Appendix IV

University of North Bengal
Raja Rammohunpur,
Darjeeling.

Proceedings of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee for the M.A.Part I (Public) Examination,1982.

Date- 3.5.82.

Members present :

1. Prof. N.C.Choudhury,
   Vice-Chairman (Arts) P.G.Council,N.B.U.

2. Prof.S.N.Roy,
   Deptt.of Pol.Science, N.B.U.

Shri S.Majumder, Dy.Controller of Examinations worked as Convener.

The candidates expelled/Reported against at the M.A. Part I (Public) Examination,1981 were given reasonable opportunity to spell out their cases in defence including personal hearing and submission of written statements and the Malpractice Enquiry Committee on an indepth scrutiny of all the papers and statements decided to recommend as follows :-

Examination of the candidates in the subject Bengali bearing the following roll nos. has been cancelled for the year 1981.

Roll Rammohun (P.G. I) Ext. B-69.
Roll Rammohun (P.G. I) Ext. B-107.
Roll Mal (P.G. I) Ext. B-22.

Debarred from appearing in 1982 also.

Sd/- N.C.Chowdhury

Sd/- S.N.Roy

Sd/- S.Majumder.

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Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Zoology held on 26.6.82.

Members present:

1. Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Dr. A.K.Chakraborty, Head of the Department of Zoology North Bengal University
3. Dr. A.K.Roy, Head of the Department of Zoology, Darjeeling Govt. College
4. Prof. B.Das Gupta, Principal (Guide) Darjeeling Govt. College
5. Dr. D.K.Chakraborty, Assistant Professor of Zoology Presidency College, Calcutta (Guide)

1. The Board approved the panels of names of examiners as recommended for examining the following theses:

	Topic of Research	Submitted by
(a)	Studies on the Taxonomy of the oribatid fauna (Acari) of Forest and Tea soils in the district of Darjeeling, West Bengal.	Sri Barun Kumar Mondal
(b)	Studies on the regulations of nuclear and cytoplasmic activities in a mutagen treated Eukaryotic cell.	Sri Aniruddha Gangopadhyay
(c)	Studies of the blood protozoa of some vertebrates.	Sri Chanchal Kumar Sinha
(d)	Bionomics of flies (Diptera: Calliphoridae, sarcophagidae and Muscidae) of Jalpaiguri District, West Bengal.	Sri Aloke Paul
(e)	Studies on ground beetles (Coleoptera: Insecta) of Dooars Area(Jalpaiguri, West Bengal) with special reference to their taxonomy, seasonal activity and density by pitfall experiment.	Sri Anup Kumar Datta

2. The Board noted that Sri Bedanti Kumar Bhuyan was provisionally permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D. (Science) with effect from 1977 subject to the conditions that the Principal, Presidency College, Calcutta, permitted to use the Laboratory of the Department of Zoology at the Presidency College, Calcutta. The above decision was taken in 1980. The Board noted that the D.P.I., West Bengal had permitted Sri Bhuyan to use the Zoology Laboratory, Presidency College, Calcutta.

The Board recommended that Sri Bhuyan permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D. (Science) with effect from January 1, 1979.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

SECRETARY CHAIRMAN

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Appendix-VI

To
The Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur
Dt. Darjeeling.

(Through the Principal, N.B. Medical College).

Sub: Change of Designation and scale of pay of Junior Technical Assistants.

Sir,

With deep disappointment and utter necessity we the undersigned Junior Technical Assistants of North Bengal University on lien to N.B. Medical College beg to invite your personal attention to the long standing grievance of us in the matter of anomally in designation and scale of pay in order to have justified decision from your end.

That sir, theJunior Technical Assistants of NorthBengal University those who served continious period of 3 years in scale of Rs. 225-15-300-20-500/- were up graded to the post of Senior Technical Assistant in the scale of Rs. 275-15-350-20-550/- as per recommendation of the committee constituted by the Executive Council for the purpose of fixation of cadre strength and pay scale on 29.8.67. Apart from the above there were direct recruits in N.B. Medical College who were originally appointed as Technical Assistants subsequently placed in the post of Senior Technical Assistants in grade of Rs. 275-15-350-20-550/- while fitting in the above scale, most surprisingly the experience and Qualification as prescribed by the University was not taken into consideration.

We the five unfortunate Junior Technical Assistants have preferred several appeals for upgradation in terms of the Executive Council's Sub-Committees recommendation dated 29.8.67 followed by the Executive Council's resolution dated 3rd August, 1974 where in it is expressly decided that "In case of placement of senior scale of Technical Assistants the Executive Council previously decided "Must have experience in a laboratory in a degree college or experience in laboratory works about 3yrs for promotion/appointmentin the senior scale i.e. Rs. 275-15-350-20-550." But our legitimate and justified demand failed attracked the attention of the University Authority though the persons recruited subsequently were given the senior scale of Rs. 275-15-350-20-550/-. In the year 1978, the Principal, N.B. Medical College was kind enough to intimate us that the question of upgrading of the Junior Technical Assistants is under processing and will be placed in the next University Council's meeting vide his letter no. Med-D-148/117 dt. 28.5.78. The matter however placed before the Executive Council's meeting dated 24.6.78, and it was decided to refer the matter to the Deputy Registrar, North Bengal University for his comments. This decision was communicated under Registrar, North Bengal University vide letter no. 3236/R-78 dt. 4.8.78.

We were on good faith that the matter has received the attention of the University Authority and this will be considered as per the practice followed previously in respect of others in terms of Executive Councils decision dated 3.8.74, and sub-committee's decision dt. 29.8.67. But with deep pathos we beg to intimate you that the University Authority kept silent on the issue. Meanwhile the revised pay scales which have already been implemented in respect of North Bengal University Employees were also going to be implemented to the North Bengal Medical College Employees. As we are drawing salaries from North Bengal Medical College, our pay also will be fixed by the North Bengal Medical College in corresponding scale of Junior Technical Assistants without giving effect of the upgrading. As we are the employees of the North Bengal University it is our legitimate demand that the University Authority should pritect the interest of its employees in the same time as had been done previously.

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In fine we beg to appeal once again to your good-self to be gracious enough to favour us with the long due upgradation and as we had already sustained great loss, the North Medical College Authority may be instructed to keep the implementation of the revised pay scales of Junior Technical Asstt. in abyance till settlement of the issue, to save us from a further loss.

Again hoping that justice will be made to us.

Dated, Sushrutanagar,
the 10th Dec. '79.

Yours faithfully,

1. Sd/- Dilip Dasgupta
2. Sd/- Dipak Kr. Paul
3. Sd/- Souren Kr. Dutta
4. Sd/- Pranab Kr. Dutta
5. Sd/- Sunil Ray Chaudhuri.

Copy to :

1. The Principal,
   N.B. Medical College.
2. The Registrar,
   N.B.U.
3. The Finance Officer,
   N.B.U.
4. Deputy Registrar,
   N.B.U.
5. All members of the University Council of N.B.U. for information & necessary action.

Extract of the University Council's resolution given below for your kind information :-

Minutes of the 8th meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 24.6.78 (Annexure-1 with the agenda paper of the 9th meeting held on 22.7.78.

21. To consider certain recommendation of college council of N.B. Medical College.

The Council considered the recommendation of the N.B. Medical college Councol held on 8.5.78 and decidnd.

iii) to refer the the matter of upgrading the Jr. Technical Assistants to the Deputy Registrar for his comments, since it was noted the similar cases at the University were under consideration.

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Annexure-III

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the Emergent meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 26.7.82 at 2-00 P.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Prof. S. N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Shri B. C. Ghosh, Chairman, Siliguri-Jalpaiguri Development Authority
3. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
4. Shri P. K. Majumdar, Lecturer, Siliguri College
5. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
6. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
7. Shri Hiten Nag, Lecturer, Dinhata College
8. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College

The members welcomed Shri B.C. Ghosh, Chairman, Siliguri-Jalpaiguri Development Authority who has been appointed a member of the Council by the Chancellor.

1. The Council considered the note from Prof. S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) as circulated earlier. (Appendix-I)

After a detailed discussions, and Prof. S.N. Sen being convinced of the difficulties, the Council decided that in continuation of its earlier decision Prof. S.N. Sen be authorised to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Vice-Chancellor in anticipation of the approval of the Chancellor till the end of August, 1982 as provided in Section 18 of the North Bengal University Act 1961 read with Section 57(6)(b) of the North Bengal University Act 1981. It was further decided that the matter be brought to the notice of the Chancellor immediately.

2. The Council while reiterating its decision dated 12.7.82 decided that if Dr. P.K. Ghosh does not rejoin, the Govt. of West Bengal might be apprised of the situation for early action as per Act.

3. The Council decided that the following members be requested to proceed to Calcutta immediately to expedite the matter relating to the difficulties mentioned in the note of Prof. S.N. Sen :

(i) Shri Bimal K. Das
(ii) Shri P.K. Majumdar
(iii) Shri Debabrata Ghosh
(iv) Shri Hiten Nag
(v) Shri Asoke Guha
(vi) Shri Probhat Acharjee
(vii) Dr. P. K. Gupta

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

S. N. Sen
Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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Appendix-I

University of North Bengal.

Date: 19-7-82

Sri B.K. Bajpaie,
Registrar.

An emergency meeting of the N.B.U. Council should be convened immediately to consider the following:

1) In accordance with the resolution of the University Council dated the 16th April 1982 the undersigned acted as the Vice-Chancellor for one month from 19th April 1982 in the leave vacancy of Prof. P.K. Ghosh, the Vice-Chancellor of the University and it was approved by the Chancellor. In persuance of a letter written by Prof. P.K. Ghosh to the undersigned the Council at its meeting held on 31st May adopted a resolution authorizing the undersingned to continue to act as Vice-Chancellor for two months from 20th May. The Chancellor's approval for the resolution has not yet been received. The period is going to terminate on the 20th July. In the meantime Prof. P.K. Ghosh has informed the undersigned that he has relinquished the post of the Vice-Chancellor and has informed the Chancellor accordingly. As no intimation has been received from the Government in this respect as yet, the undersigned strongly feels that to continue as Vice-Chancellor beyond 20th July will be an act of violation of Statutes and will lead to various complications in future. The undersigned therefore appeals to the Council to relieve him of the responsibility.

2) As the teaching assignment in the P.G. class and the research work of the Research Fellows (which is a time bound programme) under the guidance of the undersigned is suffering to a large extent for the last three months the undersigned requests the Council to relieve him of the responsibility.

S. N Sen

Sd/- S.N. Sen
Vice-Chancellor(Actg.)

University of North Bengal
Estate Development Secn.

Annexure-V

No. EST/24-L/82 Dt.

Minutes of the 29th meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 28.5.82 at 11-30 A.M. at the chamber of the Finance Officer, N.B.U.

Members present :

1. Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer, - Chairman
2. Sri S. Sanyal, University Engineer, Member
3. Sri B. K. Bhattacherjee, Officer-in-Charge, W & W Deptt., Member.

Item No. 1 To confirm the minutes of the 28th meeting held on 21.1.82.

Decision: Confirmed.

Item No. 2 To finalise the problem arising due to non supply of white drill by the supplier (M/S. Gupta & Co., Siliguri).

Decision: Since the supplier failed to supply the cloth (white drill) and the time is short as well the committee recommended that the cloth may be purchased on spot quotation basis immediately. M/S. Gupta may also be informed that the supply order issued in his favour stands withdrawn as he failed to supply.

Item No. 3 To finalise the matter regarding return of old liveries while receiving the new one by the staff concerned (a list of defaulters is attached).

Decision: The Committee advised the Estate Devl. Deptt. to issue further circular regarding return of old liveries. The defaulters may also be informed through their Head of the deptts.

Item No. 4 To finalise the question of supply of liveries to the newly appointed staff (Darwans, Peons, Attendants, Sweepers etc.) against the regular/parmanent vacancies.

Decision: The Committee decided not to issue any liveries to newly appointed staff till they are made permanent as no liveries were issued to the temporary staff in the past.

Item No. 5 To consider the release of earnest money as deposited by M/S. Needle Fight, who has completed their works and got full payment of their bills from the Finance Department.

Decision: The Committee recommended for releasing the earnest money in favour of M/S. Needle Fight, Siliguri.

Item No. 6 Any other items that may be brought with permission of the chair.

Decision: With permission of the Chair, Sri P.B. Gupta, Sr. Asstt. Estate Devl. Secn. placed 2 letters received from the University Engineer and the Asstt. Medical Officer, N.B.U. regarding supply of umbrellas, rain coats, gum boots. The committee directed the Estate Devl. Secn. to place the matter to the N.B.U. Council for decision since the existing rules do not permit issue of such articles.

Sd/- S. M. Roy
Chairman

Sd/- R. K. Ghosh
Convenor Secretary

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Draft for approval

University of North Bengal
Estate Development Section

No. EST/24-L/82 Date: 12.6.82

Minutes of the Emergent Meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 9.6.82 at 11-30 A.M. at the Chamber of the Finance Officer, North Bengal University.

Member present :-

1. Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer, Chairman
2. Sri S. Sanyal, University Engineer, Member
3. Sri B. K. Bhattacharjee, Officer-in-Charge, W & W Deptt., Member

Item No. 1 To confirm the 29th meeting of the Liveries Committee hold on 28.5.82.

Decision: Confirmed.

Item No. 2 To select the cloth & rates as per spot quotations collected by Sri B. K. Bhattacherjee, Security Officer, N.B.U. & Sri P.B. Gupta, dealing Assistant.

Decision: The Committee verified the quality of cloth sample and the rates as per spot quotations collected and recommended the cloth (Elgin Mill) @ Rs. 9/- per mtr. and advised the Estate Development Section to purchase the cloth after approval of the Vice-Chancellor.

Item No. 3 To consider the representation of the staff regarding supply of Liveries with the Terri-Cotton Cloth.

Decision: The Liveries Rules shows that the Council earmarked the cloth white Drill, Khaki Drill, Khaki Collula etc by which the Liveries to be made. As such the Committee feels that the matter be referred to the N.B.U. Council for their decision. Moreover, this will involve some Extra-expenditure if Terri-Cotton is replaced against white drill, Khaki Drill etc.

Misc. Item With permission of the Chair, Sri P.B. Gupta, dealing Assistant requested the Committee with full details of his difficulty for keeping the bulk quantity of cloth & Liveries in the absence of Almirah, the Committee strongly recommended that at least one steel Almirah may be provided for the purpose and may be purchased through the N.B.U. Consumer's Co-operative Stores Ltd. after approval of the Vice-Chancellor.

No other items were discussed and the meeting terminated with a note of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- S. M. Roy
Chairman

Sd/- R. K. Ghosh
Convenor Secretary

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Annexure - VI

MINUTES OF THE NINETYTHIRD MEETING OF THE COLLEGE COUNCIL.

The ninetythird meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College (University College), was held on Saturday, the 17th April,1982 at 2 P.M. at the Guest House of the University of North Bengal.

PRESENT :

Prof.P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U. (In the Chair).
Prof.A.K.Ghosh, Head of the Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.
Shri S.M.Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.
Shri K.C.Mitra, Advocate, Raiganj.
Shri Dipak Chatterjee, Raiganj Coronation School.
Shri H.K.Sarkar, Kaliyaganj College.
Shri B.Choudhury, Raiganj College (University College).
Shri S.K.Sarkar, Raiganj College (University College).
Shri S.N.Roy, Principak & Secretary, Raiganj College (University College).

Dr.A.B.Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U., Special Invitee.

ABSENT :

The District Magistrate, West Dinajpur.
The Sub-Divisional Officer, Raiganj.
Dr.B.C.Bagchi, Raiganj.
Shri K.N.Singha, M.L.A., Raiganj.

1. Minutes :-

Minutes of the last meting of the College Counoil, Raiganj College (University College), held on 7th February,1982, were confirmed.

2. Business Arising :-

a) Pay protection of Shri Gurupada Choudhury, M.Sc., Substitute Lecturer in Physics -- Resolution No.4 of the meeting of the West Bengal College Service Commission held on 6.12.1980 in this behalf :-

Shri Gurupada Choudhury, Substitute Lecturer in Physics under F.I.P. Scheme, applied for protection of his pay last

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drawn at Siliguri College where he served in a leave vacancy. In this connexion, the Principal placed before the meeting Resolution No.4 of the meeting of the West Bengal College Service Commission held on 6.12.1980 which had a bearing on the pay fixation of the teachers recommended by the Commission.

Decision : The matter was discussed and it was decided that the resolution of the Commission would be applicable only if Shri Choudhury was appointed at Siliguri College on the recommendation of the West Bengal College Service Commission or else not. The Principal was requested to ascertain if Shri Choudhury was appointed at the Siliguri College on the recommendation of the College Service Commission.

b) Extension of benefit of House Rent Allowance and Medical Allowance to the members of the Staff appointed in connexion with introduction of Zoology & Botany Hons.as per G.O. No.1664-Edn(U), dated 8.11.80 -- Principal's letter to F.O. (324/82-(121), dated March 16,1982) :-

These members of the teaching staff by virtue of the provisions of the G.O. mentioned claimed House Rent and Medical Allowances at par with those of the teachers appointed before 28.11. 1980. In this connexion the Finance Officer read a note and pointed out that the G.O. No.1971, dated 28.11.80 provided that teachers appointed after that date would be governed by terms and conditions of the Sponsored Colleges of the State. Hence the Council regretted inability to comply with their request.

c) Appointment of a Gardener (Vide item No.13 (c) (iv) of the minutes of the meeting of the College Council of 8.2.82) :-

The Council noted that Dr.G.C.Sarkar, Acting Head of the Deptt. of Botany, had recently given his opinion (as reported by a member of the College Council) that Dr.Sarkar did not consider the appointment of a gardener as essential for the Deptt. of Botany. In this connexion three members of the Council, namely, Shri S.K.Sarkar, Shri D.Chatterjee, and Shri B.Choudhury, expressed the opinion that the consequential vacancy caused by the

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appointment of Shri Ratan Kumar Pal as the Store-Keeper of the Deptt. of Botany be filled up by appointing the 4th man selected in the panel recommended by the Selection Committee.

Shri K.C.Mitra differed from the opinion and pointed out that such an appointment was technically and legally faulty. The panel was made for a particular appointment for which advertisement was made, and as such the panel was liable to be invalid as soon as the vacancies advertised were filled up. The panel meant for one particular appointment cannot be diverted to other appointments, and hence he opposed such action.

Principal was requested to ascertain in writing the opinion of Dr.Sarkar re : necessity of a gardener.

(d) Appointment of Shri Subhda Dom (item no.16 of the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, held on 8th Feby., 1982) :-

The case of the appointment of Shri Subhda Dom was considered. In this connexion contents of the Labour Deptt. Memo No.1700-EMP 30-25/78 dated 3.8.79 were noted. The Council decided that on Principal's recommendation the President may issue necessary orders for appointment in the pay scale circulated by D.P.I. for the post concerned (G.O.No.772-Edn(B), dated 31st July,1981 and No. 492(6)-Edn(B) dated the 26th October,1981). FI - 39/81

(e) Temporary appointment of teachers for Plus 2 Course (Item No.12 of the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, held on 8th February,1982) :-

It was reported that extension of services of all the teachers appointed for plus 2 Course was necessary in view of the fact that answer-scripts of the annual examination of XI Class were to be examined by them.

Decision : It was, therefore, decided that the service period of the following teachers be extended up to the end of the session i.e. up to 31st May,1982.

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1. Shri P.K.Ghosh.
2. Shri A.K.Saha.
3. Shri T.K.Ghosh.
4. Shri Sidhi Charan Sarkar.
5. Shri Ashis Kumar Bose.
6. Shri Goutam Mitra.
7. Shri P.Bhattacharya.
8. Shri N.Chakraborty.
9. Shri Ramen Ghosh.
10. Shri Biplab Tarafder.

3. Monthly Estimates :-

Monthly Estimates for the month of February,1982 were placed before the meeting. Decided that the estimates be approved subject to scrutiny by the Finance Officer.

4. Extension of services of Shri Gurupada Choudhury, M.Sc., Substitute Lecturer in Physics, from 3rd May,1982:-

The Principal reported that Shri Gurupada Choudhury was appointed a substitute Lecturer in Physics in place of Shri A.K. Guha and was appointed for six months as per Govt. Orders. His period of service is to expire on 2nd May,1982.

Resolved to extend his service by a period of six months with effect from 3rd May,1982.

5. Confirmation :-

a) Shri Dilip De Sarkar, Lecturer in Botany.
b) Shri Prabas Ranjan Rout, Lecturer in Political Science.

The Confidential reports in respect of Shri Dilip De Sarkar, Lecturer in Botany, and Shri Prabas Ranjan Rout, Lecturer in Political Science, were obtained. It was noted that the reports were furnished by the respective Head of the Deptt. and that the reports were satisfactory. The Principal recommended their confirmation.

Resolved to confirm Shri Dilip De Sarkar and Shri Prabas Ranjan Rout in their respective posts with effect from the date on which their respective confirmation falls due i.e. Shri Dilip De Sarkar, M.Sc., Lecturer in Botany, is confirmed in his post

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with effect from 30th April,1982, and Shri Prabas Ranjan Rout,M.A., Lecturer in Political Science, is confirmed in his post with effect from 16th April,1982.

6. Application of Shri Ranjit Kumar Choudhury, M.Sc., Lecturer in Botany, seeking pay protection :-

An application of Shri Ranjit Kumar Choudhury, M.Sc., Lecturer in Botany, seeking protection of his pay last drawn at his former College (St.Joseph's College, Darjeeling), was placed before the meeting.

Decision : Decided that Principal be requested to send the proposal to the Finance Officer.

7. Application of Shri Prabas Ranjan Rout, Lecturer in Political Science, praying for sanction of House Rent and Medical Allowance :-

Application of Shri Prabas Ranjan Rout claiming House Rent and Medical Allowances at par with those of the teachers appointed before 28.11.80 was placed before the meeting.

Decided that since Shri Rout was appointed after the issue of the G.O.No.1931 dated 28.11.80, as per provisions of the G.O., Shri Rout's appointment is governed by the conditions of Sponsored Colleges of West Bengal. Hence the Council expressed its inability to accede to his request.

8. Provisional appointment to Shri Chandan Sengupta, M.Sc.,as a substitute lecturer in Botany :-

The Principal reported that he offered provisional appointment to Shri Chandan Sengupta, M.Sc., as a Substitute Lecturer in Botany in place of Shri Binoy Kumar Das under F.I.P. Scheme, with effect from 1st March,1982, on the basis of the letter No. 3242/1(1)/Sel/82, dated 9-2-82 of the Secretary, West Bengal College Service Commission.

Resolved to approve of the action of the Principal in offering provisional appointment to Shri Chandan Sengupta as a Substitute Lecturer in Botany under F.I.P. Scheme with effect from

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1st March,1982. It was also resolved that Principal may issue letter of appointment to Shri Chandan Sengupta in conformity with the proforma for such appointment of the West Bengal College Service Commission, appointing him a substitute lecturer in Botany in Leave Vacancy under F.I.P. Scheme, on usual pay and allowances for such lecturers of the Sponsored Colleges of the State, with effect from 1st March,1982. Resolved further that the period of Shri Chandan Sengupta's appointment in this College would be up to 15th July,1982.

9. Release of Shri Hirak Roy, M.Com., Lecturer in Commerce, on lien for one year from 1st April,1982 — Appointment of a substitute :-

The Principal reported that Shri Hirak Roy, who obtained an appointment at Vijaygarh College, prayed for lien for one year with effect from 1st April,1982. Principal on the advice of the Vice-Chancellor released Shri Hirak Roy in anticipation of College Council's approval.

Resolved to approve of the action of the Principal and to grant lien for one year to Shri Roy with effect from 1st April, 1982.

10. Report : Joining of Shri Amlan Majumder, M.Com., as a Lecturer in Commerce, in the substantive post (w.e.f.16th March,1982) :-

The Principal reported that Shri Amlan Majumder joined the College as a Lecturer in Commerce with effect from 16th March, 1982. He was offered appointment as per recommendation of the West Bengal College Service Commission.

The report was noted.

11. Application of Shri Ratan Kumar Pal, B.Com., Lab.Bearer, Deptt. of Biology, seeking lien for one year with effect from the date of joining his new post :-

The application was placed before the meeting. The Council regretted inability to grant him lien as prayed for.

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12. Application of Shri Ratan Kumar Paul, B.Com., Store-Keeper, Deptt. of Botany, seeking pay protection :-

The application was placed before the meeting. Decided that the proposal for the fixation of hispay in the new scale announced by the D.P.I. as per G.O.No.372-Edn(B), dated 31st July,1981 and No.492(6)-Edn(B) dated the 26th October,1981 be sent to the Finance Officer.
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13. Enhancement of allowance for the Medical Officer,College Hostels :-

The Council noted that the Girls' Hostel was opened and there were about 30 boarders. In view of the additional strain, the medical allowance of the Hostel Medical Officer be enhanced to Rs.1500/- per annum with effect from the month of April,1982.

14. Revival of the post of Academic Secretary :-

The Principal proposed that in view of the increasing strength and additional departments opened, he needed secretarial help for the smooth academic administration of the College. Members appreciated the need but felt that teachers should be consulted in this behalf. Principal may, therefore, meet the teachers and obtain their opinion.

15. House Rent Allowance for the members of the Staff residing in the College campus :-

Decision : The Council decided that the House Rent rules now in operation in the University be in principle adopted for implementation in respect of Teaching and Non-Teaching staff of the College appointed before the issue of the G.O. 1931, dated 28.11.80. Detailed proposal in this connexion for caloulating the amount of allowances payable may be put forward before this Council.

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16. G.O.No.571-Edn(B) dated Calcutta, the 21st December,1981, re : 1 M-34/81 grant of Medical Allowance to the Teaching Staff of the Non-Govt. and Sponsored Colleges :-

The G.O. was placed before the meeting. It was decided that the provisions of the G.O. be implemented for the teachers appointed by the College Council on the recommendations of the College Service Commission.

17. G.O.No.1965-Edn(CS) dated Calcutta the 29th December,1981 re : 3 A-4/81 grant of House Rent Allowance to the whole-time teachers of non-Govt. Colleges (Sponsored and Non-Sponsored) :-

G.O. No.1965-Edn(CS) granting House Rent Allowance to the whole-time teachers of the non-Govt.Colleges (Sponsored and non-Sponsored) was placed before the meeting.

Decision : Resolved to implement the provisions of the G.O. in respect of the payment of House Rent Allowance of the teachers appointed by the College Council on the recommendation of the College Service Commission.

18. Revision of Pay Scales of the Non-Teaching Staff of the College — G.O.No.372-Edn(B), dated 31st July,1981 and G.O.No. 492-(6)-Edn(B) dated the 26th October, 1981 :- F-1-39/81

The above Govt. Orders were placed before the meeting. Decided that the provisions of the above Govt. Orders be adopted for the revision of the pay scales of the members of the Non-Teaching Staff of the College, appointed after 28.11.80.

19. Application from the Secretary, Teachers' Council, Raiganj College (University College), praying for sanction of necessary amount for purchase of fifteen chairs with steel frame and cushion for the Staff Common Room as per price list of Punjab Safe & Electronics enclosed with the application :-

Application of the Secretary, Teachers' Council, requesting sanction of 15 steel chairs was placed before the meeting.

Decision : The Council agreed in principle to purchase the chairs and decided that the matter would be considered as soon as possible.

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20. Obstacle Course for the N.C.C. Cadets -- Necessity of construction of certain Obstacles -- Application of Ex-Capt.A.K.Mukherjee, In-Charge, Raiganj College NCC, requesting sanction of Rs.500/- for the purpose :-

The application of Ex-Capt. A.K.Mukherjee requesting construction of an Obstacle Course as discussed in the meeting of the State Director NCC at the University was placed before the meeting.

Decision : Decided that the Obstacle Course be constructed within the amount of Rs.500/- as mentioned by Ex-Capt.A.K.Mukherjee and that the amount be paid out of NCC budget provision of the College.

21. Protection of the Physics Laboratory with Grille-cum-Collapsible Gate -- Application of the Head of the Deptt. of Physics, submitting an estimate of for Rs.1140/- for the purpose:-

Decided that the Council accepted in principle the proposal and the matter would be considered for execution as soon as possible.

22. An application signed by Dr.S.Acharya and Shri I.L.Saha of the Deptt. of Physics, seeking permission for publication of their paper "Column Calibration Factor : Temperature Dependence of Isotopic" in the Journal of Physical Society of Japan :-

The application was placed before the meeting. The Vice-Chancellor was pleased to point out that the University has recently decided not to permit any expenditure to be incurred for publication of any paper in any foreign journal. The Council, therefore, regretted inability to comply with the request of Dr.Acharya.

23. Leave Cases :-

a) Application of Shri S.C.Das, M.A., Lecturer in English, for the period from 17.2.1982 to 27.2.1982 for performing the last rites of his father :-

The application was placed before the meeting and considered. Decided to grant Shri Das Special Leave for the period from 17.2.82 to 27.2.82.

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23. (b) Application of Shrimati J.Sengupta, M.A., Lecturer in Philosophy, praying for leave from 5.1.82 to 22.1.82 (suffixing a holiday on 23rd January and a Sunday on 24th January,1982) :-

The Council desired to know fuller details regarding her absence and causes thereof.

(c) Application of Shri Ratul Kanti Sinha, M.Sc., Lecturer in Zoology, praying for Study Leave :-

The application was duly considered. Decided to grant him Study Leave with pay for one year as per University rule, subject to his producing the letter from the University of Burdwan admitting him to M.Phil. Course during the 1982-83 academic session.

24. P.F.Loan : Applications of —

a)	Shri S.N.Roy, Principal. :	For Rs.9504/-
b)	Dr.Dhirendra Kr.Das, Lecturer in Chemistry. :	For Rs.6900/-
c)	Shri Benoy Bh.Choudhury, Head of the Deptt. of Commerce. :	For Rs.6000/-
d)	Shri B.K.Sanyal, Lecturer in Mathematics:	For Rs.6800/-
e)	Shri Biswanath Bhattacharya, Acting Head Clerk cum Cashier. :	For Rs.4600/-
f)	Shri N.N.Basu, Asstt.Librarian. :	For Rs.1000/-
g)	Shri Dalim Kr.Nag, L.D.Clerk cum Typist:	For Rs.2136/-
h)	Shri Binoy Krishna Goswami, Library Attendant. :	For Rs.1650/-
i)	Shri D.K.Nag, Night Guard cum Bearer.:	For Rs.2200/-
j)	Shri P.K.Chakraborty, Lab.Bearer. :	For Rs.2000/-
k)	Shri R.N.Choudhury, Bearer. :	For Rs.2200/-

Decision : Decided to approve of the action of the Principal in sanctioning loan to the above applicants from the Provident Fund as per rules.

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25. Application of Shri Biswanath Bhattacharya, Acting Head Clerk cum Cashier, praying for appropriate designation and pay scale. In case of rejection of this prayer, he solicits to be relieved of his additional duties, relating to the post of Head Clerk/Cashier :-

It was noted that the case of Shri Biswanath Bhattacharya was forwarded to the Govt. for the revival of the post of the Head Clerk.

It was, however, decided that his acting allowance be enhanto Rs.100/- from Rs.60/- per month with effect from the month of April,1982.

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26. Application of Shri Bipul Behari De, a part-time Bearer from 1st January,1982, for Prof.Mess Honours Rooms on a fixed monthly allowance of Rs.50/-, praying for sanction of Day-Wage instead of fixed allowance of Rs.50/- :-

His part-time allowance be enhanced to Rs.60/-.

27. Application of Dr.Dhirendra Kumar Das, Superintendent, Girls' Hostel, requesting revision of the College Council decision of 8th Feby.,1982, re : enhancement of allowance of the Superintendent :-

Deferred.

28. Arrangement for Calculation of arrear P.F. (Interest only) of staff :-

Deferred.

29. Problem of Special Honours Admission :-

Deferred.

30. Concession in tuition fees -- 1981-82 session :-

Decision : Local members of the College Council will constitute the Concession Sub-Committee with Bursar as Convener and Principal as Chairman as was done last year. The Principal may put up names of the students selected for fee-concession by the Committee thus constituted.

31. Representation from the Students' Union re : Cheap Canteen:-

Deferred.

32. Application of Shri D.K.Basu Roy, Bearer, seeking retirement from service and benefit of Triple Benefit Scheme :-

It was noted that the State Govt. has not yet sanctioned Triple Benefit Scheme.

33. Letter from the Bursar re : House Rent Allowance for a teacher whose wife was occupying free quarters as Hostel Super :-

Deferred.

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34. Application signed by Shri S.K.Ghosh, Librarian, and Shri N.N.Basu, Asstt.Librarian, praying for extension of the benefit of Tiffin Allowance to them :-

Deferred.

35. U.G.C.Circular No.F.2-6/80(CP) dated 13 JAN.1982 forwarded by the Deputy Registrar, under No.219-UGC/ /R-82, dated 19.3-1982 re : employment of the blind persons for recaning of chairs :-

Deferred.

36. Extension of services of Dr.Anupam Sarkar, Substitute Lecturer in Chemistry :-

Principal reported that in view of paucity of staff and the failure of the College Service Commission to send the necessary recommendation for appointment of a substitute Lecturer in Chemistry in place of S hri Debaprosad Bhattacharya, now deputed under F.I.P. Scheme, he on the advice and approval of the Vice-Chancellor extended the serbice of Dr.Anupam Sarkar up to 15th April,1982. The Principal recommended further that in view of various examinations services of Dr.Sarkar might be retained for a further period.

Resolved to approve of the action of the Principal in extending the service of Dr.Anupam Sarkar by a month.

Resolved further, on the basis of the recommendation of the Principal to extend the service of Dr.Anupam Sarkar up to 31st May,1982.

37. Appointment of N.S.S.Programme Officer :-

The Principal reported that two applications were received from the following gentlement (1) Shri Pallab Daegupta, Lecturer in Economics (2) Shri Mukul Bikash Sen, Head of the Deptt. of Economics.

Decided that Shri Mukul Bikash Sen be appointed Progra-

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-mme Officer, NSS, Raiganj College (University College), with effect from 1st May,1982.

38. Appointment of N.C.C.Officer :-

The Principal reported that in response to his notice among the teachers he received only one application, that of Shri Rabindranath Mukherjee, Lecturer in Chemistry.

Decided to depute Shri Mukherjee to NCC Pre-Com. Training at the first available course.

39. Vice-Chancellor's grant for the Students' Union (1981-82 Session) :-

Deferred.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- S.N.Roy
(S.N.Roy)
Secretary,
College Council,
Raiganj College
(University College)
&
Principal,
Raiganj College
(University Coll ege).

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh
(P.K.Ghosh)
PRESIDENT,
College Council,
Raiganj College
(University College)
&
Vice-Chancellor,
University of North Bengal.

Annexure - VII

UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE,
COOCH BEHAR.

Minutes of the meeting of the College Council held on 18.11.81 at the Conference Room of the University of North Bengal at 3.00 P.M.

Members present :

1) Prof. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor - President
2) Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer, North Bengal University
3) Dr. P.K.Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj College & Member, N.B.U. Council
4) Sri Hiten Nag, Lecturer in Bengali, Dinhata College & Member, N.B.U. Council
5) Sri U.K.Datta, Lecturer, B.T. Section
6) " G.P.Deb, Lecturer, Evening Section
7) " J.N.Ganguli, Officer-in-Charge, Secretary.

Item - 1. To read and confirm the proceedings of last meeting held on 12.9.81.

Decision : The minutes of the last meeting were confirmed.

Matters arising -

(i) It was noted that the original Matriculation Certificate of Sri R.C.Chakraborty was produced to the Vice Chancellor.

(ii) It was also noted that the Vice Chancellor wrote to Sri M.B. Sen for his observations in respect of Sri R.C.Chakraborty's continuation of service beyond the date of retirement etc. and the letter was sent to Sri Sen on 22.9.81 per Regd. Mail in terms of the decision of the College Council in item 2. It was also noted that the stipulated reply is still awaited.

Item - 2. To consider the settlement of claim consequence on retirement of Sri R.C.Chakrabprty, Head Clerk/ Sr. Asstt., B.Ed. Section of the College.

Decision : Deferred.

Item - 3 : To consider the replies/observations of the office on the Inspection of the College by the Inspector of Colleges on 21st. August, 1981.

Decision : The Council took a note of the replies given by the office and requested the Officer-in-Charge to communicate the steps taken by way of implementation of the suggestions made for record.

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Item - 4. To consider the Budget Estimates for the year 1982-83.

Decision : It was noted that a copy of the Budget Estimates for the year 1982-83 has been submitted to the Finance Branch for scrutiny and further action.

Item - 5. To approve loans sanctioned by the office against P.F. accumulations of teachers and employees.

Decision : The Council approved the loans and accorded ex post facto sanction to them as admissible according to rules.

Name	Date	Amount
B.T.Section		
1) Prof. U.K.Dutta	9.9.81	Rs. 3,000/-
2) Sri S.K.Das	21.9.81	Rs. 1,600/-
3) Sri R.K.Shome	21.9.81	Rs. 600/-
4) Prof. A. Moulik	22.9.81	Rs. 7,200/-
5) " S. Ghosh	4.11.81	Rs. 7,000/-
6) Smti K. Sengupta (Chatterjee)	"	Rs. 2,600/-
Evening Section		
1) Prof. B.B.Chatterjee	10.9.81	Rs. 4,500/-
2) Sri Prakash Chakraborty	22.9.81	Rs. 900/-
3) " Bhim Bahadur Thapa	22.9.81	Rs. 1,000/-

Item - 6. To report that carpentry works have been undertaken to meet the immediate needs of Class Rooms.

Decision : The Council approved the steps taken in this connection. It was decided that the Officer-in-Chargemay get competative rates in this connection from 3 different firms.

It was resolved that the portion of work already done be approved and the rest of the work be taken up in consultation with the teacher members of the Council Sri G.P.Deb and Sri U.K.Datta, composing a Committee with the Officer-in-Charge as the Convener.

Item - 7. To approve the award of Half-free studentship to the students of the Evening ection on the norms accepted by the Council as per annexure provided.

Decision : Approved. Norms and list to be annexed.

Item - 8. To consider the extension of the tenure in respect of Sri I. Sarkar, Lecturer in History, Evening Section, appointed on ad-hoc temporary basis.

Decision : The Council noted that there is no full time teacher in History at the moment.

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It was resolved that the Registrar, North Bengal University be requested to move the U.G.C. for leave and the State Govt. for appointment of Sri Sarker as Lecturer in History in view of the delay inthe post being filled up on the recommendation of the College Service Commission.

It was further resolved that a telegram be sent to College Service Commission to expedite the recommendation. In this connection the College Council noted that in order to meet the needs of teaching History temporary appointment of a part time teacher has been made subject to the approval of the College Council.

The Council approved the appointment till 5.12.81 and decided that steps be taken to appoint two part time teachers from local Colleges. The following Selection Committee was constituted for for the purpose. Appointments may be given on the recommendations of the Selection Committee and Vice-Chancellor's order.

(i) Dr. P.K.Gupta
(ii) A nominee of the V.C.
(iii) The Officer-in-Charge, Convener.

Item - 9. To review the pending decisions in respect of the staff pattern of the College and regularisation of the employees being retained on adhoc temporary basis.

Decision : The Officer-in-Charge, it was decided, will forward details of such employees to the Vice Chancellor who is being authorised to take a decision in the matter.

Item - 10. To review the progress of the proposal on extension of affiliation of the College in honours in English, Bengali, History, Pol. Science and Accountancy.

Decision : The pertinent resolution of the College Council may be sent to the University Council for consideration.

Item - 11. Miscellaneous -

(i) The Council noted that A.D.A.had been sanctioned by the State Govt. to the Employees of the Non-Govt. educational institutions with effect from 1.8.81 vide G.O. no. 396(6)Edn(B) dt. 24th August, 1981. 1 m - 41/81

The Council approved the implementation of the order.

(ii) The letter from the Secretary, Teachers Council dated 16.11.81 along with a copy of the resolution passed at its meeting on 14.11.81 was placed before the meeting.

The Council noted that reference had already been made to the State Govt. in connection with the matter under para 1.

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Regarding para 2, it was reported that the funds position of the University particularly this year is such that payment of arrear house rent will be difficult. However the funds position will be reviewed as soon as the restoration of the deficit grants of the University severely cut this year receives favourable response from the Govt.

Regarding para 3, A.D.A. due from 1.4.81 - it was held that as soon as the Govt. order is available it would be implemented for payment with effect from 1.4.81.

Regarding para 4, it is opined that the College Council has all along considered sanction of leave on individual merits and not denied in effect any legitimate case. The changing of Leave Rules does not appear to be feasible at this stage.

The meeting ended on a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- P.K.Ghosh
President.
Vice-Chancellor,
University of North Bengal.

Secretary.

Annexure

Procedure to be followed for calculation of poverty and marks in connection with granting of Free and Half-free studentship.

Calculation of poverty

Income	Marks
Rs. 0 to 50	50
50 to 100	45
101 to 150	40
151 to 200	35
201 to 250	30
251 to 300	25
301 to 350	20
351 to 400	15
401 to 450	10
451 to 500	5

Calculation of marks

10 % on the marks secured by the candidate.

Placed before the Vice-Chancellor for favour of approval.

Approved.
Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
12/9/81

Annexure

UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE, COOCH BEHAR
Evening Section.

A list of students of B.A./B.Com. 1st year who have been granted Half-free studentship for the Session 1980-81.

B.A. 1st year

1. Arun Koranjai
2. Asit Baran Tagore
3. Kanai Choudhury
4. Minakshi Sarkar
5. Gautam Ghosh
6. Dipak Kumar Sarkar
7. Alo Sil
8. Dulal Chandra Pain
9. Habibur Rahaman
10. Bithika Pramanik
11. Chitra Deb
12. Pranati Das
13. Dipti Routh

B.Com. 1st year

1. Amar Chandra Dey
2. Ranjan Deb
3. Suswata Hore
4. Ashok Kumar Ghosh
5. Pradip Kumar Dutta
6. Ashok Saha
7. Uttam Kumar Saha
8. Nitai Chandra Saha
9. Alok Kumar Danik

UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE

COOCH BEHAR.

Proceedings of the meeting of the College Council, University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar, held on 16.2.82 at 3 P.M. at the North Bengal University Guest House.

Members present :

1. Prof. P. K. Ghosh - Vice Chancellor - President
2. Sri S.N.Roy - Finance Officer
3. Dr. M. Dasgupta - Officer-in-Charge, A.B.N.Seal College
4. Prof. U.K.Dutta - Teachers' representative
5. Prof. G.P.Deb - Do
6. Prof. J.N.Ganguli - Officer-in-Charge and Secretary
7. Dr. A.B.Majumdar - Inspector of Colleges (Special Invitee)

1. TO CONFIRM THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE LAST MEETING :-

Decision : The minutes of the last meeting were confirmed.

2. TO SETTLE THE ACCOUNT OF SRI RABINDRA CHANDRA CHAKRABORTY THE RETIRED HEAD CLERK OF THE COLLEGE ATTACHED TO THE B.T. SECTION :

Decision : The Council noted the contents of a letter dt. 22.9.81 written by the Vice Chancellor to Sri N.B.Sen the then Acting Principal of the College and the reply thereof dated 8.12.81 sent by Sri M.B.Sen in the context of the explanation submitted by Sri Rabindra Chandra Chakraborti in his letter dated 7.8.81 addressed to the Officer-in-Charge.

The Council considered the statements of Sri M.B.Sen and Sri Rabindra Chandra Chakraborti. The Council took into account the fact that Sri Chakraborti had served the college after his retirement with effect from 1.9.79 to 25.9.79 and thereafter from 24.10.79 till his services were discontinued with effect from 1.9.81 (he served the college upto 31.8.81).
The Council resolved that the amount drawn by him by way of consolidated pay for the period from 26.9.79 to 23.10.79 (i.e. for the period of the Puja vacation) be recovered from his dues.
The Council further resolved that the arrears drawn by Sri Chakraborti in the revised scale of pay and the excess of the pay and allowances drawn by him over the consolidated pay be also recovered from his dues.

The Officer-in-Charge may get the necessary calculations of the excess amount drawn (as stated above) made by the college office and send it to the Finance Officer for scrutiny before final settlement of his dues.

It was also resolved that the amount of his own subscriptions to the Provident Fund may be immediately released pending final settlement of his dues and subject to the balance of amount due on his P.F. account being adequate for recovery of the excess amount drawn by him as mentioned above.

A statement of the excess amount drawn by Sri Chakraborti and his dues on P.F. account may be examined by the Finance Officer or his nominee before release of his own subscription.

The resolution was confirmed.

3. TO REVIEW CERTAIN ADMINISTRATIVE MEASURES INVOLVING DATE OF INCREMENT OF SOME MEMBERS OF THE STAFF WITHOUT SANCTION OF THE COUNCIL :

Decision : The Council noted that an order had been issued on 31.1.81 by the then Acting Principal of the college changing the date of increment of Dr. S.N.Ghosal from November to February. No other record about the reasons for this change was available.

The Council decided that :

(a) The Officer-in-Charge may ascertain from Dr. S.N.Ghosal whether he had made any representation for changing the date of his increment and if so, to request him to submit a copy of the same.

(b) Sri M.B.Sen, the then Acting Principal may be requested to inform as to the basis on which he passed the office order under reference. A copy of the order may be sent to him.

(c) The Officer-in-Charge may find out from office record whether Dr. S.N.Ghosal has drawn consequential arrears upon the change of date of his increment.

The Council further noted that the due procedure was apparently not followed before the change was given effect to.

It was decided that pending full consideration of the matter by the Council the date of increment of Dr. S.N.Ghosal may continue to be from November and he may not be allowed increment in February, 1982.

The resolution was confirmed.

4. TO DEFINE THE APPLICATIONS OF RULES OF HOUSE RENT IN RESPECT OF A COUPLE SERVING THE COLLEGE :

Decision : As per University rules if both husband and wife are employed at the college only one of them to whom it is more advantageous will be entitled to draw House Rent allowances.

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If house rent allowance is drawn by both it should be immediately stopped and the employees concerned may be informed about the rule of the University. The Officer-in-Charge should ascertain who would opt for drawing house rent allowance.

The resolution was confirmed.

5. TO FIX THE ORDER OF PRIORITY IN RESPECT OF TEACHERS OF THE COLLEGE IN THE MATTER OF HOLDING CHARGE OF THE COLLEGE IN ABSENCE OF PRINCIPAL/OFFICER-IN-CHARGE :

Decision : The Officer-in-Charge may write to the Registrar and the Principal, Raiganj College to ascertain the names of teachers of Raiganj College who opted for University service after takeover of the college and the respective dates from which their options became effective.

6. TO FORMULATE THE METHOD OF ADMISSION IN RESPECT OF FRESHER CANDIDATES SEEKING ADMISSION IN THE B.ED. SECTION OF THE COLLEGE FOR THE SESSION 1982-83 :

Decision : The Council considered the matter and decided that the practice as is prevalent should continue in this regard.

7. TO DECIDE CERTAIN OUTSTANDING ISSUES OF DISCIPLINE INVOLVING ADMINISTRATIVE AND ACADEMIC LIFE OF THE COLLEGE AND TO FORMULATE REMEDIES THEREON :

Decision : The Council noted the incidents which took place on 12.1.82 in connection with the election of the Students' Union (Evening Section). The members of the Council resolved that steps may be taken in future to prevent the recurrence of such incidents.

The Council also noted the reported incident which took place on 20.1.82 in the Evening Section in connection with internal assessment marks.

It was noted that N. B. U. Council at its meeting held on 13.2.82 considered the entire system of internal assessment in under graduate colleges and laid down specific guidelines to prevent disparities which were reported to have occurred in several colleges be twen the declared marks and the tabulated scores of internal assessments sent to the University. The steps taken by the Examination Branch in rectifying the internal assessment marks of the students of the Evening Section were approved by the University Council.

Regarding the alleged threat and the reactions of teaching and non-teaching staff it was decided that the following committee will inquire into the matter and make a recommendation.

1. Sri Bimal Kanti Basu - M.L.A. Member, College Council
2. Dr. M. Dasgupta - Officer-in-Charge, A.B.N.Seal College
3. Prof. J.N.Ganguli - Officer-in-Charge of the college.

The Vice Chancellor was requested to place the matter regarding the representation of the five teachers of the college after obtaining a full declaration from them in this connection.

The resolution was confirmed.

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8. TO REPORT THAT SRI SUJIT GUHA AND SRI ANUP CHOUDHURY JOINED AS PART-TIME LECTURERS IN THE COLLEGE IN HISTORY EFFECTIVE FROM 16.11.81 AND 19.12.81 RESPECTIVELY ;

Decision : Noted and approved.

9. TO REPORT THAT THE COLLEGE HAS SUBCUMSTANTIALLY GOT INVOLVED IN LITIGATION ON THE ISSUE OF THE ELECTION OF STUDENTS' UNION FROM THE SESSION 1981-82 AND THAT SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE COUNCIL THE OFFICER IN CHARGE HAS APPOINTED SRI HIMANGSU SEKHAR MUSTAFI AS LAWYER TO REPRESENT THE COLLEGE ;

Decision : Noted and approved.

10. TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE LIST OF FREE STUDENTSHIPS FOR THE B.ED. SECTION OF THE COLLEGE FOR THE SESSION 1981-82 ;

Decision : Noted and approved.

11. TO CONSTITUTE A SELECTION COMMITTEE FOR APPOINTMENT OF A JUIOR ASSISTANT IN THE VACANCY CONSEQUENT ON RETIREMENT OF SRI RABINDRA CHANDRA CHAKRABORTY ;

Decision : The Council decided that the post of one clerk-cum-typist be advertised in the Uttar Banga Sambad in consultation with I.C. and names be obtained from the local Employment Exchange. In this connection the following selection committee is constituted :

1. Inspector of Colleges
2. Finance Officer
3. Dr. M. Dasgupta, Officer-in-Charge, A.B.N.Seal College, Cooch Behar
4. Officer-in-Charge.

It was also decided that a written test will be held for the candidates on a date to be notified on the notice board (this may be inserted in the advertisement). Successful candidates in the written test securing 50 marks or more will be called for typing test and interview. The date of typing test and interview will be notified on the date of written test.

12. TO CONSIDER AN APPLICATION FROM THE NON TEACHING MINISTERIAL EMPLOYEES OF THE COLLEGE FOR ALLOCATION OF A FRACTION OF THE GRANT RECEIVED FROM THE COUNCIL OF HIGHER SECONDARY EDUCATION TO MEET CONTINGENCIES IN RESPECT OF SPECIAL AND CONTINUING CANDIDATES ;

Decision : The council considered the matter and it was decided that the amount and the rate of payment to the staff concerned may be determined by the Officer-in-Charge in consultation with Dr. M. Dasgupta, Officer-in-Charge, A.B.N.Seal College and member of the College Council.

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13. TO APPROVE THE ADVANCES MADE OUT OF P.F. ACCUMULATION IN RESPECT OF THE TEACHING AND NON-TEACHING EMPLOYEES OF THE COLLEGE :

Decision : Approved as per rules.

14. TO CONSIDER THE APPLICATIONS FOR LEAVE RECEIVED FROM THE TEACHING AND NON-TEACHING EMPLOYEES OF THE COLLEGE DETAILED BELOW :

Decision : Approved as per rules.

In this connection it was decided that Sri N.L.Dutta be requested to submit a certificate of fitness in having resumed his duty.

15. TO CONSIDER A QUOTATION RECEIVED FROM M/S. NATIONAL TYPEWRITER CO. COOCH BEHAR FOR REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT OF PARTS OF GESTENER 105 MODEL DUPLICATOR MACHINE SINCE IN DISUSE :

Decision : It was decided that the Gestener Operating Machine may be returned to the University with the request to the Finance Officer to the possessione of it.

16. TO CONSIDER AN APPLICATION RECEIVED FROM SRI SATYA RANJAN DUTTA TOWARDS ELIGIBILITY OF CASH ALLOWANCE WHICH HE HAD TO REFUND :

Decision : It would be examined by the Finance Officer or his nominee and the council will consider it thereafter.

17. TO CONSIDER AN APPLICATION RECEIVED FROM SRI NITAI CHANDRA SADHU KHAN, ASSTT. LIBRARIAN OF THE COLLEGE IN THE MATTER OF CROSSING THE EFFICIENCY BAR IN THE SCALE OF PAY :

Decision : The Council decided that the University Librarian or his nominee not below the rank of Deputy Librarian may be requested to visit the college and submit a report on the performance of the Asstt. Librarian of the college for consideration of the College Council.

18. MISC :

(a) To approve the regularisation of services of employees (Class IV) hkx hitherto retained as adhoc employees on daily wage basis :

The Council endorsed the order of approval of the Vice Chancellor in getting them regularised as per rules on scales relevant in non-govt. non-sponsored colleges.

(b) The proposal of setting up a Building Committee to be constituted as per U.G.C. rules was mooted and it was decided that the work of construction of the college building may eventually be taken up subject to the availability of funds.

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(c) The Vice Chancellor reported that the representation submitted by the teaching and non-teaching employees of the College regarding extension of triple benefit scheme, arrear house rent etc. was duly considered by the University Council at its meeting held on 14.1.82. The University Council decided to move the Govt. in these matters in accordance with which the Vice Chancellor and two members of the University Council met the Education Minister on 21.1.82. As suggested by the Education Minister the Vice Chancellor took up the matter at the meeting of the Advisory Council of Vice Chancellors on 28.1.82. The Finance Secretary who was present at the meeting agreed to consider the matter favourably.

The University Council also decided that at least one instalment of the arrear House rent allowances be paid as soon as the restoration of deficit grant makes the fund position easier in the month of March, 1982.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
President.

Officer-in-Charge
&
Secretary.

Annexure—VII

OFFICE OF THE UNIVERSITY ENGINEER
NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE MEETING HELD IN THE OFFICE OF THE VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY ON 14.12.81 AT 3-00 P.M. UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF DR. P.K. GHOSH, VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY.

The following members were present:-

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University, Chairman, Building Committee.
2. Sri N.C.Dutta. Additional Chief Engineer, North Bengal , West Bengal State Electricity Board.
3. Sri A.K.Sen. Superintending Engineer, Northern Circle, P.W.D.
4. Dr. S.N.Sen. Professor, Department of Physics, North Bengal University, Member , Executive Council, N.B.U.
5. Sri Bimal Das. Reader, Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U., Member, N.B.U. Council.
6. Sri S.N.Sanyal. University Engineer , North Bengal University, Secretary, Building Committee.
7. Sri D.B.Roy, Asstt. Engineer, N.B.U. attended the meeting as an invitee.
8. Sri R.N.Moitra, Executive Engineer, P.W.D., N.B.C.Division, attended the meeting as an invitee.

Item No. 1.

To confirm the proceedings of the meeting of the Building Committee held on 16.9.81 at 3-00 P.M.

Decision:- The proceedings of the Building Committee meeting held on 15.9.81 were confirmed.

Item No. 2.

To discuss and approve of the estimate amounting to Rs.31,500.00 for "Construction of R.C.C.Bus Stand for children in the Eastern and Western Sector of the N.B.U.Campus. "

Decision:- Deferred .

Item No. 3.

To discuss and approve of the estimate amounting to Rs. 7,400.00 for "Temporary conversion of open space in to two rooms in the Physics Department , N.B.U. Campus for use as reading room and store room"

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the estimate in principle subject to to the proposal being re-submitted by the Head of the Department of Physics explaining the utilisation of the space required.

Item No. 4.

To discuss and approve of the lowest tender of the contractor in connection with "Construction of 5'-0" (Span) culvert at the road crossing in front of the Guest House." Estimated amount put to tender in Rs.22,640/= .

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of M/s Modern Builders at 12.99% below the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for the above work. Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.22,640/= and work order to be issued for Rs. 19,699/= .

Item No. 5 .

To discuss and approve of the lowest tender of the contractor in connection with "Construction of culvert in the approach road of Children's Park (Western Sector)" . Estimated amount put to tender is Rs.7,609.00 .

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of M/s North Bengal Builders at 11.11% below the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for the above work. Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.7,609.00 and work order to be issued for Rs. 6,764/= .

Item No. 6.

To discuss and approve of the lowest tender of the contractors for (a) "Construction of two bath rooms, two latrines , one septic tank and one tube-well in the salbagan sub-staff barrack" . Estimated amount put to tender is Rs. 15,296.00.

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Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of Sri Jaydeb Rudra at 2.99% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for the above work. Estimated amount put to tender was Rs. 15,296/- and work order to be issued for Rs.15,753/-.

(b). Construction of two bath rooms , two latrines, one septic tank and one tube-well in the Durwans' barrack in the Western Sector ". Estimated amount put to tender is Rs. 15,296.00.

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of Sri Arjun Dutta at 2.90% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for the above work. Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.15,296/- and work order to be issued for Rs. 15,740/-.

(c) "Construction of two bath rooms, two latrines , one Septic tank and one tube-well in the Sweepers' Barrack." . Estimated amount put to tender is Rs.15,296.00

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of Sri Arjun Dutta at 2.85% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of ~~xx~~ quantities for the above work. Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.15,296/- and work order to be issued for Rs. 15,732/-

Item No. 7.

To report to the committee that the site selection committee consisting of ~~th~~ the members Dr. S.N.Sen, Registrar, Sri Bimal Das, Sri S.N.Sanyal and Sri D.B.Roy, has selected the site of....metre dia . R.C.C.well near the ~~RxMxMxExxxxtor~~ R.C.C.Eleveted Reservoir behind the ~~H~~minities Buildings.

Decision:- The Committee noted the site plan of the site selected by the site selection committee .

Item No. 8.

To discuss and decide action to be taken for non completion of the following:-

(i) Extension of Gents' Hostel Building in the N.B.U.University.
(ii) Construction of two numbers R.C.Overhead tank over the parapet support of the second floor roof of the Hostel Buildings.

(iii) Construction of the University Service and Instrumentation Centre for the North Bengal University.

Item No. 9

To discuss the powers and the responsibilities of the University Engineer in respect of award of contract and /or termination of contract in view of some recent court cases/Arbitration cases and to decide future course of action in respect of the present system, prevailing in the University.

Item No. 10.

To discuss and decide about reforming the existing terms and conditions of the tender forms.

Decision:- (for item No. 8,9,&10)

Since agenda item numbers 8,9,&10 were inter related, the items were taken up simultaneously and it was decided that under the present situation's the Registrar, N.B.U. should be consulted first and further steps should be taken immediately for modification of the tender form and matters relating to the contract for works vis a vis the responsibilities of the University Engineer in respect of the Contracts and the contractors in consultation with the University's Legal Advisor.

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Item No. 11.

Miscellaneous.

SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA ITEMS .

Item No. 1. To discuss and approve of the excess quantity of execution against item No. 2 of the priced schedule for Rs. 51.00 in connection with the work "~~Electrica~~ "Electrical installation in the extension block of V.K.Hall (Phase I) by the ~~xxxx~~ agency Sri Subhas Ch. Debnath.

~~Decision:- The Committee noted the report of the University Engineer and~~

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the excess quantity of execution of the above items since the increase is only 6.06% and this was found necessary during actual excoution.

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Item No. 2.

To discuss and approve of the excess quantity of execution against item No. 2 of the priced schedule for Rs.178.00 in connection with the work "Electrical installation in the extension block of Rani Bhavani Hall " by the agency Sri Subhas Ch. Debnath.

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the excess quantity of execution of the above item, although the excess execution is 10.7% since it was found necessary during actual execution. During discussion, on the suggestion of the Superintending Engineer, Northern circle, P.W.D., it was decided that henceforth the University Engineer will exercise powers of approving excess quantities and supplementary items as is enjoyed by the Executive Engineers of P.W.D. , West Bengal .,Beyound this limit in these respects, Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U's approval will be necessary.

Item No. 3.

To discuss and decide about the objections raised by the Sub-Assistant Engineer (Electrical) in connection with the following works:-

(a) Electrical installation in the extension block of V.K.Hall (Phase I)
(b) Electrical installation in the extension block of Rani Bhavani Hall.

Decision:- The Committee discussed on the above and authorised the Vice-Chancellor to appoint an expert and also to take decision in this regard.

Item No. 4.

To discuss on the letter , dated 4.12.81 given by the lowest tenderers Sri A.K.Chakraborty and Sri Sumit Kumar Saha in connection with the proposed work "Extension of Gents' Hostel Building in the N.B.University (Second Phase).

Decision:- The Committee discussed on the letter and decided that the earnest money deposited by the contractors may be released since fund for the above construction has not yet been received from the State Govt. , Fresh tenders may be called for as soon as the fund is received from the Govt..

Item No. 5.

To discuss on the report of the University Engineer regarding return of cement to the Teesta Barrage Project, Islampur.

Decision:- The Committee noted the report of the University Engineer and decided to hand over 40 M.T. of cement to the P.W.D. Department since Asstt. Engineer , Teesta Barrage Project is not willing to take back the cement at present and since fresh allotment of 50 M.T. has been received from W.B.E.S.C.Ltd.,

Item No. 6.

To discuss on the report of Sri S.K.Bhattacharjee, Asstt. Professor, Electrical Engineering Department, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College who was requested to verify the 1st and final bill of M/s Banerjee & Co. prepared by the University Engineer, for the work "Electrical installation (internal) in Magnetic Spectrograph Building near the Physics Building N.B.U.Campus ." The action was taken as per resolution adopted in the Building Committee meeting held on 17.8.81 vide supplementary agenda item No. 2.

Decision:- The Committee noted the report of Sri S.K.Bhattacharjee, Asstt. Prof. Electrical Engineering Department, Jalpaiguri Govt.Engineering College

Item No. 7.

To discuss and approve of the excess quantity of execution against item No. 1 of the priced schedule for Rs. 3,813.00 in connection with "Construction of overhead distribution line and service connection to Magnetic Spectrograph Building by Sri Subhas Ch. Debnath.

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the excess quantity of execution of (4 nos. steel tubular pole) in connection with the above work, although the the excess execution is about 66% but this was done with the idea to procure steel tubular pole at a lower cost at the old rate and this will complete the line connecting the pump rooms near the life science building and the Godown for smooth supply to the Magnetic Spectrograph Building.

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Item No. 8.

To discuss and decide about an offer of Rs. 4,000.00 given by M/s Mukherjee & Sons for fishing out the sheared 4 B.S.Pump at sal forest since M/s Scott & Saxby Limited did not take up the job.

Decision:- The Committee discussed on the offer given by M/s Mukherjee & Sons for fishing out the sheared 4 B.S.Pump at Sal Forest and approved their Lamp sum offer of Rs. 4,000/= provided no charge will be taken by the agency in case of their incapability to withdraw the complete sheared materials from the tube well and the entire risk would lie with the firm.

Item No. 9.

To discuss and approve purchase of the following electrical measuring instruments as advised by Prof. S.K.Bhattacharjee, Consultant on the basis of lowest quotation.

1. Insulation Tester (Maggar)
2. Multimeter with Probec.
3. Earth Tester.
4. Tong Tester

Decision:- The Committee discussed on the above and suggested to place the items again with the actual cost estimate

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OFFICE OF THE UNIVERSITY ENGINEER
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PROCEEDINGS OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE MEETING HELD IN THE OFFICE OF THE VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY ON 12.3.82 AT 3-00 P.M. UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF DR. P.K.GHOSH, VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY.

The following members were present.

1. Dr. P.K.Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University, Chairman, Building Committee.
2. Sri A.K.Sen. , Superintending Engineer, Northern circle, P.W.D.
3. Dr. S.N.Sen, Professor , Department of Physics, North Bengal ~~Univ~~ University.
4. Sri. B.K.Das, Reader, Department of Chemistry.
5. Sri S.M.Roy, Finance Officer,
6. Sri S.N.Sanyal , University Engineer, North Bengal University, Secretary, Building Committee.
7. Sri R.N.Moitra, Executive Engineer, N.B.Construction Division, P.W.D. attended the meeting as an invitee.
8. Sri A.Sinha. Assistant Engineer(Electrical) N.B.U. attended the meeting as an invitee.
9. Dr. S.Mukherjee, Head of the department of Physics, N.B.U. attended the meeting as an invitee.

Item No.1.

To confirm the proceedings of the meeting of the Building committee held on 14.12.81 at 3-00 p.m.

Decision :- The proceedings of the Building Committee meeting held on 14.12.81 were confirmed.

Matters arising during confirmation of item nos. 8,9,10 and on the basis of the verbal report of the University Engineer, it was decided that the Finance Officer ,N.B.U. along with the University Engineer may seek legal opinion in accordance with the provisions of the New Act and the existing statutes and necessary steps might be taken with the approval of the Vice-Chancellor who was empowered to take decision in this regard.

Item No. 2.

To report to the Committee that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency, had approved the lowest offer in bid of Sri Sumit Kumar Saha, Contractor at 8.00% above the rates of the P.W.D.Schedule for the year 1981-82 in connection with "Emergency repair to the Commerce Block, ~~Ex~~ Humanities Building" . Estimated amount put to bid was Rs.4,000.00 and work-order was issued for Rs.4,320.00

Decision:-

The Committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor had approved the lowest bid for the above work and the necessity for such work arose for All India Accounting Conference.

Item No. 3.

To report to the Committee that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency, had approved the lowest offer in bid of M/s Jayanta Enterprise at 2.00% below the rates contained in the P.W.D. Schedule for the year 1981 -82 in connection with "Emergency repair to the South Block of Ramkrishna Hall". Estimated amount put to bid was Rs. 4,500.00 and work-order was issued for Rs.4,410.00

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Decision:-
The Committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor had approved the lowest offer in bid for the above work as it was necessary for accommodation of delegates of All India Accounting Conference.

Item No. 4.

To report to the Committee that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency, had approved the lowest offer in bid of M/S P.D.Construction at 2.00% below the rates of the P.W.D.schedule for the year 1981-82 in connection with "Emergency repair to the North Block(Ground floor and and second floor) and kitchen of Ramkrishna Hall". Estimated amount put to bid was Rs. 4,500.00 and work-order was issued for Rs.4,410.00.

Decision:-
The Committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor had approved the lowest offer in bid forthe above work as it was necessary for accommodation of delegates of All India Accounting Conference.

Item No.5.

To discuss and approve the single quotation give by the manufacturer M/s Zeolite India for one number water treatment plants (capacity of the Doser 48 gallons) @ Rs. 8,240.00 + 8% W.B.S.tax.

Decision:-
The Committee discussed and approved the single quotation of a water treatment plant for chlorination submitted by M/s Zeolite India who are reputed maker of this type of plants.

Item No. 6.
To discuss on the letter of Sri Prasanta Kumar Sen, contractor dated 5.2.82 in connection with his performance of the work "Extension of the street light line along the link road and maintenance of over head line in both sectors."

Decision:-
The Committee discussed the contents of the letter of Sri Prasanta Kumar Sen, Contractor, dated 5.2.82 and agreed to treat his 2nd R/A bill as final bill as no further item of work is to be executed and decided that the security money of the contractor may be released.

Item No. 7.
To discuss and decide action to be taken against the contractor M/s Modern Builders for their inability to complete the work "Sanitary and Plumbing work in the extension portion of the Gents' Hostel Building".

Decision:-
During discussion of the item the Committee considered the letter dated 11.3.82 of the firm M/s Modern Builders praying an extension of time for one month and granted the extension on condition that the work would be completed within a month failing which penal measures are to be taken as per rules.

Item No. 8.
To discuss on the single quotation of M/s Associated Electricals and Equipments corporation for their offer of different electrical measuring equipments e.g. Insulation Tester, Universal Multimeter, Earth Tester and AC Tong Tester.

Decision:-The Committee discussed the matter and decided to invite fresh quotation from the reputed firms again.

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Item No.9.
To diseuss and approve the rates of consulting services of Prof. S.K.Bhattacharjee of Electrical Engineering Department, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College.

Decision:-
The Committee discussed the matter and empowered the Vice-Chancellor to take decision in this regard on the basis of the note submitted by the University Engineer.

Item No. 10.
To discuss and approve the first and final tender for supplementary item amounting to Rs.1,339/-... in favour of Sri Amal Chowdhury , Contractor, for the work "University service and Instrumentation Centre for the N.B.U." Tendered amount of the work was Rs. 73,853.00.

Decision:-
The Committee discussed the matter and noted that Supplementary items No. 2 and 3 are substituted items of the priced schedule, and approved the tender for Rs. 1,339.00.

Item No. 11.
To discuss on the tenders received in connection with "Supply of materials for repairing work of road in the University Campus". The rates received are abnormally high. Estimated amount of the work is Rs.15,397.00.

Decision:-
The Committee discussed the matter and decided that fresh tender may be invited.

Item No. 12.
To discuss and approve the estimate in connection with "Construction of first floor for establishing a Research Laboratory for Pesticide Chemistry".

Decision:-
The Committee discussed and approved the above estimate in principle and decided that tender should not be invited before getting clearance from the Vice-Chancellor about the fund.

Item no.13.
To discuss on the report of the Head of the Department of Physics for approving of the estimate amounting to Rs. 7,400.00 for "Temporary conversion of open space into two rooms in the Physics Department". The proposal was placed in the Building Committee meeting held on 14.12.81 against item No. 3 where in the estimate was approved in principle subject to the proposal being re-submitted by the Head of the Department of Physics explaining the utilisation of the space required.

Decision:-
The Committee discussed and approved the estimate on the basis of the reason stated by the Head of the Department of Physics for utilisation of the space for storing radio active materials etc.

Item No.14.
To discuss and approve of the estimate for Rs.4,683.00 inconnection with "Purchase of Electrical goods for Boys' Hostel and Girls' Hostel..

Decision:-
The Committee discussed the above estimate and desired that the matter may be put up before the Purchase Committee.

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Item No.15.
To discuss and approve of the estimate for Rs.2057.00 in connection with "Purchase of Electrical goods for street light maintenance in the Eastern Sector and Western Sector.

Decision:-
The Committee disoussed and approved the estimate and desired that it may be placed before the Purchase Committee

Item No. 16.
To discuss and approve of the estimate for Rs.2,405.00 in connection with "Purchase of Electrical goods for running maintenance of Teaching and non teaching staff quarters including Administrative building for the period of 6 months.

Decision:-
The Committee discussed and approved the estimate and desired that it may be placed before the Purchase Committee.

Item No. 17.
To disouss and approve of the estimate amounting to Rs.1,527/= for "Purchase of lectrical goods for maintenance of Guest House and Convocation Pandal".

Decision:-
The Committee discussed and approved the estimate and desired that it may be placed before the Purchase Committee.

Item No. 18.
To discuss and approve of the estimate for "Renovation of the lighting system in corridoors and bath rooms of Boys' Hostel."

Decision:-
The agenda item was withdrawn as the Assistant Engineer (Electrical) reported that he had incorporated these in the revised estimate for rewiring of the Boys' Hostel which was already passed by the Building Committee on...22.6.81..... (Item No..11/13...12/14)

Item No.19.
To discuss and approve the excess quantity of execution for the work "Construction of culvert on the road from Physics Building to Library Building" by M/s Pulak Kundu.

Decision:- The Committee disoussed and approved the excess quantity of exeoution against the above item on the basis of the reason stated.

Item No. 20.
To discuss and approve the excess quantity against item Nos. 17,18,22,23,26,27 and 28 only for Rs.891.00 inconnection with University service and Instrumentation Centre for the N.B.U." by the agency Sri Amal Chowdhury , Tendered amount of the work was Rs.73,853.00 . The excess quantity was due to replacement of single leaf shutter by double leaf, Mortice lock by Aluminium Aldrop/shutter by sishu shutter and increase in size of the flush doors and steel windows. The estimated amount of the work was not exceeded.

Decision:- The Committee discussed and approved the excess quantity executed against the above item on the basis of the reasons stated.

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Item No. 21.

Miscellaneous agenda.

i) To discuss and record the Committee's deep appreciation of the ready & willing co-operation and help which was extended by Sri N.C.Dutta, Additional Chief Engineer, W.B.State Electricity Board, Siliguri in connection with various matters of the Engineering Department and the University as a whole. Sri Dutta has since been transferred to Calcutta .

Decision:- The Committee recorded its deep appreciation and gratitude for the valuable help & ready and willing co-operation extended by Sri N.C.Dutta, Additional Chief Engineer, W.B.State Electricity Board, Siliguri in connection with various matters of the Engineering Department and the University as a whole. It was also decided that a copy of the resolution may be forwarded to Mr. Dutta.

Agenda 21 (ii).

To discuss and record the Committee's deep appreciation of the valuable and sincere service rendered by Sri D.B.Roy , Asstt. Engineer, N.B.U. who had retired from his service from 1.2.82

Decision:-
The Committee decided to put on record the valuable and sincere service rendered by Sri D.B.Roy, Assistant Engineer, N.B.U. who retired on 31.1.82 after more than fifteen years of service under the University and wish him a very peaceful, healthy , longlife. It was also decided that a copy of the resolution may be forwarded to Sri D.B.Roy.

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OFFICE OF THE UNIVERSITY ENGINEER
NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE MEETING HELD IN THE OFFICE OF THE VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY ON 11-5-82 AT 3-00 P.M. UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF DR. S.N.SEN, VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY

The following members were present :-

1. Dr. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University, Chairman, Building Committee.
2. Sri A.K.Sen, Superintending Engineer, Northern Circle, P.W.D.
3. Sri S.M.Roy, Finance Officer, North Bengal University.
4. Sri S.N.Sanyal, University Engineer, North Bengal University, Secretary, Building Committee.
5. Sri Ghosal, Executive Engineer, N.B.Construction Division, P.W.D., attended the meeting as an invitee.
6. Sri A. Sinha, Assistant Engineer(Electrical), N.B.U. attended the meeting as an invitee.

Agenda.

Item No.1. To confirm the proceedings of the meeting of the Building Committee held on 12.3.'82.

Decision: The proceedings of the Building Committee meeting held on 12.3.82 were confirmed.

Item No.2.(a)To discuss on the quotations received from different contractors in connecting with "Supply of materials for repairing work of road in the University Campus". In this connection it is stated that the rates obtained appear to be abnormally high.

Decision: The committee discussed the matter and decided to invite fresh tender including labour rates on revised estimate to be prepared on the basis of the current P.W.D.schedule for the year 1982-83.

(b) To discuss on the letter of the University Engineer dated 26.4.82 for handing over maintenance/internal Bituminous Macadan Road to P.W.D. as a deposit work, parmanently.

Decision: The committee discussed the letter of the University Engineer dated 26.4.82 and on the basis of the openion expressed by the Superintending Engineer to provide the University with road roller and betuminous materials, if available in stores, the proposal for handing over the maintenance work of road to the P.W.D. was kept in abeyance.

Item No.3. To discuss and approve the estimate amounting Rs.81,900.00 for "Maintenance work of road adjacent to Humanities Building, approach road of Boys' Hostel and around Rammohun Statue including the concreted portion.

Decision: Defered.

Item No.4. To discuss and approve the estimate amounting to Rs.65,300.00 for "Maintenance work of road from Guest House to Gate No.3 and new approach of N.H.31 in the Eastern Sector.

Decision: The committee discussed the matter and approved of the estimate amounting to Rs.65,300.00

Item No.5. To report to the committee that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency, had approved the estimate amounting to Rs.4,980.00 in connection with "Installation of M.V.fittings for lighting Guest House, Road between Ladies Hostel, Humanities Building, Vidyasagar Bhavan, Rammohun Statue and Shafe Tank".

Decision: The committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor had approved the estimate for the above work considering urgency.

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Item No.6. To report to the committee that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency, had approved the estimate amounting to Rs.14237/- for "Electric wiring of pump sets for V.K.hall, R.K.hall and Women's hostel(Nivedita hall and Rani Bhavani hall).

Decision: The committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor had approved the estimate for the above work during urgency.

Item No.7. To report to the committee that the Vice-Chancellor considering urgency, had approved the lowest offer in bid of Sri N.C.Hore at 25.00% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for "Installation of M.V.fittings for lighting Guest House,Road between Ladies' Hostel, Humanities Building, Vidyasagar Bhavan, Rammohun Statue and Shafe Tank". Estimated amount put to bid was Rs.4,980.00 and work-order has already been issued for Rs.6,225.00. The work has been completed.

Decision: The committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor considering urgency had approved the lowest offer bid for the above work.

Item No.8. To report to the committee that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency,had approved the lowest offer in bid of M/S A.K.Choudhury & Sons at 5% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for "Electric wiring of pump sets for V.K.Hall,R.K.Hall and Women's Hostel(Nivedita and Rani Bhavani Hall".Estimated amount put to bid was Rs.14,237.00 and work-order has already been issued for Rs.14,949.00.

Decision: The committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency has approved the lowest offer in bid for the above work.

Item No.9. To discuss on the procedure of execution of the proposed work "Rearrangement of existing L.T.Distribution line for connection of pump house of Generator panel" since no tender was received for the above work after proper publication. In order to expedite the work it is suggested that the cable and A.C.S.R.conductor may be procured from ~~m~~ cable manufacturer M/S Gupta Engineering Co. amounting to Rs.68,758.00 and balance work amounting to Rs.12,272.00 may be allowed to execute through short bid notice.

Decision: The committee discussed the matter and desided to invite ~~recall called~~ tendar amongst the reputed contractors of local P.W.D. For this purpose, Executive Engineer P.W.D. Northern Electrical Division, Jalpaiguri may be contacted to obtain the list of the reputed contractors.

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Item No.10. To discuss and approve the lowest tender of M/S Orient Engineering Works at 12.50% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for "Electrical installation(re-wiring) in the V.K.Hall". Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.60,839.00 and work-order to be issued for Rs.68,444.00.

Decision: The committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of M/S Orient Engineering Works @ 12.50% above the rates contained in the Priced Schedule of rates.

Item No.11. To discuss and approve the lowest tender of Sri N.C.Hore at 12.67% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for Electrical installation(re-wiring)in the R.K.Hall". Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.60,839.00 and work-order to be issued for Rs.68,547.00.

Decision: The committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of Sri N.C.Hore @ 12.67% above the rates contained in the Priced Schedule of rates.

Item No.12. To discuss and approve the excess quantity of execution against item nos.6 and 10 only for Rs.1,996.00 in connection with "Construction of over head distribution line and service connection to Magnetic spectrograph Building" by the agency Sri Subhas Ch. Deb Nath. The excess quantity was due to addition of strect light line in the 3 phase 4 wire line. Tendered amount of the work was Rs.22,734.00

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Decision:

Decision: The committee discussed and approved the excess quantity of execution against the above items on the basis of the reasons stated.

Item No.13. To discuss on the letter of the University Engineer(dated 24.4.82)concerning difficulties in supervision electrical contract works.

Decision: The committee discussed the letter of the University Engineer, dt.24.4.82 and opined to place the matter before the Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U. for placing it before the N.B.U.Council for consideration.

Item No.14. To discuss and consider purchase of two numbers submersible pump sets with all accessories amounting to Rs.46,823.00 for supply of water from the masonry well near Life Science Building. Quotation received from M/S Shiva Enterprises, authorised dealers of "CALAMA" submersible pump sets. It is suggested to procure 1 pump set of 5000 G. P.H.(Q61/VI) and another one of 3000 G.P.H. (N65/I) at 45 metre total head of each pump sets and cost of two pump sets with accessories are Rs.24,738.00 and Rs.22,085.00 respectively.

Decision: The committee discussed the matter in details and decided that the authorised dealers may be asked to send photostel copy of D.G.S.D.rate contract no. etc. and decided that order may be placed with the firms on the basis of the D.G.S.D.rate for purchasing two nos. of pumps as proposed.

Item No.15. To discuss and approve the estimate amounting to Rs.12,600.00 for "Providing H.P.M.V. light fittings at important security points of the N.B.U.Campus".

Decision: The committee discussed the matter and decided to prepare fresh estimate considering fluorescentfittings, instated of H.P.M.V. fittings and placed it before the Vice-Chancellor who was empowered to take decision in this respect.

Item No.16. To discuss the single quotation for supply and delivery of Insulation Tester, Earth Tester, Tong Tester and Multimeter from M/S Electricals Electronics Enterprises amounting to Rs.5,551.00.

Decision: The committee discussed the matter and approved purchase of the items after obtaining fresh quotations from several suppliers, the list of which may be colleoted, from the Physics Department of the University and comperative Statement to be placed before the Vice-Chancellor who was empowered to take decision in this respect.

Item No.17. To discuss and approve the lowest tender of Sri Biplab Mazumder at 4.99% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for "Temporary conversion of open space into two rooms in the Physics Department, N.B.U." Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.7,024.00 and work-order to be issued for Rs.7,375.00.

Decision: The committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of Sri Biplab Majumdar for the above work and decided to place ~~order~~ L workorder immediately.

Item No.18. To discuss and approve the estimate amounting to Rs.11700.00 for "Drawing overhead line from Transformer at salbagan to Agricultural Pump House for generator connection with the Pump set".

Decision: The committee discussed and approved the estimate for the above work and decided to invite tender.

Item No.19. To report to the committee that the Vice-Chancellor,considering urgency, had approved the single quotation amounting to Rs.44845.00 of M/S Mukherjee & Sons, for their reliability in this line, in connection with "Repairing and overhauling of Johnston Vertical Turbine Pump set Sl.No.IY-2195 near Nivedity Hostel".

Decision: The committee notedthat the Vice-Chancellor, considering urgency had approved the single quotation of M/S Mukherjee & Sons for Rs.44845.00

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The following miscellaneous item was raised with the permission of the Chair.

The committee discussed on the representation initiated by some residents of the 1st floor of U6A type quarters in the western sector to convert the existing terraced portion on the 1st floor into a room in view of shortage of floor space to use as a kitchen or otherwise since their kitchen is on the roof at present. It was decided to prepare a detailed estimate by the University Engineer, N.B.U. and to place it before the Vice-Chancellor who has been empowered to take final decision in this matter.

Secretary,
Building Committee
North Bengal University.

SD/ S.N. Sen 26.5.82
Chairman,
Building Committee
North Bengal University.

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Annexure-IX

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Government of West Bengal
Education Department
University Education Branch

No. 1056(6)-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the August 3, 1982

From : G. S. Banerjee, IAS
Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To :

Sir,

In view of the present financial difficulties due austerity and economy need be observed in respect of expenditure to be incurred by the Universities during the current year. The attention of the Universities is particularly invited to the following measures which will go a long way in effecting considerable economy in the scale of expenditure of the Universities :-

a) No new post should be created by the Universities without the approval of the State Govt. New posts for which UGC assistanoe is available may however be created with the approval of the State Govt.

b) The existing vacancies at the non-teaching levels should not be filled up without prior approval of the State Govt.

c) No new construction work even if approved earlier, should start without further specific clearance from the State Govt. Such clearance will be necessary also for UGC assisted schemes.

d) Economy should be strictly observed both in the hiring of vehioles and in respect of consumption of fuel etc. It should be ensured that the expenditure on this accounts are kept at the essential minimum.

e) All efforts should be made to stop over-time work and payment of over-time allowances. It may be noted that while revising the scale of pay of the non-teaching staff Govt. orders specifically prohibited payment of over-time allowances.

f) Non-essential item of expenditure should be curtailed as far as possible. The total non-plan expenditure should not under any circumstances exceed the last year's level.

It is expected that with the co-operation on the part of the Universities it will be possible to effect substantial economy in expenditure during the current financial year.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- G. S. Banerjee
Secretary

No. 1056/1(6)-Edn(U)

Copy forwarded to the Registrar, North Bengal University, Raja Rammohunpur, Siliguri, Dist. Darjeeling for information.

Calcutta
The Aug. 3, 1982

Sd/- Illegible
Deputy Secretary

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Annexure-X

Government of West Bengal
Education Department
University Education Branch

No. 317(6)-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the March 23,1982.

From : T.H. Sengupta, IAS
Dy. Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To : The Registrar,
University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur
Dt. Darjeeling.

Sub : Question of fixation of the age of superannuation of the Officers serving in the State aided Universities of West Bengal -

Sir,

In continuation of our Govt. Order No. 1070(7)-Edn(U) dated 30.6.79 I am directed to say that the Governor has been pleased to approve that the age of superannuation of Officers who have opted for the revised scales of pay in accordance with the aforesaid Govt. Order should be fixed at 60 years of age.

This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide their U.O. No. Group-B/24 dated 18.3.83.

The Accountant General, West Bengal is being informed.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- T.H. Sengupta
Deputy Secretary

No. 317/1(15)-Edn(U)

Copy forwarded to :-

1. The Accountant General, West Bengal
2. Finance Department of this Govt.
3. Pay & Accounts Officer, Calcutta Pay & Accounts Office, 81/2/2, Pheare Lane, Calcutta - 12.
4. Accounts Officer, University of _____
5. for information.

Calcutta,
The March 23, 1982.

Sd/- T.H. Sengupta
Deputy Secretary

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Annexure-XV

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Botany held on 15-7-82.

Members present:

1. Professor S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Dr. P.K. Basu, Head of the Department of Botany North Bengal University
3. Dr. N. Pal, Professor of Botany, Darjeeling Govt. College

I. The Board approved the panels of names of examiners as recommended for examining the following thesis:

Topic of Research	Submitted by
(a) Investigation on the Fungal Flora of North Bengal.	Sri Bhumendra Bhushan Dewan
(b) Problems of Man Made Forestry of North Bengal.	Sri Asesh Kumar Lahiri
(c) Studies on Post-Harvest Decay of Diosgenin Yielding Tuber of Dioscorea SPP. (Dioscoreaceae) During Storage with special [illegible]	Sri Prasenjit Sarma

2. The Board permitted Smt. Anis Fatima to change the title of her thesis from "Taxonomical evaluation of inter-relationship between related taxa of the Tribe Epidendreae (Orchidaceae) of J.D. Hooker from an analysis of internal morphology." To "An Anatomical investigation in the Tribe Epidendreae (Orchidaceae) of J.D. Hooker with special reference to an evaluation of inter-relationship of Taxa and developmental morphology of stem."

The Board noted that there would be no change in the substance of the research programme.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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Annexure-XII

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE

No. LC/B-2/537/82 Dated 20.5.82

NOTE TO THE REGISTRAR
NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY

The North Bengal University Law College Council at its meeting dated 11.5.1982: agenda item No. 1 decided as under :

"The Council took note of the inspection report of the Bar Council of India concerning its inspection of N.B.U. Law College on 26.9.81 and expressed its satisfaction and overall appreciation and following decisions were taken, inter alia :

i) As to Law journals
Decided that the undermentioned Law Journals be subscribed with immediate effect :
(a) Bar Council of India Journal
(b) Journal of Indian Law Institute
(c) Indian Journal of International Law
(d) Supreme Court cases.

ii) As to Library grant
Decided that a yearly library grant of Rs. 25000/- be given to the Law College by the University.

iii) As to Class Rooms
Decided that the University should provide at least 3 more Class rooms in view of the present strength of the students.

iv) As to honorarium to Part-time teachers
Decided that the existing practice be followed. This report be sent to the University Council alongwith a copy of the Inspection report."

A copy of the inspection report is also enclosed.

The Registrar may kindly take necessary steps into the matter.

Encl: As stated.

Sd/- T. P. Misra
Lecturer-in-Charge

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Annexure-XIII

CHANCELLOR'S SECRETARIAT

From: G S Banerji
Secretary to the Chancellor
North Bengal University.

To : The Registrar
North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur
Siliguri
P.O. North Bengal University
Dt. Darjeeling.

No. 1017-Edn.(U) Dated Calcutta, the 22nd July 1982

Sub: Chancellor's approval to the amendment in the Statute relating to the Contributory Provident Fund.

Sir,

With reference to the D.O. letter No. F21/214/VC-82 dated the 12th March 1982 from the Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University on the above subject, I am directed to say that under sub-section (3) of section 23 of the North Bengal University Act, 1961 the draft amendments to the above Statutes adopted by the University Council at its meeting held on 15th January 1981 were placed before the Chancellor. The Chancellor has been pleased to approve of the same with some modifications.

A copy of the amendments to the Statutes relating to Contributory Provident Fund as approved by the Chancellor is enclosed.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- G.S. Banerjee

Secretary to the Chancellor
North Bengal University

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In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (5) of section 23 and section 30 of the North Bengal University Act, 1961 (West Ben. Act XXVII of 1961), read with item (i) of clause (b) of sub-section (6) of section 57 of the North Bengal University Act, 1981 (West Ben. Act XXV of 1981), the North Bengal University Council hereby makes the following amendment in the Statutes relating to Contributory Provident Fund, as subsequently amended (hereinafter referred to as the said Statutes) :-

Amendment

In the said Statutes, after paragraph (10) of Statute 18, insert the following paragraphs :-

Non refundable advance.

"(11) An employee may, subject to paragraphs (12) and (13), draw an advance for special purposes at any time after completion of 20 years of service (including broken period of service, if any) or within 10 years before retirement on superannuation whichever is earlier from the amount stading to his credit in this fund. The amount so withdrawn shall be non-refundable.

Purposes for which non-refundable advance may be sanctioned.

(12) (a) Such withdrawan may be sanctioned by the authorities competent to sanction an advance for special reasons at any time after the completion of twenty years of service (including broken period of service, if any), of a subscriber or within ten years before the date of his retirement or superannuation, whichever is earlier from the amount standing to his credit in the fund, for one or more of the following purposes namely :-

(i) for education outside India for academic, technical, professional or vocational course beyond the High School stage,

(ii) for any medical, engineering or other technical or specialized course in India beyond the High School stage provided the course of study is for not less than three years,

(b) Meeting the expenditure in connection with marriage of the subscriber of his sons or daughters, and any other female relations actually dependent on him,

(c) Meeting the expenses in connection with illness, including where necessary, the travelling expenses of the subscriber and members of his family or any persons actually dependent on him,

(d) Building or acquiring a suitable house or ready built flat for his residence including the cost of the site;

(e) Repaying an outstanding amount on account of loan expressly taken for building or acquiring a suitable house or ready built flat for his residence,

(f) Purchasing a house-site for building a house thereon for his residence or repaying any outstanding amount on account of loan expressly taken for this purpose,

(g) Reconstructing or making additions or alterations to a house already owned or acquired by a subscriber,

(h) Renovating, additions, or alterations to a house already owned or acquired by the subscriber,

(i) Constructing a house on a site purchased under clause (f).

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Conditions for withdrawal.

(13) Any sum withdrawn by a subscriber at any one time for one or more of the purposes specified in paragraph (12) from the amount standing to his credit in the fund shall not ordinarily exceed one half of the amount of his own-subscriptions and interest thereon or six months' pay whichever is less. The sanctioning authority may, however, sanction the withdrawal of an amount in excess of this limit upto 3/4th of the amount of his own subscription and interest thereon standing to his credit in the fund having due regard to (i) the object for which the withdrawal is being made, (ii) the status of the subscriber and (iii) the amount to his credit in this fund :

Provided that in the case of a subscriber who has availed himself of an advance under the scheme of the Department of Housing of the Government of West Bengal for the grant of advance for house-building purposes, or has been allowed any assistance in this regard from any other Government source, the sum withdrawn under this Statute together with the amount of advance taken under the aforesaid scheme or the assistance taken from any other Government source shall not exceed Rs. 1,00,000/- or 75 times the monthly pay, which ever is less."

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Annexure-XIV

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF COLLEGES
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Ref. No. 287/6/Insp-81 Dated, 19 Dec. '81

To
The Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University.

Sub: Extension of Affiliation in Commerce & History (Honours), Kalimpong College.

Sir,

The Director of Public Instruction, Govt. of West Bengal in his letter No. 1735-C dated 3rd October, 1980 requested the North Bengal University for 4A-61 C/76
an inspection of Kalimpong College in connection with granting Honours affiliation in Nepali, Philosophy, Accountancy and History. However, Principal Kalimpong College requested the Inspector of Colleges to hold inspection only for Nepali & Philosophy for the present. For, classes in those subjects could be started and no additional teachers in those subjects would be required immediately. Accordingly, on receipt of the inspection report on those two subjects, the University extended affiliation from 1980-81. The college, however, could actually introduce teaching in those two subjects from session 1981-1982 after it had received the approval of the Government in April, 1981.

Subsequently the Principal requested for another inspection of his college in connection with extending affiliation in History and Accountancy (Commerce) at the Honours level. Since the D.P.I. also was willing to consider the matter an inspection was held by Professor P.K. Bhattacharya of the History Deptt., Sri J.N. Chakraborty, Reader, Commerce Deptt. and the Inspector of Colleges.

As on the previous occasion for examining the feasibility of Honours teaching in Nepali and Philosophy the inspection team was assured by the College authorities of adequate class rooms in the new and permanent building of the college that was nearing completion, the inspection team on this occasion visited the new building and was convinced of sufficient class rooms that would be available.

The number of students in each of the new Honours Course, History and Commerce, was expected to be fairly adequate. The inspection team, to feel the sentiment of the students, spoke to some of them, and realised that introduction of Honours teaching in the two subjects was very much necessary for the students of Kalimpong sub-division. Not only, it would facilitate their higher study but also would help them to get established in life.

At present the History department of the college consists of two lecturers. These teachers are taking only six classes a week for the Degree students in addition to their classes for the plus Two. Thus, when Honours teaching will be introduced the additional class load will appear to be within the capacity of the teachers concerned. But considering the revised Honours syllabus the department requires to have another lecturer appointed at the beginning of the session 1982-83 to do full justice to the students. He will be the third lecturer in the department; and the fourth one will have to be appointed during session 1983-84.

In the Commerce department there are only two whole-time lecturers. and quite a number of subjects are taught by part-time lecturers. Thus the department has been running with the barest minimum number of teachers. Apart from the Additional compulsory language papers that can be covered by the lecturers of the Day section working on part-time basis for the Commerce section, the subjects of Commerce themselves require atleast two additional posts of lecturer with Commerce degree, two posts of lecturer with M.A. degree in Economics and one post of lecturer with degree in Mathematics (including Statistics). Of these posts, one each in Commerce & Economics and one in

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Maths. should be filled up in the beginning of the session 1982-83, and the remaining posts, in the beginning of the next session 1983-84. This provision of teachers should be made at the time of introducing Honours teaching.

Examination of the existing books in the library revealed that the subject-wise books on History and Commerce were not even adequate for the requirements of the pass course. 322 titles in History and 274 titles in Commerce indicated but a poor collection of text and reference books. Absence of the most familiar journals on the two subjects was very much pronounced. But a department which conducts Honours teaching should invariably acquire one or two most important journals in the subject. Keeping these in view the team desired the library to be enriched by new acquisitions and recommended atleast a sum of Rs. 8,000/- to be spent for books and journals for each of the subjects within the session when Honours affiliation is granted.

The team recommended extension of affiliation in History and Accountancy (Commerce) in Kalimpong College from 1982-83. The team, however, was of the opinion that the concurrence of the Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal should be sought by the college before introducing teaching in these two new subjects. The objective conditions considered necessary for introducing the two subjects at theHonours level depend very much upon such concurrence of the Government.

Sd/- P.K. Bhattacharya
Professor & Head of the Deptt.
of History, North Bengal
University.

Sd/- J.N. Chakrabarty
(Reader, Department of Commerce)
North Bengal University

Sd/- A.B. Majumder
Inspector of Colleges
North Bengal University

Copy forwarded to the Registrar for his kind information and necessary action.

Memo No. 287/6/Insp-81( ) dated 19.12.81

Copy forwarded to the Registrar for his kind information and necessary action.

Sd/- A.B. Majumder
Inspector of Colleges
North Bengal University

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

AGENDA PAPERS

FOR

the 66th meeting of the NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Date: 30.9.1982
Time: 11-00 A.M.

Place: Conference Room
Administrative Building
Raja-Rammohunpur

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur, Darjeeling

N o t i c e

The 66th meeting of the North Bengal University Council will be held on Thursday, the 30th September, 1982 at 11-00 A. M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur to consider the following agenda :

A G E N D A

1. To confirm the minutes of the 65th meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 28.8.82 and also the minutes of the adjourned meeting of the N.B.U. Council meeting held on 29.8.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-I)

2. To confirm the minutes of the Special meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 10.9.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-II)

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointmont of University teachers.

   Decision:

4. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

   Decision:

5. Deferred To consider the recommendations of the M.B.B.S. Examination Advisory Committee dated 17.5.82.

   Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

6. To consider a note from Dy. Registrar in connection with the application for P.L. submitted by Sri Bishnulal Brahman, Guard, Watch & Ward Section for a period of 111 days with effect from 28.11.81 to 12.3.82 in continuation of his C.C.L.

   Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

7. To consider a letter from the Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies suggesting withdrawal of offer of Junior Research Fellowship from Sri Paresh Chandra Roy and to appoint next available person from the panel of names recommended by the Selection Committee.

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Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

8. To consider constitution of Selection Committee for the post of Electrical Supervisor.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

9. To consider matters regarding constitution of Screening Committee for preliminary screening of the applications for the various non-teaching posts.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

10. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with verification of age of certain employees.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

11. To consider an application for reimbursement of T.A./D.A. etc. received from Shri P. K. Pal, Lecturer in English along with a note from the Dy. Registrar.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

12. To consider renaming of Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies as Inter-Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

13. To consider a letter from the Deputy Secretary, Rural Development Department, Govt. of Sikkim.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

14. To consider a letter from Sri Narayan Mazumdar, Electrical Supervisor along with the forwarding letter of the University Engineer.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

15. To consider a note from the Inspector of Colleges on the memorandum submitted by the Hostel employees Association.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

16. To consider a letter from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. in connection with granting of special allowance to Sri Parshawnath Das, Compoundar, University Health Centre.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

17. To consider a letter No. F.6-4/82(SCT) dated 23.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. with regard to reservations for admissions for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes candidates in Universities and Colleges.

Decision: (Annexure-III).

18. To note a letter No. 1285(6)-Edn(U) dated 3.9.82 received from the Dy. Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Education Department, University Education Branch with regard to granting of further Additional Dearness Allowance to the employees of the University of North Bengal w.e.f. 1.7.82.

Decision: (Annexure- IV)

19. To consider a letter from the Principal, Malda Women's College praying for granting of extension of affiliation in Elective English and Education in Pass and English and Geography in Honours course.

Decision:

20. To consider a letter from the Principal, Balurghat Mahila Mahavidyalaya praying for granting of extension of affiliation in Bengali, Pol. Science, History, English, Economics and Sanskrit upto Honours standard.

Decision:

21. To consider recommendation of the meeting of the Engineering Examination Advisory Committee held on 3.9.82.

Decision:

22. To consider recommendation of the meeting of the Engineering Advisory Committee held on 8.9.82.

Decision:

23. To consider recommendation of the meeting of the Advisory Committee for M.B.B.S. Examination held on 22.9.82.

Decision:

24. To consider the recommendation of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee for the M.A. Part-II (Public) Examination, 1981 in English.

Decision:

25. To consider a letter of resignation tendered by Sri Sanak Kumar Ghosh, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Physics, N.B.U. w.e.f. 13.9.82.

Decision:

26. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, Raiganj (University College) held on 22.7.82.

Decision: (Annexure-V).

27. To consider the following minutes of the meetings of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on -

11.5.82
10.8.82

Decision: (Annexure-VI)

28. To fix the prices of printed Post-Graduate Syllabi.

Decision:

29. To report a letter received from Shri B.N. Srivastava, Director(S) Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs for making provision of coaching facilities for SC/ST candidates for the Civil Service Examination on the norms suggested. (Reference Council decision dated 6.3.82).

Decision:

30. To consider the Inspection Report on Geography Department of Darjeeling Govt. College.

Decision: (Annexure-VII)

31. To consider Inspection Report in connection with granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in English, Bengali, Pol. Science, Commerce and History to University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) Cooch-Behar.

(Annexure-VIII)

32. To consider recommendations of the Research Service Centre Committee, N.B.U.

Decision:

33. To consider grant of increment to one non-teaching employee.

Decision: Deferred legal opinion

34. To consider the letter of resignation tendered by Shri Charu Chandra Dev, Junior Research Fellow, (U.G.C.) Department of Chemistry, w.e.f. 26.8.82.

Decision: To Govt. Physics w.e.f. 4.9.82

35. To consider the minutes of the 32nd adjourned meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 27.8.82.

Decision: confirmed (Annexure-IX)

36. To report that a G.O. xxxxx No. 1292-Edn(U) dated 4.9.82 in connection with the establishment of a Law College at Jalpaiguri has been received.

Decision: (Annexure-X)

37. To consider a letter No. SKM/GOV/834/82 dated 26.8.82 alongwith enclosures received from the Governor of Sikkim in connection with recognition of Sikkim Research Institute of Tibetology and other Buddhists Studies as a Research Centre for Buddhist Studies and allied subjects.

Decision:

38. To consider a letter No. xxxxxxx F.1-93/74(CP) dated 24.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. communicating the revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for teaching posts in Universities and Colleges in various subjects.

Decision: (Annexure-XII)

39. To consider a letter No. xxxxxxxx F.1-34/82(CP) dated 27.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. communicating certain clarifications in respect of revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for University and College teachers.

Decision: (Annexure-XI)

40. To consider a letter from Dr. N.L. Karmakar, Sr. Research Assistant, N.B.U.

Decision: Write U.O.C. Terminate notice to be issued - V.C. 22. Report date

41. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of two Junior Research Fellows (U.G.C.) in the Department of Centre for Life Sciences, N.B.U.

Decision:

42. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) in the department of Chemistry, N.B.U. / Mathematics

Decision:

43. To consider the following cases of some Employees for confirmation.

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Sri Bijoy Kr. Sarkar Engg. Helper	22.9.81(Forenoon)	22.9.82
2. Sri Narayan Ch. Das Engg. Helper	~~23~~.9.81(Forenoon) 22	~~23~~.9.82 22
3. Sri Joseph Nagasia Mali, Care-Taking Section.	22.9.81(2-00 P.M.)	22.9.82
4. Sri Madhusudan Ghosh Lecturer in Economics, NBU	1.9.81	1.9.82
5. Sri Sekh Rahim Mandal Lecturer in Sociology and Social Anthropology, N.B.U.	18.9.81(Forenoon)	18.9.82
6. Prof. K.B.Datta Centre for Life Science,NBU	21.9.81(Forenoon)	21.9.82

	Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
7.	Sri Gautam Biswas Lecturer in Philosophy, N.B.U.	23.9.81(Forenoon)	23.9.82

Decision:

44. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to the Bar Council of India Rules relating to standards of Legal Education and Recognition of Degrees in Law framed under the Advocates Act 1961.

Decision: (Annexure- XIII)

45. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
The 24th September, 1982.

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	Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
7.	Sri Gautam Biswas Lecturer in Philosophy, N.B.U.	23.9.81(Forenoon)	23.9.82

Decision:

44. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to the Bar Council of India Rules relating to standards of Legal Education and Recognition of Degrees in Law framed under the Advocates Act 1961.

Decision:

(Annexure- XIII)

45. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

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Annexure-I

Minutes of the 65th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Saturday, the 28th August, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Prof. S. N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) (in the chair)
2. Prof. I. K. Chatterjee
3. Shri B.C. Ghose, Chairman, Siliguri - Jalpaiguri Development Authority
4. Shri Subrata Chanda
5. Shri P. K. Majumdar, Lecturer, Siliguri College
6. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader, North Bengal University
7. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
8. Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya
9. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
10. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj (University) College
11. Shri S. K. Chakraborty, Principal, Chanchal College
12. Shri Hiten Nag, Lecturer, Dinhata College.

Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, Shri R. K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar, Shri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer (Acting) and Shri S. Majumdar, Deputy Controller of Examinations were requested to make themselves available during the meeting.

Before commencement of any business the members stood in silence for one minute in memory of Shri T. N. Singh, Ex-Chancellor, University of North Bengal, Dr. N. R. Kar, Ex-Professor of this University and Prof. Sushaban Sarkar, the renowned historian who died recently. The Council also adopted the following resolutions :

(i) The Council noted with sorrow the death of Shri T. N. Singh who was the Chancellor of this University. The Council remembered with gratitude the keen interest taken by him in the development of the University and also remembers his Convocation Speeches in which he aptly explained the philosophy of higher education. Shri Singh, as the Governor of the State of West Bengal, also left mark of an able leader. His soul may rest in peace.

(ii) The Council condoled the death of Dr. N. R. Kar who served this University for sometime as Professor and Head of the Department of Geography & Applied Geography. Dr. Kar was also the Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal and till his untimely death he was actively associated with higher researches on environment and ecology. May his soul rest in peace.

(iii) The Council condoled the death of Prof. Sushaban Sarkar, a familiar name in the field of higher learning for more than half a century. Prof. Sarkar served the University of Calcutta, the Presidency College, the Jadavpur University as Professor of History and was the author of the pioneering works on the modern history especially of the renaissance of Bengal. Prof. Sarkar was a very successful teacher and was a towering personality in the intallectual life of the country. His death created a void in the academic and intellectual field of Bengal. May his soul in peace.

It was resolved that the copies of the above resolutions be sent to the members of the bereaved family.

1. To report that the 64th meeting of the N.B.U. Council scheduled on 28.6.82 could not be held due to want of quorum.

Noted.

2. To confirm the minutes of the 64th (adjourned) meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 12.7.82.

The minutes of the 64th (adjourned) meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 12.7.82 were confirmed with the following amendments :

(i) Item 3 (B) The Govt. Order should be written "July 22, 1981" instead of "July 22, 1982".

(ii) Page 8 item 27 The date "29.2.82" as mentioned against the name of Sri Partha Chattopadhyay should be written as "1.3.82".

(iii) Page 11 Suppl. 7 In the last line the words "one month" should be written as "three months".

(iv) Item Suppl. 20 In place of "deferred" it should be written that the matter was considered under item No. 19.

Matter arising out of confirmation of the minutes of the 64th (adjourned) meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 12.7.82.

(i) Item 31 The Council noted that the Admission Committee of the University Law College expressed difficulty in admitting students belonging to defence forces of India in view of the existing rules of the college relating to the status of graduates of other Universities. In this connection the Council considered a letter from the Commanding Officer of the Indian Air Force. The Council decided to request the Vice-Chancellor to take necessary action for admission of two students belonging to armed forces in the University Law College as per discussions at the meeting.

3. To confirm the minutes of the Emergent meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 26.7.82.

The minutes of the Emergent meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 26.7.82 were confirmed with the following amendment :

(i) In the list of members mentioned the name of Shri Madhusudan Das be added.

In this connection the Council noted a letter from Prof. P. K. Ghosh addressed to Dr. S. N. Sen wherein he has explained that due to pressing personal reasons he had to submit his resignation and it would not be possible for him to reconsider his position as requested by the Council earlier.

Shri P.K. Majumdar reported that a team consisting of some members of the Council met the Education Minister and also the Education Secretary to apprise them of the situation and requested them to take immediate necessary action in this regard. They were assured that early step for the appointment of Vice-Chancellor would be taken.

The Council adopted the following resolution moved by 9 members :

"It is resolved that Prof. S.N. Sen be requested to continue as Vice-Chancellor (Acting), North Bengal University till receipt of any Govt. order.

The Council requests Prof. S.N. Sen to accept the post of Vice-Chancellor, especially in view of the fact that any other arrangement will bring in deadlock in the activities of the University.

The above resolution be confirmed and immediately sent to all authorities".

Prof. S. N. Sen wanted this to be recorded that since he has intimated long ago that it was not possible for him to continue as Vice-Chancellor after 31.8.82, he regretted his inability to accede to the request of the members mentioned in the above resolution.

4. To consider recommendation of the Committee formed by the Council for the non-teaching post.

The Council approved the recommendation of the meeting of the Promotion Committee held on 26.8.82 and decided that the services of the following persons working on contingent basis be regularised in terms of Labour Department Circular and they be placed in the cadre mentioned against each :

1. Shri Sankar Ghosh - Peon
2. Sri Tapas Sen - Peon/Attendant
3. Sri Haridas Das (SC) - Peon
4. Sri Tapan Chakraborty - Peon
5. Sri Samar Ghosh - Peon
6. Sri Balaram Kundu - Peon/Attendant
7. Sri Mahesh Gope - Peon/Attendant

The Council approved the recommendation and decided that the following persons be placed in higher grades on completion of 15 years' of service with effect from 1.10.82 :

1. Sri Nitai Saha
2. Smt. Rakhu Saha Chowdhury
3. Smt. Dipti Chakraborty
4. Sri Sunil Dhar - next grade
5. Sri Satyendra Mohan Ghosh - next grade
6. Sri Krishnapada Roy - next grade with effect from 1.10.81.

The Council decided to constitute a Committee to review the cases of other daily wage basis employees.

The Council approved the recommendation of the Promotion Committee and decided to recommend promotional benefit for Sri Amulya Ratan Lohar with effect from 1.10.80 in view of the provision laid down in the Section 5 of the West Bengal Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (reservation of vacancies in services of posts) Act 1976. As this promotion is given according to the provision of the said Act which is binding on the University no claim for giving pay protection to others which may arise in view of this promotion will be considered.

The Council while approving the recommendation of the Promotion Committee decided to give Sri Sunil Majee, the designation of Senior Electrician, the post which was sanctioned by the Govt. and noted that Sri Majee has already been placed in the grade of Senior Electrician. The Council, further, decided to convert the post of Electrician held by Sri Sunil Majee to the post of Electrician-cum-Line Man.

The Council decided that pay anomalies of the following posts vis-a-vis other Universities be referred to the Government :

(i) Senior Mechanic
(ii) Mechanical Turner
(iii) Junior Mechanic (Engineering Department)

Confirmed for immediate action.

5. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

A. (i) Reader in Commerce

The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided that the post be readvertised.

(ii) Reader in Physics

The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided that the post be readvertised.

(iii) Lecturer in Bengali

The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee and after a detailed discussion decided that the matter might be referred back to the Committee to reconsider their opinion in view of the fact that the person recommended as No. 2 possesses better qualifications and had more teaching experience than the one placed in No. 1.

(iv) Lecturer in Geography & Applied Geography

The Council decided that the candidate who could not be recommended by the Selection Committee on the ground that he could not show his marksheets of various examinations passed may be asked to send attested copies of those and thereafter the matter might be reconsidered by the Selection Committee.

(v) Reader in History

The Council while approving the panel decided to appoint Dr. Pranabananda Jash in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

The above resolutions were confirmed for immediate action.

B. Appointments against Merit Promotion Scheme for University teachers as per Govt. Order No.957(6)Edn(U) dated July 22, 1981.

(i) The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and the comments of the referees decided to appoint Dr. Mihir Mohan Mukhopadhyay, Lecturer in History as Reader in History in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus usual allowances subject to the conditions laid down in the above Govt. Order. The post of Reader to be held by him will be personal to Dr. Mukhopadhyay and the resultant vacancy shall not be filled up. The initial salary in the new post will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

(ii) The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and the comments of the referees decided to appoint Sri Pran Kumar Mukherjee, Lecturer in English as Reader in English in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus usual allowances subject to the conditions laid down in the above Govt. Order. The post of Reador to be held by him will be personal to Sri Mukherjee and the resultant vacancy shall not be filled up. The initial salary in the new post will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

(iii) The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and the comments of the referees decided to appoint Dr. Sekhar Chandra Ghosh, Lecturer in Political Science as Reader in Political Science in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus usual allowances subject to the conditions laid down in the above Govt. Order. The post of Reader to be held by him will be personal to Dr. Ghosh and the resultant vacancy shall not be filled up. The initial salary in the new post will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

The above resolutions were confirmed for immediate action.

6. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

The Council noted that the Selection Committees for the following posts met and recommended persons for appointment :

(i) Cleaner
(ii) Gas Plant Operator (Junior)
(iii) Instrument Supervisor
(iv) Skilled Helper (Junior) in Physics
(v) Skilled Helper (Junior) in Chemistry
(vi) Medical Laboratory Technician.

In view of the Govt. Order No. 1056(6)-Edn(U) dated the 3rd August, 1982 the Council decided to write to the State Govt. for approval.

(vii) Inspector of Colleges

The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided that the post may be readvertised immediately to attract more applicants. However, those who applied before might not apply again. Their cases would be considered.

The above resolutions were confirmed for immediate action.

7. To consider the cases of the following non-teaching employees.

(a) Sri Satyendra Nath Ghosh - Binder
(b) Sri Benu Kumar Das - Plumber Helper
(c) Sri Prabhat Kumar De - Jr. Assistant
(d) Sri Muneswar Bajpore - Sweeper
(e) Sri Paresh Bhowmik
(f) Sri Jiban Kumar Ghosh

The Council decided that cases including those of Sri Balaram Datta, Sri Pranesh Roy and Sri Naresh Nag and any other such cases if referred to be placed with details. The same should be examined by a Committee consisting of the Finance Officer, the Registrar and the Deputy Registrar (Convener). It was further decided that copies of details with the note from the Committee should be sent to the members separately.

8. To consider the proceedings of the 29th meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 28.5.82 and also the proceedings of the emergent meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 9.6.82.

The Council decided that in the matter of Tarpaulin Liveries, practices of other Universities should be ascertained. In this connection the Council approved the spot quotation taken.

9. To consider a representation received from employees of Watch & Ward Department.

The Council noted that information from other Universities has not yet been received.

10. To consider an application from Shri Sreeman Darjee, Guard, N.B.U. praying for granting of House Rent allowance from the date of vacating the University Quarter i.e. (1st January, 1980).

The Council decided that a report from the Officer-in-charge, Watch & Ward be asked for if he allowed Sri Darjee to stay outside. Sri Darjee should also explain under what condition he decided to stay outside.

11. To consider a letter from Smt. Mita Bhadra, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Sociology & Social Anthropology praying for releasing full pay for the period she was on maternity leave i.e. 15.9.80 to 15.12.80.

The Council decided to grant maternity leave with full Scholarship to Smt. Mita Bhadra for the period from 15.9.80 to 15.12.80.

12. To consider a prayer from Sri Pranesh Kumar Roy, Sr. Lab. Attendant, Department of Physics, N.B.U.

The matter was considered under item 7.

13. To consider a joint note from the Finance Officer and Deputy Controller of Examinations.

The Council approved the note and decided that the same should be effective from the next year i.e. 1983.

(Appendix-V)

14. To consider the recommendations of the Post-Graduate Examination Advisory Committee dated 23.6.82.

Approved.

(Appendix I)

15. To consider the recommendations of the M.B.B.S. Examination Advisory Committee dated 17.5.82.

Deferred.

16. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to interpretation of the rules relating to award of Medals.

The Council decided that as per rules Sri Jagannath Bhattacharjee was not eligible for the medal for his performance in B.Sc. Honours Examination since he had a break in his academic career.

17. To consider a D.O. No. F.4-3/82-(U)-1 dated 8.6.82 received from the Secretary, Ministry of Education and Culture, Deptt. of Education, Govt. of India suggesting implementation of steps to eliminate the practice of ragging in education Institutions.

The Council directed that copies of the circular might be sent to all Colleges and also to Superintendents of the University Hostels.

18. To consider recommendation for extension of tenure of Scholarship of Mrs. Mita Bhadra, J.R.F. (U.G.C.) Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology for six months w.e.f. 23.8.82.

The Council decided to extend the tenure of scholarship of Smt. Mita Bhadra for 6 months with effect from ~~23.8.82~~ 22.8.82

19. To consider a letter No. N.B.U.E.A./24 dated 8.6.82 received from General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. for introduction of a scheme covering risks of life of such employees as have been engaged in works involving risks of life.

The Council noted that replies from other Universities have not yet been received.

20. To consider a note from Dy. Registrar in connection with the application for P.L. submitted by Sri Bishnulal Brahman, Guard, Watch & Ward Section for a period of 111 days with effect from 28.11.81 to 12.3.82 in continuation of his C.C.L.

Deferred.

21. To consider a letter from the Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies suggesting withdrawal of offer of Junior Research Fellowship from Sri Paresh Chandra Roy and to appoint next available person from the panel of names recommended by the Selection Committee.

Deferred.

22. To consider the case of Sri Naresh Nag, Binder, University Library.

The matter was considerod under item 7.

23. To consider a letter No. 004/058/02/625/5(1) dated 19.6.82 from the Project Director, West Bengal Comprehensive Area Development Corporation, Siliguri-Naxalbari Project proposing to start under the collaboration of the University cultivation of Medicinal Plants in 10 acres of University land.

The Council regretted that the University land could not be given to any outside agency.

24. To consider constitution of Selection Committee for the post of Electrical Supervisor.

Deferred.

25. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar regarding fixation of pay of Sri Mihir Kumar Saha, Cashier, N.B.U.

It was noted that the Finance Sub-Committee has already considered the matter on 27.8.82 ✓

26. To consider a letter No. Admn/29-42/50/313 Pt-II/2970 dated 21.6.82 received from the Audit Officer/Admn., Office of the Chief Auditor, North East Frontier Railway, Maligaon, Gauhati regarding appointment and fixation of pay of Sri S.M. Roy.

The Council noted and approved the appointment letter issued to Sri S. M. Roy, the Audit & Accounts Officer and decided that his pay be fixod in the line suggested by the Chief Auditor, North East Frontier Railway, Maligaon.

27. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College held on 17.4.82.

Noted.

28. To consider the minutes of the meetings of the College Council, University B.T. & Evening College held on -

1. 18.11.81
2. 16.2.82.

Noted.

29. To consider the proceedings of the meetings of the Building Committee held on :

1. 14.12.81
2. 12.3.82
3. 11.5.82

Noted and approved.

30. To report that, in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council the Vice-Chancellor has accepted the resignation tendered by Shri Ashutosh Sinha, Assistant Engineer (Electrical) and to consider appointment of the second person from the panel.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in accepting the resignation submitted by Shri Ashutosh Sinha, Assistant Engineer (Electrical). In view of the urgency and in view of the fact that the Council approved the panel recommended by the Selection Committee on 9.12.81, it was decided to appoint Shri Jagjiban Das who was also recommended as No. 2 in the panel, as Assistant Engineer (Electrical) in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600/- plus usual allowances. His initial salary will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee. He will be on probation for a period of one year.

Confirmed for immediate action.

31. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Research Scholars' Association regarding monthly subsidy @ Rs. 600=00 towards the payment of mess staff and meeting the cost of establishment.

The Council decided to write to the Govt. for assistance in line with other hostels in the University.

32. To consider the recommendations of the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee dated 25.6.82.

Noted and approved.

In this connection the Council decided that those candidates who previously appeared in Part II B.A./B.Sc/B.Com Examinations but whose results have been kept pending in view of their failure to pass the Part I Examinations, may be permitted to appear in B.A./B.Sc/B.Com Examinations (Under New Regulations). The Controller of Examinations will check up and issue certificates to those students whose results have been kept pending but who have secured pass marks in the Part II Examinations, stating that they were eligible to appear in B.A./B.Sc/B.Com Examinations under New Regulations as External candidates.

(Appendix II)

33. To consider the recommendation of the Committee formed for taking the type test of some non-teaching staff of the University.

The Council having noted that Shri Dhiresh Chandra Pal, Shri Parameswar Mallick and Smt. Chhaya Pal have been found qualified in the typing test, decided that they may be appointed to the posts of Junior Assistant-cum-typists as per previous resolution.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

34. To consider matters regarding constitution of Screening Committee for Preliminary screening of the applications for the various non-teaching posts.

Deferred.

35. To consider a resolution adopted at a meeting of the Departmental Committee in English.

The Council accepted the recommendation of the Departmental Committee in English and decided that the Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Reader in English (leave vacancy) might not be held now since the incumbent has been on leave till December, 1982.

36. To consider a letter from the University Grants Commission regarding revised qualifications for recruitment to the posts of Lecturer in Law.

Noted.

37. To consider a letter from the Director of Health Services, Govt. of West Bengal communicating re-inspection of N.B. Medical College during examinations.

Noted.

The Principal, North Bengal Medical College might be advised to contact the Controller of Examinations for fixing the date of M.B.B.S. Examination accordingly.

38. To consider a letter from Dr. P.C. Sarkar, Head of the Deptt. of Economics in the matter of holding the annual conference of the Indian Society of Agricultural Economics in 1982 at this University.

The Council decided that the Conference might be held provided the University will not bear any financial liability and the Head of the Department should ensure that the holding of such conference during University holidays would be possible.

39. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Research Scholars' Association in connection with doubling the value of tiffin coupon.

The Council decided that the value of tiffin coupons be increased to Rs. 12/- per month.

40. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Deptt. of Education, Govt. of West Bengal for observing austerity in respect of expenditure to be incurred by the University during the current year.

Noted.

The Council decided that copies of the Govt. Order be sent to all Heads of Departments, Branches, Sections for information and necessary action. The Council also directed that the Heads of Departments, Branches and Sections should take all necessary action for minimising the expenditure.

41. To consider a letter from the University Engineer in the matter of appointment of two Engineering helpers.

The Council was of the opinion that such appointment is not possible at present.

42. To consider prayer from Sri Shyamal Chandra Basak, Sri Bijoy Kr. Chhetri and Sri Chandan Lal Dekhan attached to University Library along with the confidential report of the Librarian for permitting them to accept the post of Honorary Lecturer, Librarianship Training Centre at Siliguri.

The Council decided to permit Sri Shyamal Chandra Basak, Sri Bijoy Kumar Chhetri and Sri Chandan Lal Dekhan to accept honorary Lecturership at the Librarianship Training Centre at Siliguri subject to the condition that no change in their shift duty at the University Library would be made to facilitate their Lecturership. In this connection the Council directed that the persons should confirm that the posts were strictly honorary.

The Council further desired that they should intimate why they did not take prior permission of the University authority in applying for the posts.

43. To consider a letter from the Deputy Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal regarding question of fixation of the age of superannuation of the Officers serving in the State aided Universities.

Noted.

The Council, further, noted that the University Statutes in this line have already been amended and sent to the Chancellor for approval.

44. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Botany held on 15.7.82.

Noted and approved.

45. To consider certain resolutions of the North Bengal University Law College Council dated 11.5.82.

The Council requested the Vice-Chancellor to take necessary action in this regard.

46. To report that the Chancellor has been pleased to approve the amendment in the Statutes relating to Contributory Provident Fund with some modifications.

The Council decided to adopt the amendment as approved by the Chancellor.

47. To consider prayer from Prof. S.P. Sengupta, Professor of English and Prof. S.R. Dasgupta, Professor of Mathematics, N.B.U. for permitting them to opt for the new scales of pay with effect from 1.1.73.

The Council decided to recommend their cases to the Government.

48. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Junior Research Scholar in the Deptt. of English.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in appointing Sri Chandanasish Laha as Research Scholar in the Department of English on the recommendation of the properly constituted Selection Committee.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

49. To consider an application from Shri Santipriya Guha, Assistant Secretary, Sports Board praying for study leave for a period of two years for joining M.Ed course in Physical Education at Kalyani University commencing from August 1982.

The Council decided to refer the matter to the Academic Committee.

50. To consider an application from Shri Arabinda Mukhopadhyay, J.R.F. (U.G.C.) praying for extension of his tenure of Scholarship by six months w.e.f. 21.9.82.

The Council decided to extend the tenure of scholarship of Sri Arabinda Mukhopadhyay, J.R.F. by 6 months with effect from 21.9.82.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

51. To report that the Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council, has ordered appointment of Shri Soumitra De as a Junior Research Scholar in the Deptt. of Political Science.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in appointing Sri Dilip Kumar Sarkar as Research Scholar in the Department of Political Science (Sri Soumitra De having declined). Sri Sarkar will receive a scholarship of Rs. 600/- per month and Rs. 3000/- as contingent grant and he will be guided as per rules in this regard.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

52. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with verification of age of certain employees.

Deferred.

53. To consider a note from the Finance Officer in connection with the final settlement of retirement benefits of Shri Pulin Behari Deb, Ex-Sr. Laboratory Attendant, Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.

The Council approved payment of gratuity and pension to Shri Pulin Behari Deb.

54. To consider a note from the Finance Officer in connection with regularisation of the period of absence of Shri Kashinath Mallik, Peon, Controllers' Branch.

The Council decided to grant leave not due to Shri Kashinath Mallik for the period from 14.2.82 to 2.5.82.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

55. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with special leave as prayed for by Shri Sufal Chandra Singha, Jr. Skilled Helper, Chemistry Deptt.

The Council decided to grant leave not due to Shri Sufal Chandra Singha, Jr. Skilled Helper for the period from 30.3.82 to 8.4.82.

56. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of a Jr. Research Fellow for the Research Project entitled "Investigation of hadrons and muons in extensive air showers at sea and mountain level".

The Council while approving the panel prepared by the Selection Committee decided to appoint Sri Asis Das as a DAE fellow on a fixed remuneration of Rs. 700/- per month.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

57. To consider granting of extension of the tenure of Research Scholarship of Shri Prabir Dam, Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology for a period of two years w.e.f. 23.6.82.

The Council decided to extend the tenure of Research Scholarship of Sri Prabir Dam, Department of Sociology & Social Anthropology by one year with effect from 23.6.82.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

At this stage some representatives of the North Bengal University Employees' Association met the Council and placed a letter containing some demands.

The Council considered the demands and took the following decisions :

(i) In the matter of promotion the Council, in consideration of diffioulties mentioned by the representatives of the Association decided that the period of 15 years be lowered and fixed at 12 years for eligibility.

The Finance Officer was asked to find the financial implications if the minimum period is lowerd to ten years for promotion. The matter will be taken up by the Council on receipt of the Finance Officers note.

(ii) In the matter of pay fixation increment the Council regretted that since some other benefits had been granted this could not be accepted.

(iii) In the matter of building of more quarters for the staff on the Campus the Council decided that the Govt. of West Bengal and the University Grants Commission be approached.

(iv) With regard to house rent allowance the Council noted that the existing system was recommended by a Committee where the representative of the Employees' Association was a member.

(v) With regard to daily wages employees the Council noted that action has already been taken to absorb some of them against substantive vacancies.

(vi) With regard to individual cases like Sri Paresh Bhowmik, etc. the Council noted that the matter is under consideration along with some other cases already referred.

(vii) With regard to duty hours of Watch & Ward personnel and also accidental benefits the Council noted that replies from other Universities have not yet been received. After such replies were received the Council would consider the same.

(viii) With regard to pay fixation of some Technical Assistants and also the question of step-up of some Senior Assistants the Council noted that such cases were not covered by the recommendations of the Finance Sub-Committee dated 20.9.80. In this connection the Council could not approve the proposal recommended by the Finance Sub-Committee.

(ix) With regard to grant of terri-cotton liveries the Council decided to ascertain the practice followed by other Universities.

(x) The Council regretted that the Engineering Helper could not be redesignated since their pay scales were revised by the Govt. as Engineering Helpers.

(xi) In the matter of confirmation to higher posts for those who were promoted the Council decided that the same would be done as soon as the approval of the Govt. to those posts were received.

(xii) The Council decided to write to the Govt. of West Bengal for appointment of some teachers in Hindi and Nepali at the Primary School run on the Campus of the University.

The meeting was adjourned till 9-30 A.M. next day i.e. on Sunday, the 29th August, 1982.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

Minutes of the adjourned meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on 29.8.82 at 9-30 A.M. All members except, Shri B.C. Ghose and Sri Subrata Chanda, who attended the meeting on 28.8.82 attended the meeting.

58. To consider a letter from Shri P.K. Roy, Lecturer in Philosophy intimating inability to produce original matriculation and M.A. certificates till duplicate copies are received. These documents were required for confirmation in his service.

The Council decided that Shri P.K. Roy, Lecturer in Philosophy be informed that he should produce marksheet of his B.A. Examination which he failed to show during the time of interview, and also Matriculation certificate in support of his age.

59. To consider an application from Sm. Dipti Chakraborty, Jr. Assistant, Controller's Branch praying for granting her leave as under along with a note from the Dy. Registrar.

a) P.L. : 5 days w.e.f. 6.11.81 to 10.11.81
b) Commuted leave : 8 days w.e.f. 11.11.81 to 18.11.81
c) Leave not due : 77 days w.e.f. 19.11.81 to 3.2.82.

The Council decided to sanction leave not due to Smt. Dipti Chakraborty, Junior Assistant for 77 days with effect from 19.11.81 to 3.2.82.

60. To consider the recommendation of enhancement Committee for enhancement of fellowship of Smt. Sakti Kundu, J.R.F., Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography from Rs. 400/- to Rs. 500/- for the period 8.9.80 to 30.9.80 and from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- w.e.f. 1.10.80.

The Council decided to enhance the fellowhip of Smt. Sakti Kundu, J.R.F., Department of Geography & Applied Geography from Rs. 400/- to Rs. 500/- for the period from 8.9.80 to 30.9.80 and from Rs. 600/- to Rs. 700/- with effect from 1.10.80.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

61. To consider the under noted cases for confirmation :

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Prof. K. Deb Professor of Commerce N.B.U.	19.8.81	19.8.82
2. Shri Subir Kumar Sarkar, Lecturer Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography, N.B.U.	2.7.81	2.7.82

The Council in consideration of [illegible] confidential reports and recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor decided to confirm the services of the following employees of the University with effect from the date mentioned against each, subject to (i) their being found medically fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) verification of age and academic qualifications, and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose :

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Prof. K. Deb Professor of Commerce N.B.U.	19.8.81	19.8.82
2. Shri Subir Kumar Sarkar Lecturer Deptt. of Geography & Applied Geography, N.B.U.	2.7.81	2.7.82

62. To consider an application from Mrs. V. Sharma, Lecturer in Nepali (on leave) praying for extension of her extra-ordinary leave by one more year w.e.f. 17.8.82.

The Council decided to sanction leave for one more year without pay to Smt. V. Sharma, Lecturer in Nepali with effect from 17.8.82 or till the date of her confirmation at the place where she is working, whichever is earlier.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

63. To consider granting of extension of the tenure of Research Scholarship of Sri Barun Kanti Deb, University Research Scholar, Deptt. of Chemistry by six months w.e.f. 26.9.82.

The Council decided to extend the tenure of Research Scholarship of Sri Barun Kanti Deb, University Research Scholar by six months w.e.f. 26.9.82.

Confirmed for immediate action.

64. To consider an application for reimbursement of T.A./D.A. etc. received from Shri P. K. Pal, Lecturer in English along with a note from the Dy. Registrar.

Deferred.

65. To consider evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examinations on the theses submitted for the Ph.D. Degree of the North Bengal University.

(a) The Council considered evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examination and decided to admit Sri Sudipta Kumar Sadhya to the degree of Ph.D. (Science) for his thesis entitled "Investigations on the properties of magnetised Plasma". Sri Sadhya worked under the guidance of Prof. S.N. Sen, Professor of Physics, North

Bengal University.

The result may be published immediately.

(b) The Council considered evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examination and decided to admit Smt. Gayatri Bhattacharjee to the degree of Ph.D. (Arts) for her thesis entitled "[illegible]" Smt. Bhattacharjee worked under the guidance of Prof. Asru Kumar Sikdar, Professor of Bengali, North Bengal University.

The result may be published immediately.

(c) The Council considered evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examination and decided to admit Sri Bimal Bhusan Chatterjee to the degree of Ph.D. (Arts) for his thesis entitled "Bangla Natake Rabindranath Paryanta Tragedy tattwer Proyog O Kramabibartan". Shri Chatterjee worked under the guidance of Dr. S.C. Lahiri, Head of the Department of Bengali, North Bengal University.

The result may be published immediately.

(d) The Council considered the evaluation reports on the theses submitted by Smt. Manju Roy and Sri Haripada Datta and decided that they may be permitted to resubmit their theses after revising the same in the lines suggested by the examiners.

66. To consider applications for Ph.D. registration.

The Council permitted the following persons who are graduates of other Universities to apply for registering their names for the degree of Ph.D. :

(i) Sri Manoj Kar
(ii) Sri Chiranjeeb Kumar Kar
(iii) Sri Indra Vilas Adhikary.

67. To consider a letter from Sri Badal Kr. Nag, Asstt. Foreman, Central Workshop seeking clarification on certain points.

The Council noted that the University Grants Commission wanted the Central Workshop and the USIC should function jointly. It was, further, noted that such joint function had been introduced. The Council decided that a notification be issued bringing the employees working in the Central Workshop under the administrative control of the authorities of the USIC.

68. To consider a letter from the Principal, Ananda Chandra College for granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in Philosophy.

The Council decided that the Inspector of Colleges with a team to be approved by the Vice-Chancellor may inspect the college and submit a feasibility report.

69. To confirm the last dates of admission to the 1st year classes of Two year Pass & Three year Honours courses as approved by the Vice-Chancellor.

The Council while approving the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in fixing the last date of admission into the 1st year degree course of B.A./B.Sc/B.Com as 23.8.82 (31.8.82 on payment of late fine of Rs. 5/-) decided that in view of the difficulties being experienced by the colleges the last date of admission should be extended to 31.8.82, and 6.9.82 with late fine of Rs. 5/-.

70. To consider a letter from the Principal, Malda College for granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in Philosophy.

The Council decided that the Inspector of Colleges should submit a feasibility report after visiting the college with a team to be approved by the Vice-Chancellor.

In this connection the Council decided that the Inspector of Colleges may visit the Government College, Gangtok who have prayed for affiliation in Honours standard in Commerce, and submit a report to the Vice-Chancellor who is requested to take action with regard to granting of affiliation.

71. To consider a letter from the Principal, Mathabhanga College for granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in Bengali, Philosophy & Pol. Science.

The Council decided that the Inspector of Colleges should visit the college with a team to be approved by the Vice-Chancellor and submit a report for consideration.

72. To consider letters from the Principals, Balurghat & Alipurduar College in connection with introduction of uniform service conditions for the workers, employees of Hostel Messes attached to University/Colleges.

The Council decided to constitute Central Committees for running the Undergraduate College hostels, etc. as under :-

(i) The Bursar of the College, in his absence the seniormost teacher - Chairman
(ii) Teachers of the college who are members of the Governing Body.
(iii) One boarder from each hostel to be elected by the boarders.
(iv) Medical Officer
(v) The Superintendent of the Hostel to be the Secretary.
In case of more than one Superintendent the Secretary will be by rotation to be nominated by the Principal.

73. To approve the appointments of the following teachers of Dinhata College :

1. Sri Bhriguram Mandal : Lecturer in Bengali
2. Sri Asit Kr. Chakraborty : Lecturer in Mathematics
3. Sri Sankar Chattopadhyay : Lecturer in Chemistry
4. Sri Ashis Kr. Sarkar : Lecturer in Mathematics

The Council decided to approve the appointments of the following teachers of Dinhata College and Tufanganj College :

Dinhata College

1. Sri Briguram Mandal : Lecturer in Bengali
2. Sri Asit Kr. Chakraborty : Lecturer in Mathematics
3. Sri Sankar Chattopadhyay : Lecturer in Chemistry
4. Sri Ashis Kr. Sarkar : Lecturer in Mathematics

Tufanganj College

1. Sri Dharmadas Banerjee : Lecturer in English
2. Sri Hari Gopal Mallick : Lecturer in Commerce
3. Sri Kishore Kr. Chatterjee: Lecturer in Commerce.

Confirmed for immediate action.

74. To approve the appointments of the following teachers of Kaliyaganj College :

1. Smt. Jayanti Purakayastha : Lecturer in Pol. Science (on leave vacancy)

The Council decided to approve appointments of the following teachers of Kaliyaganj College and P.D. Women's College, Jalpaiguri.

Kaliyaganj College

1. Smt. Jayanti Purakayastha : Lecturer in Pol. Science (on leave vacancy)

P.D. Women's College, Jalpaiguri

1. Sri Pradip Kumar Kapoor : Lecturer in Physics (on leave vacancy)

Confirmed for immediate action.

75. To consider inspection report on Kalimpong College.

The Council decided to extend affiliation in Honours courses in Commerce and History in the Kalimpong College subject to the conditions laid down in the inspection report. It was also decided that, as mentioned in the report, prior concurrence of the Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal should be sought by the college before introducing teaching in those two subjects.

76. To consider a letter No. UE/226/03-82 dated 8.8.82 received from the University Engineer with regard to filling up of the posts of Electrical Supervisor and Electrician-cum-Line Man etc.

The Council decided that in view of the recent Govt. Order the matter might be sent to the Govt. for approval. The matter relating to appointment of Asstt. Engineer (Electrical) has been separately decided under item No. 30.

77. To consider granting of recognition to Netaji Institute for Asian Studies.

The Council decided that the matter might be referred to the Academic Committee along with further information regarding number of staff and the library of the Institute.

78. To consider a letter received from Prof. P. K. Ghosh.

A decision was taken under item No. 3.

79. To report that Sri Ulpalendu Sarkar, Lecturer in Political Science and Sri Dilip Kumar Ghosh Roy, Lecturer in Economics, Raiganj College have duly been elected as representatives on the College Council of Raiganj University College.

Noted.

80. To consider renaming of Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies as Inter-Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies.

Deferred.

81. To consider letter from the Deputy Secretary, Rural Development Department, Govt. of Sikkim.

Deferred.

82. To consider a letter from the Secretary, Department of Education, Govt. of Sikkim in connection with the appointment of the Principal, Sikkim Law College as member on the Committee of under-graduate Studies in Law/Law College Council.

The Council decided that the Principals of Jalpaiguri Law College and Sikkim Law College be members of the Committee of Undergraduate Studies in Law.

83. To consider a letter from the Chairman, Jagadis Bose National Science Talent Search, Calcutta, for assisting scholarship scheme through an annual grant of Rs. 3000=00. (The value of scholarship is Rs. 15,000=00 tenable for five years).

The Council regretted that at present such grant can not be provided.

84. To consider granting of extension of leave upto 25th August, 1982 to Sri Charu Chandra Deb, U.G.C. Junior Research Fellow Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.

The Council decided to grant one month leave without fellowship to Sri Charu Chandra Deb with effect from 25.7.82.

85. To report that the Vice-Chancellor has sanctioned study leave to Sri Chandan Kumar Mukhopadhyay, Lecturer in Commerce in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in granting Study Leave as per rules to Sri Chandan Kumar Mukhopadhyay, Lecturer in Commerce who is to go abroad for higher studies. The exact date of his release will be fixed by the Vice-Chancellor.

86. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the Committee formed by the Vice-Chancellor to consider the representation from Subrata Dev.

The item is withdrawn from the agenda.

At this stage some members of the North Bengal University Employees' Association met the Council and represented that their demands as laid down under item 2, 8 and 11 be considered favourably. The Council decided that since acceptance of such demands would bound the University to heavy financial commitments, it was not possible to consider the same especially since as mentioned earlier the demands were not in line with the Finance Sub-Committee recommendation 1980.

// Supplementary Agenda //

1. To consider letters from the Principal, Balurghat College and the Officer-in-charge, Raiganj B.Ed College in connection with increasing the intake capacity for admission to the 1st year class & B.Ed course.

The Council decided that the Raiganj B.Ed College be permitted to take 5 more students in 1982-83 academic session.

In this connection the Council considered representation from some colleges with regard to intake capacity in a class or section. In view of rush in admission, the Council decided that increase of number of students in a class or section as may be practicable beyond 120 if situation demands.

2. To consider a letter from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. in the matter of enhancement of 'festival adfance'.

The Council decided that refundable festival advance of Rs. 400/- may be allowed to all employees of the University including teachers and officers this year if University funds so permit.

3. To consider a prayer from Sri Somnath Chaudhury, Asstt. Supdt. University Press for granting 4 months leave with pay for undergoing training in International course on Print Production at Netherlands.

The Council decided to grant 4 months leave without pay to Sri Somnath Chaudhury, Assistant Superintendent, University Press, in case he is selected for training in the International course on Print Production at Netherlands. The date of commencement of leave will be decided by the Vice-Chancellor.

However, Sri Chaudhury may be allowed the total P.L. to his credit which will be included in the said period of 4 months.

4. To consider a note from the Deputy Registrar along with a leave statement from the Finance Branch in connection with leave of Sri Purna Prasad Rai, Guard, Watch & Ward Department.

The Council decided to sanction the following leave to Sri Purna Prasad Rai :

P. L. : 173 days
H. P. L. : 130 days

5. To consider a note from the Deputy Registrar in connection with leave of Sri Narbahadur Dorjee, Guard, Watch & Ward Department.

The Council decided to sanction extraordinary leave without pay to Sri Narbahadur Dorjee for the period of absence after adjusting leave due.

6. To consider the recommendations of the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee meeting held on 20.9.82.

The Council approved the recommendation. (Appendix III)

In this connection the Vice-Chancellor placed a report on enquiry with regard to the serious lapse made in the question papers in History Honours Paper VII and Paper VIII Examination 1982. The Council decided that all members including the Chairman of the Board of Moderators who were responsible for such lapse be debarred from all processes of Undergraduate Examinations during the next three years i.e. 1983, 1984 and 1985.

7. To consider the proceedings of the joint meeting of the Committee of Undergraduate Studies in Physics, Chemistry, Botany and Zoology held under the Chairmanship of the Vice-Chancellor on 9.8.82.

The Council approved the proceedings of the joint meeting of the Committee of Undergraduate Studies in Physics, Chemistry, Botany and Zoology held under the Chairmanship of the Vice-Chancellor on 9.8.82 and decided that a centre fee of Rs. 25/- per candidate be sanctioned for holding practical examinations in Zoology & Botany with a minimum of Rs. 250/-.

8. To consider a letter from Sri Narayan Mazumdar, Electrical Supervisor along with the forwarding letter of the University Engineer.

Deferred.

9. To consider a letter No. NBUEA/48/82-83 dated 20.8.82 received from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A.

A decision has been taken.

10. To consider a note from the Finance Officer on the representation with regard to release of retirement benefit submitted by Mrs. Sachi Majumdar, W/O J. N. Majumdar, Ex-Lecturer in Philosophy, Raiganj University College.

The Council decided that payment of retirement benefit may be made to Sri J. N. Majumdar as per norms laid down for non-Government Colleges by the Govt. of West Bengal.

Confirmed for immediate action.

11. To consider a note from the Finance Officer for contributing Rs. 6,500/- to the Secretary, Association of Indian Universities, towards construction of the Building of the Association.

The Council decided to sanction a sum of Rs. 6,500/- as contribution to the Association of Indian Universities for construction of building of the Association.

12. To consider the recommendations of the selection committee for appointment of Junior Research Fellows in the Deptt. of Physics.

The Council approved the panels prepared by the Selection Committee and decided to appoint the following as Research Scholars/Fellows in the Department of Physics :

University Scholarship No. 1

Sri Biswaroop Ghosh

University Scholarship No. 2

Sri Dhurjati Prasad Datta

University Scholarship No. 3

Sri Sanak Kumar Ghosh

U.G.C. Junior Research Fellowship

Sri Mukul Kumar Mitra

The Scholars will receive a scholarship of Rs. 600/- per month each and Rs. 3000/- each as contingent grant and the above scholars will be guided as per rules in this regard.

The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

13. To consider the recommendations of the selection committee for appointment to the posts of Junior Research Scholars in the Department of Commerce.

The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint the following as Research Scholars :

(i) Sri Ajit Kumar Roy
(ii) Sri Jitendra Narayan Gupta

in the Department of Commerce. The Scholars will receive a scholarship of Rs. 600/- each per month and Rs. 3000/- each as contingent grant and they will be guided as per rules in this regard.

The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

14. To consider the minutes of meetings of the various Boards of Research Studies.

The Council approved the minutes of the meetings of the various Boards of Research Studies, and decided that immediate action be taken.

(Appendix IV)

15. To report that Shri Sudhir Ch. Roy and Sm. Tshering Doma Bhutia have completed their one year Internship Training satisfactorily after passing the M.B.B.S. Examinations as forwarded by the Principal, N.B. Medical College.

Name	Years of passing	Period of Internship
1. Sri Sudhir Ch. Roy	1981	27.7.81 to 26.7.82
2. Sm. Tshering Doma Bhutia	1978	19.2.79 to 18.5.79 and 1.4.80 to 31.12.80.

The Council considered letter dated 16/19.8.82from the Principal, North Bengal Medical College and decided that the following students have been found eligible for permanent registration by the State Medical Council. The students satisfactorily completed their internship for one year as mentioned against each :

Name	Year of passing	Period of Internship
1. Sri Sudhir Ch. Roy	1981	27.7.81 to 26.7.82
2. Sm. Tshering Doma Bhutia	1978	19.2.79 to 18.5.79 and 1.4.80 to 31.12.80.

16. To report that the Vice-Chancellor has allowed Sri Sankarlal Datta, Electro-Instrumentation Officer to cross the efficiency bar in anticipation of the approval of the N.B.U. Council.

The Council approved the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in allowing Dr. Sankar Lal Datta to cross the efficiency bar.

17. To consider a note from the Inspector of Colleges on the memorandum submitted by the Hostel employees Association.

Deferred.

18. To consider a letter from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. in connection with granting of special allowance to Sri Parabe math Das, Compoundar, University Health Centre.

Deferred.

Misc. 1 The Council considered the difficulties in the functioning of the Governing Body of the Chanchal College as explained by the Principal in the meeting and decided to reconstitute the Governing Body of the Chanchal College as mentioned below for a period of three years with immediate effect :

1. Sri Ram Prafulla Lahiri (Doner) President
2. Prof. Sashi Kanta Chakraborty, Secretary, Principal
3. Sri Nazmul Hoque, Teacher, Chanchal Siddheswari Institution, Chanchal
4. Sri Jnan Sarkar, Teacher, Chanchal Siddheswari Institution, Chanchal
5. Sri Amalendu Sekhar Rakshit, Teacher, Chanchal Siddheswari Institution, Chanchal
6. Sri Sib Santosh Chakraborty, Pradhan
7. Sri Sukhendu Roy Chowdhury, Chanchal
8. Sri Dilip Kumar Ghosh, Social Education Officer, Chanchal
9. Two representatives of Teachers to be selected by the Principal in consultation with the teachers.
10. Govt. nominee - one

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

Misc. 2 The Council considered a note from the Deputy Controller of Examinations and decided to open an Examination Centre at A.C. College, Jalpaiguri for holding LL.B. Examination.

Misc. 3 The Council considered a petition from Sri Biswa Mukhopadhyay placed by Sri Debabrata Ghosh. The Council decided that Sri Mukhopadhyay may be permitted to take admission in Commerce Stream or in the Arts Stream with Honours in Mathematics as provided in the ordinance.

Misc. 4 The Council considered a letter from the General Secretary, North Bengal University Employees' Association. The Council decided that the Finance Officer may issue certificate in the matter of deduction of loan from salary bill towards payment to the West Bengal State Co-operative Housing Federation Ltd. in the event of default by the employee who will take such loan. However, such certificate can be given on the individual merits of the cases and also not in contravention to the provisions of the Minimum Wages Act.

Misc. 5 The Council decided that a Special Meeting of the Council be convened on the 10th September, 1982 for consideration of matters relating to appointment of the Vice-Chancellor.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

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Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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Appendix - I

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the meeting of the Post-graduate Examination Advisory Committee held in the Office of the Controller of Examinations on 23.6.82 at 11 a.m.

Members present :

1. Prof.N.C.Chaudhury, Vice-Chairman, P.G.Council(Arts).
2. Prof.S.K.Chakraborty,Chemistry Deptt.,N.B.U.

Shri B.K. Bajpaie, Registrar attended the meeting on special invitation.

Item No.1 : To consider the letter received from Prof.N.C. Chaudhury regarding rate of remuneration of dissertation papers.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed the schedule of rates of remuneration in which it was observed that the rate for examining a Thesis, Project & Design is Rs.50/- per thesis. In view of the parity of a dissertation paper to that of a thesis paper, the members recommended that examiners of dissertation papers be paid a remuneration at the rate of Rs.50/- per dissertation paper per examiner. This will include remuneration for Viva-Voce.

Item No.2 : To consider the applications of two unsuccessful candidates of P.G. Part II (Regular) Examinations.

Decision : The members observed that the candidates appeared at the M.A./M.Com.Part II Examination of 1981 on obtaining qualifying marks (30% or above but below 40%) at the M.A./M.Com. Part I and became unsuccessful because of their failure to secure the required minimum aggregate. The Committee considered the ordinance relating to M.A./M.Com. Examination and recommended that as per ordinance 4.4.2 a candidate who after securing qualifying marks in M.A./M.Com.Part I Examination appears at the Part II Examination and becomes unsuccessful because of his/her failure to obtain the minimum aggregate would be eligible to appear at the Part I or Part II Semester examinations along with the regular students as external candidate. However, they need not, as per earlier decision of the N.B.U. Council apply for permission.

There being no other item the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

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Appendix-II

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Proceedings of the meeting of the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 25.6.82 at 2 p.m.

Members Present :

1. Dr. A.B.Majumder, Inspector of College, N.B.U.
2. Shri D.Ghosh, A.C.College, Jalpaiguri
3. Prof. Bimalendu Bhattacharyya, N.B.U.
4. Shri B.K.Bajpaie, Registrar, N.B.U. attended the meeting on special request.

Item No.1 : To draw up a panel of Tabulators for the various Undergraduate Examinations of 1982.

Decision : The Committee after long discussion drew up a panel of Tabulators for the various Undergraduate examinations of 1982.

Item No.2 : To consider the application of a candidate who having cleared Part II Examination, 1977 passed the Part I (Old) Examination as an external candidate in 1981.

Decision : The application of the candidate as placed by the Deputy Controller of Examinations was considered and it was recommended that the Part II result of the applicant might be released immediately. It was further recommended that similar such cases, if any, might be treated on equal footing.

Item No.3 : To consider the service seniority of Shri Biswanath Bhattacharyya of Malda College as Lecturer in Sanskrit.

Decision : Smt. Sandhya Moitra passed M.A. in Sanskrit in 1954 from the University of Calcutta. Joined the service as Lecturer in Sanskrit in P.D.Women's College, Jalpaiguri on 18.12.58.

Shri Biswanath Bhattacharyya passed M.A.in Sanskrit from the Dacca University in 1960 & 1951. Served in a Degree College in East Pakistan as Head of the Department of Bengali and Sanskrit from 1.9.58 to 31.12.63, Lecturer in Chittagong Govt.College from 1.1.64 to 1.8.64. Joined Alipurduar College as Lecturer in Sanskrit on 20.11.64. Joined Malda College as Lecturer in Sanskrit on 29.11.69.

In the matter of seniority as per Section 9(3) of the N.B.U. Act, 1961 the following be noted :

"For the purpose of Sub-Section (1) or Sub-Section (2) the seniority of a person shall be calculated in consideration of the teaching period during which such person has served as a Principal in any Institution teaching offering Degree or P.G.Course of any University incorporated by law in India".

The matter was referred to the Academic Council on 11.12.74 and decision of the Council as follows :

"The Council after considering the total period of teaching experience of Shri Biswanath Bhattacharyya, Lecturer in Sanskrit, Malda College and Smt. Sandhya Moitra, Lecturer in Sanskrit, P.D.Women's College, Jalpaiguri decided that the latter should be treated as senior". Therefore, the Advisory Committee reiterates its earlier decision that Sm.Sandhya Moitra is senior to Sri Biswanath Bhattacharyya.

Item No.4 : To consider the report of the Convener in B.Ed. Examination, 1981 regarding the performance of an Examiner and a letter dated 16.6.82 addressed to the Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U. by the Examiner concerned.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed before the members the report of the Convener in B.Ed. Examination, 1981 regarding many lapses of an examiner in evaluation of scripts and the letter of the Examiner addressed to the Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U. After a detailed discussion the Committee took a very serious view of the lapses on the part of the Examiner. The Committee also thought it to be extremely unfortunate the letter of the examiner and decided that a warning might be issued to him for such conduct and he might further be asked not to indulge in such things in future.

Item No.5 : To consider the rate of remuneration for translating 2 year Degree Pass Questions into Nepali and Bengali.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations reported to the members present the difficulties faced by him in getting the 2 Year Degree Pass questions translated into Nepali and Bengali and the steps taken by him to overcome the difficulties and requested the members to recommend fixation of suitable remuneration for translation. The Committee after considering the nature and volume of work recommended the following remuneration :

1. Nepali translation - lump sum Rs.1,100/- to be divided among the persons engaged in the work according to the quantum of work.

2. Bengali translation @ Rs.20/- per paper.

Item No.6 : To consider the Preliminary report on the results of Preliminary Law Examination 1981 held in April, 1982.

Decision : After considering the preliminary report on the results and the representation of the students it was recommended that the matter be referred to the N.B.U. Council.

The meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

Appendix - IV

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the emergent meeting of the Undergraduate Examination Advisory Committee held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 20.8.82 at 2 p.m.

Members present :

1. Prof. B.Bhattacharyya, N.B.U.

2. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, A.C.College, Jalpaiguri.

Shri Asoke Guha and Shri Madhusudan Das, members, N.B.U. Council and Shri B.K.Bajpaie, Registrar attended the meeting on special invitation.

Item No.1 : To consider matters arising out of printing of History (Honours) Paper VIII as Paper VII and Vice Versa at the B.A.Part II (New 3 year Honours) Examination, 1982.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations stated the facts in details to the members and placed all the correspondences received from the Colleges in this connection. After a detailed discussion the members recommended as follows :

1. The examination in the subject International Relations which was to have been taken on 4.8.82 being Paper VIII of History Honours be held again at a very early date to be fixed by the Vice-Chancellor, preferably during the 2nd half of September, 1982.

2. That questions of International Relations were opened at the Loreto and Salesian College Centres on 3.8.82 and the same were distributed among the students and after detection of mistake in the description of the paper printed, the papers were withdrawn. The examinees were asked to answer questions for the next day and the withdrawn papers were given to them next day. Correspondences of the Principals in this regard were considered and the Committee were of opinion that since the students had the opportunity of knowing the questions twenty four hours before they actually sat to write the answers the said examination in those two Colleges be cancelled and the candidates be given an opportunity of appearing at a fresh examination in International Relations.

3. In view of different procedures followed at different Centres the Committee recommended that :

(i) all students of Loreto and Salesian Colleges whose examinations in International Relations have been cancelled and all students belonging to A.B.N.Seal, Balurghat and Raiganj Colleges who did not appear in examination of that paper i.e. International Relations would appear at a fresh examination in that paper to be held in due course.

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(ii) Examinees of other Centres who wrote the answers in International Relations on 3.8.82 might be given an option to appear at the fresh examination. In those cases such students may be given the benefit of retaining better marks obtained by them if they opt to appear at the fresh examination (such benefit being extended to the candidates in view of the fact that they appeared at the examination on 3.8.82 in a paper scheduled to be held on 4.8.82).

(iii) In respect of the papers VII and VIII the Committee recommended that tabulation of marks in those papers be made after correction of mistakes in the description of papers.

Item No. 2 : To consider the application of a candidate of B.Sc. (Two year Pass) Examination,1982 of Malda College.

Decision : The members noted that the candidate could not appear in Chemistry(Pass) Paper III for his own fault as he noted the programme wrongly. The Committee, therefore, regretted to consider his application.

Item No. 3 : To consider the case of one External candidate of B.A.Part I(Old) Examination,1981.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed all the papers before the Committee. The candidate who appeared as an external from Kalimpong College was marked absent in Economics (Pass) Paper II because of non-receipt of marks by the Tabulators. The candidate, however, claimed that he had actually appeared in the paper which was duly corroborated by the Absentee Statement as well as the Top sheet received from the College. The matter was duly reported to the examiner and ~~thank~~ to the Chairman both of whom informed non-receipt of the script.

The members went deep into the matter and on being convinced that the script might have been mislaid somehow, recommended award of pro-rata marks in Economics (Pass) Paper II to the candidate.

Item No. 4 : To consider the cases of candidates who appeared in Mathematics (Honours) at the B.A./B.Sc. Part II (New 3 year Honours) Examination,1981.

Decision : It transpired that the results of all the candidates of B.A./B.Sc.Part II Mathematics (Honours) except Raiganj might have been prepared out of a total of 820 marks instead of the prescribed 800. This happened due to holding of Practical portion of Paper VIII (20 marks) at a very late stage. The Principals of Colleges were requested to arrange return of the marksheets for verification without delay but not a single marksheet has been received so far. The Committee recommended issue of another notice with a definite date failing which steps should be taken to cancel all the marksheets through paper notification. Fresh marksheets on due correction of results may then be sent to the Colleges.

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Appendix-IV

Date: 25-8-1982.

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Zoology held on 23-8-82.

Members present:

1. Professor S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor(Acting) in the Chair.
2. Dr. A.K. Chakraborty, Head of the Dept. of Zoology, North Bengal University.
3. Dr. A.K. Roy, Head of the Dept. of Zoology, Darjeeling Govt. College.

(i) The Board recommended that Sri Tashi Wangdi Pumafartsok be permitted to register his name for the Degree of Ph.D. (Science) with effect from 7-7-1982. The topic of his research being "STUDIES ON THE SALIVARY GLAND CHROMOSOMES OF SOME SPECIES OF BLACK FLIES (DIPTERA: SIMULIIDAE) AND MEIOTIC CHROMOSOMES OF SOME SPECIES OF GRASSHOPPERS (ORTHOPTERA) FROM DARJEELING AND ADJOINING HILL AREAS."

(ii) The Board decided that Shri Sayantan Bandyopadhyay, be advised to re-submit his synopsis as suggested by the experts.

(iii) Shri Ranjit Chattopadhyay, the Board decided, be advised to re-submit synopsis as suggested by the experts. The Board also decided that Shri Chattopadhyay, be informed that he must continue his research in the Laboratory of Darjeeling Govt. College.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL.

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Bengali held on 23-8-82.

Members present :

1. Professor S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor(Acting) in the Chair.
2. Dr. S.C. Lahiri, Head of the Dept. of Bengali.
3. Dr. P. Das, Reader in Bengali.
4. Dr. A.K. Sikder, Professor of Bengali.
5. Dr. P.K. Kundu, Supervisor.
6. Dr. S. Ray, Supervisor.
7. Dr. S.P. Sengupta, Professor of English.
8. Dr. T.B. Chhetri, Head of the Dept. of Nepali.

(i) The Board recommended that Sri Gurusaday Dey, be permitted to register his name for the Degree of Ph.D.(Arts), w.e.f. 15-2-1982. The title of his thesis being " রবীন্দ্রনাথ-সৈনিক-উপন্যাস পর্যালোচনা ও বিশ্লেষণ (১৮৭৮-১৯৩০) (তুলনামূলক প্রসঙ্গসহ) "

(ii) The Board recommended that Sri Ranjit Kumar Mukhopadhaya be permitted to register his name for the Degree of Ph.D.(Arts) w.e.f. 10-12-81. After slightly changing the topic the Board approved the topic as " তারাশঙ্করের উপন্যাসের চরিত্র প্রকৃতি, পরিবেশ ও জীবন: ঔপন্যাসিক উপন্যাসের নায্য ও তারাশঙ্করের সাফল্য এবং অসাফল্য "

(iii) The Board recommended that Sri Parimal Chakraborty be permitted to register his name for the Degree of Ph.D.(Arts), w.e.f. 1-3-1982. The title of the topic should be " তারাশঙ্করের ছোট গল্প: সমাজতান্ত্রিক বৃদ্ধিজীবীর দৃষ্টিকোণ থেকে তারাশঙ্কর "
The Board directed that Sri Chakraborty be advised to see that the treatment of the thesis should be consistant with the changed title.

(iv) The Board decided that Sri Tushar Kanti Chakraborty be advised to re-submit of synopsis in consultation with his guide as per suggetion discussed.

(v) The Board decided that Shrimati Archana Roy be advised to re-submit the synopsis of her thesis after correcting the discrepancies pointed out to the Supervisor.

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(vi) The Board recommended that Sri Amaresh Chandra Lahiri be permitted to submit his thesis for examination with 6 (six) [illegible] for 12-7-1982.

(vii) The Board recommended that Sri Barendra Nath Ray be permitted to re-register his name for the Degree of Ph.D.(Arts), the title of his topic being " বিংশ শতাব্দীর আধুনিক বাঙলা ছোটগল্প সমীক্ষণ ".

(viii) The Board permitted Sri Ramen Kumar Roy to re-submit his thesis entitled " বৈষ্ণব পদাবলী ও অসমীয়া সাহিত্যে ব্রজবুলি সাহিত্যের প্রভাব (১৮৮৩ - ১৯৪০ খৃষ্টাব্দ) "

(ix) The Board permitted the following persons to submit their theses for examination for the Degree of Ph.D.(Arts) and approved the panels of examiners:

Name:	Topic
a) Sri Bhajan Gopal Sanyal	" বাল্মীকি - রামায়ণের বাঙলা অনুবাদের আদি কৃত্তিবাসের সহিত - নেপালী - অনুবাদের তুলনা মূলক বিচার ",
b) Sri Debranjan Dhar	" শরৎচন্দ্র ও অসমীয়া ঔপন্যাস: বিশ্লেষণের প্রয়াসমাত্র (তুলনা - সাময়িক বিশ্লেষণ) ",
c) Tapan Deb	" বাংলা ঔপন্যাসের সমাজচিত্র (বঙ্কিমচন্দ্র, রবীন্দ্রনাথ ও শরৎচন্দ্রের ঔপন্যাস) "

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL.

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Bengali held on 26-8-1982.

Members present:

(1) Professor S.N. Sen, the Vice-Chancellor(Acting) in the Chair.
(2) Dr. S.C. Lahiri, Head of the Dept. of Bengali.
(3) Professor A.K. Sikder, Dept. of Bengali.
(4) Dr. P. Das, Reader in Bengali.

1. The Board considered the following resolutions of the meeting of the Departmental Committee in Bengali held on 26-7-82 and a letter from Shri Satyendra Nath Barman of J.R.F:

(b) The Departmental Committee finds it highly irresponsible on the part of Dr. P.K. Kundu that he chose to resign the Supervisorship in protest against a democratically accepted resolution of the Departmental Committee. He, therefore, penalised a Research Fellow when the Research Fellow was in no fault in the matter. The Departmental Committee feels that such action should not be repeated in future in the interest of the Research Fellows, the Department and the University.

(c) It was decided to make alternative arrangement for guiding the research of Sri Satyendranath Barman in response to the request of Sri Barman and the Secretary of the North Bengal University Research Fellows' Association. In terms of the principle evolved in the meeting of the Departmental Committee held on 23-7-81, the Supervisorship was offered to and accepted by Dr. P. Das, Sm. G. Datta and Sri A. Bhatta having refused to accept the offer.

The Board while approving the above decisions decided that Shri Satyendra Nath Barman be placed under the guidance of Dr. P. Das.

2. The Board considered an application of Shri Satyendra Nath Barman and permitted him to change the title of his thesis [illegible]" [illegible]
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The change will not entail any charge in the research itself.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in English, held on 23.8.82.

Members present.

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor, Acting in the Chair.
2.Prof. S.P.Sengupta, Department of English.
3.Prof. Asru Kumar Sikdar. Department of Bengali.

1. The Board recommended that the under noted person be permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Arts) with effect from the date mentioned against him:

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	name of the topic.
(a)Sushanta Kr.Chakraborty.	19.6.82	The Influence of Greek and Latin Tragedies on English Drama.

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur, Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Political Science, held on 24-8-82.

Members present.

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor, Acting in the Chair.
2.Dr. D.J.Bhowmik, Head of the deptt. of Pol. Science.
3.Prof. S.N.Roy, Professor of Political Science.
4.Dr. S.R. Basu. Head of the deptt.of Geography & Appl.Geography.

1.The Board permitted Sri Pranab Kumar Samajdar to re-submit his thesis entitled "Changing Pattern of District Administration:- A study of Two Districts of North Bengal." The thesis would be evaluated by the some set of Examiners who exime it previously.

2.The Board recommended that the following persons be permitted to register their names for the degree of Ph.D.(Arts) with effect from the dates mentioned against each:-

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	name of the topic.
(a)Pramiosh Sen.	19.8.82	Official-Non-Official Relationship in the Panchayati Raj Institutions - A study of the emerging relationship-patterns under the new Panchayat system in the district of Malda.
(b)Smt.Maya Ghosh.	23.2.82	Public Relations in Development Administration: A study of the Institutional Structure and its working in West Bengal, 1952-82.

3.The Board permitted Sri Jibaneswar Misra to re-register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Arts). His thesis is entitled "Nationalism and Internationalism: The Political Ideas of Tagore, Gandhi and Nehru."

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur (Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Geography and Applied Geography, held on 23.8.82.

Members present.

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor,(Acting) in the Chair.
2.Prof. B.Bhattacharya, Deptt.of Geography & Applied Geography.
3.Prof. N.C.Choudhury, Head of the deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology.
4.Prof. S.N.Roy,Deptt. of Political Science.

1. The Board recommended that the following persons be permitted to register their names for the degree of Ph.D.(Arts)with effect from the dates mentioned against each:-

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	Name of the topics.
(a)Sri Gopal Ch.Sarkar.	24.4.82	A Geographical Study of the Pattern of Agriculture in Darjeeling Hills- Its problems and Prospects.
(b)Sri Shyamal Kr.Sengupta.	20.4.82	Behaviour of Spatial Development and Land Value in Bangalore Metropolitan Area.
(c)Sri Anish Chattopadhyay.	16.12.82	Geomorphology of the Brahmaputra Basin in Arunachal Pradesh and Assam: North East India.

Sri Anish Chatropadhyay should note certain points mentioned by one of the experts.

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Mathematics held on 23.8.82

Members present.

1.Prof.S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor,(Acting)in the Chair.
2.Sri S.P.Paul, Head of the deptt. of Mathematics.
3.Prof. Santi Ranjan Das Gupta, Prof. of Mathematics.
4.Prof. S.K.Chakraborty, Prof. of Chemistry.
5.Prof. M.L.Ghosh, Professor of Mathematics.
6.Dr. Manoj Kr. Bose, Lecturer in Mathematics.
7.Sri S.Bishnu, Reader in Mathematics.

1.The Board recommended that the following person be permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Science) with effect from the date mentioned against his name:-

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	name of the topic.
(a)Sri Srtharsha Baidya.	17.5.82	Certain Investigations on Problems of W-Measure and on Perron Type Integrals.

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Chemistry held on 23.8.82.

Members present.

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor,(Acting) in the Chair.
2.Prof. Subhash Chandra Roy, Head of the deptt.of Chemistry.
3.Prof. S.K.Chakraborty, Professor of Chemistry.
4.Prof. A. K. Ghosh, Professor of Chemistry.
5.Sri B. Majee, Reader in Chemistry.
6.Sri Bimal Kr. Das, Reader in Chemistry.

1. The board permitted the following persons to submit their thesis for evaluation and approved the panels of Examiners:-

	(name of the topic)
(a)Rabindra Nath Mukhopadhyay.	"Synthetic Studies in Sesquiter Penes."
(b)Ranjit Kr. Sarkar.	"Studies on Carbene and Ketene Reactions."

2.The board noted that all the Examiners in one panel for evaluating the thesis submitted by Sri Prabir Roy had intimated inability to examine the thesis. Under the circumstances the Board decided to approve the new panel recommended.

3. The Board recommended that Sri Bijoy Krishna Sen be permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Sc). However, Sri Sen may submit his thesis after 6.1.83.

4. The Board recommended to extend the period of eligibility of Sri Debabrata Pal Choudhury to submit his thesis by six months with effect from 23.9.82.

5. The Board consider an application of Sri Soumitra Kumar Choudhury and approved that the typographical mistake in the title of his thesis be corrected as follows.

Original title.	Corrected title.
Co-ordination Compounds of Organotin Compounds with some Selected Ligands.	Co-ordination Complexes of Organisation Compounds with some Selected Ligands.

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur, Darjeeling.

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Physics held on 23.8.82.

Members present.

1.Prof.S.N.Sen,Vice-Chancellor,(Acting)in the Chair.
2.Prof. S.K.Mukherjee, Head of the deptt. of Physics.
3.Prof. N.Choudhury, Professor of Physics.
4.Prof. A.K.Ghosh, Professor of Chemistry.
5.Prof. Santi Ranjan Das Gupta, Prof. of Mathematics.
6.Prof. R.K.Paul, Professor of Physics.
7.Dr. Biswanath Bhattacharyya.Reader in Physics.
8.Dr. Rabin Ghosh, Reader in Physics.

1.The Board recommended that the under noted person be permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Science) with effect from the date mentioned against his name:-

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	name of the topics.
(a)Sri Asoke Nath.	1.1.1980	Study of Magnetic and Optical Behaviour of some Rare-Earth Complexes.

2. The Board decided to extend the time of submission of thesis by Smt. Basana Bhattacharya by six months with effect from 9.9.82.

3. The Board permitted Sri Biswanath Jha to re-register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Sc.).Sri Jha, however, may submit his thesis within September 1983.

4. The Board permitted the following persons to submit their thesis for evaluation and approved the panels of examiners:-

	name of the topics.
(a)Smt. Ira Choudhury-	Ionic Conduction in Polar Dielectric Liquids.
(b)Swapan Kr.Sengupta.	Investigation on Photon Interactions in matter. (i)Elastic Scattering of Photons by Atomic bound Electrons. (ii)Elastic Scattering of Photons by Electrostatic Field of the Nucleus.

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Engineering and Technology held on 23.8.82.

Members present.

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor.(Acting)in the Chair.
2.Dr.H.P.Bhowmick, Principal,Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College.
3.Prof. N.C.Sinha, Prof. Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College.
4.Sri A.S.Choudhury, Lecturer, Electrical Engineering,Jal.Govt. Engg. College.

1.The Board recommended that the under noted person be permitted to register his name for the degree of Ph.D.(Engineering)with effect from the date mentioned against his name:-

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	name of the topics.
(a)Sri Subir Kr.Sengupta.	23.11.1981	"Cybernetics in Identification, Modelling and Prediction of Flows and Water Quality of Non-Tidal Rivers."

2.The Board permitted the following persons to submit his thesis for evaluation and approved the panels of examiners:-

	name of the topics.
(a)M.N.Maulik.	"System Analysis Techniques for Hydrological Characteristics of Teesta River System."

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaio
REGISTRAR

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Centre for Himalayan Studies, held on 23.8.81

Members present:

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor,(Acting) in the Chair.
2.Prof. S.K.Choube,Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies.
3.Prof. B.Bhattacharyya, Deptt.of Geography and Applied Geo.
4.Smt. Ranju Rani Dhamala, Lecturer in Centre for Himalayan Studies.

1.The Board recommended that the following persons be permitted to register their names for the degree of Ph.D.(Arts) with effect from the dates mentioned against each:-

Name.	w.e.f.the date.	name of the topics.
(a)Miss Saswati Biswas,	30.3.81	"Impact of Developmental Agencies on the Eastern Himalayas with specific reference to the West Bengal Himalayas: A case Study of Two Villages."
(b)Debiprasad Boot.	9.3.81	" A Study of Urban Development and Future Prospects in Sikkim"

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

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University of North Bengal
Rajarammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Sociology and Social Anthropology held on 23.8.82.

Members present.

1.Prof. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor,(Acting)in the Chair.
2.Dr. N.C.Choudhury, Head of the deptt.of Sociology & Social Anthropology.
3.Dr. Dulal Bag, Lecturer in Pol.Science,Balurghat College.
4.Dr. Ranjit Bhadra, Reader in Sociology & Social Anthropology.
5.Dr. Sarit Bhowmik, Lecturer in Sociology & Social Anth.
6.Dr. Arabinda Dev, Reader in History.
7.Prof. B.Bhattacharya, Prof. of Geography & Applied Geography.

1.The Board recommended that the following persons be permitted to register their names for the degree of Ph.D(Arts) with effect from the dates mentioned against each:-

Name.	Date.	Name of the topics.
1a)Sri Subhash Ch. Ghosh.	w.e.f. 12.6.82	"Teacher/Student Relationship and its Impact on Student unrest."
(b)Sri Pradip Kr.Basak.	w.e.f. 5.7.82.	" Social Integration of Castes and Tribes in Rural Bengal: A case study in peasant life in West-Dinajpur."
(c)Prabir Chandra Dam.	w.e.f. 1.1.81.	" Caste, Ethnicity and Politics:-A Study of Emerging Elites in the District of Coochbehar."

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in History held on 26-8-1982.

Members present:

(1) Professor S.N. Sen, the Vice-Chancellor(Acting) in the Chair.
(2) Professor P.K. Bhattacharyya, Head of the Dept. of History.
(3) Professor N.C. Choudhury, Head of the Dept. of Sociology & Social Anthropology.
(4) Professor S.N. Roy, Dept. of Political Science.
(5) Dr. M.M. Mukherjee, Lecturer in History.
(6) Dr. T.K. Roychoudhury, Reader in History.

1. The Board after considering the opinion of the experts decided that Shri Sadhan Chandra Deb, be advised to re-submit the synopsis clearly stating a brief over view of research already done in the field, and significance and justification of the proposed research, and also other matters discussed in the meeting.

2. The Board permitted Shri Ichhimuddin Sarkar to submit his thesis entitled "Aspects of Historical Geography of Pragjyotisa-Kamarupa from early and medieval records", and also approved the panels of examiners.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Research Studies in Centre for Life Sciences held on 27-8-82.

Members present:

1. Prof. S.N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor, (Acting) in the Chair.
2. Prof. Kalyan Bandhu Datta, Director, Centre for Life Sciences.
3. Dr. P. K. Basu, Reader in Centre for Life Sciences.
4. Dr. Bikas Paul, Reader in Centre for Life Sciences.

1. The Board recommended that the following persons be permitted to register their names for the degree of Ph.D. (Sc.) with effect from the dates mentioned against each:-

Name.	w.e.f. the date.	Name of the topics.
a) Amiya Kr. Nandi.	11-3-80	"Production Studies of Some Grasslands at Sub-Himalayan Region of West Bengal, India."
b) Debprasad Guin.	2-4-80	"Ecology and Behaviour of Gaur (Bos gaurus H. Smith) in North Bengal Region, West Bengal, India."
c) Amal Bhattacharyya.	21-4-80	"Study on the ecology and behaviour of the Great Indian one horned Rhinoceros (Rhinoceros Unicornis L.) at Gorumara Jaldapara and Kaziranga wild life sanctuaries India."

2. The Board considered applications of the following persons and while noting that no substantial change in the subject of research were involved, permitted to allow them to change the titles of the topic of Research as under:-

Name.	Previous title.	New title.
a) Debasis Sinha.	"Bio-Energetics and Socio-Ecology of the Totos Tribes of Jalpaiguri, West Bengal."	"Ethno-Zoological Studies of Sub-Himalayan Tribal Area of North Bengal with Emphasis on Ecology and Bio-Energatics of the Totos."
b) Tapas Kr. Choudhury.	"Mitogen Mediated Activation of Murine Thymocytes in Vivo for Immunological Function."	"Mitogen Mediated Activation of Murine T Cells in Vivo for Immunological Function."

The meeting terminated with vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaio
REGISTRAR.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN.

Appendix-V

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Ref. No. 2596-F-82.

Note for the payment of T.A./D.A. to Examiners/Head Examiners for attending examiners meeting as desired by the Council in its meeting held on 24.12.81 (Misc. Item 4).

The Undergraduate Examinations Advisory Committee in its meeting held on 23.12.81 recommended that all examiners attending examiners' meetings be paid actual bus fare (both ways) for their journey to the University from the Head Quarters and D.A. at half of the full rate as prescribed in rules. On this the Council decided that the Finance Officer and the Deputy Controller of Examinations should submit a report of financial commitment. On the basis of the statistics of total number of examiners/head examiners appointed during 1981 at the various Undergraduate Examinations, we have arrived at the following figures or in other words the financial commitment that the University will have to bear :-

Total number of examiners appointed during 1981	404 X 9.75 (the estimated amount of half D.A.)

Total : Rs. 3939=00

as against the amount of Rs. 1616/- which is normally incurred at the existing rate of Rs. 4/- per examiners thus leading/ to an additional financial liability of Rs. 2323=00.

Placed before the Council for consideration.

Sd/- S. Majumder
14.6.82
Deputy Controller
of Examinations.

Sd/- S. M. Roy
Finance Officer

ad/

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur, Darjeeling

Annexure-I

Minutes of the Special meeting of the North Bengal University Council (convened in terms of resolution of the meeting of Council dated 29.8.82) held on the 10th September, 1982 at 11 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Prof. S. N. Sen, Professor of Physics
2. Dr. H.P. Bhowmik, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College
3. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College
4. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
5. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader, North Bengal University
6. Shri Hiten Nag, Lecturer, Dinhata College.

1. As provided under Statute 14 of the Statutes relating to meetings of the University the members present elected Prof. S.N. Sen to be the Chairman of the meeting.

2. The Council noted that Prof. S.N. Sen could not act as Acting Vice-Chancellor for personal reasons from 1.9.82 till date. The Council, therefore, reluctantly resolved that Prof. S.N. Sen might be relieved from his duties as Acting Vice-Chancellor with effect from 1.9.82. The Council recorded its gratitude and heart-felt thanks to Prof. S.N. Sen for the kind services rendered by him as Acting Vice-Chancellor during the absence of Dr. P.K. Ghosh, the Vice-Chancellor.

3. In exercise of powers conferred upon it under Sub-Section (3) of Section 18 of the North Bengal University Act 1961 read with clause (i) of paragraph (b) of Sub-Section (6) of Section 57 of the North Bengal University Act 1981 the Council decided to authorise Dr. H. P. Bhowmik, a member of the Council, to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the Vice-Chancellor with effect from 10.9.82 pending appointment of a new Vice-Chancellor by the Chancellor.

4. The Council noted that the N.B.U. Employees' Association had served a notice declaring agitational programme in support of their certain demands and the first phase of such agitational programme was being observed. This programme, the Council was constrained to note, had virtually paralysed the University administration.

The Council felt that the sudden and unexpected agitational programme, particularly when there was no permanent Vice-Chancellor, was not in the interest of the University. The Council recalled that in the past, this Council had always endeavoured to better the service conditions of the employees even going sometimes out of way so far its resources were concerned. However, the Council felt that the present issue could be settled through amicable negotiations as had been done in the past when the permanent Vice-Chancellor takes charge.

In view of the above the Council hoped that the N.B.U. Employees' Association would appreciate the prevailing abnormal situation caused by the absence of the permanent Vice-Chancellor and would withdraw their agitational movement in the interest of all concerned.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

S N Sen
Sd/- S. N. Sen
CHAIRMAN

ad

University Grants Commission Annexure-III

SECRETARY Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg
New Delhi-110 002.

No.F.6-4/82(SCT) August 23, 1982

Dear Education Secretary:

As you are aware, in the circular letters issued earlier vide UGC letter No.F.1-35/77(CP) dated November 3/5, 1977 and letter No.F.1-35/77 (CP) dated 13th November, 1978 it had been indicated that reservations for admissions for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates in Universities and colleges should be made available at the under-graduate and post-graduate level and these percentages would be 15% for Scheduled Caste students and 5% for Scheduled Tribe students. It also indicated that reservations be made for the appointment of Lecturers belonging to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates. In respect of non-teaching posts, reservation to Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe candidates is to be ensured as per the reservation percentages fixed by the State Government.

The position has been reviewed by the Government of India in the Ministry of Education recently and in the context of the population percentages of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in the country, it has since been decided that the reservation percentages for admissions and appointments would be 15% for Scheduled Caste and candidates and 7.5% for Scheduled Tribe candidates hereafter. I am accordingly to request you to make earnest efforts to increase the coverage of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates in admissions to various courses of upto the reservation percentages as indicated above viz. 15% for Scheduled Caste candidates and 7.5% for Scheduled Tribe candidates with a provision for interchangability where necessary. I am also to again reiterate that while making the reservations as above, provision may also be continued to be made to give concession of 5% marks in the minimum percentage of marks required for admission to any course of study. In case by allowing the above concession some seats in the reserved quota remain unfilled, a further relaxation in the marks may be given to them in order of merit interse amongst themselves so that all the reserved seats are filled by the candidates belonging to these categories.

I am further to request you to take steps to make similar reservations in the matter of appointments to the posts of Lecturers in Universities and Colleges and also in filling up non-teaching posts.

I should be grateful if you could acknowledge the receipt of this letter and let the UGC know the action taken by you in this respect.

With regards,

Yours sincerely
Sd/- R.K. Chhabra

Copy for necessary action forwarded to :

Dr. Prasad Kumar Ghose,
Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University,
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur,
Darjeeling - 734430.

Sd/- R.K. Chhabra
Secretary

ad/

Annexure IV

Government of West Bengal
Education Department
University Eduoation Branch

No. 1285(6)-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the Sept. 3, 1982.

From : T.H. Sen Gupta, IAS
Dy. Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To : The Registrar,
University of North Bengal
Raja Rammohunpur,
Siliguri, Dist. Darjeeling.

Sub ::Grant of further Additional Dearness Allowance to the employees of the University of North Bengal with effect from 1.7.82.

Sir,

I am directed to say that the Governor is pleased to decide that the whole time employees of the University of North Bengal who are not in receipt of variable Dearness Allowance may be sanctioned further Additional Dearness Allowance at the rates in absolute amounts for each amount of basic pay as shown in the enclosed copy placed below with effect from 1st July, 1982 and until further orders in addition to existing Dearness Allowance/Interim Dearness Allowance/Addl. Dearness Allowance.

2. The Governor has further been pleased to direct that the benefit of further Addl. Dearness Allowance sanctioned in the Para-I above shall be drawn subject to the following conditions :

(1) If the existing total D.A. elements (prior to 1.7.82) be in excess of the total D.A. element (prior to 1.7.82) of corresponding State-Govt.-employees, such excess should be adjusted against the amount of further A.D.A. admissible as per enclosed table.

(2) The basic pay as mentioned above shall be the grade pay drawn by the employees in their respective scales of pay and shall not include special pay, Dearness pay, Ad-hoc pay, personal pay, qualification pay, Administrative pay and any other categories of pay, provided that in the case of employees who have not opted for revised scales of pay as per revision of pay scales with effect from 1.4.70 the basic pay will mean grade pay plus Dearness Allowance as was being drawn by them on 31.3.70.

(3) In the case of employees in the new/Intermediate selection grades, if any, the rates of further A.D.A. shall not exceed the amounts admissible according to the above rates on the maximum of their corresponding basic grade scales provided that in the case of employees who have opted/will not opt to retain new/Intermediate Selection Grade of the lower feeder posts as personal to them on their promotion to higher posts, the basic grade for this purpose shall be taken as the baeic grade scales of the posts to which they have been/may be promoted.

(4) If the basic pay be in fraction, the same should be rounded off to the nearest rupee.

3. The Governor has further been pleased to decide that for the daily rated workers if any under the University of North Bengal whose wages are not regulated by any statutory provision like Minimum Wages Act, etc., there will be a further ad-hoc increase in their existing daily rate of wages by 96 Paise per day with effect from 1.7.82.

4. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Deptt. vide their U.O. No. Group-J/1258 dated 1.9.82.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- T.H. Sengupta
Deputy Secretary

No. 1285/1(10)-Edn(U)
Copy forwarded to the : -
1. Accountant General, West Bengal
2. Finance Deptt., Govt. of West Bengal
3. Finance Officer, University of
4. Dy. Secretary, Agriculture Deptt. of this Govt.
5. Budget Branch of this Deptt. ....for information.

Calcutta,
The Sept. 3, 1982

Sd/- T.H. Sengupta
Deputy Secretary

Basic pay per month (1) Rs.	Further ADA admissible per month from 1st July, 1982 (2) Rs.	Basic pay per month (1) Rs.	Further ADA admissible per month from 1st July, 1982 (2) Rs.
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950 to 952	86

Contd.....4/-

(1) Rs.	(2) Rs.
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954 to 959	86
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993	90
994 to 995	89
996 to 997	90
998	89
999 to 2600	90

(1) Rs.	(2) Rs.
2601 to 2650	140
2651 to 2710	190
2711 to 2750	189-150*
Above 2750	150

* merginal adjustments

Annexure V

MINUTES OF THE NINETYFOURTH MEETING OF THE COLLEGE COUNCIL.

The ninetyfourth meeting of the College Council, Raiganj College (University College), was held on 22nd July,1982, at 2.30 P.M. at the Guest House of the University of North Bengal.

PRESENT :

Dr.S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor, (In the Chair).

Dr.A.K.Ghosh, Head of the Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.

Shri S.M.Roy, Finance Officer, N.B.U.

Shri K.C.Mitra, Advocate, Raiganj.

Dr.B.C.Bagchi. Raiganj.

Shri U.Sarcar, Teachers' Representative on the College Council.

Shri D.K.Ghosh Roy, Teachers' Representative on the College Coundil.

Shri S.N.Roy ,Principal & Secretary.

Dr.A.B.Majumder, Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U., Special Invitee.

ABSENT :

District Magistrate, West Dinajpur.

Sub-Divisional Officer, Raiganj.

Shri H.K.Sarkar, Kaliyaganj College.

Shri Dipendra Burman, M.L.A., Raiganj.

Shri Dipak Chatterjee, Raiganj Coronation School.

The Principal reported that Shri U.Sarcar, Lecturer in Political Science, and Shri D.K.Ghosh Roy, Lecturer in Economics, were newly elected Teachers' Representatives on the College Council. The Council extended warm welcome to Shri Sarcar and Shri Ghosh Roy.

1. Minutes :-

Minutes of the last meeting of the College Council, held on 17th April,1982 were confirmed with the amendment of Resolution No.11. The last line of the resolution be re-written as follows :-

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" Decided that Shri Ratan Kumar Paul be granted lien for one year as prayed for with effect from the date on which he joined as Store-Keeper in the Department of Botany."

2. Business Arising :-

a) Triple Benefit Scheme (Item No.25 of the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, held on 8th Fenruary,1982) :-

The teacher-members of the Council drew attention to item 25 of the minutes of the meeting of 8th February,1982, and pointed out that the employees of the College were still in a fix regarding their retirement benefits. The members also pointed out that the agreement reached at a meeting of the Hon'ble Minister of Higher Education, W.B.C.U.T.A., the University, and two University Colleges was only partially observed, and the interests of the University Colleges as agreed to in the said meeting were adversely affected.

Decision : The Council drew the attention of the new Vice-Chancellor to the problem and appealed to him to take up the matter with the Minister of Higher Education immediately for early resolution of the problem.

b) Payment of D.A. :-

The Finance Officer referred to item No.12 of the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, held on 17th November,1981, and pointed out that there was a mistake in sanctioning the D.A. to a particular section of the non-teaching employees of the College. The Finance Officer pointed out that this new D.A. was not payable to the University employees of the College existing before 28.11.80.

Decision : Decided to recover this excess payment of D.A. from the employees concerned.

c) Purchase of Steel chairs for Staff Common Room :-

Shri U.Sarcar referred to item No.19 of the minutes of the meeting held on 17th April,1982 re : purchase of chairs.

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Decision : The Council regretted that in view of the drastic reduction in the Budget by the State Govt., it would not be possible to purchase the chairs at the present moment.

3. Monthly Estimates :-

Monthly Estimates for the month of June, 1982 were placed before the meeting.

Decided to approve of the estimates subject to scrutiny by the Finance Officer.

4. Resignation of Shri B.K.Sanyal from the post of part-time Bursar :-

The Principal placed before the meeting the letter of resignation of Shri B.K.Sanyal from the post of part-time Bursar.

Decision : Decided to accept the resignation of Shri B.K. sanyal from the post of part-time Bursar, and invite applications from the members of the teaching staff for filling up the vacancy. Meanwhile, Shri Sanyal may be requested to continue till the new Bursar is appointed.

5. G.O. No.1583(100)-Edn(U), dated October 21,1981, forwarded by DPI under No.305(255)-C dated 6.4.82 re : introduction of uniform conditions for the Hostel/Mess employees :-

Decision : Decided that a Hostel Committee be formed with the following gentlemen for implementation of the G.O. in the College :-

a) Superintendent of the Boys' Hostel.
b) Superintendent of the Girls' Hostel.

} Senior Superintendent will be the Convener. Seniority in College Service will mean the seniority of the Superintendent.

c) One representative from the Boarders of the Boys' Hostel.
d) One representative from the Boarders of the Girls' Hostel.
e) Bursar of the College (Ex-officio).
f) Two nominees of the Teachers' Council.

The above Committee will submit a report with regard to the requirement of the staff and the report will be placed in

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the next meeting of the College Council.

The item is confirmed.

6. D.P.I. Circular No.1661-Edn(CS) dated the 19th October, 1981 re : appointment of Lecturers in the revised UGC scale of pay :- 4-AA:16/81

Noted the contents of the G.O.

7. Application of Dr.Dhirendra Kr.Das, Superintendent, Girls' Hostel, requesting revision of the College Council decision of 8th Feby.,1982 re : enhancement of allowance of the Superintendent:-

The matter was discussed. It was noted that the College Council in its meeting, held on 25.1.1979 (Item No.11) and 26.12.1979 (Item No.25 (d)), resolved to pay remuneration to the Hostel Superintendent of the College at the same rate as paid to the Superintendent of the University Hostels.

In view of the above resolution, the Council modifies its resolution of 8th February, 1982 and decided that in conformity with the earlier resolution of the College Council, the remuneration of the Superintendent of the College Hostels would be the same as that of the Superintendents of the University Hostels. The Resolution be forwarded to the North Bengal University Council for their kind approval.

8. Arrangement for calculation of arrear P.F.(Interest only) :-

Decision : Decided that the Principal be requested to submit a detailed note regarding the steps taken and work done in this regard.

9. Problem of Special Honours Admission :-

The problem was discussed.

Decided that admission will be accepted according to the capacity of the College.

10. Representation of the Students' Union re : Cheap Canteen :-

Deferred.

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11. Appointment of a substitute lecturer in Economics :-

It was noted that no lecturer can be appointed by the College Council on its own without the recommendation of the College Service Commission. It was further noted that there was the need of a teacher for Plus 2 Course Economics in the Commerce Section. Shri Asit Munshi may be appointed a part-time teacher exclusively for plus 2 Course on a monthly remuneration of Rs.125/- with effect from a suitable date on a purely temporary basis terminable on 24 hours' notice.

12. An application of Shri Ratan Kumar Paul, Store-Keeper, Deptt. of Botany, praying for permission to draw pay in the revised University Scale of pay for Class IV staff as he has been suffering financial loss due to his new assignment. He further prays for promotion in the University Scale of pay as per Executive Council Resolution No.17, dated 24.11.1972, No.17 dated 20.12.1972 and No.23, dated 31.1.1973 :-

His application was discussed. It was noted that he has to apply for his promotion as per University Rules.

13 An application signed by Shri Binoy Krishna Goswami, Shri Amulya Paul, Shri Gouranga Karmaker, Shri Ananda Ch.Roy, praying for promotion to or scale of pay for the Class III posts as per Executive Council Resolution No.17 dated 24.11.1972, No.17 dated 20.12.1972, and No.23 dated 31.1.73 :-

Decision : The applicants are to apply individually, and their applications may be placed with a note from the Principal.

14. Application signed by Shri S.K.Ghosh, Librarian, and Shri N.N. Basu, Asstt.Librarian, re : their status :-

The matter was discussed.

It was decided that the matter would be referred to the Deputy Registrar for necessary decision.

15. N.B.U.Council Resolution re : House Rent for the employees occupying University quarters :-

The N.B.U.Council Resolution was placed before the meeting.

In this connexion reference was made to item No.15 of the minutes of the meeting of the College Council of 17th April,1982.

Decided that financial implication be sent to the Vice-Chancellor with a request for early implementation of the scheme.

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16. Letter from the Bursar re : House Rent Allowance for a teacher whose wife was occupying free quarters as Hostel Superintendent:-

Deferred.

17. College Service Commission recommendation (Letter No.4104/Appt/82, dated 7.7.82) for appointment of Shri Chandan Sengupta as a Lecturer in Botany in the substantive post :-

The Principal reported that he offered provisional appointment to Shri Chandan Sengupta,M.Sc., as a Lecturer in Botany with effect from 14th July,1982 on the recommendation of the College Service Commission (Vide their letter No.4104/Appt/82, dated 7.7.82). Decided to approve of the provisional appointment as a Lecturer in Botany to Shri Chandan Sengupta, M.Sc., with effect from 14th July, 1982 as offered by the Principal.

It was further decided that a letter of appointment in conformity with the proforma attached to the Commission's letter of recommendation (No.4104/Appt/82, dated 7.7.82) be issued to Shri Chandan Sengupta,appointing him a lecturer in Botany in substantive post with effect from 14th July,1982, in the revised scale of pay for the lecturers i.e. Rs.700 - 1600/- plus allowances as admissible from time to time to such lecturers of the Sponsored Colleges the State.

Decided further that his continuity of service with effect from 1st March,1982, the date of his joining the College as a substitute lecturer in Botany in leave vacancy be maintained as he was appointed on the recommendation of the College Service Commission, and that his date of increment be fixed on the basis of the continuity of his service, and that his period of probation be counted from the date of his joining the substantive post.

18. Application of Dr.Anupam Barkar, who was granted extension of his service as a substitute lecturer in Chemistry in place of Shri R.Mukherjee, seeking extension now as a substitute for Shri Debaprosad Bhattacharya :-

The Principal reported that substitute teacher for Shri Debaprosad Bhattacharya has not yet been recommended by the College Service Commission, and that it will be extremely difficult to run

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the classes with effect from 1st August, 1982 unless some substitute teacher is available in place of Shri Debaprosad Bhattacharya.

Decided to offer appointment to Dr. Anupam Sarkar on a purely temporary basis with effect from 1st August, 1982 till a substitute teacher is recommended by the College Service Commission.

19. Application signed by Shri A.K.Das, Shri A.K.Pal, and Shri B. Goswami -- all belonging to the non-teaching staff -- for concession in tuition fees to their wards :-

The applicants intheir application have pointed out that they belong to Class IV staff of the College, and they find it difficult to bear the expenses of education of their wards in the College.

Decision : In view of the Govt. rule none having an income above Rs.500/- per month will be entitled to concession in tuition fees for his wards, the Council regrets inability to accept their request.

20. Charter of Demand from the Employees' Association of the College :-

a) Implementation of Promotion Policy of the University for the employees in the College :-

Deferred.

b) i) Payment of remuneration for Exam.Work :-

Deferred.

ii) Preparation of Exam.Budget and allotment of Exam.duty in consultation with the Secretary of the Employees' Association :-

Deferred.

iii) Exam.Work -- its nature -- voluntary or compulsory :-

The matter was discussed. It was noted that the University Examination work was a part of duty for all employees -- Teaching and Non-Teaching. The Principal is authorised to issue necessary administrative orders in this behalf.

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20.(c) Difficulties faced by the employees in connexion with (i) Question Papers (ii) Holding of Exams -- Need of timely submission of question papers and marks :-

The Principal explained the difficulties pointed out by the employees.

Decision : Decided to refer the matter to the Secretary, Teachers' Council for a discussion of the subject and for necessary action in the matter.

(d) Protest against allotment of invigilation duty to employees :-

It was noted that it was not a fact that members of the non-teaching staff are allotted invigilation duty excepting the Librarian and the Asstt.Librarian who generally enjoy equivalent status of teachers.

(e) Increase in the number of employees in both sections :-

In view of heavy reduction in the budget, the Council regrets inability to think in terms of increasing the number of employees.

(f) Extension of University Scale of pay to the employees appointed up to 1982 as the same has been done in the case of two lecturers :-

It was noted that the cases cited were not parallel cases, and the circumstances and conditions of appointment were completely different.

(g) Concession in tuition fees for wards of the employees :-

The Council regrets inability in view of Govt. rule.

(h) Triple Benefit Scheme :-

The matter is under consideration.

21. Application of Shri Bipul Behari De, a part-time bearer for Prof.Mess Hons.classes on a fixed monthly allowance of Rs.60/-? praying for sanction of Day-Wage instead of fixed part-time allowance :-

The Council regrets inability to grant his prayer.

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23. A request from the General Secy., Bengal Library Association, for deputing at least two Library Professionals to the Conference. A certificate from B.L.A. re : participation of Shri S.K. Ghosh, Librarian in the Conference. A leaflet issued by B.L.A. re : Conference :-

The Principal reported that Shri S.K.Ghosh, Librarian, attended the Conference as per request of the General Secretary of the B.L.A., and Shri Ghosh produced necessary papers in this behalf.

Decision : Necessary Govt. rules in this behalf be put up and examined in the next meeting.

24. U.G.C. Circular No.F.2-6/80(CP), dated 18 JAN,1982 re : employment of the blind persons for recaning of chairs :-

Contents noted.

25. Application of Shri C.R.Acharya, Head of the Deptt. of Physics, re : appointment of a Store-Keeper for the Deptt. of Physics :-

Deferred.

26. Copy of a letter addressed to the Registrar, N.B.U., by the Principal, Darjeeling Govt. College, re : admission to M.Sc. Course in Botany/Zoology :-

The letter was placed before the meeting. Contents of the letter were noted.

27. Letter from the Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U., re : Non-teaching Staff Pattern :-

Contents were noted.

28. P.F.Loan -- Applications of -

a) Shri D.Ghosh Roy, Lecturer in Economics : For Rs.9300/-
b) Shri S.Deb Mallick, Head of the Deptt. of Zoology. : For Rs.8100/-
c) Shri P.K.Sarkar, Sr.Lecturer in Bengali. : For Rs.8100/-
d) Shri N.N.P.Singh, Lecturer in Chemistry : For Rs.2160/-
e) Shri K.K.Ghosh, Lecturer in Political Science. : For Rs.9100/-
f) Shri B.K.Sanyal, Lecturer in Mathematics : For Rs.6440/-
g) Shri S.K.Sarkar, Lecturer in Philosophy : For Rs.7200/-

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27. P.F.Loan : Applications of -

h) Shri D.N.Bhattacharya, Lecturer in Economics. : For Rs.5000/-
i) Shri S.K.Majumder, Lecturer in Bengali: For Rs.9000/-
j) Md.Osman Ghani, Lecturer in Chemistry & Departmental In-Charge: For Rs.8000/-
k) Shri S.Sengupta, L.D.Clerk. : For Rs.4000/-
l) Shri A.R.Mandal, Lab.Asstt.cum Store-Keeper: For Rs.3600/-
m) Shri D.K.Choudhury, Lab.Bearer : For Rs.1000/-
n) Shri G.Karmakar, Lab.Bearer. : For Rs.1900/-
o) Shri Kul Bahadur, Night Guard cum Bearer: For Rs.2200/-

Decided to approve of the action of the Principal in granting loan from the Provident Fund to the above applicants as per rules.

28. Leave Cases :-

a) Application of Shrimati Jayasree Sengupta, M.A., Lecturer in Philosophy, furnishing details of her absence from from 5.1.82 to 22.1.82 :-

Decision : Further details explaining her absence from 5.1.82 to 22.1.82 be placed in the next meeting.

29. Letter from the Acting Head of the Deptt. of Botany re : release of Advance for Departmental work and appointment of an Attendant having proficience in maintaining a botanical garden :-

Decided that an amount of Rs.100/- be paid in advance, and on adjustment of the amount further advance of the same amount may be made.

ADDITIONAL AGENDA

30. Non-adjustment of money taken as advance for publication of College Magazine for session 1979-80 -- Case of Sardar Zaheerul Hoque, Student-Editor :-

Deferred.

31. Application of Shri Amitava Ghosh,Day-Wage Sub-Assistant Engineer,Raiganj College(University College),praying for regularisation of his service or for sanction of day-wage rate of Rs.18.85 instead of his present day-wage rate(Rs.13.24) as per Govt.Circulars and Govt.rate :-

Decision : Case for the creation of the post of a Work-Assistant by the N.B.U.Council be followed up.

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32. Letter of Shri B.Choudhury,Head of the Deptt. of Commerce,re: introduction of Economic Geography in Plus 2 Course Commerce from 1982-83 session, and appointment of one more part-time teacher for the subject :-

The Principal explained that the 4th subject in Commerce is necessary as the marks obtained in the subject help the students in securing higher division.

Decided that an additional part-time teacher for Plus 2 Course purely on a temporary basis be appointed for the introduction of the subject, Economic Geography, at the Plus 2 Course stage.

33. Settlement of Pension and Gratuity of Prof.J.N.Majumder Copy of a letter of Mrs.Sachi Majumder addressed to the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Govt. of West Bengal.

The letter was placed before the meeting.

Decision : The Council appeals to the Vice-Chancellor to take up the matter with the Govt. for early settlement.

34. Application of Shri S.Deb Mallick, Head of the Deptt. of Zoology, requesting T.A./D.A. for his participation and reading papers in the 70th Session of the Indian Science Congress to be held in Tirupati from Jany.3 to 8, 1983 :-

The application of Shri S.Deb Mallick was placed before the meeting.

Decision : It was decided that the matter would be considered as and when his papers were accepted.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- S.N.Roy,
Secretary,
College Council
Raiganj College
(University College)
&
Principal,
Raiganj College
(University College).

Sd/- S.N.Sen
PRESIDENT,
College Council,
Raiganj College
(University College)
&
Vice-Chancellor,
University of North Bengal.

Annexure - IV

XXXIV MEETING OF
N.B.U. LAW COLLEGE COUNCIL
RAJA RAMMOHUNPUR, DARJEELING

Date : 11. 5.1982.

Proceedings of the Meeting of the North Bengal University Law College Council held at the office of the Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University.

Members Present :

1) Dr. S.N. Sen, Acting Vice-Chancellor (in the Chair)
2) Sri N.K. Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri.
3) Sri S.R. Sarkar, Advocate, Siliguri.
4) Sri S.N. Bhattacharyya, Advocate, Siliguri,
5) Sri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer, North Bengal University.
6) T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College.

Sri B.K. Bajpai, Registrar, North Bengal University, Dr. A.B. Majumder, Inspector of Colleges, North Bengal University. and Sri R.K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar, North Bengal University, attended the meeting as special invitees.

Minutes of the meeting

Item No. 1. To consider the Report of Inspection of the College by the Bar Council of India.

Decision - The council took note of the inspection report of the Bar Council of India concerning its inspection of N.B.U. Law College on 26. 9. 81 and expressed its satisfaction and overall appreciation and following decisions were taken, inter alia :

i) As to Law journals

Decided that the undermentioned Law Journals be subscribed with immediate effect :

(a) Bar Council of India Journal
(b) Journal of Indian Law Institute
(c) Indian Journal of International Law
(d) Supreme Court cases.

ii) As to Library grant

Decided that a yearly library grant of Rs. 25000/- be given to the Law College by the University.

iii) As to Class Rooms

Decided that the University should provide at least 3 more Class rooms in view of the present strength of the students.

iv) As to honorarium to Part-time teachers

Decided that the existing practice be followed. This report be sent to the University Council alongwith a copy of the inspection report.

Item No. 2. To consider matters relating to admission of students into Preliminary Law Class during the session 1982-83. (a) Draft advertisement (b) Admission Form (c) Constitution of adcission Committee (d) Guide lines for admission and its procedure.

Decision - The council decided that the draft advertisement and admission form be prepared in consultation with the Registrar. As regards the Admission Committee, it is constituted with the following persons :

1) Sri N.K. Moitra (Chairman)
2) Sri S.R. Sarkar
3) Sri S.N. Bhattacharyya
4) Sri G.C. Roy
5) Sri R.K. Ghosh
6) Sri Imtiaj Ahmed
7) Sri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge.

Regarding the guidelines for admission into LL.B (Prel. Yr.), preference should be given to the graduats of this University with 40% of Marks at the minimum, relaxable by 5% in case of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes

candidates. 20% seats will be reserved for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes candidates.
Confirmed for immediate action.

Item No. 3. To consider representation from students Association regarding amendament of rules relating to University Examinations in Law.

Decision - Decided that the matter concerning the number of questions of Law Examinations be referred to the Board of Studies in Law for consideration.

Item No. 4. To approve the appointment on regular basis of Shri Bachchu Chandra Dey with effect from 1.4.'82 and also revision of scale of pay on the basis of DPI's letter No. 280-C/NGC, dated, 4-3-1982.

Decision - The council noted and approved the appointment of Shri Bachchu De as a peon on regular basis with effect from 1. 4. '82 and implementation of revised pay scale in his case on the basis of DPI's letter No. 280-C/NGC, dated, 4-3-1982.

Item No. 5. To consider the question of revision of scales of pay of advertised posts and of advertising the post of Clerk-cum-Typist.

Decision - The matter was deferred.

Item No. 6. To consider the question of increase of pay of part-time staff.

Decision - The Council considered the matter but regretted its inability to increase the pay.

Item No. 7 To consider the question of creation of following posts :-

(a) One full-time Coupon seller
(b) One full-time Library attendant
(c) Two full-time peons

Decision - The Council considered the question of a full-time post of Coupon seller and decided that full-time post is not desirable. As regards other full-time posts of Library attendant and peons, the matter was deferred.

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Item No. 8. To consider the matter relating to opening of C.P.F. a/c in the SBI, N.B.U. Campus Branch in the name of Shri T.P. Mishra.

Decision - The Council considered the matter and decided that the Finance Officer be consulted for the necessary arrangement.

Item No. 9. To approve the expenditure made for :

(a)	Purchase of books	Rs. 9,911=12 dt. 25. 3.'82
(b)	" " one bicycle	Rs. 675=95 dt. 2. 2. '82
(c)	" " 50 desks	Rs. 2,900=00 dt. 6. 3. '82
(d)	" " 50 armless chairs	Rs. 2150=00 Paid on 20.4.'82.

Decision - The Council noted and approved the expenditure for the above mentioned items.

Item No.10. To compose selection committee in respect of the following posts :

(1) Librarian
(2) Head Clerk-cum-Cashier
(3) Clerk-cum-Accountant
(4) Peon

Decision - The Council considered the matter and selection committies were formed.

Confirmed for immediate action.

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Item No. 11. To approve the students' Cheap Canteen accounts for 1980-81 and 1981-82.

Decision - Deferred.

Item No. 12. To consider leave applications of the office Staff.

Decision - The Council decided that leave applications be considered asper leave rules.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair and all others.

Sd/-
(T.P. Mishra)
Secretary,
N.B.U. Law College Council.

Sd/-
(Dr. S.N. Sen)
Chairman & Acting
Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University.

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE
P.O. NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY
RAJA RAMMOHUNPUR, DIST. DARJEELING.

Ref. No. LC/B-2/ 632 /82 Dated 25. 8. 1982

To
The Registrar,
North Bengal University.

Sir,

I am appending below some extracts from the minutes of the College Council Meeting held on 10.8. '82 for favour of placing them before the University Council for kind approval :

" Agenda Item No. 2 : To approve the proceedings of the meeting of the Purchase Committee, N.B.U. Law College held on 10. 5. '82. Annexure II

Decision : The Council approved the proceedings of the Purchase Committee and confirmed for immediate action.

Item No. 4. : To consider the application of Sri H.P. Sarkar, Office Superintendent for extension of his tenure and also to approve the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in the matter.

Decision : The Council approved the extension of appointment of Sri H.P. Sarkar as made by the Vice - Chancellor and further extended his services upto 30. 11. '82 at the existing terms and condition. Confirmed for immediate action.

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Item No. 8. To consider the resignation tendered by Sri Sudhir Ranjan Das, Part-time Library Attendant and to Suggest measure for early filling up of this vacancy.

Decision : Resignation of Sri Sudhir Ranjan Das, Part-time Library attendent is accepted with immediate effect and on the suggestion of the Lecturer-in-Charge it was decided that Sri Himansu, the next person in the panel of selected Part-time peons, be appointed against the vacancy on temporary basis till 15. 10. 1982. Confirmed for immediate action.

Item No. 10. (iii): The case of regularising the services of some Part-time teachers in Law working for above six years.

Decision : The Council noted that some Part-time teachers have completed 6 years as Part-time teacher at N.B.U. Law College. As a Part-time teachem in Law may not be allowed to continue for a period of more than six years as per U.G.C. Memo No. F. 5-8/77(HR) N.B.U./Law/4707.R/78, dated 3.10. '78, the matter of regularising the services of the following 6 teachers be referred to the N.B.U. Council :

1) Sri G.C. Roy
2) Sri N.K. Moitra
3) Sri S.N. Bhattacharyya
4) Sri S.R. Sarkar
5) Sri B.K. Saha
6) Sri D.C. Roy

Confirmed for immediate action

Item No. 10. (IV) : As to the representation of the students Union.

Decision : Council noted the representation and resolved that the matter be referred to the N.B.U. Council. Confirmed. "

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Five copies of proceedings of the Purchase Committee Meeting as mentioned above under agenda item No. 2 and the representation of the students' Association (in original) as mentioned above under agenda item No. 10 (IV) are enclosed for the needful.

Again, I would like to pointout to your good self that immediate decision on some of the items such as item Nos. , 10. (iii) and 10. (iv) of the agenda is vital and desirable in the interest of the College.

Hence a request for immediate action.

Sd/- T.P. Mishra

Lecturer-in-Charge
N.B.U. Law College.

Annexure II

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE
RAJA RAMMOHUNPUR
P.O. NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY
DIST. DARJEELING

Law college

Proceedings of the meeting of North Bengal University Law College Purchase Committee held on 10. 5. 1982 at 6 P.M. at the office of the Lecturer-in-Charge.

Members present :-

1. Shri N.K. Moitra, Advocate, Siliguri, in the Chair.
2. Shri R.K. Ghosh
3. Shri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer, North Bengal University.
4. Shri T.P. Mishra, Lecturer-in-Charge, N.B.U. Law College.

Minutes of the meeting

Item No. 1. To consider the proposal of purchase of Steel Almirahs for offices at price quoted by dealers.

Decision - It was decided that 4 Steel almirahs 2 with 4 shelves and Two almirahs with 4 shelfs & one locker each be purchased from Steel Craft or any other reputed firm of Siliguri within Rs. 1250/- in case of locker and Rs. 1200/- without locker on negotiation to be made by the Lecturer-in-Charge.

Item No. 2. To consider the purchase of Iron Safe for the office at a price quoted by the dealers.

Decision - Decided that an Iron Safe be purchased on negotiation from Steel Craft or any reputed firm of Siliguri within Rs. 2400/-

Item No. 3. To consider the proposal of purchase of a Secretary table for the use of the Lecturer-in-Charge at a price quoted by the dealers.

Decision - Decided that a Secretariat table be purchased within Rs. 800/- on negotiation from Steel Craft or any other firm.

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Item No. 4. To consider the question of purchase of a Type-writer on the basis of the quotations received.

Decision - Decided that a Remington Type-writer be purchased as per the quotation of Basanti Stores, Siliguri for Rs. 6000=60.

Item No. 5. To consider the purchase 50 set of chairs and tables for students.

Decision - Decided that 50 sets of chairs (armless) and desks be purchased at University approved rates.

Item No. 6. To consider the purchase of a Cash Counter.

Decision - Decided that one Cash Counter with two windows (per specification - Annex - 1) be purchased on negotiation basis from a Carpenter within Rs. 3000/- approximately.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Lecturer-in-Charge
N.B.U. Law College

Chairman

NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY LAW COLLEGE STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION

Dated. 6.5.'82

RAJA RAMMOHUNPUR, P.O. NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY, DIST. DARJEELING. (W/B)

To
The hon'ble Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University,
Darjeeling.

Through the Lecturer-in-Charge
N.B.U. Law College

Respected Sir,

I, on behalf of the N.B.U. Law College Students' Union, beg to draw your kind attention about the following long problems of our College. Sir, formally we have made deputation to you, but still now it is as before Sir, the following are our urgent demands :-

1) 5 Posts of teaching staffs have been sanctioned. One Prinoipal, one reader, three lecturers. Two leeturers have been appointed. The rest vaeant posts should be fulfilled before the 1982-83 session starts.

2) One post of professor is very much needed to bring our College at per with University College of Law at Calcutta and Burdwan University.

3) Faculty in Law should be created like Calcutta and Bardwan Universities hawing LL.B. Course only

4) All the adminfstrative posts should be filled up and one full time post of hostel clerk and one full time post of Coupon-sellor should be sanctioned immediately;

5) Mess staff should be expanded in view of the boarders of the Law College hostel.

6) All the rooms of the hostel building should be provided for accomadation be provided for accomedation before the thc new session starts.

7) More fund should be sanctioned for purchasing utensils and furnitures forthe boarders of the hostel.

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8) Three more Class-rooms should be provided as because there are more than one hundred students in each Class. All the P.G. Departments are closed at the time when Law Classes start. So, this arrangement can easily be made. Seperate Ladies hostel must be provided.

9) Law College should be recognised as a post graduate department, as hon'ble Calcutta High Court has held that LL.B. is a post graduate course and a P.G. degree as well (Ram Varose Khasnabis Vs. State of West Bengal, A.I.R. 1981, Calcutta, October issue).

Having submitted as above, I request and hope that, all the demands must be fulfilled immediately before the next session starts in July '82. I believe that all the demands of the Students Association are reasonable and practicable. Non-fulfilment of which will force us to go for movement.

Thanking you, in anticipation.

Your's faithfully
Sd/ Tapan Kr. Das
President
N.B.U.L.C. Student's Association.

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1.Copy to V.C.
2.Copy to Lecturer-in-Charge

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR OF COLLEGES
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Annexure-VII

Ref.No. /1/Insp-82 Dt.17 Aug'82

To
The Vice-Chancellor.
North Bengal University.

Sub: Darjeeling Govt. College: Inspection Report on Geography Department.

Sir,

On representation from the two existing teachers of Darjeeling Govt. College about the poor conditions of the Department under which they are obliged to teach, the Vice-Chancellor requested the Inspector of Colleges to make an inspection of the college at the earliest. On 6 August, 1982 the Inspector of Colleges accompanied by the Head of the Department of Geography visited the Geography Department of Darjeeling Govt. College. The Inspector of Colleges also took Sri J.N. Chakraborty, Head of the Department of Commerce to check up Commerce teaching of the College in apprehension of like difficulties in teaching of that subject. It may be noted that the University had granted the college affiliation at the Honours level in both Geography and Commerce from session 1979-80.

With regard to the conditions of affiliation granted in commerce the college was found to be still deficient in the number of teachers recommended. Out of four teaching posts only two were sanctioned by the Government; Of these two, again, one has not been filled up so far. It was learnt from the Principal that it was due to these circumstances that the college had not ventured to introduce Honours teaching inspite of affiliation having been granted by the University. Teaching is being done at the degree pass level with the help of one full-time and ten part-time teachers; nor was the Library able to get an adequate stock of books on Commerce subjects. Again, a substantial position of this stock were useful more for the students of the Higher Secondary stream than for the degree students. Under the circumstances, it is to be reconsidered if the affiliation granted in Commerce at the Honours level should be treated as valid.

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As regards teaching in Geography, both Pass & Honours, the inspecting team at the time of recommending for grant of affiliation in the subject also laid down certain conditions keeping in view proper teaching of the subject. But during present inspection it was found that the college could not fulfil most of those conditions of affiliatons.

The College has to provide accommodation for class-rooms for the degree pass and Honours students besides those of the plus Two. As such only two available for class and laboratories are absolutely inadequate for proper teaching in the subject. Further, in place of 6 teachers required and recommended upto 1981-82 the College could arrange for only 2 teachers uptil now. Moreover, it was surprising to note that no post of Laboratory Attendant has been sanctioned by the Government so far. The inspecting team wondered how did the college did justice to the students at all. The Departmental teachers informed that due to shortage of space and staff they, much against their conscience, were obliged to take combined pass and honours classes and combined theoretical and practical classes.

On scrutiny of the time-table for classes it was found that the departmental teachers were constrained to take classes from 9-45 A.M. to 5-00 P.M. every day; and even upto 6-30 P.M. on some days. Keeping in view the requirement of students of the various courses, 190 classes were alloted in the routine. But these were being taken by the two teachers in the department by combining as many classes as possible and at the same time leaving out quite a large number of them. Nothing could be more unsatisfactory than this method of teaching. On the contrary, the two teachers in the department could not evolve any other better method. Thus the prevailing condition in the department has made the teachers frustrated and unhappy, and also given scope to the students to misunderstand their teachers who - for no fault of theirs, are obliged to drop classes already shown in the class-routine. Inspite of everything the teachers are each taking 29 classes per week, but that is too much.

As a way out of this anomalous position, certain measures were suggested to the Principal of the College by the inspecting team, which he agreed to accept. The new building that is nearing completion might be given to the Geography Department for suitably accommodating all theoretical and practical classes. To add to the teachers' strength and to avoid combined classes or dropping of classes, the total teaching-load as per requirements should be impressed upon the Government and the additional number of teaching posts, atleast six should be sought for. The Principal informing that the Government was already apprised of it, the inspecting team felt that if the affiliating university moved the Government in this matter, the Government sanction might be expedited. Similarly, for the equipments of the laboratories, and creation of required non-teaching posts for the Geography Department the Government might be requested to re-arrange and equip this department as per standard of the same departments in other Government Colleges.

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It was understood that the college had already submitted its plan and estimate for the departmental laboratories and library to the Government. The North Bengal University might kindly consider to request the Government for expediting its sanction for the needs of the department of Geography in Darjeeling Govt. College; Otherwise, the manner in which the subject is being taught at the Honours level in that college can hardly be justified. It was at the request of the Government that the University granted affiliation in Commerce and Geography to that College, and so it is the duty of the Government to see that satisfactory conditions of teaching the subjects are ensured.

(Report of Dr. S.R. Bose Head of the Geography Deptt. is enclosed herewith)

Sd/-
(Sri J.N. Chakraborty)
Reader, Head of the
Commerce Deptt. N.B.U.

Sd/-
(Dr. S. Basu)
Reader, Head of the
Geography Deptt.
N.B.U.

Sd/-
(Dr. A.B. Majumder)
Inspector of Colleges, N.B.U.

Memo. No. 160/1/Insp-82 Dt. 24.8.82

Copy forwarded to the Registrar for his kind information and necessary action.

Sd/-
A.B. Majumder
Inspector of Colleges
N. B. U.

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HEAD OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY AND APPLIED GEOGRAPHY
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Geo-77/82 Dt. 16.8.1982

To
Professor A.B. Majumder.
Inspector of Colleges,
University of North Bengal.

Sub: Affiliation of Darjeeling Govt. College in Geography Pass & Honours.

Dear Professor Majumder,

Thank you for afranging an inspection to the Geography Department , Darjeeling Govt. College, Darjeeling 6.8.1982.

With reference to Registrar, NBU's letter No.201/1-61/2285/R-79, dated 7.6.1979, I think, you will remember that a minimum of six teachers and six laboratory attendants (two each for 1979-80, 80-81 and 81-82) together with 4 rooms for 4 batches(for First year Pass & Hons., and second year pass & Honours) and suitable grants for books, maps, instruments etc. were recommended by our University Council to open up pass & Hons. courses in geography at Darjeeling Govt. College, Darjeeling in 1979. But unfortunately, since then nothing but two posts of teachers have only been sanctioned by the Govt. of West Bengal and these two teachers of the department of geography at Darjeeling Govt. College have been toiling from dawn to dusk, taking more then 60 classes each, to run the department. As the Govt. has not yet sanctioned grants for purchasing books, instruments, furniture etc., the department is at the mercy of the Principal, who is very kind enough to arrange somehow a meagre fund for the day to day running of the department. As for space, the four classes have been sandwitched in two very small rooms in which cautious movement is needed to save oneself from being hurt.

Under such circumstances, I recommended the following steps to be taken immediately to save the entity of the Geography Department, Darjeeling Govt. College, Darjeeling:

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1) Considering the teaching load of a minimum of 190 periods(details enclosed) for 8 batch of students (H.S.-2, Pass-2, Hons.-3, Commerce-1=8) 6 more full-time teaching posts are recommended. The Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal be requested to take immediate step to sanction such posts.

2) For maintaining the maps, charts, instruments, etc. and assisting the students in the laboratories and also in the field 3 laboratory assistants; 1 Photographer and 1 Photographic assistant and for drawing maps, figures etc., 1 Draftsman -cum-Artist are recommended. The Education Deptt. Govt. of West Bengal should be requested to take immediate step to sanction the above 6 posts of Laboratory assistants.

3) Considering the acute shortage of space the entire newly constructed library building having a space of 3260 sq.ft. be alloted to the Department of Geography (plan enclosed) in liew of its existing space.

4) The following developmental grants may be sanctioned annually for the smooth running of the department.

a) Book-grant	Rs.20,000=00
b) Instruments, maps, etc.	Rs.20,000=00
c) Field work	Rs. 5,000=00
d) Contingency	Rs. 5,000=00
Total	Rs.50,000=00

In fine, considering the seriousness of the problem, I do hereby, request you to move the appropriate body, without further delay, to sanction the above requirements, failing which we should reconsider the case of affiliation to the Department of Geography, Darjeeling Govt. College, Where day to day Geography teaching has been somehow pursued without having a proper academic atmosphere.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-
Subhas Ranjan Basu
(S.R. Basu)16.8.1982
Head of the Department of
Geography & Applied
Geography, N.B.U.

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Inspector of Colleges
University of North Bengal

Annexure-VIII

To
The Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University.

Sub: UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE (EVENING SECTION): HONOURS AFFILIATION.

Sir,

In terms of a decision of the college Council, University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar to examine the opening of Honours teaching in various subject in the Evening Section of the College an inspection team visited the College on 10 August, 1982 under your instructions. This team consisted of besides Inspector of Colleges Dr. A.Banerjee, Reader-Head of the Department of English, N.B.U., Dr. S.C.Lahiri, Reader-Head of the Department of Bengali, N.B.U., Sri K.S. Bhattacharyya, Reader in Political Science, N.B.U., Dr. P.Bhattacharyya, Prof. & Head of the Deptt. of History, N.B.U. and Sri D.P.Pandey, Reader in Commerce, N.B.U.

Although this was a University College, still no attempts have been made so far to introduce Honours teaching in any subject at the degree level. The reasons were that the college did not possess its own building, it possessed a suitable plot of land in the heart of the town through. Classes are held in a hired building belonging to the Government. Moreover, two different courses, the B.Ed. and the under-graduate, are run in the same building; the former during day, the latter in the evening. Naturally, full justice to the pupils of the Honours courses would not have been possible within those few hours in the evening. However, the college building has eight class-rooms adequately large, that, in case of necessity, may be partitioned so as to give additional two/three rooms. Should the authorities seriously think of granting Honours affiliation in some subjects, there is scope for erecting some cubicles on open terrace on the first floor now lying unused. Even some un-utilised rooms of the adjacent polytechnic buildings can be used for the purpose of additional classes. The Officer-in-Charge of University B.T. & Evening College pointed out that such facilities were extended by the polytechnic in the past and that the college could count on the same in future also. So, dearth of class-rooms did not pose any serious problem at the moment; the College, however, from the next year should make suitable extension of rooms for holding additional classes, for Honours subjects.

Regarding the teachers' strength in the subjects in which college sought Honours the inspecting team got the following information:

English	: 3	Full-timer teachers	
Bengali	: 2	"	+ 1 part-timer
Pol.Science	: 2	"	
Commerce	: 2	"	+ 4 part-timers
History	: 1	"	+ 2 "

(Two sanctioned posts lying vacant)

While considering the question of Honours teaching in English in the college from session 1982-83 the expart in the team eleborately discussed with the teachers in the subject, checked up the books in the library and expressed the hope that the English department of the College would be able to do justice to the students enrolled for Honours. Three hundred titles in the subject at present were found to be very selective and useful for the Honours course. It was also expected that after affiliation was granted, the college authorities would further enrich the

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present stock of books and journals necessary for the course of study. At the end of three years' Honours teaching in the college, the whole matter might be reviewed for further suggestions.

With regard to granting of Honours affiliation in Bengali the team was of opinion that Honours teaching might be started from the current session itself. There was no need for immediate appointment of teachers, nor for purchasing of books and journals. Rather the College, from the next session, think of appointing additional teachers in the subject, one in 1983-84, and another in 1984-85 and at the same time allocate funds for additional titles specially for the Honours students.

Also, the inspection team considered the matter of granting Honours affiliation in Pol.Science from the current session. The two teachers of this department can take care of the Honours classes in the first year; but it is essential that two additional teachers are appointed, one in 1983-84 session, and the other, in 1984-85 having specialisation in Sociology. The number of books in this subject being very inadequate, it is proposed to sanction ten thousand rupees staggered over five years from the current session. Regarding accommodation for class rooms the Teachers' Council took decision for starting classes from 3-15 p.m. and continue upto 9-30 p.m. The decision is appreciated by the inspecting team. However, since the college prayed for Honours affiliation in a few other subjects also the question of class-rooms should be given utmost consideration atleast from the next year. The team was convinced that the college authorities would be able to find additional accommodation by improvising spare rooms on the first floor of the College building. Subject to the fulfilment of these conditions the team proposed for the grant of Honours affiliation in Political Science.

With regard to granting of Honours affiliation in Commerce the inspecting team, took note of the interest of the students in the subject. From the students' side this new course is a necessity in the College. However, the question of accommodation is also involved in it. Should the college provide a class-room during day for the first year, and two additional rooms in the next two years, the accommodation problem would be solved. But the college must adds to the existing stock of books and journals in Commerce, and sanction Rs. 3,500/- in the first year, Rs. 500/- in the second year and again Rs. 3,500/- in the third year. Similarly, two more teaching posts should be created and filled up one at the end of the first year, and the other, in the second year. Their qualifications should conform with the subject in which Honours would be granted. Subject to these conditions the team recommended for granting Honours affiliation in Banking.

Coming to consider the question of recommending Honours affiliation in History, the team felt that initially there would be no dearth of accommodation but that in college would have to provide for it in the next two sessions. The team particularly notice that two sanctioned posts of teachers were yet lying vacant; but to introduce Honours affiliation these posts should be immediately filled up; So that the existing part-timers along with those two full-time teachers would be able to do justice to the Honours students. Hitherto, the College has failed to improve the quality and number of books on History in the Library. To introduce Honours teaching the college will have to spend an amount of Rs. 3,000/- to Rs. 4,000/- for books and journals considered essential for both the teachers and the students. Subject to the fulfilment of the above affiliation in History Honours is recommended.

Opinions of the Experts are enclosed here.

Encl: Copy of the report
of the Experts.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- A.B.Majumdar
Inspector of Colleges, NBU

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A REPORT ON THE FEASIBILITY OF OPENING THE ENGLISH HONOURS COURSE AT UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE (EVENING SECTION) COOCH BEHAR.

The undersigned as a member of the University Inspection Team inspected the above college on 10 August, 1982 and reports as follows:-

The English Department at the University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) consists of three full-time teachers, all young and enthusiastic. The English Department thus has a distinct advantage over some of the other Departments that have been asking for Honours affiliation, in that the former will require no additional teachers for the purpose, while most of the other Department will. The library facilities cannot be described as adequate but an honest effort is being made in that direction. The English Section of the College Library contains some three hundred volumes. Some of them of an advanced critical nature. Some essential dictionaries and referene books like the Shorter Oxford dictionary (2 vols.) and the Oxford Companion to English Literature have been acquired.

The Inspection Team felt that although the number of class-rooms may be adequate at this moment, in the second and third year of Honours affiliation, there may be a dearth of Class-rooms. But the Principal, Sri Jatin Ganguly, and some members of his staff pointed out that this could be obviated by a loan of some class rooms on the ground floor of the adjoining Polytechnic - a facility that the Evening College has enjoyed in the past and may count on in future. The College also intends to erect some cubicles on the open terrace (on the first floor) now lying unused. The class room problem thus does not seem impossible to solve. Since the English Honours Course has the first three papers in common with Elective English at a pinch, the two classes could be combined for those papers if there were a dearth of class rooms.

It seems, therefore, that Honours affiliation in English may be granted to the University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) on an experimental basis for three years at the end of which the situation may be reviewed.

Sd/- A.Banerjee
Reader & Head of the Deptt. of English
North Bengal University

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INSPECTION REPORT ON THE FEASIBILITY OF OPENING THE BENGALI HONOURS AT UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE, COOCH BEHAR.

REPORT SUBMITTED by Dr. S.C.Lahiri,
Head of the Department of Bengali, N.B.U.

I had the opportunity to accompany as a member of the N.B.U. Inspection Team proceeded to the University B.T. & Evening College at Cooch Behar on 10.8.1982, to consider about sanctioning affiliation of Honours in Bengali.

The college library, as I found, is having a good number of Bengali text and reference books to start Ist Year Honours in the subject at present. There are two full-time lecturers and one part-time lecturer in the college which I think, may fulfil the preliminary need for the purpose. The teachers are sufficiently qualified in this respect. The college assures necessary space (class room etc.,) for the same.

Considering all these I am of opinion that the college may be granted affiliation of honours in Bengali from this session.

Sd/- S.C.Lahiri
Head of the Department of Bengali
North Bengal University.

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Report of Shri D.P.Pandey, Reader, Commerce Deptt. N.B.U.

REPORT ON INSPECTION COOCH BEHAR B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE.

Date of Inspection - 10th August, 1982

1. ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE:

		1979-80	1980-81	1981-82
B.Com. (Pass)	Appeared	64	24	33
	Succeed	61(95.5%)	22(91.6%)	23(69.7%)
H.S.	Appeared			135
	Succeed			16(11.8%)
				II Div. - 5
				P Div. - 11

2. LECTURES DELIVERED: B.Com. 1st Year 1981-82
(From 18.9.1981 to 14.5.1982)

Commercial Math.	25	(9.6%)
Accountancy	52	(20.1%)
Commercial Law	30	(11.6%)
Econ. Geography	17	(6.5%)
Adv. Accountancy	54	(20.8%)
Business Org.	19	(7.3%)
B.Econ.	24	(9.4%)
Economic Problem	16	(6.2%)
Auditing	22	(8.5%)

3. Students' strength B.Com. (II Year) 1982-83 : 78

4. Existing teaching strength: Two full timer and four part-timer.

5. Accommodation:

8 (Eight) rooms are available in the building for class purposes. In the evening shift not a single-room is available for proposed Honours class. However, 5 (five) rooms may be available in the day time, where only 3 (three) rooms are used for B.T. classes.

6. Books & Periodicals:

Moderate stock of books in the library for commerce (Pass) classes. Not a single periodical is ~~in the~~ Library.

OBSERVATIONS:

A. Academic performance for the last three years is more or less satisfactory but that shows a declining trend from 95.3% in 1979-80 to 69.7% in 1981-82, which should be checked before further deterioration.

B. H.S. performance in 1981-82, 11.8% is really alarming and should be thought of seriously.

C. Total lectures delivered should be atleast 300 during the year. Even in the existing schedule, undue weightage has been given to accounting papers (40.9%) at the cost of other 7 papers, which are not of lesser importance. The class routines should be reframed.

D. Accommodation will not be a serious problem for the time being, if one room is allowed to be used for the proposed B.Com. (Honours) class and routine is framed accordingly in day-time and the existing teachers are agreeable to take classes in that shift.

E. A number of journals akin to B.Com. (Hons.) syllabi must be subscribed for the Library to start with Hons. Course, which may incur an additional cost of Rs. 500/- p.a. More number of copies of the existing titles should be purchased with, say Rs. 3,000/-.

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RECOMMENDATION:

As there is no college in Cooch Behar where B.Com. Honours teaching is going on, Dinhata College (with B.Com. Honours) is the nearest college, about 24 k.m. afar, for the interest of the students, desirous of having Hons. Course, it may be recommended to open B.Com. (Hons.) preferably in Banking, Provided (i) Rs. 3,500/- is available for the Library in the first year, Rs. 500/- in the second year and Rs. 3,500/- (including additional titles for the new subjects introduced in the 3rd year Hons. Course); (ii) One room is effectively utilised in day time; subsequently further two rooms are arranged for the 2nd year and 3rd year classes; (iii) At the end of first year, one additional teacher and at the end of second year another additional teacher is available, the qualifications being in conformity with the subjects on which Hons. is granted.

Sd/- D.P.Pande
Reader in Commerce
North Bengal University

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Report on inspection of University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) Cooch Behar submitted by Sri K.S.Bhattacharyya, Reader, Deptt. of Pol. Science.

In company with the Inspector of College and teachers of other departments of the University, I visited University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section), Cooch Behar on the noon of 10 August, 1982. In course of our enquiries it was found that the Department of Political Science had been in existence in the in the college since its inception. There have been two teachers in the Department from that time. One of the two teachers is a Ph.D. though he has not Honours degree to his credit. The other teacher has Honours and Master's Degrees. Hence, their competence to deal with Honours course, it allowed, is beyond question.

As regards students, among the students admitted to the degree course, a very large proportion takes political Science as a combination subject. The percentage of pass is also quite high, as the following figures supplied by the College will show:

RESULT IS POLITICAL SCIENCE

		1979-80	1980-81	1981-82
B.A. Part I	Appeared	146	x	x
	Passed	135		
B.A. Part II	Appeared	94		
	Passed	83		
B.A. Final	Appeared		5	15
	Passed		4	10

TEACHERS

If Honours affiliation is accorded, the Department will need two more teachers, one of them with specialisation in Sociology. Among the existing teachers, none had sociology as a special or compulsory subject at their Master's Degree level. But the number of classes and the subjects of the Part I Honours Course are such that the two existing teachers should be able to cope with them in the first year. One additional teacher should be required in the second year, one more in the third year. The teacher with specialisation in Sociology may be appointed in the second year or atleast before the third year classes begin.

BOOKS

Though the total number of books is quite inadequate, the list of titles on Political Sciences contains a mixture of Pass Course books for students and those for teachers' use only. If Honours is introduced, the latter category may be used by students with Honours. To cater fully to the needs of teachers and students with Honours. To cater fully to the needs of teachers and students the library has to acquire many more books in the subject. A tentative estimate shows that atleast ten thousand rupees should be made available for this purpose. The grant may, however, be staggered over three years in the following manners.

1st year ..... Rs. 2,000=00
2nd year ..... Rs. 4,000=00
3rd year ..... Rs. 4,000=00

In case, there is financial stringency, Rs. 8,000/- for the second and third years may further be staggered over two more years, each year's grant being Rs. 2,000/- as in the first year.

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CLASS ROOMS AND TIME-TABLE

The College is an evening one. The existing time-table is from 4 p.m. to 9-30 p.m. during which time seven periods of 45 minutes each are held. This time-table should allow the college normally to cater both to Honours and Pass Course students, but for the lack of accommodation; the college has only eight class rooms. If Honours is introduced, the dearth of class rooms will be keenly felt. The teachers are, however, very eager to have Honours affiliation. They are reported to have volunteered to start their college work from 3-15 p.m. on each working day. They are expected to send a resolution of their teachers' Council to the Inspector of Colleges indicating their readiness to accept this change in the college time-table. Provided this change is made, in the first year there should not be any difficulty of accommodation. This is not, however, true of succeeding years. The problem is likely to be very acute because the college has applied for Honours affiliation for four other streams, English, Bengali, History & Commerce along with Political Science. If Honours affiliation is accorded to all these subjects simultaneously, there should be the readiness on the part of the college authorities to ensure the availability of atleast five more rooms for class work, which may again be staggered over the second and third years. If this provision is not made, the situation is sure to land the college in serious troubles.

Principal J.Ganguly has shown the empty roof spaces on the first story where improvised arrangement could be made. The feasibility of this and other suggestions for finding more accommodation should be immediately examined.

RECOMMENDATION

Subject to the conditions specified above in regard to teachers, books, accommodation and time-table, I recommended the extension of affiliation in Political Science (Honours) to the College.

Sd/- K.S.Bhattacharyya
Reader in Political Science,N.B.U.

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INSPECTION REPORT OF UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE (EVENING SECTION) FOR INTRODUCTION OF HONOURS COURSE IN HISTORY.

Report submitted by Dr. P.K.Bhattacharyya.

To
The Vice-Chancellor,
University of North Bengal.

Sir,

I am to inform you that I visited the Cooch Behar B.T. & Evening College on the 10th August, 1982 alongwith the other members of the Inspection team for the purpose of examining the proposal for instroduction of Honours Course in History.

In course of our investigation, I collected the following materials from the college authority.

1. No. of students with History as one subjects:

(a)	B.A. 1st year (1981-82)	35
(b)	B.A. 2nd year (1982-83)	35
(c)	XI class (Arts) (1982-83)	50
(d)	XII class (Arts) (1982-83)	90

2. No. of students passed with History:

	Appeared	Passed	
(a) B.A.	18	13	(1980-81)
(b) B.A.	5	5	(1981-82)
(c) XII Arts	70	45	(1981-82)

3. Library

Total number of books in History - 125 (approx.)

4. No. of classes taken in a week at present:

24. If Honours is introduced the total number of classes will be 36 in the first year.

5. Three part-time lecturers. It appears that initially, there is hardly any dearth of accommodation but more accommodation will be required in future. There are two permanent posts in History, but unfortunately there is no permanent staff in the department. The classes are generally run by the part-time teachers, and the principal inspite of his busy schedules has to shoulder heavy responsibility to make up the deficit.

In these circumstances, I believe the appointment of atleast two permanent lecturers is indispensible in addition to the existing part-time teachers for the introduction of Honours course in History. Besides as we have been about there is much scope for improvement of the Library position with immediate effect. The library in fact is badly in need of elementary as well as specialised text books in each paper. This may entail an initial expenditure of atleast Rs. 3,000/- to 4,000/-. It may be mentioned that the books and journals are required not only for students but also for the teachers.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- P.K.Bhattacharyya
Professor & Head of the Deptt. of History
North Bengal University.

Annexure - IX

Extract from the

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

The minutes of 82nd adjourned meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 27th August, 82 at 11.30 A.M. in the Chamber of the Vice-Chancellor.

Present:-

(1) Dr. S. N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor... Chairman.
(2) Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj College, Tufanganj, Cooch-Behar.
(3) Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer... Secretary.

Sri R. K. Ghosh, Dy. Registrar, N.B.U. also attended the meeting as special invitation.

Item-1. To consider the fixation of pay of some Teacher/Staff of the University.

(a) Dr. T. K. Dasgupta, Reader in Chemistry. Last pay drawan as Lecturer Rs. 1250/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1600.

Joined as Reader in the Deptt. of Chemistry on 1.4.82 (F/N) under merit promotion scheme. Pay is to be fixed as per option after allowing one increment in the lower stage in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-50-1300-60-1900.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1300/- D. N.I. on 1.4.83.

(b) Dr. Suvash Ch. Roy, Prof. Deptt. of Chemistry. Last pay drawn as Reader Rs.1780/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900.

Joined as Prof. in the Deptt. of Chemistry on 17.4.82 under merit promotion scheme. Pay is to be fixed as per option after allowing one increment in the lower stage in the scale of pay of Rs. 1500-60-1800-100-2000-125/2-2500.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1900/-. D. N. I on 17.4.83.

(c) Sri Apurba Chatterjee, Asstt. Registrar. Last pay drawn as Secretary to the Vice-Chancellor Rs.1150/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 600-35-670-40-870-45-1050-50-1200.

Joined as Asstt. Registrar on 19.4.82(F/N) pay is to be fixed as per option after allowing one increment in the lower stage in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1200/- D.N.I. on 19.4.83.

(d) Dr. Bani Prasanna Mishra, Reader, Centre for Himalyan Studies. Last pay drawn as Principal at Sapartgram College(Assam).

Basic: Rs.1420.00
Other: Rs. 250.00 1670/-

Joined as Reader, Centre for Himalyan Studies on 30.4.82(F/N). Pay is to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-50-1300-60-1900.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1420/-. D.N.I. on anniversary date in College.

(e) Sri Jeta Sankrityan, Lecturer in Economics.

Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Economics on 2.11.79. Pay is to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 700/-. D.N.I. on 2.11.80

(f) Dr. P. C. Sarkar, Prof. in Economics. Last pay drawn as Reader Rs. 1780/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900.

Joined as Prof. in the Deptt. of Economics on 16.7.82. Pay is to be fixed as per option after allowing one increment in the lower stage in the scale of pay of Rs. 1500-60-1800-100-2000-125/2-2500.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1900/- D.N.I. on 16.7.83.

(g) Dr. Usharanjan Chakraborty, Lecturer in the Deptt. of Philosophy. Last pay drawn at Maharaja Manindra Chandra College, Calcutta.

Basic.	Rs.	1020.00
D.A.	Rs.	607.00
M.A.	Rs.	16.70
H.R.A.	Rs.	148.00 (payable).

Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Philosophy on 16.8.82. Pay is to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-1600.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1020/-. D.N.I. anniversary date in College.

(h) To consider the fixation of pay of Dr. P.K. Chowdhuri, Lecturer in Mathametics, N.B.U.

Dr. Chowdhuri's pay was fixed at Rs. 1150/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1600 with D.N.I. after one year from the date of joining the University as per L.P.C. by the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 30.3.82. The decision was communicated to Dr. Chowdhuri by the Dy. Registrar. In the L.P.C. submitted by Dr. Chowdhuri previously the D.N.I. was not mentioned.

Dr. Chowdhuri had requested in his application along with revised L.P.C. to the By. Registrar for re-fixation of his pay stating that his pay may be fixed at Rs. 1200/- from the date of joining the University otherwise he will lose one increment of Rs. 50/- as his date of next increment falls due on 1.1.83 on basic pay of Rs. 1150/- on 1.1.83.

After discussion, the Committee decided to re-fix his pay at Rs. 1150/- with D.N.I. anniversary date in Collge i.e. 1.1.83.

(i) Sri P. K. Paria, Microanalyst, Deptt. of Chemistry. Last pay drawn at Kishinchand College, Bombay.

Basic.	Rs.	700.00	
D.A.	Rs.	423.50	
C.L.A.	Rs.	42.00	
H.R.A.	Rs.	105.00	1270.50

Joined as Micro-analyst in the Deptt. of Chemistry on 19.4.81. Pay is to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-900-EB-40-1100-50-1300.

Pay fixed at Rs. 740/-. D.N.I. on 19.4.82.

(j) Sri Sabindra Nath Ghosh, Compositor, N.B.U. Press.

Joined as Compositor in the University Press on 13.4.82 (F/N). Pay is to be fixed in the scale of pay of Rs. 400-900.

Pay fixed at Rs. 400/-. D.N.I. on 13.4.83.

Item-2. To consider a Note dated 1.7.82 from the Finance Officer regarding fixation of pay of Sri A.R. Lohar, Jr. Asstt. on his promotion to the post of Sr. Asstt.

While considering the note, the Committee decided that the matter may be placed before the N.B.U. Council for decision.

Item-3. To consider the re-fixation of pay of Sri Swapan Kr. Sengupta, Sr. Scientific Officer.

Sri Sengupta's pay was fixed at Rs. 1100/- in the scale of pay of Rs. 1100-50-1600 as per L.P.C. submitted by him from his previous employer by the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 13.1.82. Sri Sengupta joined the post on 16.7.82. He has stated in his application dated 5.8.82 that he is getting lesser pay than he drew from his previous employer. Previously his pay was protected but some discrepency arose due to resent announcement of D.A. for the Teaching staff. There are some difference in D.A. rates between Teachers & Officers.

Since Sr. Scientific Officer is declared as Officer, the Officers are getting lesser D.A. than Teachers.

Hence his pay may be re-fixed as per revised L.P.C. issued by the Principal, A.C. Collegd, Jalpaiguri as under:-

Pay.	1100.00	
D.A.	610.00	
M.A.	16.70	
Morning shift.	135.00	1851.70 D.N.I. on 1.1.83.

Pay fixed at Rs. 1150/- with admissible allowances provisionally subject to determination of his status. D.N.I. on 16.8.83.

Item-4. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri Pinaki Chakraborty, Lecturer in Economics.

Sri Chakraborty Joined as Lecturer in the Deptt. of Economics on 13.5.82. The matter was placed before the Finance Sub-Committee in its meeting held on 1.6.82 vide Suppl. item No. 1(a). While considering his pay as L.P.C. submitted by him as under:-

Pay.	780.00	
Spl.Pay.	100.00	
D.A.	519.00	
H.R.A.	132.00	
M.A.	16.70	1547.70 it was deffered

stating that further action would be taken after obtaining a clarification from Sri Chakraborty

regarding the nature of Spl. pay shown in the L.P.C. Sri Chakrabarty has clarified that the Spl. pay of Rs. 100/- which he had drawn on a part time basis was in respect of working in morning section of Taki Govt. College.

After considering his application, the Committee fixed his pay at Rs. 780/- with D.N.I. on original date at College.

Item-5. To consider the fixation of pay of Sm Lakhi Devi Sundas, Lecturer in Nepali.

The case of Sm Sundas was placed before the Finance Sub-Committee on 1.6.82 for consideration and it was decided that the matter would be considered on receipt of clarification from Sm Sundas in respect of Spl. pay of Rs. 100/- shown in the L.P.C. Sm Sundas has stated that the Spl. pay of Rs. 100/- which She is enjoying at Darjeeling Govt. College as remuneration.

After consideration of her application, the Committee fixed her pay at Rs. 780/- as per L.P.C. in the scale of pay of Rs. 700-40-1100-50-1600 with D.N.I. on original date at College.

Item-6. To consider the letter No. 3045-R-83 dated 22.7.82 from the Dy. Registrar about the representation received from the Non-teaching employees:-

(a) Non-teaching other than Technical Asstts.
(b) Technical Asstts.

(a) Resolution of N.B.U. Council dated 12.7.82 vide item No. 9 in respect of representation received from the non-teaching employees was considered. The recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee dated 20.9.80 as referred in the resolution of the N.B.U. Council is not applicable to the instant cases. The Committee is, however, of opinion that the cases of the concerned employees whose junuor had been promoted on 1.4.68 may be resolved in the following manner:-

(i) Notional promotion with effect from 1.4.68 may be given to them.

(ii) Their pay may be fixed at par with the then Jr. most employee.

(iii) No arrear claim would be admissible.

(iv) The effect to these decisions may be given from 1.10.82.

(b) The cases of the Technical Asstts. were also considered. The Committee is of opinion that their cases may be resolved as under:-

(i) The Technical Asstts who were not given the benefit of up-gradation on 1.3.78 may be considered for incremental benefit of 2:1 as in the case of 19 Sr. Asstts. in the fixation of their pay in 1970.
No arrears, however, are to be paid.

(ii) The effect to these decision may be given from 1.10.82.

The financial implication in this regard will be approxmately Rs.90,000/- (both (a) & (b) inclusive).

The matter was confirmed for placing before the N.B.U. Council in its meeting of 28.8.82.

Item-7. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri Pradip Kr. Kundu, Field Asstt., Centre for Life Science.

Sri P. K. Kundu, Field Asstt. of Centre for Life Science Joined the post on 14.11.79(F/N) in the scale of pay of Rs. 165-10-365 (un-revised) and his pay was fixed accordingly. The post was sanctioned by the U.G.C. When the post was advertised the revised scales for the non-teaching employees were not implemented. However, at the time of introduction of the revised scales for the non-teaching employees, it was seen that all types of scales of pay were shown against specified post Vis-a vis existing scales. Revision in all types of scales of pay were made against posts not against scales to scale. Since there was no post of the Field Asstt. in the revised scale, his pay could not be fixed. The Dy. Registrar requested to take up the matter with the Govt. for clarification. Accordingly the Dy. Registrar wrote to Govt. in details long ago but nothing has been heard from Govt.

The incumbent is pressing hard for finalisation of the matter as he is not getting increment after completion of services for 2 years.

The Dy. Registrar has requested to place the matter before the Finance Sub-Committee for consideration of his case whether he will be fixed in the corresponding scale in the revised scales.

The Finance Sub-Committee is of opinion that since his case had been referred to the Govt. reply from Govt. may be awaited.

Item-8. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri M.K.Saha as Cashier in the scale of pay of Rs. 500-30-700-35-770-40-890-45-1160.

His pay as Asstt. Cashier was fixed at Rs.700/- in the revised scale of pay of Rs. 500-25-550-30-700-35-770-40-1010-45-1100 vide Finance Sub-Committee resolution dated 1.6.82 (item-2). He was promoted as Cashier w.e.f. 1.10.81 in the revised scale of pay of Rs. 550-30-700-35-770-40-890-45-1160. His pay as Cashier may be fixed as under:-

His pay on 30.9.81.....	Rs. 735.00
plus one increment due to promotion on 1.10.81.	Rs. 35.00
	Rs.770.00

D.N.I. on 1.10.82

Item-9. To consider the fixation of pay of Sri S. M. Roy as Audit & Accounts Officer after retirement from the Central Govt. services.

Re. Fixation of pay of Sri S. M. Roy, Audit & Accounts Officer acting as Finance Officer in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900, the Finance Sub-Committee recommends that the pay of Sri S. M. Roy may be provisionally fixed of Rs. 1200/- (i.e. minimum of the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/-) with all admissible allowances pending fixation of his pay.

All the items were confirmed.

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

Sd/- S. M. Roy
Finance Officer
Secretary

Sd/- S. N. Sen
Vice-Chancellor
Chairman.

Annexure X

Government of West Bengal
Education Deptt.
University Education Branch

No.1292-Edn(U) Dated Cal., the Sept.4,1981

From : S. Ghosh,
Dy. Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal

To : The Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal

Sub : Establishment of a Law College at Jalpaiguri -

The undersigned is directed, by order of the Governor, to say that the Governor on the recommendations of the University of North Bengal, is pleased to approve of the proposal for setting up a Law College at Jalpaiguri with effect from the academic session 1981-82 subject to the following terms and conditions :-

(1) The college will function as a 'Day College';

(2) The Organisers shall have to provide the required land, as assessed by the University Inspecting Team, by way of a registered deed, free from all encumbrances, to the college authorities. The site shall have to be approved by the affiliating university.

(3) The College will not get any Govt. grant for the first three years.

(4) The Organisers shall be required to provide adequate accommodation, essential furniture, books, etc. for the purpose of the college as per standard laid down by the University at their own cost;

(5) Pending construction of the college building, classes may be held in a building of a local institution with the approval of the affiliating University. The College should shift to its own building as soon as the same is completed. The College will have to produce evidence in support of its claim for ownership of the land for this college and funds that have been raised by them for construction of the building to the satisfaction of the State Govt. No Govt. grant will be admissible for construction of college building.

(6) In the college there should not be any other unit or college without the clear direction from the State Govt.;

(7) The College will have to keep at least three full-time Lecturers and one Principal and one Vice-Principal along with necessary non-teaching staff;

(8) The College will have to show reasonable success of its students in the Final Examinations.

(9) The college shall be run by a Governing Body to be constituted in the manner prescribed by the Statute of the affiliating university. Pending constitution of the Governing Body, ad-hoc Governing Body may be constituted in the following manner with the approval of the affiliating university for running the college at the initial stage :

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1) Dy. Commissioner, [illegible] - Chairman
2) One nominee of the State Government - Member
3) One nominee of the Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal - do-
4) One nominee of the affiliating University -do-
5) Two representatives of the Organising Committee -do-
6) Principal of the College - Secretary

Provided that one of the two representatives of the Organising Committee may, however, act as Secretary till the Principal is appointed on a permanent basis.

(10) No special constitution of the Governing Body shall be accepted by the Government.

(11) Terms and conditions for the purpose of affiliation as laid down by the University and the Bar Council of India are to be fulfilled.

(12) Recruitment to all the teaching and non-teaching posts including the post of Principal should be made on the recommendations of the appropriate authorities.

(13) The college should furnish the requisite particulars if required by the Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal.

(14) This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department vide their U.O.No. Group-B/1708 dated 31-8-82.

(15) The Accountant General, West Bengal is being informed.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- S. Ghosh
Deputy Secretary.

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Annexure - XI

University Grants Commission
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SECRETARY

Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg
New Delhi - 110 002

D.O. No. F.1-34/82(CP)

August 27, 1982

Dear Vice-Chancellor,

The Commission on a reference received from the Government of India, Ministry of Education regarding certain clarification in respect of revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for university and colleges, has decided that if a teacher does not fulfil the minimum qualifications prescribed for recruitment within the specified period and his/her increment/increments are withheld from such date, the incumbent would be entitled to earn the next increment only after he/she has obtained the necessary qualifications.

I shall be grateful if this is also brought to the notice of all affiliated colleges of your university.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

Sd/- R. K. Chhabra

Dr. S. N. Sen
Vice-Chancellor (Acting)
North Bengal University,
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur
Darjeeling- 734430.

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Annexure XIII

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

NOTE

The Bar Council of India Rules relating to standards of Legal Education and Recognition of Degrees in Law framed under the Advocates Act 1961.

1. Under the above Rules from June 1, 1982 a student would be eligible to join the course of instruction in Law for the purpose of Professional Law Education if he has passed the 10 + 2 courses of studies;

2. Such student will be required to pursue a regular course of study for a minimum period of 5 years out of which the first two years shall be devoted to study of Pre-Law Courses as necessary qualification for admission to Three Year Course of study in Law to be commenced thereafter. The last six months of the Three Year Law Course shall include a regular course of practical training;

3. Such Professional Law Education shall only be imparted through whole time day colleges, the working time of which would be at least 5½ hours every working day and the Library should be kept opened for at least 8 hours every working day;

4. Such Law College shall only be located at a place where there is a District Court or a Circuit District Court;

5. No student shall be admitted to course of study in Law unless he obtained 45% marks in the aggregate in the Pre-Law course examination;

6. The Courses of instructions for the Two Year Pre-Law Course shall include the following:-

(a) General English (Graduate standard)	- Two Papers
(b) Political Science	- One Paper
(c) Economics	- One Paper
(d) History	- One Paper

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(e) Sociology - One Paper

(f) Legal Language including Legal Writing - One Paper

(g) History of Courts, Legislatures and Legal Profession in India. - One Paper

7. The courses of instructions for the Three Year study in Law shall include 12 compulsory subjects, and not less than 6 optional subjects out of 23 such subjects as laid down in the Rules.

The Rules have specifically mentioned the number of lecture classes to be taken and also number of lectures a student would have to attend.

The Chairman, Bar Council of India specifically mentions that those Law Colleges which do not satisfy the norms laid down by the Rules will not be recognised for the purpose of the Advocates Act i.e. such students would not be eligible to join the Bar.

However, the Bar Council of India Rules mentions that those Colleges which would not follow the above norms may continue to impart liberal education in Law and would be deemed to be non-professional Law Colleges.

The Bar Council of India allowed a two-year period for Universities to complete the change over. Accordingly, the North Bengal University has written to the Bar Council of India for permission to run the existing LL.B Course for two more years.

Registrar

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

AGENDA PAPERS

FOR

the 67th meeting of the NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

Date: 17-12-82.
Time: 11-00 A.M.

Place: Conference Room
Administrative Building
Raja-Rammohunpur.

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur, Darjeeling

N o t i c e

The 67th meeting of the North Bengal University Council will be held on Friday, the 17th December, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur.

A G E N D A

1. To confirm the minutes of the 66th meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 30.9.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-I)

2. To confirm the minutes of the 61st meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 6.4.82.

   Decision: (Annexure-II)

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

   1) Lecturer in Geography as referred back by the Council in a previous meeting.

   Decision:

4. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

   a) Finance Officer
   b) Controller of Examinations
   c) Instrument Supervisor (Deptt. of Physics)
   d) Jr. Skilled Helper (Physics Deptt.)
   e) Medical Laboratory Technician (Health Centre)
   f) Jr. Skilled Helper (Gas Plant)

   Decision: (Annexure-III)

5. To consider a letter No.F.6-4/82(SCT) dated 23.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. with regard to reservation for admissions for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes candidates in Universities and Colleges.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)
(Annexure-IV)

6. To consider a letter from the Principal, Malda Women's College praying for granting of extension of affiliation in Elective English and Education in Pass and English and Geography in Honours course.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

7. To consider a letter from the Principal, Balurghat Mahila Mahavidyalaya praying for granting of extension of affiliation in Bengali Pol. Science, History, English, Economics and Sanskrit upto Honours standard.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

8. To consider Inspection Report in connection with granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in English, Bengali, Pol. Science, Commerce and History to University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) Cooch-Behar.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)
(Annexure-V)

9. To consider a letter No. F.1-93/74(CP) dated 24.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. communicating the revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for teaching posts in Universities and Colleges in various subjects.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)
(Annexure-VI)

10. To consider a letter No.F.1-34/82(CP) dated 27.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. communicating certain clarifications in respect of revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for University and College teachers.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)
(Annexure-VII)

11. To consider renaming of Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies as Inter-Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

12. To consider matters relating to non-teaching employees as per decision of the Council dt. 30.9.82 item no. Misc. 2.

Decision:

13. To consider representation of Librarian of Raiganj College.

Decision: (Deferred in the previous meeting)

14. To consider recommendation of the Academic Committee on the problems of Readers (USERS) in the University Library.

Decision: (Annexure-VIII)

15. To consider recommendation of the Academic Committee for establishment of Library Science Course in the University.

Decision) (Annexure-IX)

16. To consider the following recommendation of the Academic Committee (13.10.82) regarding rules relating to External M.A./M.Sc/M.Com Examinations :

"The Committee recommended that those candidates who passed B.A./B.Sc./B.Com Examinations in Two Year Pass Course will be eligible to appear in M.A./M.Sc/M.Com Part I Examinations as external candidates not less than three years after passing the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com Examinations. Those candidates who passed B.A./B.Sc/B.Com Examinations in the New Three Year Honours Course will be eligible to appear in M.A./M.Sc/M.Com Part I Examinations as external candidates not less than two years after passing the B.A./B.Sc/B.Com Examinations. In this connection the Committee further recommended that no candidate will be allowed to appear in the M.A./M.Sc/M.Com examination as external candidate if he did not pass the B.A./B.Sc/B.Com examinations under new regulation in the relevant subject as Elective. A candidate who passed the B.A. examination under the New Regulations will not be permitted to appear in M.A. Examination in any of the languages if he did not pass in the Elective subject in the particular language.

The resolution was confirmed for immediate action."

Decision:

17. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to cultivation of Medicinal Plant on the University Campus as proposed by the Project Director, West Bengal Comprehensive Area Development Corporation, Siliguri-Naxalbari Project under his letter No. 004/058/02/625/5(1) dated 19.6.82.

Decision:

18. To nominate a member on the Ad-hoc Governing Body of Jalpaiguri Law College, Jalpaiguri.

Decision:

19. To report that the Chancellor has been pleased to accept resignation submitted by Dr. P.K. Ghosh, Ex-Vice-Chancellor, w.e.f. 21.5.82.

Decision:

20. To report that under sub-section (2) of section 18 of the N.B.U. Act, 1961, the Chancellor has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Dr. S. N. Sen (Prof., Deptt. of Physics) and Dr. H.P. Bhaumik, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engg. College as Acting Vice-Chancellor for the period from 19.4.82 to 9.9.82, and from 10.9.82 till the new vice-Chancellor joined, i.e. 15.9.82.

Decision:

21. To approve the appointments of the following Lecturers of Sukanta Mahavidyalaya, Dhupguri and St. Joseph's College, Darjeeling :-

1. Sri Dinabandhu Bhattacharya,
2. Sri Bijan Kumar Chakraborty,
3. Sri Paresh Chandra Biswas,
4. Sri Jnanodoy Bhattacharyya,
5. Sri Manas Kumar Santra,
6. Sri Gour Gopal Chowdhury,
7. Sri Biplab Mukherjee,

St. Joseph's College :-

1. Sri Bishwanath Chakraborty	- Botany
2. Sri Shanti Chhetry	- Economics
3. Sri Soumitra De	- Pol. Science
4. Sri Baidyanath Chakraborty	- Economics
5. Miss Sanja Dalma Tamang	- Zoology
6. Miss Subrata Nandi	- Bengali

Decision:

22. To nominate a member on the Governing Body of Balurghat College.
Decision:

23. To approve the Governing Body of Cooch-Behar College, Cooch Behar.
Decision:

24. To report that the Bar Council of India has been pleased to grant exemption for two years i.e. for the Academic year 1982-83 and 1983-84 to implement the new scheme of legal education.
Decision:

25. To consider a letter received from Dr. P. K. Kundu, Reader in Bengali, N.B.U., forwarding an application of Sri B.B. Paul, Lecturer in Bengali, R.N. College, Cacher, Assam, praying for permission to submit his thesis for Ph.D. at this University.
Decision:

26. To consider the proceedings of the Under-graduate Examination Advisory Committee meeting held on 12.10.82.
Decision:

27. To consider the proceedings of the meeting of the Building Committee held on 21.7.82.
Decision: (Annexure-X)

28. To consider a letter from Dr. P.C. Sarkar, Professor of Economics in the matter of partitioning of some quarters meant for Professors/ Readers (Registrar's note annexed).
Decision: (Annexure-XIV)

29. To consider recommendation of the Academic Committee in connection with the Study Leave of Shri K.K. Roy, Reader in English, N.B.U.
Decision:

30. To consider the minutes of the 30th meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 24.9.82.

Decision: (Annexure-XI)

31. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the College Council of University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch-Behar held on 15.7.82.

Decision: (Annexure-XII)

32. To consider a letter from the Principal, Darjeeling Govt. College regarding membership in the Committee of Post-Graduate Studies in Botany and Zoology.

Decision:

33. To consider a letter from Sri Ajoy Krishna Mandal, Jr. Research Fellow, Deptt. of Mathematics praying for granting of six months' leave w.e.f. 27.9.82 in order to enable him to join Fakir Chand College, Diamond Harbour as a lecturer.

Decision:

34. To consider a letter from the Secretary, University Liaison Committee, Institute of Chartered Accountants of India with regard to Institution of Chartered Accountants Endowment for distribution of prize to a candidate who secures highest marks in Accountancy papers at B.Com Examination.

Decision:

35. To consider a letter from Prof. Ramaranjan Mukherji, Vice-Chancellor, University of Burdwan, requesting the University to grant an amount of Rs. 10,000/- for organising a three-day Seminar during March 14-16: 1983 called 'Karl Marx Centennial International Seminar on Marxian Theory & Studies on the Non-European World'.

Decision:

36. To consider the cases of following employees for confirmation.

Sl.No.	Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1.	Sri Raja Dasgupta, Tech. Asstt. in Electronics, Grade-A. U.S.I.C,,N.B.U.	1.12.81(Forenoon)	1.12.82
2.	Sri Sundar Chhetri, Driver(Jr.) Estate Development Section.	7.12.81(")	7.12.82
3.	Sri Chandramohan Singha, Guard, Watch & Ward Deptt.	11.12.81(")	11.12.82
4.	Sri Man Bahadur Rai, Guard Watch & Ward Deptt.	11.12.81(")	11.12.82
5.	Sri Narayan Ch. Ghosh, Guard Watch & Ward Deptt.	11.12.81(")	11.12.82
6.	Sri Nirendra Nath Singh, Guard Watch & Ward Deptt.	11.12.81(")	11.12.82
7.	Sri Upendranath Roy, Guard Watch & Ward Deptt.	11.12.81(")	11.12.82
8.	Sri Aloke Das, Jr. Asstt-cum-Typist. Registrar's Branch	12.12.81(")	12.12.82
9.	Sri Chanchal Kr. Paul Jr. Asstt-cum-Typist University Library	12.12.81(")	12.12.82
10.	Sri Mridul Kanti Goswami Jr. Asstt.-cum-Typist Deptt. of Sociology & Social Anthropology.	12.12.81(")	12.12.82
11.	Sri Subrata Guha Jr. Asstt-Cum-Typist Registrar's Branch	12.12.81(")	12.12.82

Decision:

37. To report that the Vice-Chancellor on the recommendation of the Selection Committee has been pleased to order appointment of Sri Samir Kumar Sarkar, as a Junior Research Fellow in the Department of Physics under DAE Project.

Decision:

38. To report that on the recommendation of the Departmental Committee the Vice-Chancellor has been pleased to extend the tenure of Scholarship of Shri Satyendra Nath Barman, Jr. Research Fellow (U.G.C.) Department of Bengali for a period of six months w.e.f. 8.11.82.

Decision:

39. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar, in connection with extension of service of Shri Sobhendra Narayan Sanyal, University Engineer (His deputation period will end on 22.1.83).

Decision:

40. To consider a report received from the Officer-in-charge, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College Centre regarding B.E. Part-III(2nd semester) Examination, 1982 of 6.11.82 & 8.11.82.

Decision:

41. To consider the proceedings of the P.G. Examinations Advisory Committee meeting held on 30.11.82.

Decision:

42. To consider an extract of the proceedings of the meeting of the Advisory Committee of Vice-Chancellors held on 24.9.82 in connection with the question of reservation of seats for the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes students in the various courses of studies in Universities and in the affiliated Institutions alongwith a letter No. 1682(7)-Edn(U) dated 15.11.82 from the Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Education Deptt.

Decision: (Annexure-XIII)

43. To report that on his prayer for extra ordinary leave Shri Pranab Kr. Saha, Lecturer in Mathematics, N.B.U. has been released w.e.f. 10.12.82 in order to enable him to join the Pre-doctoral Research Study abroad.

Decision:

44. To approve the list of Holidays for the teaching and non-teaching Departments of the University for the year 1983.

Decision:

45. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with granting of 24 days Special Casual leave w.e.f. 1.12.82 to Dr. Swapan Kumar Ghoshal, Lecturer in Physics, N.B.U.

Decision:

46. To report that Dr. Manas Chakraborty has been allowed to continue as temporary lecturer in the Deptt. of Political Science until further orders or till the post is filled up on a permanent basis which ever is earlier.

Decision:

47. To consider a note from the Finance Officer in the matter of House Rent Allowance to the employees.

Decision:

48. To consider a D.O. No.F.1-26/76(CD/SCT) dated 13.11.82 received from the Secretary, U.G.C. in connection with setting up of a special cell to ensure implementation of reservation orders issued by the Govt. of India in favour of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes from time to time.

Decision:

49. To consider an application from Smt. Chhanda Chakraborty, Lecturer, Deptt of History praying for granting of extension of her study leave by six months w.e.f. 17.2.82 along with the recommendations of the Head of the Deptt. and the Supervisor.

Decision:

50. To consider the letter of resignation tendered by Dr.(Mrs.) Damayanti Ghosh, Reader in English, N.B.U. w.e.f. December 1, 1982.

Decision:

51. Miscellaneous items, if any, with the permission of the chair.

REGISTRAR

Dated, Raja-Rammohunpur,
the 6th December, 1982.

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Annexure-I

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja-Rammohunpur, Darjeeling

Minutes of the 66th meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Thursday, the 30th September, 1982 at 11-00 A.M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja-Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Prof. D.B. Dutta, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Dr. H.P. Bhowmick, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College
3. Prof. S.N. Sen, Professor of Physics
4. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, North Bengal University
5. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
6. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
7. Shri P.K. Majumdar, Lecturer, Siliguri College, Siliguri
8. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj University College
9. Shri Hiten Nag, Lecturer, Dinhata College
10. Shri Sashi Kanta Chakraborty, Principal, Chanchal College.

Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges, Shri R.K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar, Shri S.M. Roy, Finance Officer (Acting) and Shri S. Majumdar, Deputy Controller of Examinations were requested to make themselves available during the meeting.

1. The minutes of the 65th meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 28.8.82 and also the minutes of the adjourned meeting of the N.B.U. Council meeting held on 29.8.82 were confirmed with the following amendments :-

(i) Item 18 page 8 The date mentioned "23.8.82" be written as "22.8.82".

(ii) Item 25 page 9 Add "on 27.8.82" at the end.

(iii) Page 15 Add the word "new" before the word "proposal" arising in the last line.

(iv) Page 23 item Suppl. 2 Add the words "inclusive of ex-gratia payment as may be granted by the Government" after the figure "Rs. 400/-" in the first line.

(v) Page 27 item Misc. 1 Sl. 4 Write "Janamendra Nath" in place of "Jnan".

(vi) Page 27 item Misc. 1 Sl. 8 The name and designation mentioned be substituted by the following :-

"Dilip Chandra Ghosh, Extension Officer, Social Education, Chanchal".

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2. The minutes of the Special meeting of the N.B.U. Council held on 10.9.82 were confirmed.

3. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of University teachers.

Appointment against Merit Promotion Scheme for University teachers as per Govt. Order No. 957(6)-Edn(U) dated July 22, 1981.

The Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee and the comments of the referees decided to appoint Dr. Hillol Kumar Chakraborty, Lecturer in Economics as Reader in Economics in the scale of pay of Rs. 1200-1900/- plus usual allowances subject to the conditions laid down in the above Govt. Order. The post of Reader to be held by Dr. Chakraborty would be personal to him and the resultant vacancy shall not be filled up. His initial salary in the new post will be fixed on the recommendation of the Finance Sub-Committee.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

4. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of non-teaching employees of the University.

Since there was no recommendation to be considered the item be taken out.

5. To consider the recommendations of the M.B.B.S. Examination Advisory Committee dated 17.5.82.

The Council decided to postpone consideration of the item.

6. To consider a note from Dy. Registrar in connection with the application for P.L. submitted by Sri Bishnulal Brahman, Guard, Watch & Ward Section for a period of 111 days with effect from 28.11.81 to 12.3.82 in continuation of his C.C.L.

The Council decided to sanction P.L. to Sri Bishnulal Brahman, Guard, Watch & Ward Section for a period of 111 days with effect from 28.11.81 to 12.3.82 in continuation of compensatory casual leave enjoyed by him.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

7. To consider a letter from the Director, Centre for Himalayan Studies suggesting withdrawal of offer of Junior Research Fellowship from Sri Paresh Chandra Roy and to appoint next available person from the panel of names recommended by the Selection Committee.

The Council decided that the post be readvertised as reserved for SC/ST.

8. To consider constitution of Selection Committee for the post of Electrical Supervisor.

The Council constituted a Selection Committee for the post of Electrical Supervisor.

9. To consider matters regarding constitution of Screening Committee for preliminary screening of the applications for the various non-teaching posts.

The Council decided to take the matter out of agenda.

10. To consider a note from the Dy. Registrar in connection with verification of age of certain employees.

The Council while reiterating the previous decision of the Executive Council of the University of North Bengal decided that once a date of birth is entered in the Service Book the same cannot be changed by swearing affidavit or on the basis of some other documents.

11. To consider an application for reimbursement of T.A./D.A. etc. received from Shri P.K.Pal, Lecturer in English along with a note from the Dy. Registrar.

The Council decided that no T.A./D.A. could be admissible for Shri P.K.Pal's journey to Manipur which was not undertaken in connection with any duty of the University.

12. To consider renaming of Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies as Inter-Departmental Committee of the Centre for Himalayan Studies.

The Council decided to postpone consideration of the item.

13. To consider a letter from the Deputy Secretary, Rural Development Department, Govt. of Sikkim.

The Council directed that the matter be referred to the Academic Committee for consideration.

14. To consider a letter from Sri Narayan Mazumdar, Electrical Supervisor along with the forwarding letter of the University Engineer.

The Council decided that the matter be taken out of the agenda.

15. To consider a note from the Inspector of Colleges on the memorandum submitted by the Hostel employees Association.

The Council noted that some of the demands of the Hostel Employees' Association have already been met. In the matter of the rest, the Council

decided that the same should be forwarded to the Govt. for favour of consideration.

16. To consider a letter from the General Secretary, N.B.U.E.A. in connection with granting of special allowance to Sri Parshawnath Das, Compounder, University Health Centre.

The Council noted that fixation of pay in 1970 was made as per agreement with the Employees' Association and Sri Das's pay was fixed strictly in terms of the rules of such fixation. The Council did not think that there was any scope for reopening the issue.

In the matter of special pay which Sri Das used to get before the fixation of pay in the revised scale in 1978 the Council noted that the matter was pending with the Govt. The Council directed that the matter be persued.

17. To consider a letter No. F.6-4/82(SCT) dated 23.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. with regard to reservations for admission for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes candidates in Universities and Colleges.

Deferred.

18. To note a letter No. 1285(6)-Edn(U) dated 3.9.82 received from the Dy. Secretary, Govt. of West Bengal, Education Department, University Education Branch with regard to granting of further Additional Dearness Allowance to the employees of the University of North Bengal w.e.f. 1.7.82.

Noted.

19. To consider a letter from the Principal, Malda Women's College praying for granting of extension of affiliation in Elective English and Education in Pass and English and Geography in Honours Course.

Deferred.

20. To consider a letter from the Principal, Balurghat Mahila Mahavidyalaya praying for granting of extension of affiliation in Bengali, Pol. Science, History, English, Economics and Sanskrit upto Honours standard.

Deferred.

21. To consider recommendation of the meeting of the Engineering Advisory Committee held on 3.9.82.

Noted and approved.

(Appendix I)

22. To consider recommendation of the meeting of the Engineering Advisory Committee held on 8.9.82.

Noted and approved.

(Appendix II)

The Council decided that the final dates of examinations will be fixed by the Vice-Chancellor in consultation with the Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College and the Deputy Controller of Examinations.

23. To consider recommendation of the meeting of the Advisory Committee for M.B.B.S. Examination held on 22.9.82.

Noted and approved.

(Appendix III)

24. To consider the recommendation of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee for the M.A. Part II (Public) Examination, 1981 in English.

The Council considered the recommendation of the Malpractice Enquiry Committee meeting held on 24.8.82. After due consideration the Council found the report not acceptable. It was decided that a Committee consisting of the following members of the Council should institute a thorough probe into the question and submit a report :-

(i) Dr. H. P. Bhowmick
(ii) Sri P. K. Majumdar
(iii) Sri Madhusudan Das.

The Deputy Controller of Examinations is to supply all relevant materials for consideration of the Committee and would also convene meetings, etc. of the Committee at the convenience of the members.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

25. To consider a letter of resignation tendered by Sri Sanak Kumar Ghosh, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Physics, N.B.U. w.e.f. 13.9.82.

The Council accepted resignation submitted by Sri Sanak Ghosh, Junior Research Fellow, Department of Physics, N.B.U. with effect from 13.9.82 subject to clearance of all dues.

In this connection the Council decided that in future appointment, extension of tenure, leave and resignation, etc of the Research Scholars and Fellows will be made by the Vice-Chancellor and the same be reported to the Council in due course.

26. To consider the minutes of the meeting of the College Council, Raiganj (University College) held on 22.7.82.

Noted.

In the matter of item 7 the Council decided that the Hostel Superintendent be paid a honorarium of Rs. 100/- per month.

27. To consider the following minutes of the meetings of the N.B.U. Law College Council held on -

11.5.82
10.8.82

Noted.

In the matter of item 2 of the meeting held on 11.5.82 the Council approved the recommendation subject to availability of funds.

28. To fix the prices of printed Post-Graduate Syllabi.

The Council fixed the prices of printed syllabi of the following subjects of Post-Graduate Studies as mentioned against each :

M.Com	...	1=00
English	...	1=00
Mathematics	...	1=00
Pol. Science	...	1=50
Geography & Applied Geography	...	1=00

In this connection the Council noted that the price of the North Bengal University Act 1981 as printed by the University has been fixed at Rs. 3/- per copy.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

29. To report a letter received from Shri B.N. Srivastava, Director(S) Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs for making provision of coaching facilities for SC/ST candidates for the Civil Service Examination on the norms suggested. (Reference Council decision dated 6.3.82).

The Council considered the letter and opined that without constructing new hostels for the trainees the course could not be started.

30. To consider the Inspection Report on Geography Department of Darjeeling Govt. College.

The Council accepted the report and decided that the same may be sent to the Govt. for information and necessary action on the basis of the recommendation.

31. To consider Inspection Report in connection with granting of affiliation upto Honours standard in English, Bengali, Pol. Science, Commerce and History to University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) Cooch-Behar.

Deferred.

32. To consider recommendations of the Research Service Centre Committee, N.B.U.

The Council approved the recommendation of the meeting held on 20.9.82 and decided that with regard to item 4 the teachers of affiliated colleges shall not be treated as outsiders for the purpose. The Council also decided that the last sentence of the resolution No. 3 be deleted.

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33. To consider grant of increment to one non-teaching employee.

The Council decided that the matter might be sent for legal opinion before consideration by the Council.

34. To consider the letter of resignation tendered by Shri Charu Chandra Dey, Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) Department of Chemistry, w.e.f. 26.8.82.

The Council accepted resignation submitted by Sri Charu Chandra Dey, Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.), Department of Chemistry w.e.f. 26.8.82 subject to clearance of all dues.

The Council accepted resignation submitted by Sri Biswaroop Ghosh, J.R.F., Department of Physics with effect from 4.9.82 subject to clearance of all dues.

35. To consider the minutes of the 32nd adjourned meeting of the Finance Sub-Committee held on 27.8.82.

Noted and approved except item 6 on which a decision was taken by the Council in its meeting held on 28.8.1982.

The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

36. To report that a G.O. No. 1292-Edn(U) dated 4.9.82 in connection with the establishment of a Law College at Jalpaiguri has been received.

Noted.

The Council approved the Governing Body as constituted provisionally under the Govt. Order mentioned above.

37. To consider a letter No. SKM/GOVT/834/82 dated 26.8.82 along with enclosures received from the Governor of Sikkim in connection with recognition of Sikkim Research Institute of Tibetology and other Buddhists Studies as a Research Centre for Buddist Studies and allied subjects.

The Council decided that the matter be placed before the Academic Committee and the Vice-Chancellor was authorised to take necessary action.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

38. To consider a letter No.F.1-93/74(CP) dated 24.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. communicating the revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for teaching posts in Universities and Colleges in various subjects.

Deferred.

39. To consider a letter No.F.1-34/82(CP) dated 27.8.82 from the Secretary, U.G.C. communicating certain clarifications in respect of revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for University and College teachers.

Deferred.

40. To consider a letter from Dr. N.L.Karmakar, Sr. Research Assistant, NBU.

The Council decided that Dr. Karmakar be asked to join his post positively on or before 22.11.82. In case he fails to join the Council decided that his services would stand terminated. U.G.C. is to be informed.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

41. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of two Junior Research Fellows (U.G.C.) in the Department of Centre for Life Sciences, N.B.U.

The Council approved the panel recommended by the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Sri Saurav Kanti Sarkar and Sri Bholanath Paul as Junior Research Fellows in the Research Project sanctioned by the U.G.C. to Dr. A.K. Chakraborty, Reader, Centre for Life Sciences. The appointments are subject to the terms and conditions laid down in the sanctioned project.

The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

42. To consider the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) in the department of Chemistry, N.B.U.

(i) The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Smt. Purabi Sarkar as Junior Research Fellow (U.G.C.) in the Department of Chemistry on a scholarship of Rs. 600/- per month and Rs. 3000/- per annum as contingent grant. She will be guided as per rules in this regard.

(ii) The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided that Dr. Anupam Sarkar be appointed as Research Associate on Rs. 1000/- per month (fixed). The Council also decided that Sri Amaresh Chandra Lahiri be appointed as Junior Research Fellow on Rs. 400/- per month (fixed). The terms and conditions of the Associateship and the Fellowship will be as per ICAR Scheme No. F.13-41/80 SW-DF under the supervision of Dr. J. L. Das Kanungo, Reader in Chemistry.

(iii) The Council approved the recommendation of the Selection Committee and decided to appoint Sri Narayan Chandra Basak and Sri Gautam Kumar Biswas as Research Scholars (N.B.U.) in the Department of Mathematics on a scholarship of Rs. 600/- (each) per month and Rs. 3000/- (each) per annum as contingent grant. They will be guided as per rules in this regard.

The above decision were confirmed for immediate action.

43. To consider the following cases of some employees for confirmation.

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Sri Bijoy Kr. Sarkar Engg. Helper.	22.9.81 (Forenoon)	22.9.82
2. Sri Narayan Ch. Das Engg. Helper.	22.9.81 (")	22.9.82
3. Sri Joseph Nagasia Mali, Care-taking Section	22.9.81 (2 P. M.)	22.9.82
4. Sri Madhusudan Ghosh Lecturer in Economics, N.B.U.	1.9.81	1.9.82
5. Sri Sekh Rahin Mandal Lecturer in Sociology and Social Anthropology, N.B.U.	18.9.81 (Forenoon)	18.9.82
6. Prof. K. B. Datta Centre for Life Science, N.B.U.	21.9.81 (")	21.9.82
7. Sri Gautam Biswas Lecturer in Philosophy, N.B.U.	23.9.81 (")	23.9.82

The Council in consideration of the confidential reports and recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor decided to confirm the services of the following employees of the University with effect from the date mentioned against each, subject to (i) their being found medically fit by the Medical Board/University Medical Officer, (ii) verification of age and academic qualifications, and (iii) any other condition as the University may think proper to impose :

Name	Date of joining	Date of confirmation
1. Sri Bijoy Kr. Sarkar Engg. Helper	22.9.81 (Forenoon)	22.9.82
2. Sri Narayan Ch. Das Engg. Helper	22.9.81 (")	22.9.82
3. Sri Joseph Nagasia Mali, Care-Taking Section	22.9.81 (2 P. M.)	22.9.82
4. Sri Madhusudan Ghosh Lecturer in Economics, N.B.U.	1.9.81	1.9.82
5. Sri Sekh Rahim Mandal Lecturer in Sociology and Social Anthropology, N.B.U.	18.9.81 (Forenoon)	18.9.82
6. Prof. K. B. Datta Centre for Life Science, N.B.U.	21.9.81 (")	21.9.82
7. Sri Gautam Biswas Lecturer in Philosophy N.B.U.	23.9.81 (")	23.9.82

Confirmed for immediate action.

44. To consider a note from the Registrar with regard to the Bar Council of India Rules relating to standards of Legal Education and Recognition of Degrees in Law framed under the Advocates Act 1961.

The Council considered the note and decided that a Committee with the following might examine and submit a report on the Bar Council of India Rules relating to standards of Legal Education and Recognition of Degrees in Law framed under the Advocates Act 1961 :

(i) Shri B. Hore, Advocate, Jalpaiguri
(ii) Shri P. R. Chandra, Principal, Sikkim Law College
(iii) Shri Arun Bhattacharjee Advocate, Cooch Behar
(iv) Shri T.P. Misra, Lecturer-in-charge, University Law College
(v) Shri R. K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar - Convener.

The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

// Supplementary Agenda //

1. To consider evaluation reports including the reports of the viva-voce examination on the theses submitted for the Ph.D. Degree of the North Bengal University.

(i) The Council considered evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examination and decided to admit Shri Pabitra Kumar Roy to the Degree of Ph.D. (Arts) for his thesis entitled "Hume's Theory of Passions : A Study of Book II of the Treatise of Human Nature."

Shri Roy worked under the guidance of Prof. S. K. Sen, Head of the Department of Philosophy, North Bengal University.

The result may be published immediately.

(ii) The Council considered evaluation reports along with the reports of the viva-voce examination and decided to admit Shri Prankumar Mukherjee to the Degree of Ph.D. (Arts) for his thesis entitled "A Study in the Poetry of Dylan Thomas (Theme and Imagery in Thomas' Poetry)."

Shri Mukherjee worked independently.

The result may be published immediately.

2. To consider modification of resolution No. 7 of the meeting of the N.B.U. Council dated 14.1.82.

The Council in partial modification of the resolution (Item No. 7) of the meeting of the North Bengal University Council dated 14.1.82 decided that the words "Department of Physics" written after the words "Senior Research Assistant" be deleted.

3. To consider the minutes of the 30th meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 24.9.82.

The Council directed that the minutes be annexed with the papers of the next meeting of the Council for consideration. In the meantime the Council decided to request the Vice-Chancellor to order necessary action on matters which needed immediate implementation.

4. To consider a letter of Sri Sankar Bandyopadhyay in connection with his appointment as Lecturer in N.B.U. Law College.

The Council noted that Sri Sankar Bandyopadhyay who was appointed a Lecturer in N.B.U. Law College has declined the offer. The Council noted that the post be readvertised immediately.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

5. To consider a letter from Miss Sakti Kundu, Jr. Research Fellow, (U.G.C.) Department of Geography & Applied Geography praying for granting of extension of Scholarship for six months w.e.f. 8.9.82.

The Council decided to grant extension of Followship of Smt. Sakti Kundu by six months with effect from 8.9.82.

Confirmed for immediate action.

6. To consider prayer of Sri Sreman Dorjee, Guard, for house rent allowance.

The Council, as a special consideration, decided to allow Sri Sreeman Dorjee, Guard, Watch & Ward Department to live outside the Campus provided he would be available for emergent duties on short notice. The Council also decided that Sri Dorjee may be allowed to draw house rent allowance with effect from 1.4.82.

The above resolution was confirmed for immediate action.

7. To consider an application from Sri Ranjit Kr. Sananta, Jr. Technical Asstt., Research Service Centre, N.B.U. praying for granting of 24 days leave from 24.6.82 to 17.7.82.

The matter might be taken out of the agenda.

8. To consider granting of extension of services of (1) Prof. S. R. Dasgupta, Sr. Prof. of Mathematics, N.B.U. by one year w.e.f. 1.11.82 (2) Prof. S. P. Sengupta, Prof. of English w.e.f. 1.2.83.

(i) The Council decided to grant extension of service to Prof. S.R. Dasgupta, Department of Mathematics by a further period of one year with effect from 1.11.82 when he will attain the age of superannuation i.e. 65 years of age.

(ii) The Council decided to grant extension of service to Prof. S.P. Sengupta, Department of English by a further period of one year with effect from 1.2.83 when he will attain the age of superannuation i.e. 65 years of age.

The decision was confirmed for immediate action.

9. To consider a decision of the College Council (Resolution No. 21 of the minutes of the meeting of 8th February, 1982) of Raiganj College in connection with holding of a Seminar on life and activities of Gurusaday Dutta.

The Council decided that the U.G.C. might be approached for financial assistance.

10. To consider a note from the Finance Officer in the matter of House Rent Allowance to the employees.

The iten might be taken out of the agenda.

11. To consider a letter from the University Engineer, N.B.U. in the matter of construction of Auditorium.

The Council decided that for expeditious work the P.W.D. Set Plan for Auditorium might be considered by the Vice-Chancellor for approval.

Confirmed for immediate action.

12. To re-constitute the Building Committee.

The Council decided that the Zonal Manager (Distribution) North Bengal, S.E.B. be appointed a member of the Building Committee in place of the Additional Chief Engineer, North Bengal, S.E.B. whose office has been shifted to Calcutta.

Confirmed for immediate action.

13. To consider extension of contractual service of Dr. A. B. Majumdar, Inspector of Colleges.

The Council decided that Dr. A. B. Majumdar be appointed as Inspector of Colleges on contractual basis for a further period of three months with effect from 1.11.82 in the same terms and conditions as before.

Confirmed for immediate action.

14. To consider representation of Librarian of Raiganj College.

Deferred.

15. To consider a letter dated 10.9.82 received from Sri Pran Kumar Mukherjee, Reader in English, N.B.U. in connection with his date of joining as Reader in English.

The Council noted that Sri Pran Kumar Mukherjee, Locturer in English had to be away from the Campus on University duty when he was promoted to the post of Reader in English. Under the circumstances the Council favourably considered the application of Sri Pran Kumar Mukherjee and decided that his date of joining as Reader in English should be taken as 31.8.82.

Misc. 1 The Council noted that as per order of the Vice-Chancellor the persons working as contingent staff were paid puja advance of Rs. 100/-.

Misc. 2 The Council decided to request the Vice-Chancellor to examine the demands of the Employees' Association in the light of previous decision of the Council in this regard and to include the same as a separate item of the agenda at the next meeting of the Council.

Misc. 3 In partial modification of the decision of the Council taken on 16.4.82 the Council decided that a separate Bank Account with the State Bank of India, North Bengal University Campus Branch be opened to be known as "North Bengal University Eco-Development Account" for the receipt and disbursement in connection with the programme to be operated by the Finance Officer, North Bengal University.

The meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- D. B. Dutta
CHAIRMAN

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Appendix - D

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Proceedings of the meeting of the Engineering Examinations Advisory Committee held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 3.9.82, at 2p.m.

Members present :

1. Principal H.Bhaumik, Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
2. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Member, N.B.U.Council.
3. Prof.N.C.Sinha, Hd.of the Deptt.of Civil Engg., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
4. Prof.T.K.Roy, Hd.of the Deptt.of Mechanical Engg., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
5. Prof.S.K.Bhattacharyya, Electrical Engg.Deptt., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
6. Dr.Sripati Datta, Mechanical Engg.Deptt., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
7. Shri S.K.Sengupta, Civil Engg.Deptt., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
8. Shri J.C.Das, Chemistry Deptt., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg. College
9. Shri D.K.Banerjee, Humanities Deptt., Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.

Item No.1: To fix the date of commencement of B.E.Part II (1st Semester) Examination, 1981 boycotted earlier by the candidates.

Decision : The examination was recommended to be held from the 20th September, 1982 subject to the condition that the boys would give an undertaking to the Controller of Examinations through their Principal expressing regret for their non-appearance in the examination on the earlier occasion.

Item No.2: To fix the dates of commencement of B.E.Part I, Part III and Part IV (2nd Semester) Examination, 1981.

Decision : The Principal reported to the members that the College Council earlier recommended 10th September, 1982 as the date of commencement of the examinations. The Students' Union, however, requested the Principal to arrange the examination from the 12th October, 1982. Some of the members objected to fixing of dates without ascertaining the fact whether the courses prescribed for the examination have been amply covered. Accordingly, the Principal was requested to collect information regarding course coverage in all the branches for placement before the next meeting to be held on the 8th ~~December~~ September, 1982 at 2p.m. The dates will be fixed after receipt of the report from the Principal.

Miscellaneous :

(i) To consider the letter No.1358 dated 9.8.82 of the Principal along with the application of one student of Third year Civil Engg. praying for permission to appear in assessment examinations of Part II Second Semester.

Decision : The Deputy Controller of Examinations placed the letter before the members from which it appeared that the candidate could not appear in one of the two assessment examinations in Hydraulics and Structural Mechanics II of B.E.Part II(Second Semester) as he had to remain out of station for a considerable period for medical treatment. The members also noted that the same candidate was earlier permitted by the University to reappear in another assessment examination in the first semester considering the medical ground.

After detailed discussion the Committee recommended to grant his prayer as a special case on condition that no such concession will be granted to him in future.

(ii) To consider drawing of Academic calendar for Engineering Examination.

Decision : The members present unanimously recommended drawing up of academic programme at the beginning of the session to avoid unnecessary complications in fixing dates of various Engineering Examinations. It would also enable the University to start Preliminary work well ahead of the date of examination. In this connection the Deputy Controller of Examinations impressed upon the members the necessity of providing the panels of Papersetters/Examiners etc. at the beginning of each session.

(iii) To consider the case of a candidate of B.E.Final B (Old 5 Year Course) Examination who having completed the first semester course could not continue studies owing to serious illness.

Decision : After a thread bare discussion the committee recommended as under :

1. Since he completed all sessional work and appeared in external Assessment examinations in the 1st Semester of the final year of five year degree course he may be allowed to appear in the Special 1st Semester examinations of B.E.Final Section B.

2. Since it is not possible to arrange 2nd Semester classes of B.E.final Sec.B (M.E.) as the course has already been discontinued he may be allowed to appear as an external candidate in a B.E.Final Sec B Second Semester examination specially arranged for him instead of usual internal assessment and comprehensive examinations. The question for the said

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examination will be set in two halves-one half being internal and the other half being external. There should be 10 questions five in each half and the candidate will be required to answer three from each half. Full marks for each half will be 50. Separate answerscripts should be given for each half.

3. The candidate will be required to complete all sessional and Laboratory works satisfactorily. For this the College may allow necessary facilities to the candidate for attending corresponding classes in 3rd year ME / 4th year ME as the case may be.

There being no other item the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Appendix - II

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Proceedings of the meeting of the Advisory Committee for Engineering Examinations held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 8.9.82 at 2p.m.

Members present :

1. Principal H.Bhaumick, Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
2. Prof.N.C.Sinha,Hd.of the Civil Engg.Deptt.,Jalpaiguri Govt. Engg.College.
3. Shri S.K.Sengupta,Civil Engg.Deptt.,Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
4. Prof.T.K.Roy,Hd.of the Mechanical Engg.Deptt.,Jal Govt.Engg.Col.
5. Dr.S.Datta,Mechanical Engg.Deptt.,Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
6. Prof.S.K.Bhattacharyya,Electrical Engg.Deptt.,Jal Govt.Engg.Col.
7. Shri D.K.Banerjee,Humanities Deptt.,Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
8. Dr.B.Banerjee,Mathematics Deptt.,Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.
9. Shri J.C.Das,Chemistry Deptt.,Jalpaiguri Govt.Engg.College.

Item No.1 : To consider the fixation of dates of B.E.Part I,III and IV (Second Semester) Examinations,1982.

Decision : The Principal placed the records of course coverage obtained from the different Heads of Departments from which it appeared that the 70% to 80% of the syllabuses have been covered in the three branches of Engineering. The Principal informed the members that the Students' Union was in favour of holding all the three examinations simultaneously with effect from 12.10.82. The Deputy Controller of Examinations explained the difficulties in arranging all the examinations in such a short notice in view of the agitational movement of the employees under which routine office work has received a serious set back. The recommended list of Papersetters and copies of syllabi in respect of Mechanical Engineering Branch was received only on 8.9.82. After detailed discussion the members present recommended the following dates of commencement for various B.E.(Second Semester) Examinations,1982.

B.E.Part IV (Second Semester) - 12.10.82
B.E.Part I and Part III(Second Semester) - Any date between 20/22/22 November,1982. The Principal was authorised to communicate the final date to the Deputy Controller of Examinations.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Appendix - III

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Proceedings of the meeting of the Adv. Committee for M.B.B.S. Examination held in the office of the Controller of Examinations on 22.9.82 at 12 noon.

Members present :

1. Dr. Dwijendra Kumar Roy, Deptt.of Medicine, N.B.Medical College.
2. Dr. A.K.Ram, Deptt.of Pharmacology, N.B.Medical College.
3. Dr. Kamal Kanti Chatterjee, Deptt.of Surgery, N.B.Med.College.
4. Dr. Bikash Basu, Deptt.of Ophthalmology, N.B.Med.College.
5. Dr.(Mrs.)R.Ram, Deptt.of P.S.M., N.B.Medical College.

Item No.1 : To fix up the programme of various Professional M.B.B.S. Examinations.

Decision : The proposed programmes as received from the Principal, N.B.Medical College were placed for consideration of the members. After a detailed discussion the members recommended acceptance of the programmes annexed hereto.

There being no other item the meeting terminated on a vote of thanks.

Deputy Controller of Examinations.

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Programme for the 1st Professional M.B.B.S. Examination, 1982

Theoretical papers	Time:- 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
Wednesday, 24th November, 1982	Anatomy paper I
Friday, 26th November, 1982	Anatomy paper II
Monday, 29th November, 1982	Biochemistry
Thursday, 2nd December, 1982	Physiology Paper I
Saturday, 4th December, 1982	Physiology Paper II

Practical/Oral

7th & 8th December, 1982	Physiology in batches
11th & 13th December, 1982	Biochemistry in batches
17th & 18th December, 1982	Anatomy in batches

Dated, RajaRammohunpur,
the 29th September, '82

S.Majumder
Dy. Controller of Examinations.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Programme for the 2nd Professional M.B.B.S. Examination, 1982

Theoretical Papers.	Time:- Morning 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
Monday, 8th November, 1982	Pharmacology
Thursday, 11th November, 1982	F.S.M.
Monday, 15th November, 1982	P.S.M.
Friday, 19th November, 1982	Microbiology
Monday, 22nd November, 1982	Pathology
Practical/Oral	
25th & 26th November, 1982	P.S.M. in batches
29th & 30th November, 1982	Microbiology in batches
2nd & 3rd December, 1982	Pathology in batches
6th & 7th December, 1982	Pharmacology in batches
9th & 10th December, 1982	F.S.M. in batches

Programme for the 3rd Professional M.B.B.S.Examination, 1982

Theoretical papers	Time:- 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.
Saturday, 6th November, 1982	Medicine paper I
Twesday, 9th November, 1982	Medicine paper II
Friday, 12th November, 1982	Medicine paper III
Twesday, 16th November, 1982	Surgery paper I
Thursday, 18th November, 1982	Surgery Paper II
Twesday, 23rd November, 1982	Obstetrics & Gynaecology
Friday, 26th November, 1982	EYE &E.N.T.
Practical/Oral	
2nd & 3rd Decomber, 1982	Medicine in batches
7th & 8th December, 1982	Obst. & Gynae. in batches
10th & 11th December, 1982	EYE & E.N.T. in batches
14th & 15th December, 1982	Surgery in batches

Dated, Raja Rammohunpur,
the 28th Sept., 1982

S. Majumder
Dy. Controller of Examinations.

Appendix-IV

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

Minutes of the meeting of the Research Service Centre Committee held on 20.9.82 at 3 P.M. in the office of the Vice-Chancellor.

Members present :

1. Vice-Chancellor, N.B.U.
2. Prof. S.N. Sen, Deptt. of Physics, N.B.U.
3. Prof. P.C. Sarkar, Deptt. of Economics, N.B.U.
4. Dr. S. Mukherjee, Deptt. of Physics, N.B.U.
5. Sri S. Pal, Deptt. of Mathematics, N.B.U.
6. Sri B. Majee, Deptt. of Chemistry, N.B.U.
7. Sri R.K. Ghosh, Deputy Registrar, N.B.U.

1. The Committee decided that the proposal for starting Post-B.Sc. Diploma Courses in Computer Science be referred to the Academic Committee for consideration.

2. The Committee noted that the U.G.C. has agreed to provide of Rs. 50,000/- p.a. during sixth Plan Period for buying Computer Time to meet the requirements of research programme under-taken by the departments of the University. In this connection the committee decided to write to U.G.C. for allocation of a sum of Rs. 35,000/- out of the grant of Rs. 50/000/- sanctioned for expansion of the existing computer facilities so that the researchers may use more computer time locally.

3. The Committee noted the questionaire sent by U.G.C. and decided that Sri B. Majee shall fill in the questionaire sent by U.G.C. and forwar it to the Vice-Chancellor for onward transmission to the U.G.C. In connection with question No. 15(e) of the above questionnaire it was decided that B. Majee as convener of R.S.C. shall be entrusted with the installation of the Computer system as and when sanctioned by U.C.C. In this connection the committee requested Sri Majee to continue to act as Convenor, Research Service Centre at present.

4. The committee decided to recommend the proposal that not more than one hour of the existing available Computer Time may be utilised for out side demands for Computer service. The charges will be double the existing internal charges. In this connection the committee desired that this may be referred to the next meeting of the University Council for approval.

5. It is resolved that the staff of Research Service Centre may be put under the control of the Convenor of Research Service Centre Committee.

6. The committee recommended that the University teachers who do not have any research grant may be given some free computer time at the discretion of the Vice-Chancellor. In this connection the committee desires that this may be referred to the next meeting of the University Council for approval.

Sd/- R. K. Ghosh
Sd/- B. Majee
Sd/- S. Pal
Sd/- S. Mukherjee

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Annexure-IV

University of North Bengal
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur(Darjeeling)

Minutes of the 61st meeting of the North Bengal University Council held on Tuesday, the 6th April, 1982 at 9-15 A. M. in the Conference Room of the Administrative Building, Raja Rammohunpur.

Members present :

1. Dr. P. K. Ghosh, Vice-Chancellor (in the chair)
2. Shri G. S. Banerjee, Secretary, Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal
3. Dr. I. K. Chatterjee
4. Shri Subrata Chanda
5. Dr. Dr. H. Bhaumik, Principal, Jalpaiguri Govt. Engineering College
6. Dr. G. C. Chatterjee, Principal, Malda College
7. Dr. S. N. Sen, Professor of Physics, N.B.U.
8. Shri Bimal K. Das, Reader in Chemistry, N.B.U.
9. Shri Debabrata Ghosh, Lecturer, A.C. College, Jalpaiguri
10. Shri Madhusudan Das, Lecturer, Alipurduar College
11. Dr. P. K. Gupta, Principal, Tufanganj Mahavidyalaya
12. Shri Asoke Guha, Lecturer, Raiganj (University) College.

1. The Council approved the Programme of the 16th Convocation.

(Appendix I)

2. The records of Diplomas to be conferred at the Convocation were signed by the Chancellor when he came to the University after the meeting was over.

3. The Council approved the list of candidates admitted to the degree of Ph.D. in Arts and Science.

4. The Council approved the list of recipient of Medals.

(Appendix II)

5. The Council while approving the recommendation of the Committee decided that the First Vice-Chancellor's Medal be awarded to Shri Dilip Kumar Sarkar, a student of Political Science.

The Chancellor came at 9-30 A.M. and met the members of the Council.

As per programme the Convocation was held where the Chancellor presided.

(Appendix - III)

Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie
SECRETARY

Sd/- P. K. Ghosh
CHAIRMAN

ad/-

HE VICE-CHANCELLOR addresses the Convocation.

HE CHANCELLOR addresses the Convocation.

ational Anthem.

HE CHANCELLOR declares the Convocation closed.

THE CHANCELLOR, THE VICE-CHANCELLOR, THE CHIEF GUEST and MEMBERS of the North Bengal University Council, the University Officers and the Members, Academic Committee will retire in procession. All present shall remain standing till the procession has left.

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Timing of the Programme of the Convocation

9-15 A.M.
Meeting of the North Bengal University Council at the Conference Room of the Administrative Building.

10-00 A.M.
Robing and Taking up position in the Procession.

10-10 A.M.
Procession starts.

10-15 A.M.
Procession Ends, Invocation—Garlaiding Convocation declared open by the Chancellor.

0-30 A.M.
Convocation address by the Chief Guest, Dr. Ramachandra Rao, Vice-Chairman, University Grants Commission.

10-40 A.M.
Award of Medals, degrees etc.

11-25 A.M.
Address by the Vice-Chancellor.

11-40 A.M.
Chancellor's address.

National Anthem

Convocation declared closed by the Chancellor and the procession retires.

Appendix -I

Procedure

of the

16th Convocation

of the

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

TUESDAY, APRIL 6, 1982
10-00 A.M.

अनुशासन	विद्यार्थी वर्ग स्वीकार गर्नुहोस् ।
उच्चतर विद्या प्राप्त गर्न सदैव	
प्रयत्नशील होऊ—	जी आज्ञा
आफ्नु कर्तव्य परिपालन गर—	,,
सधै साँचो बोल—	,,
माता पिता र गुरुजनमा सदैव श्रद्धालु बन—	,,
आत्मोन्नति र उन्नत समाज गठन को लागि	
प्राप्त ज्ञान व्यवहार गर—	,,
विद्यास्थान आत्मलाई प्रेम गर—	,,
जन्मभूमि प्रति सदैव सेवारत होऊ—	,,

यो उपदेश हो । यही आदेश हो । यही नै विशेष अनुशासन हो ।

উচ্চতর জ্ঞানের পথ অনুসরণ করবে—	শপথ নিচ্ছি করব
নিজের কর্ত্তব্য পালন করবে—	শপথ নিচ্ছি করব
সত্য কথা বলবে—	শপথ নিচ্ছি বলব
পিতামাতা ও গুরুবর্গের প্রতি	
ভক্তিমান হবে—	শপথ নিচ্ছি হব
আত্মোন্নতির জন্য এবং সমাজ গঠনে	
লব্ধ জ্ঞান প্রয়োগ করবে—	শপথ নিচ্ছি করব
নিজ শিক্ষা প্রতিষ্ঠানকে ভালবাসবে—	শপথ নিচ্ছি ভালবাসব
মাতৃভূমিকে সেবা করবে ও রক্ষা করবে—	শপথ নিচ্ছি করব

এটি উপদেশ ॥ এটি আদেশ ॥ এটি-ই অনুশাসন ॥

The members of the North Bengal University Council, the Members of the Academic Committee and the University Officers will assemble in the Health Centre at 9-55 A.M. on April 6, 1982.

A Procession will be formed at 10-00 A.M. in the following order.

The Registrar
The Librarian
Controller of Examinations
The Finance Officer
The Inspector of Colleges
Members, Academic Committee
Members of the North Bengal University Council
The Chancellor, the Chief Guest and the Vice-Chancellor.

On the approach of the procession, the assembly shall rise and remain standing until the Chancellor, the Vice-Chancellor, the Chief Guest and the members of the North Bengal University Council, and the Members, Academic Committee have taken their seats.

Invocation—Garlaiding.

The Chancellor declares the Convocation open.

When the candidates for Degrees stand up, the Vice-Chancellor exhorts them as follows :—

I exhort you as follows :—

Pursue higher knowledge	I take the pledge
Do your duty	,,
Speak the truth	,,
Show devotion to your parents and preceptors	,,
Use your knowledge to improve yourself and to better society	,,
Love your alma mater	,,
Love and defend your Motherland	,,

This is the teaching ; this is the command ; this is the special injunction.

The Chancellor requests the Chief Guest to address the Convocation.

The Chief Guest, Prof. B. Ramachandra Rao, delivers the Convocation address.

The REGISTRAR presents the recipients of the University and other Medals.

The VICE-CHANCELLOR says, "Let the candidates degrees be presented".

a) The REGISTRAR presents the candidates for t Ph. D. degree.

b) Prof. N. C. Chowdhury, the Head of the Depa ment of Sociology and Social Anthropology presents the Po Graduate students of Arts and Commerce.

c) Prof. S. N. Sen, the Head of the Department Physics presents the Post-Graduate students of Science.

d) PRINCIPALS of the respective Constituent a affiliated Colleges present their candidates and

e) The REGISTRAR presents the external candidates.

In each case, the candidates while being presented w remain standing.

Presentation of candidates will be in the followi terms—

Sir, I present to you the candidates of the..... .....College, who have passed the Degr Examinations of 1979 and 1980 and pray they may l admitted to the degree of Master of Arts/Master Commerce/Master of Science/Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor Science/Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Education/Bachel of Engineering/Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surge and Bachelor of Law.

THE VICE-CHANCELLOR will then say—

'By virtue of the authority vested in me as VICE-CHAN CELLOR of the University of North Bengal, I admit you t the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy/Master of Arts/Maste of Commerce/Master of Science/Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor Science/Bachelor of Commerce/Bachelor of Education/Bach lor of Engineering/Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor Surgery and Bachelor of Law of this University, and I charg you that ever in your life and conversation you shall prov yourselves worthy of the same'.

THE CHANCELLOR calls upon the VICE-CHANCELLO to deliver his address.

AWARD OF MEDALS ON THE OCCASION OF THE 16TH CONVOCATION, 1982 (FOR EXAMINATION, 1979) Appendix-II

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UNIVERSITY SILVER MEDAL WITH GOLD RIM & CREST

SL.NO.	Name	Subject	Exams.	Position.
1.	Smt. Anita Chakraborty (Rammohun (P) 8)	Philosophy	M.A.	1st Cl. 1st
2.	Sri Ramkrishna Mitra (Rammohun (Ec) 15)	Economics	M.A.	1st Cl. 1st
3.	Sri Mohanprasad Dahal (Rammohun (N) 2)	Nepali	M.A.	1st Cl. 1st
4.	Sri Tankabahadur Subba (Rammohun (SSA) 8)	Sociology & Social Anthropology	M.A.	1st Cl. 1st
5.	Sm. Urmilla Rumba (Rammohun (Geo) 13)	Geography	M.A.	1st Cl. 1st
6.	Sri Asish Kumar Das (Rammohun (Ph) 7)	Physics	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
7.	Sri Abul Hassan (Rammohun (Ch) 10)	Chemistry	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
8.	Sri Syamal Kumar Basak (Rammohun (M) 1)	Mathematics	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
9.	Sri Sanja Dolma Tamang (Dar (Sc) Zoo. 4)	Zoology	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st

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10.	Sri Suvash Ch. Dasgupta (Rammohun (E) 11)	English	M.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
11.	Sri Santosh Chakdar (Rammohun (B) 3)	Bengali	M.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
12.	Md. Yusuf Ali (Rammohun (H) 11)	History	M.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
13.	Sri Anil Kumar Chanda (Rammohun (PS) 4)	Pol. Science	M.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
14.	Sri Sankar Kumar Bhaumik (Rammohun (Ec) 22)	Economics	M.A.	1st Cl. 2nd
15.	Sri Arjuncharan Nayak (Rammohun (P) 6)	Philosophy	M.A.	1st Cl. 2nd

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UNIVERSITY SILVER MEDAL

Sl. No.	Name	Subject	Exams.	Position
16.	Sri Deepak Kumar Giri (Rammohun (N) 4)	Nepali	M.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
17.	Sri Biswajyoti Bhattacharya (Rammohun (SSA) 2)	Sociology & Social Anthropology	M.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
18.	Sri Bhabesh Ch. Indra (Rammohun (Com) 9)	Commerce	M.Com.	2nd Cl. 1st
19.	Sri Nikhil Sarkar (Rammohun (Ph) 9)	Physics	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 2nd
20.	Sri Dibakar Sinha (Rammohun (Ch) 5)	Chemistry	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 2nd
21.	Sm. Sipra Mandal (Rammohun (M) 11)	Mathematics	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 2nd
22.	Sm. Sarala Tamang (Rammohun (Geo) 9)	Geography	M.A.	1st Cl. 2nd
23.	Neeru Pradhan (Dar (Sc) Zoo. 7)	Zoology	M.Sc.	1st Cl. 2nd
24.	Sm. Shampa Mitra (Dar (Sc) Bot. 2)	Botany	M.Sc.	2nd Cl. 1st
25.	Sri Subhasis Sarkar (Sushruta - 39)		M.B.B.S.	1st position in M.B.B.S. Examination.

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26.	Sri Shyamal Sarkar (Sushruta -15)		M.B.B.S.	2nd position in M.B.B.S. Examination.

PRIVATE ENDOWMENT MEDALS

Sl.No.	Name	Awarded to	Donor
27.	Tariniprasad Ray Medal	Sri Asish Kr. Das (1st Cl. 1st in M.Sc.(Physics)	Sri Satyendra Prasad Roy
28.	Surendranath Bhattacharyya Medal	Sri Abul Hassan (1st Cl. 1st in M.Sc. (Chemistry)	Sri Anandamay Bhattacharyya
29.	Kiranchandra Bhattacharyya Medal	Sri Syamal Kr. Basak (1st Cl. 1st in M.Sc. (Mathematics)	Sri Kantichandra Bhattacharyya
30.	Abaninath Bhattacharyya Medal	Sri Suvash Ch. Dasgupta (2nd Cl. 1st in M.A.(English)	Sri Anandamay Bhattacharyya
31.	Mukutmani Medal	Sri Ramkrishna Mitra (1st Cl. 1st in M.A. (Economics)	Sri Kalipada Mukutmani
32.	Surajmohini Debi Medal	Md. Yusuf Ali (2nd Cl. 1st in M.A. (History)	Sri Nripen Baksi

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Sl.No.	Name of the Medal	Awarded to	Position
33.	Uday-Somnath-Ashok Memorial Medal	Sri Ranjan Kr. Choudhuri	M.B.B.S. 1st Professional
34.	Uday-Somnath-Ashok Memorial Medal	Sri Subhasis Sarkar	M.B.B.S. 2nd Professional
35.	Uday-Somnath-Ashok Memorial Medal	Smt. Suvra Choudhuri	M.B.B.S. 3rd Professional
36.	Dr. Amulya Kr. Ghosh Memorial Medal	Sri Prakhar Ch. Das (1st Position in Pathology(M.B.B.S.) 1979.	Dr. Bijon Kr. Ghosh and Dr. Benoy Kr. Ghosh

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UNIVERSITY SILVER MEDAL

Sl.No.	Name	Subject	Exams.	Position
1.	Md. Mazaffarul Islam (Mal (Sc) 1)	Chemistry	B.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
2.	Sri Subrata Guha (Coo (Sc) 10)	Physics	B.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
3.	Sm. Neemlaxmi Shakya (Dar (sc) F. 25)	Zoology	B.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
4.	Sm. Ishani Gupta (Dar (Sc) F. 21)	Botany	B.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
5.	Sm. Krishna Guha (Sili (Sc) F. 4)	Geography	B.Sc.	1st Cl. 1st
6.	Sri Rajendra Kr. Singhi (Jal (Com) 6)	Commerce	B.Com	1st Cl. 1st
7.	Sri Debashis Ray. (Jal (C) 25)	Civil	B.E.	1st Cl. 1st.
8.	Sri Alok Basu (Jal (M) 50)	Mechanical	B.E.	1st Cl. 1st
9.	Sri Tapas Banerjee (Jal (E) 17)	Electrical	B.E.	1st Cl. 1st
10.	a) Sri Nagendra Bhowmick (Rammohun (FL) 1)	Law	LL.B.	1st Cl. 1st
10.	b) Sri Suresh Kumar Agarwal (Rammohun (FL) 5)	Law	LL.B.	1st Cl. 1st

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11.	Sri Sidhartha Bhattacharjee (Dar - 1)	English	B.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
12.	Sri Kanak Chanda (Coo. 2)	Bengali	B.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
13.	Sri Lalanprasad Gupta (Dar. 13)	Pol. Science	B.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
14.	Sm. Yangchen L. Tshering (Dar. F. 5)	History	B.A.	2nd Cl. 1st
15.	Sri Sangay Yolmoo (Dar. 7)	Nepali	B.A.	2nd Cl. 1st

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Sl.No.	Name	Subject	Exams.	Position
16.	~~Sri Jagannath Bhattacharya (Coo (Sc) 13)~~	~~Chemistry~~	~~B.Sc.~~	~~2nd Cl. 1st.~~
17.	Sm. Anita Gurung (Dar (Sc) F. 26)	Zoology	B.Sc.	2nd Cl. 1st.
18.	Md. Dabirul Islam (Dar (Sc) 2)	Botany	B.Sc.	2nd Cl. 1st.
19.	Sm. Renuka Barman (Sili (Sc) F. 3)	Geography	B.Sc.	2nd Cl. 1st.
20.	Sri Santosh Kr. Singhi (Jal (Com) 5)	Commerce	B.Com	1st Cl. 2nd
21.	Sri Sisir Kr. Saha (Jal (C) 3)	Civil	B.E.	1st Cl. 2nd
22.	Sri Syamal Bandyapadhyay (Jal (M) 4)	Mechanical	B.E.	1st Cl. 2nd
23.	Sri Subrata Ghosh (Jal (E) 4)	Electrical	B.E.	1st Cl. 2nd
24.	Sm. Malabika Basu (Jal. F. 5)		B.Ed.	1st Cl. 1st.
25.	Sri Biswanath Sarkar (Matha - 3)		B.A. (Pass)	1st position in B.A. Pass with distinction.
26.	Sm. Tshering Wangmo Basi (Kalim (Com) F. 3)		B.Com. (Pass)	1st position in B.Com. Pass with distinction.
27.	Sm. Sibani Das (Coo. (Sc) F. 2).		B.Sc. (Pass)	1st position in B.Sc. Pass with distinction.

PRIVATE ENDOWMENT MEDAL

Sl.No.	Name	Awarded to	Donor
28.	Tarapada Banerjee Medal	Sri Sidhartha Dhattacharjee (2nd Cl. 1st in B.A. Hons. in English)	Late Tarapada Banerjee
29.	Jyotsnamayee Medal	Sm. Archana Chakraborty (Highest marks among the girl's students in B.A. (pass course) with distinction (Jal. F. 275)	Late Tarapada Banerjee
30.	Jyotsnamayee Medal	Sm. Sibani Das (Coo.(Sc) F. 2) (Highest marks among the girl's students in B.Sc. (Pass Course) with distinction.	Late Tarapada Banerjee
31.	First Vice-Chancellor's Medal	Sri Dilip Kr. Sarkar	Prof. B.N. Dasgupta

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Appendix - IV

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

SIXTEENTH ANNUAL CONVOCATION

Address

by

H. E. Shri B.D. Pande,

Governor, West Bengal

and

Chancellor

North Bengal University

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Mr. Vice-Chancellor, Professor Rao, ladies and gentlemen, and students.

It is always a privilege to be in the midst of distinguished educationists, teachers and students specially on a solemn, yet joyous occasion like the Convocation. On your behalf and on mine I would like to thank Prof. B. Rama Chandra Rao, a renowned educationist for accepting the invitation to be the Chief Guest for today's function. His address will not only benefit the University but has been of interest to all who are present here.

Your University is situated at the foot-hills of the great Himalayan range. From the most ancient times to the modern, it has been a source of inspiration to our thinkers and poets. It has attracted the most adventurous people from all parts of the world. Swami Vivekananda described it as "Father of Mountains where Rishis lived, where philosophy was born." You are fortunate to be studying in these beautiful surroundings which are picturesque and ever-green. Such surroundings have an unconscious but beneficial effect on the development of one's personality.

Inspite of rapid growth and developments in different fields, we are facing considerable tension, want and exploitation in society. All these are disturbing to human relationship. Some of these are the inevitable consequence of change in the political, economic and social spheres. It is therefore necessary that the existing value systems be changed and adjusted to the new requirements. Only thus can the gap between material development and intellectual development be reduced for the growth of a balanced personality and in the interest of all. According to the Sixth Five Year Plan document - "Education, broadly perceived as a seamless continuum of life-long learning, is essential for human resource development at every age level. In a package of developmental inputs available to the community, education should form

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an effective means to improve the status and character of living patterns of the people, help intellectual, social and emotional development of the individuals and enable them to meet their basic needs of daily life."

The Vice-Chancellor has already indicated the activities and developments of your University. Like everyone else, the University is also facing financial constraints. There are likely to be many other problems. Our Government is also in a difficult financial position. Despite this, however, it is extending the maximum possible financial assistanceto this University. Recently some additional funds have been released for various purposes. At the same time, there is need for considerable financial discipline so as to get maximum benefits out of the limited resources. Therefore, I would appeal that all efforts be made to avoid wasteful expenditure and make the best use of the existing funds.

This University which is required to meet the needs of higher education of the students and scholars of the districts of North Bengal and Sikkim has a unique contribution to make. The University, besides imparting higher education in the usual subjects, may also carefully examine whether it can introduce a course of interdisciplinary studies for the socio-economic development of North Bengal plains districts. The Planning Commission has already entrusted this University with funds to make a special study of the hill regions of Darjeeling and of Sikkim. Such a study is of paramount importance if we are to preserve the ecology and special life styles of these hill regions. Being situated at the foothills of the Himalayas, the University can also make a study in depth of the special problems and customs of the hill tribes as well as of the people of Coochbehar and Jalpaiguri districts. There is very great scope to study the folk songs, folk stories, folk poems of these areas. Students studying in this University, who are mainly inhabitants of the neighbouring districts and Sikkim should be made aware of the sociological and anthropological background of the people in these areas.

Education does not mean only imparting of information but concerns the whole person. It is necessary that in this process of education, not only has the student's intellect to be stimulated, but his feelings have to be respected, his body nurtured and his will to learn strengthened. This throws a great task on the teachers. The knowledge and learning that is imparted has to be for the benefit of the student as well as society as a whole. The educational system has to be designed in accordance with the requirements of a country and it must have a

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relevance not only to the existing situation but of the future. The endeavour has also to be to prevent wastage of national resources and check furtherance of educated unemployment on a large scale.

Since independence there has been a phenomenal growth in the field of higher eduoation. Many defects and shortcomings have also come to notice which have been commented upon by various commissions and other agencies. Education should not be only for acquiring degrees and diplomas but it should be relevant to the requirements and needs of the society and individual as well. More attention needs to be paid to the middle or higher school level so that students are encouraged to go in for such courses which will enable them to establish and obtain self-employment as far as possible. Proper courses of study for this purpose have to be designed.

The total development of the country is dependent upon planned growth of both urban and rural areas. Each requires equal attention. But their needs are different. In our country there has been a disparity in growth between the rural and urban areas and their people. Can this University, in the midst of a large rural hinterland, make special studies and suggest methodologies which can make for rapid advancement of the rural areas and provide opportunities of gainful employment to the educated? I confess I have no answer, but an active involvement of the teachers and students together may help in finding an answer.

There is a tendency among some of the academic community to remain in seclusion. The general thinking today is that Universities should be a part and parcel of the society around them and its members should identify themselves with its dreams and aspirations. A methodology for such a contact and integration has to be developed.

During the last thirty years we have seen great changes in all spheres of life - political, social, scientific, economic, cultural and so on, some of which could not even be foreseen beforehand. Much more rapid and extensive changes are also likely to occur in the next twentyfive years. It is necessary that the young are prepared to meet the challenges of the future. The syllabus and the academic curriculum have to be so prepared as to suit the changing conditions.

Many of you will be leaving the University shortly and enter into a new world where you will come across many challenges in life. I am sure, you will face them boldly and with a smile and overcome them. I congratulate the recipients of the degrees and diplomas today and I wish all of them a bright future.

Thank you.

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Distinguished Chancellor,
Vice-Chancellor,
Members of the Faculty
Graduates of the year,
Ladies and Gentlemen,

May I take this opportunity of expressing my heartfelt gratitudes to the Chancellor, Vice Chancellor and Faculty Members for inviting me to deliver the convocation address of this highly esteemed university of North Bengal. This is an auspicious occassion for the university, in general, and graduates and post-graduates students, in particular, who will be obtaining their degrees today and would be entering in a new arena of life and work. While awarding them degrees the first thing which strikes me most is about their carect prospects, especially at a time when we are confronted with the threatening problem of unemployment and the university degrees do not hold any promise to serve as a passport to job. Nor does the present system of education provide them an adventurous spirit, a self-confidence, faith in one's own resources and the functional capability to start a small scale industry or some business enterprise. Most of our students who have been accommodated in the university system do not have any purpose in life and they are primarily staying in the system because they do not have anything else to do except to find some suitable job in the government or non-governmental agencies. Whenever I visit an institution of higher education, I generally get upset on looking at the grim and gloomy faces of young students because of the poor job opportunities in our developing society. This is understandable because their main motive for obtaining university education is to get some secure and pensionable job preferably in the public sector.

It is rather sad that we have not cared to understand the implications of the university education in terms of man-

making, nation-building and world-making as enunciated by Swami Vivekananda and Sri Aurobindo. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru gave a highly perceptive and incisive definition of the university in a convocation address at the University of Allahabad in 1947. He said. "A university stands for humanism, for tolerance, for reason, for the adventure of ideas and for the search of truth. It stands for the onward march of the human race towards even higher objectives. If the universities discharge their duties adequately then it is well with the nation and the people", Rabindranath Tagore in his memorable poem has viewed the university education in terms of the actualization of maximum human potentials, the emancipation of mind from various fears and the preparation of individual for his voyage to self-discovery, He writes :

Where the mind is without fear and the head is held high;
Where knowledge is free;
Where the world has not been broken up into fragments by narrow domestic walls;
Where words come out from the depth of truth;
Where tireless striving stretches its arms towards perfection;
Where the clear stream of reason has not lost its way into the dreary desert sand of dead habit;
Where the mind is led forward by thee into ever widening thought and action—
Into that heaven of freedom, my Father, let my country awake.

Why we have not been able to operationalize the educational ideas of our thinkers and seers in the educational system during the post-independence period is a serious question which we have to address ourselves today to find out a sound and reasonable answer. Granted that there may not be a simplified prescription to this complex problem, we should not abandon our quest for a new educational alternative. Perhaps this is the right place for posing this issue and we might succeed in locating an appropriate educational alternative along with the operational strategies for overcoming the present-day educational stalemate. I deliberately used the word "right place" because whenever I look at the contribu-

tions of the Bengal State towards the awakening of the political consciousness among the Indian people, providing them a rich cultural ideology and new energy and a driving force for fighting a relentless battle against the colonial rulers during the pre-independent days, I am overwhelmed with the mixed feelings of joy and agony. Joy because at such a critical juncture of the Indian history, the State of Bengal could produce distinguished multi-dimensional personalities like Raja Ram Mohan Roy, Sri Aurobindo, C.R. Dass, Austosh Mookerji, Bankim Chandra Chatterji, Swami Vivekananda, Rabindranath Tagore and Subash Chandra Bose who not only furnished us an ideological framework for the emancipation of the country from foreign domination but they were themselves relentless fighters and revolutionaries and nothing was more dear to them than the freedom of the country. One is deeply moved by the literature produced by these distinguished luminaries of Bengal like Rabindranath Tagore, Bankim Chandra Chatterji, Sri Aurobindo and Swami Vivekananda which explicity or implicity contributed to the cultural renaissance in the country. While the people of other parts of the country were living in complacency and accepting passively the colonial rule, Bengal was struggling for national identity and cultural autonomy. In fact, the national objective and ideals were furnished by the revolutionaries of Bengal to the leaders of other parts of the country.

What depresses me most is why we could not carry forward and appropriately integrate the idealistic ideology, a sense of belonging to the nation, a cultural momentum, an adventurous spirit and an invincible faith in the humanistic values furnished to us by our national elites in our planned developmental programmes for the reconstruction of the country during the post-independence period. Indeed, the entire freedom movement was built on the rich Indian cultural ethos. A set of cultural values that could hold population together were meaningfully employed to harness the energies of masses towards the social and political reforms and cultural revitalization. These values became sufficient cause for the growth of our national ideology and modernization of our socio-economic structure. The pre-independence political

elites drew the symbols from the pragmatism of the Vedas, the logical metaphysics of Upanishads and the karma yoga or the philosophy of positive action as contained in the Gita'. Their idealism was deeply rooted in ethical principles and non-acquisitive forces. For example, Gandhiji always insisted on containing the multiplication of wants of the individual and austerity in our style of living. The current ecological crisis should make humanity pause and think to re-discover the significance of Gandhian ideas to contain the ecological imbalance.

The point which I 'am trying to make is that why we could not incorporate our rich cultural ideology in our socioeconomic development programmes. The process of modernization demands, spontaneous upsurge of values and motives for laying the firm foundations of economic development. In the absence of clearly defined and coherent cultural goals, it is difficult to achieve a balanced and continuous economic growth. The healthy and positive relationship must be willed and worked out. There are enough evicences to substantiate our point of view that in all modern societies the cultural values were the natural concomitants in the process of their industrialization. According to Max Weber, protestantism was the major cultural influence during the formative phase of industrialization. In Russia, it was Bolshevism which served as the fountain-head for carrying out the industrial revolution. The Puritans of England and the Samurai of Japan also exploited both the instinct of non-acquisitiveness and rich moral propensities for economic development. It should not be overlooked that the major determinant of economic growth is not the resource allocation, but optimum use of human development. The economic breakthrough calls for a new deal in emotions: a definite cultural ideology, commitment to work ethic and high moral and intellectual standards. It calls for a decisive shift of resources and power from the parasites to the productive classes. Why could not we employ our rich cultural tradition: this-worldly austerity and ethical impulses to achieve a balanced growth of economy and a rich qualitative life?

Partly the reason of this failure can be located in the role and structure of the elite of our society. This is not the place

to identify the characteristics and qualities of modern elites and compare them with the national elites of pre-independence days, but the point which I intend to make is that modern intellectual and bureaucratic elites have no moorings in the Indian cultural ethos, have acquired contempt for manual and technical type of work and Consequently, they suffer from deep-rooted sense of status anxiety. This loss is serious and is affecting deeply the healthy growth of our polity, society and economy. Unless we are able to recover in our life-styles a sense of belonging to the national ethos, commitment to work ethic, an invincible faith in cultural and humanistic values, a scientific temper, a deep interest in the welfare and love for the down-trodden, I'am afraid we would not succeed in achieving the national goal of an egalitarian social order in the near future.

Perhaps the time has come when we must do ruthless introspection into our planned developmental priorities to find out our major weaknesses in the planning process. The planning was introduced in our country in the early fifties with highly laudable objectives that it would generate a co-ordinated growth in various developmental sectors and facilitate the process of equalization of opportunities by modifying the structural and societal constraints in our society. Apart from enhancing the level of rationality in the process of developmental tasks, there were many other considerations which prompted us to go in for five year planned programmes. Perhaps in our search for planned developmental strategy, we were guided by the experience of East European countries. Through the planning process in all the fields of social and human activities these Countries had been able to achieve dramatic results in organising the state responsibility. A critical analysis of the total planning programme in general, and educational planning in particular, would demonstrate that this process might have helped in the identification of specific projections and the formulation of dynamic decisions but its overall impact in solving the threatening problem of poverty, unemployment, distribution of socio-economic benefits and in accomplishing structural and societal reforms has been marginal. On the contrary, it has perpetuated conservative tendency of *status*

quo and the theoretical and methodological models of social and human development which it recommended were inadequate to the needs and aspirations of people and the environmental situation. The models were built from the apex of the pyramid, showing the way people should develop. It was assumed, that the people would conform to these models but they did not. Because of the inherent defects in the planning process, we could not mobilize and involve our masses in the developmental tasks. What we have witnessed are the glaring disparities between the urban rich and the rural poor and sectoral and regional imbalances in the developmental process. That precisely explains the reason that our planners and policy-makers are in somewhat chastened mood while recommending fresh planning orthodoxies of development.

Looking at the Sixth Five Year Plan document, one is amazed by the fact that over forty-eight percent of population still lives below the poverty-line without any access to modern educational system, social welfare programmes and transport and communication systems, and approximately eighty percent people are still living in an impoverished rural environment and urban slums and are suffering various forms of socio-economic exploitation, deprivation and injustices.

It is sad but it is widely accepted today that whatever socio-economic benefits have occured as a result of planned developmental programmes, its major share has been taken away by the articulate upper middle class and landed gentry and the rural people have been grossly neglected in this imbalanced process of development. This is a serious lapse on the part of our planners and policy-makers to allocate the major financial and manpower resources to the development of urban segment of population at the cost of rural economy. Currently, this imbalance has become a source of tension and is often reflected in various class and caste conflicts which are adversely affecting the productivity of the system.

In the present socio-economic environment, nothing is more important than a radical departure from the existing planned developmental strategies and priorities for accelerating the pace of development of our rural environment and enhancing the quality of the people living under various cons-

traints with the application of science and technology. In fact, both the material and manpower resources of rural areas are awaiting for development. This is a unique challenge and promising opportunity for our scientists, social scientists, technologists and planners to ensure an integrated development of rural environment by developing, designing and fabricating appropriate technologies and training programmes, suitable to the environmental situations and socio-cultural needs of the rural population.

A word of caution is necessary in this regard because the technological and developmental models which we employed during the course of planned developmental programmes were imported from developed societies of the world and I would not be exaggerating that these technological models had been declared obsolete and redundant in their own native habitates because of the emergence of new concept of development in the western developed societies of the world during the early seventies. It is on account of these developmental models that the western society has got under the grip of ecological crisis. Environmental pollution and the degradation of the quality of life. The transplanting of these models on different environmental situation and socio cultural units was bound to generate unbalanced development of socio-economic growth, which our planners and policy-makers could not forsee, let alone quantify. Worst of all, they have generated a set of socio-psychological conflicts and various forms of alienations, consumerism, hardening, poverty, deterioration in our standards of life and fragmentation of basic human values which have become a great menace to the healthy growth of our society, and our creative thinkers and functional elites are looking before and after as how to arrest the flow of the impersonal forces which are desecrating aimlessly, yet compulsively in our social environment.

In such a situation, it is necessary for us to design and fabricate appropriate technologies which would ensure an accelerated pace of integrated rural development and improve the quality of life without dislocating the beauty of our flora and fauna. This is a delicate balance which we have to strike thoughtfully and carefully. It may be receptulated that the

deliberations of the Indian Science Congress [illegible] Session held at Waltair, Andhra Pradesh in [illegible] centered around the theme of Science and [illegible] Development. In her inaugral address, the [illegible] Smt. Srimati Indira Gandhi pointed attention to the fact that the drain of talent from village to town is an elder form of brain drain ... no less notable is the economic drain from rural to urban area. She asked that this economic and talent drain from the village to the city be reversed. A working group consisting of representatives of the Department of Rural Development, Agricultural Research and Education (DARE), Science and Technology (DST), Planning Commission and the Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) was set up in May, 1976 to select at least one district in each state for initiating an integrated rural development project. The choice of district was based on certain criteria, such as :

(i) economically backward districts that have considerable development potentials;
(ii) districts in which problem of rural unemployment and under-employment are acute;
(iii) districts that already have certain basic developmental infrastructure; and
(iv) districts in which scientific and technological institutions have already begun working.

With the completion of this basic exercise, the overall responsibility for implementing the programme has been entrusted to the Department of Rural Development. In the absence of an evaluatory study on the subject, it would be difficult to say with any degree of authenticity about the performance of this project, but whatever scanty data is available, clearly indicate that we have not been able to achieve considerable success on this front.

In any analysis of the developmental strategies, we cannot afford to overlook the foundamental fact that the higher education is of strategic importance in stimulating economic growth and social change. This tends to drive us to know the direction of educational advances and their implications on educational planning, learning methodologies, testing and evaluation techniques, curricula reforms and the viable growth of educat-

ional system in particular, and socio-economic development in general.

Immediately after the attainment of country's independence, the Government of India set up the university education commission under the chairmanship of Dr. S. Radhakrishnan "to report on Indian university education and suggest improvement and expansion that may be desirable to suit the present and future requirements of the country". Following on the recommendation of the *University Education Commission Report (1948-49)*, the University Grants Commission was established as a statutory autonomous organization under the Parliament Act of 1956 to disburse grants and take all such, steps as it may think fit for the promotion and coordination of University education and for the determination and maintenance of standards of teaching, examination and research in universities. The educational activity in the country has witnessed a spectacular growth during the post-independence period due to a combination of factors and has come to be identified as a great leap forward. As against 19 universities and some 450 colleges with a total enrolment of 2,50,000 students at the time of independence, the country has acquired 112 universities, 12 institutions deemed to be universities and 4,722 colleges with a total enrolment of 27,52,437 students as given in the annual report of 1980-81 of the University Grants Commission. The number of students enrolment would have been still higher, had the University Grants Commission not excluded students enrolment in intermediate, pre-university and pre-professional classes from its report.

Though the planning of education was introduced in India with the idea of evolving an effective strategy for the development of educational system, however, the growth has occurred not in response to the planning processes, but under the dictates of socio-political pressures. The educational planners have been primarily concerned with the statistics of growth potential, patterns and conditions of growth but they did little professional exercise how far the development of education is going to bring about the distribution of educational opportunities across different regional or social groups of the population, and how to re-orient and re-organize the edu-

cational system in both structural and substantative terms to make it functionally more efficient and effective? Its main contribution has been to map out a pattern of development that would assure a more or less linear expansion of *status quo*. There is a growing consensus that this lop-sided expansion of higher education in the country has brought the educational system to a critical point. Its implications can seen on the dilution of quality of educational standards, the deterioration of excellence in the styles of teaching, growing student indiscipline and general poverty in the management and administration of universities.

The major problem which is bothering the educational planners and policy-makers, is how to reconcile between quantity and quality of education, and quality and equality of education? Is there any inherent contradiction between them? The advocates of excellence in education believe that if students from impoverished socio-economic backgrounds with poor motivation and inadequate mental preparation are admitted in the system they are bound to spell disaster to the viable growth of the system, as it has happened on the contemporary educational scene. If we follow this assumption, it would mean that we would be keeping students belonging to rural communities and urban slums away from the system of higher education and our objective of equalisation of educational opportunity would remain an elusive dream. Let me tell you a little bluntly that if we keep students belonging to culturally and economically backward communities away from the system, we would not only be only blocking the way to their socio-economic mobility but would be inviting danger to our political and national stability and growth.

The major issue before us is how to promote, encourage and nurture talent drawn especially from the impoverished rural environment and urban slums? We cannot afford the potential talent to remain untapped because he is born in a surrounding where physical facilities of the actualization of his potential do not exist. It is necessary to evolve a mechanism for identifying a talent from these communities and providing him necessary educational and other facilities for the blossoming of his creative genius. It is true that the

National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) has introduced a scheme of science talent search some years ago, but I can say in the light of my knowledge and experience that most of the students selected under this scheme have come primarily from middle and upper classes and hardly any from the poorer sections got a chance. A more flexible and open-ended scheme is required which would be able to draw children especially at an early age especially from the impoverished home.

In any study of the educational development in the country we should not overlook the fundamental fact, that the system of education which we have got today is a legacy of the colonial rulers in our country. In the name of educational reforms we went on importing textbooks, curricula development models, evaluation techniques and testing tools, educational innovations and experimental models either from the United States or USSR or other European countries during the post-independence period and grafted them on the British system of education. This process of borrowing and following the methods of permutation and combination have resulted in making the system highly complex and bureaucratized. This process has generated a number of socio-psychological conflicts and we are now fruitlessly trying to emancipate ourselves from foreign educational models.

It would be interesting to note that most of our highly innovative educational experiments could not make a dent either in arresting the deterioration in the quality of education or bringing about an improvement in the structure and the institutional framework of the university system. Surprisingly, the implementation of most of these programmes was blocked by the powerful lobbies which have come to dominate in various bodies of the university. The procedure of approving any innovative programme by the university systems has become so complicated and bureaucratized that it takes a long time for any educational reform to go through various procedural formalities, like obtaining of the approval of the academic council, syndicate, senate and court. How to debureaucratize the governance models of our university system so that we could implement the desired educational innovations

and experimental models expeditiously? This is an area which we have to examine in-depth so that the university system becomes more dynamic and open-ended and responsive to the necessary change.

Another major weakness in the system which has currently assumed a considerable threat to the smooth functioning of institutions of higher learning relates to the politicization of campuses. Most of our campuses have become highly politicized and the politics is being brought to the campus environment by various political groups and parties who are using students for the advancement of their political prospects. It is rarely one comes accross students strikes, dharnas, gheraos of the Vice-Chancellor, or the faculty-member by the student community purely on account of the redressal of academic grievances. Most of the students strikes are sponsored by the vested political groups in which students either willingly or un-willingly get involved without knowing what they are fighting for.

This phenomenon is not only confined to the student community but our academic community is no exception to this rule. In fact, the academic community too has become highly politisized by aligning itself with one political party or another for the advancement of its ephemeral interests. It has been observed that it is the academic community which often triggers students power into action and is primarily responsible for the student violence and rampages in campuses. How to introduce the concept of accountability in our campuses is a problem of problems. Currently our academics are answerable to none except in the widest sense of term to the Vice-Chancellor. Can't we evolve a mechanism of rewards and punishments in the educational system? At present there is no method by which a good and excellent teacher can be rewarded and unmotivated teacher is reprimanded and debarred from the profession for his lack of commitment to the professional and intellectual ethics. Most of our teachers consider teaching as a perfunctory and peripheral activity and give importance to the research work in the entire educational endeavour. It is understandable because the system gives importance to research and publication work while determining the promo-

tional mobility of the teacher in terms of his career advancement. Research work, both basic and applied, is absolutely necessary for the extension of the frontiers of knowledge and stimulating the process of industrial development. But research and teaching activities are not opposed to each other rather they complement each other and enrich the entire educational endeavour. We must strike a balance between the research work and the teaching activity in the entire educational process for the healthy growth of the system.

While analysing the direction of educational development, one is often struck by the fact that our planners and policy-makers did not pay adequate attention to the development of human resources. By development of human resources, I mean the acquisition of functional capability accompanied with high degree of moral and intellectual integrity. The first, second and third Five Year Plan carried chapter on 'education' but did not say anything about the manpower or human resources development. It is only in the fourth five year plan that a chapter on education was combined with manpower development. The irony of situation is that while expanding the educational system, the planners did not care to plan it in terms of our manpower needs in the emerging and foreseeble future. The linkage between educational developments and manpower projections was not coherently spelt out even in professional, science and technological courses. This lopsided expansion of education has created a threatening problem of educated unemployment which is posing a danger to the productivity and economy of our country. The educational priorities were so ill-matched that in 1962 on the eve of Chinese aggression, we suddenly discovered serious shortages of our scientific and technological manpower. This discovery led to an expansion of scientific and technological education at an accelerated rate. Since we did not carry out any professional exercise while expanding scientific and technical education, we ran into serious trouble of unemployment problem of engineering graduates and post-graduates in the late sixties and early seventies. We achieved surplus in some areas of highly skilled manpower, but at the medium level we experienced shortages of manpower, and this mis-match in manpower projection has greatly distur-

bed our developmental programmes. The manpower planning should therefore be done seriously while expanding educational facilities for achieving an integrated socio-economic development in the country.

Granted that our growth strategy has brought the system to a critical point but this should not lead to the conclusion that we should halt the expansion of higher educational facilities in the country. But while expanding the system, we must give adequate attention to the quality of educational standards. Hardly four percent of our total population has been accommodated in the system, whereas in the developed societies of the world this percentage is very much higher ranging even from fifteen to twenty percent. What is needed is a balance between quality and quantity, and quality and equality for achieving a harmonious growth of our educational system. This need not be assumed that I am advocating further proliferation of colleges and universities but what I am suggesting is of effective and efficient utilisation of the existing physical facilities. Considering the pressure on the system we have to popularise alternative channels of the education by strengthening 'correspondence courses' and by establishing an Open University in the country. The Open University, London has done a remarkable job in providing educational opportunities to students who could not enter in the formal system of education due to a number of constraints. Even most of the developing societies have been able to establish an Open University in their respective countries. Why can't we expedite the process of establishing an Open University when we have got both hardwares and softwares.

The picture of Indian campus environment may look to be gloomy, but it should not dismay us. I would like to conclude this address with a note of optimism because of my great faith in the educational process. It is only through education that we can bring about a change in the individual behaviour, provide him with a scientific temper, capacity of adventorous spirit, and a self-reliance to face any challenge with firmness and foresight. If education has succeeded in providing you the basic human values and a capacity to rely on your inner resources it has served the necessary purpose.

I congratulate all the graduates and postgraduates who have received degrees, medals and prizes for the distinction conferred on them as a reward for their talent and hard work. Let me exhort you to dedicate yourself to the noble task of applying the knowledge acquired by you to the welfare of mankind, in general, and our fellow countrymen, in particular. On this auspicious occasion, I pray almighty to give you enough inner strength to face the challenges you face in your life. Wherever you are, I do hope that you will work with dedication, zeal and committment in building a new India as visualised by our great seers, thinkers and leaders, like Mahatma Gandhi, Sri Aurobindo, Swami Vivekananda and Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru.

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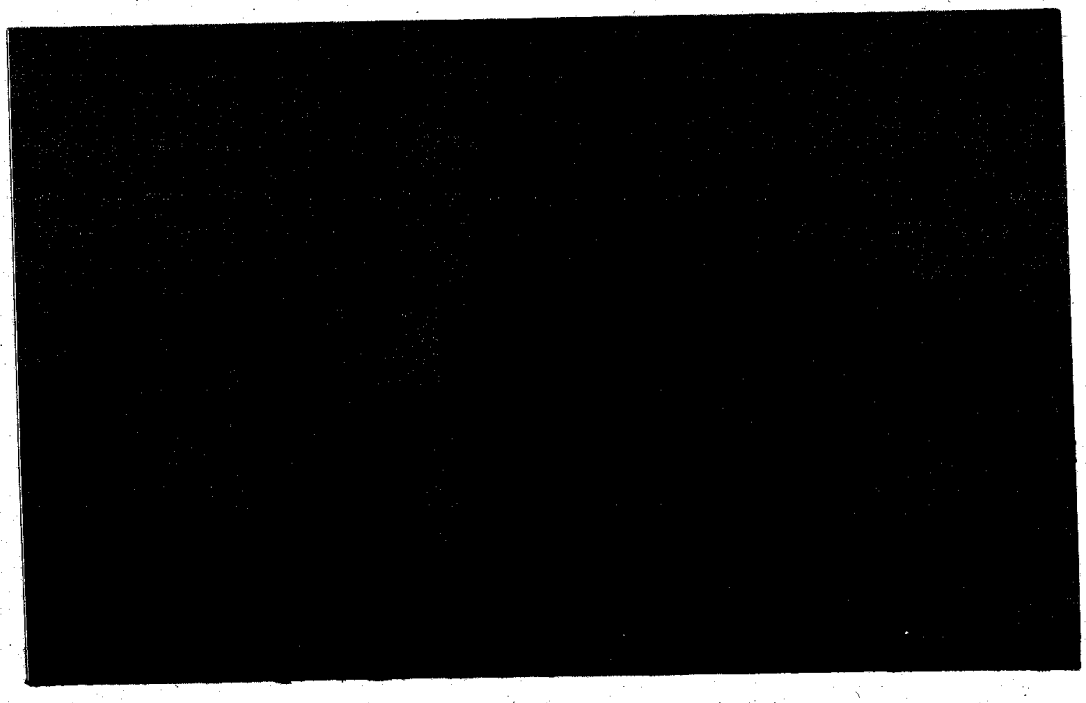

Mr. Chancellor, Professor Rao, Honorable Guests, Members of the University Council, Academic Committee, Ladies & Gentlemen

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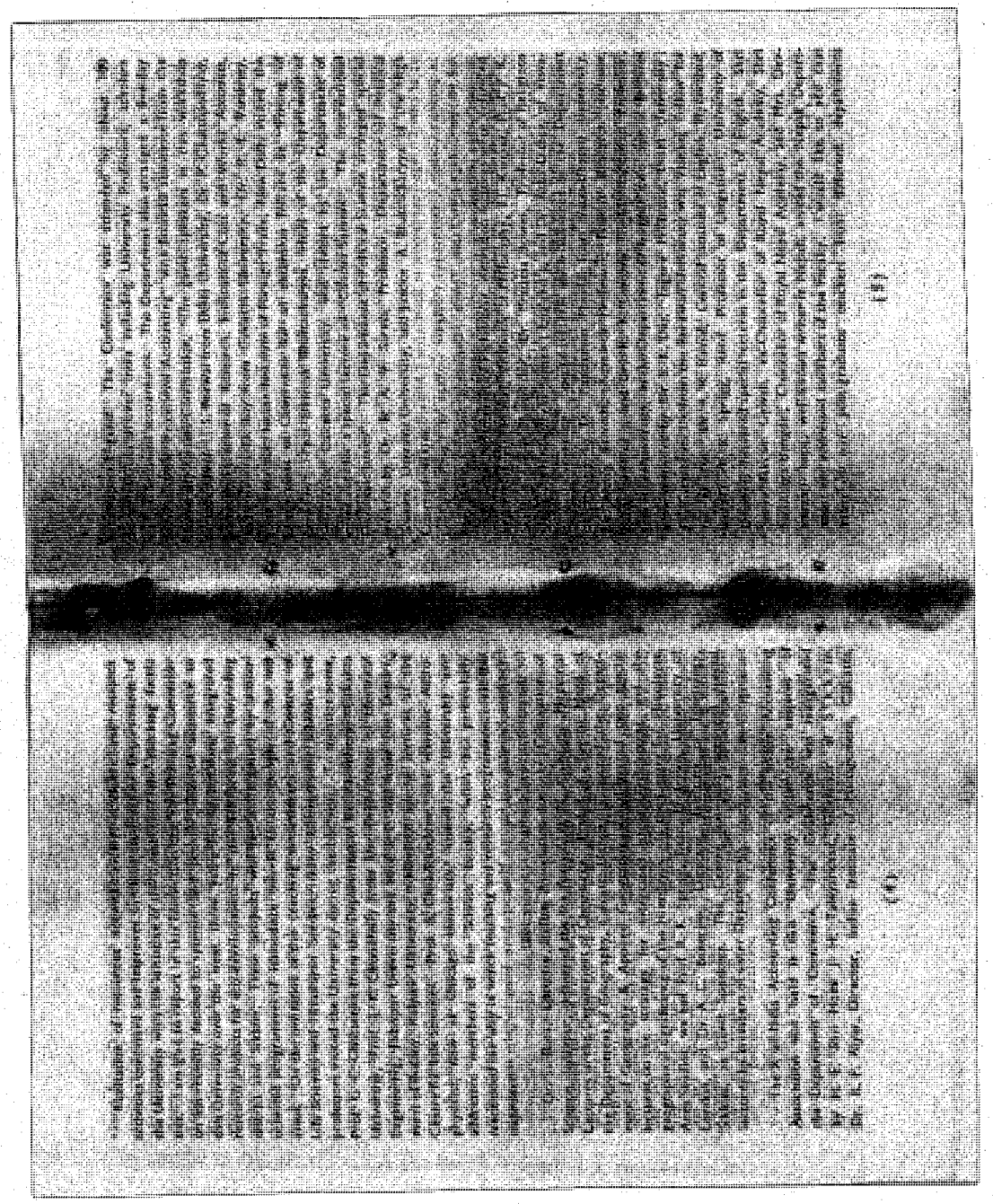
I welcome you all to this 16th Annual Convocation of the University and to the Bengal which is incidentally the fifth Convocation that is being held during my tenure of office. We have just now listened to the [redacted] address of our Chief Guest, Professor B. Rama Rao. Prof. Rao relinquished the office of Vice-Chairman, University Grants Commission, last month and is now Member of Planning Commission. During the period that he was Vice-Chairman, University Grants Commission, Prof. Rao initiated many steps for the improvement of academic standards and development of research activities in the Universities and Colleges particularly in the Departmental Sciences and Technology. The idea of setting up Service Instrumentation Centres in the Universities was originally [redacted] by him and he continued to review the progress and further [redacted] these Centres which have since been set up. [redacted] elections of these Centres which have since been set up. [redacted] has been well known for his constructive role in the [redacted] to which we look forward from [redacted] Sciences in particular. We are grateful to you, [redacted] for your presence here today. We also deliver the Convocation [redacted] address this University can deliver the Convocation [redacted] Address this University can deliver the Convocation [redacted] address this University can deliver the Convocation [redacted] address this University can deliver the Convocation [redacted]



students of the Primary School of the Campus out of surplus funds of the "Sarad Mela".

Before concluding this report, let me come back again to some aspects of our academic activities. These may appear to be somewhat satisfying. But one cannot be complacent about it. It has been a matter of satisfaction for us that with the introduction of semester examination system during the last two years, the academic performance of post-graduate students has been more realistically reflected in the public examination results. However, there is still scope for improvement in respect of our syllabi and teaching standards. With regard to under graduate courses, we are seriously concerned about the reported loss of teaching days during the academic session. The effective number of teaching days in the Colleges are expected to be 180 days in a year, but it is our unfortunate experience that the actual number of teaching days fell far short of this norm in some Colleges. To ensure at least 200 teaching days this year, it is proposed to hold the examinations during the vacation and review the present University calender with respect to long vacation. I would like to seek fullest co-operation from my colleagues in the colleges so as to bring about substantial improvement in teaching work in the coming year.

The delay which has occurred in the publication of results of University examinations held last year has also been a cause of great worry and anxiety. We have been making efforts to hold examinations on time and publish the results within 90 to 100 days. Unfortunately, it was not possible to publish the results within target time last year. The University Council is seized of the problem. Factors responsible for the delay in publishing results are being looked into. We hope to remove the deficiencies in the administrative arrangements and initiate steps for simplification of examination system to ensure publication of results within the scheduled time.

It remains for me now to convey my thankfulness to all members of the University community, teachers, students, research scholars, officers and non-teaching staff, who have extended their co-operation to me in the discharge of my responsibilities. It is my fervent hope that we shall be able to overcome our problems and devote to all-round development with mutual co-operation in future as in the past.

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2.Chittaranjan Basu.Siliguri.	40	1.S.F.1957,III-div.W.B.B.S. 41.7% 2.I.A.1960,II-div.C.U.43.4% 3.B.Com.1962,C.U.46.3% 4.C.A.Inter,1970,Inst.of C.A.51.2% 5.C.A.Final, -do-	Sr.Acctts.clerk.P.W.D.Apr.63-Jan.65. Articled clerk.M/s.L.Pradhan & Co. Apr.65-Apr.69. Accountant,Resolute Traders.May.69-Oct.70. -do-Carron.T.E. Oct.70-Oct.71 Sr.Audit.Asst.J.Mitra & Co.Oct.71-May.72. Accountant.Burma Dime & Chemical Co.May.72-Nov.76. Sr.Acctt.Himul. since 1.12.76	mentione colmn.23
3.Prabhas Ch.Basu.Jalpaiguri.	39	1.S.F.1958,III-div.B.S.E.W.B. 2.Intermediate,1960,Medium 3.B.Com.1962,H.C.U.45.7%. 4.C.A.1967. C.A.I.Delhi.53% 5.LL.B.1980.N.B.U.54%	Articled clerk & Audit Asstt.A.Rudra & Co. 1963-1970 Principal Officer,Bhojnarayan T.E.---1971. Partner. M/s.A.Rudra & Co. ---July 1980.	
4.Jitendra Ch.Bhattacharya.Cuttak.	45	1.S.F.1953,B.S.E.W.B.47% 2.I.A.1955, C.U.49.2% 3.B.Com.1957,II-cl.C.U.47.8% 4.M.Com.1962,II-cl.C.U.48%	Land valuation Officer,Tripura Co-Op.Bank.1957-60. Teacher.Assam.Rly.School.1960-1962. Accountant.Rehabilitation Industries Co.1962-64 Works.Acctt.Indo American Electricals. 1964-67. Sr.Supervisor,India Foils Ltd.1967-1979. General Manager(Finance & Acctts.)Agro Industries Corpn. since July 1979.	mentio in colmn.1

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5.	Jayanta Mukhopadhyay.Cal.	33	1.H.S.1964,II-div.B.S.E.W.B.51.70% 2.B.Com.1971,II-cl.C.U. 3.M.Com.in accoutancy.1973,C.U.II-cl.	Asstt.Acctt.National Advertising Agency, February 1969-Jan.1974 Accounts Asstt.Inchek Tyres.Ltd.Jan.74-April.78 Accounts Officer.Govt.of India.since April.1978 A.O.W.B.Audit & Accounts services.	mentioned colmn.17
6;	S.M.Roy.N.B.U.	57	1.Matric.C.U.1939.II-div. 2.I.A.1940,I-div.C.U. 3.B.A.distn.1943,C.U. 4.S.A.S. 1960,Passed.Hindi Praveen,1962,Hindi Pragya-1963. 5.passed Cost Accountancy training.1968,stood first.	Section Officer.Chief Auditor B.A.Rly.--16.5.41, Audit Officer,(on deputation)S.S.B.1.3.72-31.5.77. A.O.N.B.U.(on deputation)since 1.7.78. Actg.F.O.N.B.U. since 1.12.79.	ment ned in co 23.
7.	Tarun Kr.Roy.Jabalpur.	36	1.S.S.C.1963,II-div.Cumilla Board. 2.I.Com.1965,II-div.Chitagang.47% 3.B.Com.Hons.1968,II-cl.C.U.51% 4.M.Com.1970,II-cl.C.U.50%,awarded D.P.I.scholarship. 5.LL.B.1975,II-cl.C.U. 47%	Audit Asstt.Roy & Roy Co.1968-69 Sr.Acctts.Asstt.Lipton Ltd 1969-80 Accounts Officer,W.B.Leacher Industry.1980-81. Accounts Officer.Bunstanded Co. since 1981.	xxxxx

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8.	Manoranjan Saha. Burdwan.	41	1.Matric.1956,II-div.E.P.S.E.B. 2.I.A.1959,II-div.Cal. Univ. 3.B.Com.1961,II-cl.C.U. 4.M.Com.with accountancy.II-cl.1968,C.U. 5.Inter C.A.1963,Inst.of C.A. 6.C.A.1968, -do-51% 7.Law group of Final C.A.-do-1970,55.33%	Article Clerk,M/s.R.N.Majumder & Co. 4.12.61-3.12.65. Audit Asstt.Roy & Roy Co.5.1.67-26.3.68. -do-M/s.S.K.Ghosh.& Co.31.3.68-13.9.70. Acctts.& Financial Advisor.E.C.Bose & Co. 1.2.71-14.10.73. Chief Audit Officer.Mining & Allied Machine Corpn.since 15.10.73.	mentioned i colmn.23.
9.	Bipul Kanti Mukherjee. Murshidabad.	43	1.S.F.1956, B.S.E.W.B. 49% 2.I.Com.1958,G.U. 61% 3.B.Com.1960, G.U. 42% 4.M.Com.1963,G.U. 56%	Clerk Gr.-I,Gr-II, & Section Officer, F.A.& C.A.O. (N.F.Rly) 1959-1982. A.A.O. National Thermal Power Corpn.Farakka. from May. 1979.	mentioned i colmn.23.
10.	Bijan Kr.Chakraborty, Shillong.	53	1.Matriculation,1945,I-div.C.U.65% 2.I.Sc.1947,II-div.C.U.43% 3.B.Com.1949,II-cl.C.U.47.4%	Joined as U.D.C. & now Accounts Officer, Office of the A.G. Assam. since 20.8.51.	mentioned i colmn. 23.

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Biodata of the applicants for the post of Controller of Examinations at North Bengal University.

No.	Name & Address.	Age.	Educational qualification.	Teaching & Research exp.	publ.if any.
1.	Sukhomoy Majumder, N.B.U.	50	1.Matriculation,1947,II-div.C.U.56.37% 2.I.A.1940,II-div.C.U.46.2% 3.B.A.1951,C.U. 43.1% 4.M.A.in eco.1955,II-cl.C.U. 56.1%, stood 2nd.	teacher.Barpathar H.School.1951-53. lec.Shillong College.1956-59. lec.Lumding College.1959-60 lec.Dinhata College,1960-68. Principal,Lumding College,1968-15.2.81 Dy.C.E.N.B.U. since 16.2.81.	mentioned in colmn.17& 2
2.	Arabinda Basu, Siliguri.	44	1.S.F.1955,I-div.W.B.B.S.E.60% 2.I.A.1957,I-div. C.U. 60% 3.B.A.hons.in phil.1959,II-cl.C.U.53.17% 4.M.A.in phil.1961,II-cl.C.U.50½%	Asstt.master,Hindu School.12.2.62-1.8.62 lec.Slg.College.3.8.62-31.12.79 Principal,Kalimpong College, since 1.1.80	attached with the appl.
3.	Dr.Samarendra Mohan Mukherjee. Varanasi.	41	1.H.S.1955,II-div. U.P.Board,54.2% 2.I.Sc.1955,III-div.-do-42.6% 3.B.Sc.1959,II-div. Agra Univ.59.3% 4.M.Sc.1961,II-div.-do-55.7% 5.Ph.D.1966, B.H.U.	Res.Scholar-cum-teacher,B.H.U.Jun3.61-October.1964. Research Asstt.B.H.U.Oct.1964-Feb.1968. lec.Govt.of Ireq.Feb.1968-Aug.1975. Expert. -do- Feb.1976-May.1977. Pool.Officer.C.S.I.R.Feb.1978-Jan.1979- -do- -do- Since.April.1981.	attached wi the appl.
4.	Manibhusan Roy.Alipurduar.	55	1.Matriculation,1943,II-div.C.U. 2.I.Sc.1945,II-div.C.U.41.10% 3.B.A.1959,C.U.37.40% 4.B.T.1961,II-cl.C.U. 5.B.A.spl.hons.in beng.1963,NBU.45.50% 6.M.A.in beng.1980,II-cl.NBU.48.50%	Founder Headmaster & Asstt.teacher,Raiganj M.N.Jr.H.School.1.1.51-3.10.63. Headmaster,Alipurduar Jn.S.P.Vidyamandir, since 4.10.1963.	xxxxx
5.	Harendranarayan Ghosh.Slg.	38	1.Matriculation,1948,II-div.C.U. 2.I.Sc.1951,III-div.C.U. 3.B.A.1954,C.U. 4.M.A.in beng.1956,II-cl.C.U.	lec.Slg.College.7.11.60-30.10.62 Vice-Principal-in-charge.Slg.College in commerce since 1.11.62. Principal, -do-since 6.5.72	mentioned in colmn.17.

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6.	Debesh Kr.Chatterjee, Jalpaiguri.	43	1.S.F.1953,II-div.Bihar SSEB.58.8% 2.I.Sc.1955,II-div.Bihar Univ.47.8% 3.B.Sc.distn.1957,-do-55.7% 4.M.Sc.1959,II-cl.-do-47.1%	Jr.lec.P.D.Women's college,25.9.59-4-1.60. -do-A.C.College.5.1.60-5.8.63. Sr.lec.& Head of Chem.-do-since 6.8.63 Principal,Offg.-do-1.1.71-7.5.71 Prof.-in-charge.-do-17.5.75-2.8.75. Bursar.-do-20.8.73-24.5.77 Principal,actg.21.2.76-28.2.77.	mentioned in colmn.17.
7.	Dr.Tushar Kanti Choudhury. Jalpaiguri.	49	1.Matric.1949,I-div.C.U.60% 2.I.A.1959,II-div.C.U. 3.B.A.hons.in eco.1961,II-cl.G.U.47% 4.M.A.in eco.1966,II-cl.G.U.50% 5.M.A.in pol.sc.1967,II-cl.G.U.50% 6.M.A.in hist.1969,II-cl.G.U.59% 7.Ph.D.1971,G.U. 8.LL.B.1968,II-cl.G.U.	Captain.Indian Army.April.63-Oct.66 lec.A.D.P.College.1.8.67-6.11.80 Principal,A.C.College,since 12.11.80.	mentioned in colmn.23.
8.	Anathbandhu Biswas.Kharagpur.	56	1.Matriculation.1943,II-div.Cal. 2.I.Sc.1945,C.U. 3.B.Sc.1948, C.U. 4.M.Sc.1955,II-div.Dacca Univ. 5.Ph.D.1968,C.U.	Chemical Asstt.National Test House.1956-57. -do- -do- 1957-58. Asstt.Edn.Officer(Tech.)Ministry of Edn. Govt.of India.1958-67. Edn.Officer.(Tech)-do-1967-72. Biochemist.Serologist Deptt.1972-75. Edn.Officer.Mins.of Edn. 1975-76. Dy.Registrar. I.I.T. Kharagpur.since 3.11.76.	mentioned in colmn.17. attached with the appl.
9.	Subhransu Ray Choudhury, Assam.	43	1.Matriculation,III-div.1951,G.U.44.4% 2.B.A.1955, G.U.45.1% 3.M.A.in hist.1957,II-cl.-49%	lec.G.C.College.1959-60 lec.& Head of the deptt.Halflong Govt.College.1961-71. Vice-Principal,1956-71. Principal, Onward 1972.	mentioned in colmn.17.

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10.	Dr.Harinarayan Debnath. Coochbehar.	50	1.Matric.1950,II-div.C.U. 2.I.Sc.1952,II-div.C.U. 3.B.Sc.1954,C.U. 4.B.T.1959,II-cl.C.U. 5.M.A.1961,II-cl.C.U. 6.M.Ed.1964,Ist in I-cl.Visva Bharati. 7.Ph.D.1972, Visva Bharati.	teacher,G.R.Das Vidyamandir,21.6.54-31.7.1963. lec.P.G.B.T.College,20.4.64-8.3.1965. Asstt.Inspector of Schools.Deptt.of Edn. 25.3.68-20.4.78. Addl.D.I. -do-21.4.78-17.4.80 D.I.of Schools.-do- since 18.4.1980	mentioned colmn.17.
11.	Dr. Jagadindra Nath Lahiri. Jalpaiguri.	53	1.Matric.1944,C.U. 49% 2.I.A.1950,II-div.U.P.Board.54% 3.B.A.1953,II-div.B.H.U. 4.LL.B.(part-I)1954,II-div.B.H.U. 5.M.A.1956,II-cl.B.H.U.53% 6.Ph.D. 1980, N.B.U.	lec.A.B.College,Varanasi,July 56-3.8.1958. lec.Raiganj College.5.8.58-20.9.59. lec.P.D.Women's College since 21.9.59.	mentioned in colmn.17.

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University Grants Commission

Annexure-IV

SECRETARY

Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg
New Delhi-110002.

No.F.6-4/8 (SCT)

August 23, 1982

Dear Education Secretary:

As you are aware, in the circular letters issued earlier vide UGC letter No.F.1-35/77(CP) dated November 3/5, 1977 and letter No.F.1-35/77 (CP) dated 13th November, 1978 it had been indicated that reservations for admissions for Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates in Universities and colleges should be made available at the under-graduate and post-graduate level and these percentages would be 15% for Scheduled Caste students and 5% for Scheduled Tribe students. It also indicated that reservations be made for the appointment of Lecturers belonging to Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates. In respect of non-teaching posts, reservation to Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe candidates is to be ensured as per the reservation percentages fixed by the State Government.

The position has been reviewed by the Government of India in the Ministry of Education recently and in the context of the population percentages of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in the country, it has since been decided that the reservation percentages for admissions and appointments would be 15% for Scheduled Caste and candidates and 7.5% for Scheduled Tribe candidates hereafter. I am accordingly to request you to make earnest efforts to increase the coverage of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates in admissions to various courses of upto the reservation percentages as indicated above viz. 15% for Scheduled Caste candidates and 7.5% for Scheduled Tribe candidates with a provision for interchangability where necessary. I am also to again reiterate that while making the reservations as above, provision may also be continued to be made to give concession of 5% marks in the minimum percentage of marks required for admission to any course of study. In case by allowing the above concession some seats in the reserved quota remain unfilled, a further relaxation in the marks may be given to them in order of merit interse amongst themselves so that all the reserved seats are filled by the candidates belonging to these categories.

I am further to request you to take steps to make similar reservations in the matter of appointments to the posts of Lecturers in Universities and Colleges and also in filling up non-teaching posts.

I should be grateful if you could acknowledge the receipt of this letter and let the UGC know the action taken by you in this respect.

With regards,

Yours sincerely

Sd/- R.K. Chhabra

Copy for necessary action forwarded to :

Dr. Prasad Kumar Ghose,
Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University,
P.O. North Bengal University
Raja Rammohunpur,
Darjeeling - 734430.

Sd/- R.K. Chhabra
Secretary

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Inspector of Colleges
University of North Bengal

Annexure-~~VIII~~

To
The Vice-Chancellor,
North Bengal University.

Sub: UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE (EVENING SECTION): HONOURS AFFILIATION.

Sir,

In terms of a decision of the college Council, University B.T. & Evening College, Cooch Behar to examine the opening of Honours teaching in various subject in the Evening Section of the College an inspection team visited the College on 10 August, 1982 under your instructions. This team consisted of besides Inspector of Colleges Dr. A.Banerjee, Reader-Head of the Department of English, N.B.U., Dr. S.C.Lahiri, Reader-Head of the Department of Bengali, N.B.U., Sri K.S. Bhattacharyya, Reader in Political Science, N.B.U., Dr. P.Bhattacharyya, Prof. & Head of the Deptt. of History, N.B.U. and Sri D.P.Pandey, Reader in Commerce, N.B.U.

Although this was a University College, still no attempts have been made so far to introduce Honours teaching in any subject at the degree level. The reasons were that the college did not possess its own building, it possessed a suitable plot of land in the heart of the town through. Classes are held in a hired building belonging to the Government. Moreover, two different courses, the B.Ed. and the under-graduate, are run in the same building; the former during day, the latter in the evening. Naturally, full justice to the pupils of the Honours courses would not have been possible within these few hours in the evening. However, the college building has eight class-rooms adequately large, that, in case of necessity, may be partitioned so as to give additional two/three rooms. Should the authorities seriously think of granting Honours affiliation in some subjects, there is scope for erecting some cubicles on open terrace on the first floor now lying unused. Even some un-utilised rooms of the adjacent polytechnic buildings can be used for the purpose of additional classes. The Officer-in-Charge of University B.T. & Evening College pointed out that such facilities were extended by the polytechnic in the past and that the college could count on the same in future also. So, dearth of class-rooms did not pose any serious problem at the moment; the College, however, from the next year should make suitable extension of rooms for holding additional classes, for Honours subjects.

Regarding the teachers' strength in the subjects in which college sought Honours the inspecting team got the following information:

English	:	3	Full-timer teachers
Bengali	:	2	" + 1 part-timer
Pol.Science	:	2	"
Commerce	:	2	" + 4 part-timers
History	:	1	" + 2 "

(Two sanctioned posts lying vacant)

While considering the question of Honours teaching in English in the college from session 1982-83 the expart in the team eleborately discussed with the teachers in the subject, checked up the books in the library and expressed the hope that the English department of the College would be able to do justice to the students enrolled for Honours. Three hundred titles in the subject at present were found to be very selective and useful for the Honours course. It was also expected that after affiliation was granted, the college authorities would further enrich the

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present stock of books and journals necessary for the course of study. At the end of three years' Honours teaching in the college, the whole matter might be reviewed for further suggestions.

With regard to granting of Honours affiliation in Bengali the team was of opinion that Honours teaching might be started from the current session itself. There was no need for immediate appointment of teachers, nor for purchasing of books and journals. Rather the College, from the next session, think of appointing additional teachers in the subject, one in 1983-84, and another in 1984-85 and at the same time allocate funds for additional titles specially for the Honours students.

Also, the inspection team considered the matter of granting Honours affiliation in Pol.Science from the current session. The two teachers of this department can take care of the Honours classes in the first year; but it is essential that two additional teachers are appointed, one in 1983-84 session, and the other, in 1984-85 having specialisation in Sociology. The number of books in this subject being very inadequate, it is proposed to sanction ten thousand rupees staggered over five years from the current session. Regarding accommodation for class rooms the Teachers' Council took decision for starting classes from 3-15 p.m. and continue upto 9-30 p.m. The decision is appreciated by the inspecting team. However, since the college prayed for Honours affiliation in a few other subjects also the question of class-rooms should be given utmost consideration atleast from the next year. The team was convinced that the college authorities would be able to find additional accommodation by improvising spare rooms on the first floor of the College building. Subject to the fulfilment of these conditions the team proposed for the grant of Honours affiliation in Political Science.

With regard to granting of Honours affiliation in Commerce the inspecting team, took note of the interest of the students in the subject. From the students' side this new course is a necessity in the College. However, the question of accommodation is also involved in it. Should the college provide a class-room during day for the first year, and two additional rooms in the next two years, the accommodation problem would be solved. But the college must adds to the existing stock of books and journals in Commerce, and sanction Rs. 3,500/- in the first year, Rs. 500/- in the second year and again Rs. 3,500/- in the third year. Similarly, two more teaching posts should be created and filled up one at the end of the first year, and the other, in the second year. Their qualifications should conform with the subject in which Honours would be granted. Subject to these conditions the team recommended for granting Honours affiliation in Banking.

Coming to consider the question of recommending Honours affiliation in History, the team felt that initially there would be no dearth of accommodation but that in college would have to provide for it in the next two sessions. The team particularly notice that two sanctioned posts of teachers were yet lying vacant; but to introduce Honours affiliation these posts should be immediately filled up; So that the existing part-timers along with those two full-time teachers would be able to do justice to the Honours students. Hitherto, the College has failed to improve the quality and number of books on History in the Library. To introduce Honours teaching the college will have to spend an amount of Rs. 3,000/- to Rs. 4,000/- for books and journals considered essential for both the teachers and the students. Subject to the fulfilment of the above affiliation in History Honours is recommended.

Opinions of the Experts are enclosed here.

Encl: Copy of the report of the Experts.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- A.B.Majumdar
Inspector of Colleges. NBU

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A REPORT ON THE FEASIBILITY OF OPENING THE ENGLISH HONOURS COURSE AT UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE (EVENING SECTION) COOCH BEHAR.

The undersigned as a member of the University Inspection Team inspected the above college on 10 August, 1982 and reports as follows:-

The English Department at the University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) consists of three full-time teachers, all young and enthusiastic. The English Department thus has a distinct advantage over some of the other Departments that have been asking for Honours affiliation, in that the former will require no additional teachers for the purpose, while most of the other Department will. The Library facilities cannot be described as adequate but an honest effort is being made in that direction. The English Section of the College Library contains some three hundred volumes. Some of them of an advanced critical nature. Some essential dictionaries and referene books like the Shorter Oxford dictionary (2 vols.) and the Oxford Companion to English Literature have been acquired.

The Inspection Team felt that although the number of class-rooms may be adequate at this moment, in the second and third year of Honours affiliation, there may be a dearth of class-rooms. But the Principal, Sri Jatin Ganguly, and some members of his staff pointed out that this could be obviated by a loan of some class rooms on the ground floor of the adjoining Polytechnic - a facility that the Evening College has enjoyed in the past and may count on in future. The College also intends to erect some cubicles on the open terrace (on the first floor) now lying unused. The class room problem thus does not seem impossible to solve. Since the English Honours Course has the first three papers in common with Elective English at a pinch, the two classes could be combined for those papers if there were a dearth of class rooms.

It seems, therefore, that Honours affiliation in English may be granted to the University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) on an experimental basis for three years at the end of which the situation may be reviewed.

Sd/- A.Banerjee
Reader & Head of the Deptt. of English
North Bengal University

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INSPECTION REPORT ON THE FEASIBILITY OF OPENING THE BENGALI HONOURS AT UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE, COOCH BEHAR.

REPORT SUBMITTED by Dr. S.C.Lahiri,
Head of the Department of Bengali, N.B.U.

I had the opportunity to accompany as a member of the N.B.U. Inspection Team proceeded to the University B.T. & Evening College at Cooch Behar on 10.8.1982, to consider about sanctioning affiliation of Honours in Bengali.

The college library, as I found, is having a good number of Bengali text and reference books to start Ist Year Honours in the subject at present. There are two full-time lecturers and one part-time lecturer in the college which I think, may fulfil the preliminary need for the purpose. The teachers are sufficiently qualified in this respect. The college assures necessary space (class room etc.,) for the same.

Considering all these I am of opinion that the college may be granted affiliation of honours in Bengali from this session.

Sd/- S.C.Lahiri
Head of the Department of Bengali
North Bengal University.

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Report of Shri D.P.Pandey, Reader, Commerce Deptt. N.B.U.

REPORT ON INSPECTION COOCH BEHAR B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE.

Date of Inspection - 10th August, 1982

1. ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE:

		1979-80	1980-81	1981-82
B.Com. (Pass)	Appeared	64	24	33
	Succeed	61(95.5%)	22(91.6%)	23(69.7%)
H.S.	Appeared			135
	Succeed			16(11.8%)
				II Div. - 5
				P Div. - 11

2. LECTURES DELIVERED: B.Com. 1st Year 1981-82
(From 18.9.1981 to 14.5.1982)

Commercial Math.	25	(9.6%)
Accountancy	52	(20.1%)
Commercial Law	30	(11.6%)
Econ. Geography	17	(6.5%)
Adv. Accountancy	54	(20.8%)
Business Org.	19	(7.3%)
B.Econ.	24	(9.4%)
Economic Problem	16	(6.2%)
Auditing	22	(8.5%)

3. Students' strength B.Com. (II Year) 1982-83 : 78

4. Existing teaching strength: Two full timer and four part-timer.

5. Accommodation:

8 (Eight) rooms are available in the building for class purposes. In the evening shift not a single-room is available for proposed Honours class. However, 5 (five) rooms may be available in the day time, where only 3 (three) rooms are used for B.T. classes.

6. Books & Periodicals:

Moderate stock of books in the library for commerce (Pass) classes. Not a single periodical is in the Library.

OBSERVATIONS:

A. Academic performance for the last three years is more or less satisfactory but that shows a declining trend from 95.3% in 1979-80 to 69.7% in 1981-82, which should be checked before further deterioration.

B. H.S. performance in 1981-82, 11.8% is really alarming and should be thought of seriously.

C. Total lectures delivered should be atleast 300 during the year. Even in the existing schedule, undue weightage has been given to accounting papers (40.9%) at the cost of other 7 papers, which are not of lesser importance. The class routines should be reframed.

D. Accommodation will not be a serious problem for the time being, if one room is allowed to be used for the proposed B.Com. (Honours) class and routine is framed accordingly in day-time and the existing teachers are agreeable to take classes in that shift.

E. A number of journals akin to B.Com. (Hons.) syllabi must be subscribed for the Library to start with Hons. Course, which may incur an additional cost of Rs. 500/- p.a. More number of copies of the existing titles should be purchased with, say Rs. 3,000/-.

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RECOMMENDATION:

As there is no college in Cooch Behar where B.Com. Honours teaching is going on, Dinhata College (with B.Com. Honours) is the nearest college, about 24 k.m. afar, for the interest of the students, desirous of having Hons. Course, it may be recommended to open B.Com. (Hons.) preferably in Banking, Provided (i) Rs. 3,500/- is available for the Library in the first year, Rs. 500/- in the second year and Rs. 3,500/- (including additional titles for the new subjects introduced in the 3rd year Hons. Course); (ii) One room is effectively utilised in day time; subsequently further two rooms are arranged for the 2nd year and 3rd year classes; (iii) At the end of first year, one additional teacher and at the end of second year another additional teacher is available, the qualifications being in conformity with the subjects on which Hons. is granted.

Sd/- D.P.Pande
Reader in Commerce
North Bengal University

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Report on inspection of University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section) Cooch Behar submitted by Sri K.S.Bhattacharyya, Reader, Deptt. of Pol. Science.

In company with the Inspector of College and teachers of other departments of the University, I visited University B.T. & Evening College (Evening Section), Cooch Behar on the noon of 10 August, 1982. In course of our enquiries it was found that the Department of Political Science had been in existence in the in the college since its inception. There have been two teachers in the Department from that time. One of the two teachers is a Ph.D. though he has not Honours degree to his credit. The other teacher has Honours and Master's Degrees. Hence, their competence to deal with Honours course, it allowed, is beyond question.

As regards students, among the students admitted to the degree course, a very large proportion takes political Science as a combination subject. The percentage of pass is also quite high, as the following figures supplied by the College will show:

RESULT IS POLITICAL SCIENCE

		1979-80	1980-81	1981-82
B.A. Part I	Appeared	146	x	x
	Passed	135		
B.A. Part II	Appeared	94		
	Passed	83		
B.A. Final	Appeared		5	15
	Passed		4	10

TEACHERS

If Honours affiliation is accorded, the Department will need two more teachers, one of them with specialisation in Sociology. Among the existing teachers, none had sociology as a special or compulsory subject at their Master's Degree level. But the number of classes and the subjects of the Part I Honours Course are such that the two existing teachers should be able to cope with them in the first year. One additional teacher should be required in the second year, one more in the third year. The teacher with specialisation in Sociology may be appointed in the second year or atleast before the third year classes begin.

BOOKS

Though the total number of books is quite inadequate, the list of titles on Political Sciences contains a mixture of Pass Course books for students and those for teachers' use only. If Honours is introduced, the latter category may be used by students with Honours. To cater fully to the needs of teachers and students with Honours. To cater fully to the needs of teachers and students the library has to acquire many more books in the subject. A tentative estimate shows that atleast ten thousand rupees should be made available for this purpose. The grant may, however, be staggered over three years in the following manners.

1st year	Rs.	2,000=00
2nd year	Rs.	4,000=00
3rd year	Rs.	4,000=00

In case, there is financial stringency, Rs. 8,000/- for the second and third years may further be staggered over two more years, each year's grant being Rs. 2,000/- as in the first year.

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CLASS ROOMS AND TIME-TABLE

The College is an evening one. The existing time-table is from 4 p.m. to 9-30 p.m. during which time seven periods of 45 minutes each are held. This time-table should allow the college normally to cater both to Honours and Pass Course students, but for the lack of accommodation; the college has only eight class rooms. If Honours is introduced, the dearth of class rooms will be keenly felt. The teachers are, however, very eager to have Honours affiliation. They are reported to have volunteered to start their college work from 3-15 p.m. on each working day. They are expected to send a resolution of their teachers' Council to the Inspector of Colleges indicating their readiness to accept this change in the college time-table. Provided this change is made, in the first year there should not be any difficulty of accommodation. This is not, however, true of succeeding years. The problem is likely to be very acute because the college has applied for Honours affiliation for four other streams, English, Bengali, History & Commerce along with Political Science. If Honours affiliation is accorded to all these subjects simultaneously, there should be the readiness on the part of the college authorities to ensure the availability of atleast five more rooms for class work, which may again be staggered over the second and third years. If this provision is not made, the situation is sure to land the college in serious troubles.

Principal J.Ganguly has shown the empty roof spaces on the first story where improvised arrangement could be made. The feasibility of this and other suggestions for finding more accommodation should be immediately examined.

RECOMMENDATION

Subject to the conditions specified above in regard to teachers, books, accommodation and time-table, I recommended the extension of affiliation in Political Science (Honours) to the College.

Sd/- K.S.Bhattacharyya
Reader in Political Science,N.B.U.

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INSPECTION REPORT OF UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE (EVENING SECTION) FOR INTRODUCTION OF HONOURS COURSE IN HISTORY.

Report submitted by Dr. P.K.Bhattacharyya.

To
The Vice-Chancellor,
University of North Bengal.

Sir,

I am to inform you that I visited the Cooch Behar B.T. & Evening College on the 10th August, 1982 alongwith the other members of the Inspection team for the purpose of examining the proposal for introduction of Honours Course in History.

In course of our investigation, I collected the following materials from the college authority.

1. No. of students with History as one subjects:

(a)	B.A. 1st year (1981-82)	35
(b)	B.A. 2nd year (1982-83)	35
(c)	XI class (Arts) (1982-83)	50
(d)	XII class (Arts) (1982-83)	90

2. No. of students passed with History:

	Appeared	Passed	
(a) B.A.	18	13	(1980-81)
(b) B.A.	5	5	(1981-82)
(c) XII Arts	70	45	(1981-82)

3. Library

Total number of books in History - 125 (approx.)

4. No. of classes taken in a week at present:

24. If Honours is introduced the total number of classes will be 36 in the first year.

5. Three part-time lecturers. It appears that initially, there is hardly any dearth of accommodation but more accommodation will be required in future. There are two permanent posts in History, but unfortunately there is no permanent staff in the department. The classes are generally run by the part-time teachers, and the principal inspite of his busy schedules has to shoulder heavy responsibility to make up the deficit.

In these circumstances, I believe the appointment of atleast two permanent lecturers is indispensible in addition to the existing part-time teachers for the introduction of Honours course in History. Besides as we have been about there is much scope for improvement of the Library position with immediate effect. The library in fact is badly in need of elementary as well as specialised text books in each paper. This may entail an initial expenditure of atleast Rs. 3,000/- to 4,000/-. It may be mentioned that the books and journals are required not only for students but also for the teachers.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- P.K.Bhattacharyya
Professor & Head of the Deptt. of History
North Bengal University.

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University Grants Commission
Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg
New Delhi-110002

D.O.No.F.1-93/74(CP) August 24, 1982

Dear Vice-Chancellor,

Kindly refer to my D.O. letter of even number dated February 4, 1982 regarding the revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for teaching posts in Universities and Colleges in various subjects.

The Commission at its meeting held on the 2nd August, 1982 considered the question of defining the term "good academic record" as laid down by it in the qualifications for recruitment to the posts of Lecturers in the Universities and Colleges and has agreed that for determining determining "good academic record" the following criteria may be adopted :-

Universities Lecturers :

i) A candidate holding a Ph.D. degree should possess at least a second class Master's degree; or

ii) a candidate without a Ph.D. degree should possess a high second class Master's degree and second class in the Bachelor's degree; or

iii) a candidate not possessing Ph.D. degree but possessing second class Master's degree should have obtained first class in the Bachelor's degree.

College Lecturers :

i) A candidate holding an M.Phil. degree should possess at least a second class Master's degree; or

ii) a candidate not holding an M.Phil. degree should possess a high second class Master's degree and a second class in first degree (B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.) examination; or

iii) a candidate not holding an M.Phil. but possessing a second class Master's degree should have obtained a first class in the first degree (B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.) examination.

High second class may be determined as the mid point of the starting of the second class and starting of the first class of the University from where he has obtained the degree. The Commission also stressed that the qualifications now being prescribed by it for different categories of teachers are the minimum qualifications only to determine the eligibility for applying for the post.

With regards,

Yours sincerely
Sd/- R. K. Chhabra

Dr. S.N. Sen
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University Grants Commission
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SECRETARY

Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg
New Delhi - 110002.

D.O. No. F.1-34/82(CP)

August 27, 1982

Dear Vice-Chancellor,

The Commission on a reference received from the Governmont of India, Ministry of Education regarding certain clarification in respect of revised qualifications prescribed by the Commission for university and colleges, has decided that if a teacher does not fulfil the minimum qualifications prescribed for recruitment within the specified period and his/her increment/incroments are withheld from such date, the incumbent would be entitled to earn the next increment only after he/she has obtained the necessary qualifications.

I shall be grateful if this is also brought to the notice of all affiliated colleges of your university.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

Sd/- R. K. Chhabra

Dr. S. N. Sen
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Annexure-VIII

REPORT OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE OF THE ACADEMIC COMMITTEE ON THE PROBLEMS OF READERS (USERS) IN THE UNIVERSITY LIBRARY.

The Central Problem in the University Library, Shortage of Space.

1. The committee members visited the library and held discussions with the Librarian and other library officials to ascertain and assess at first hand the problems faced by the library users. They also talked to a number of users of the library - teachers, students and research scholars - to have the benefit of their opinion on the matter. It is the considered view of the committee that the central problem in the University Library is lack of space, both for storing the books and for providing reading-room facilities to teachers and research workers. The permanent solution to this problem lies, no doubt, in the shifting of the offices of the Controller of Examinations and the Inspector of Colleges from the Library Building to a suitable alternative place. The committee members strongly feel that the earlier these offices are shifted the better it is for the library users. But this, we have been told, will take sometime due to circumstances beyond the control of the University authorities. Nevertheless, efforts should be made to free the library building from all encroachments by administrative departments.

2. Pending the shifting of the two offices from the Library Building, the Committee recommends the following short-term measures for improving the existing facilities. Implementation of these measures will, however, require at every stage the active co-operation of the Librarian and his colleagues. The Committee sincerely hopes that such co-operation will be forthcoming in the interest of better utilization of the University Library.

Suggested Measures :

3. The Reading-Room for Current Periodicals in Humanities and Social Sciences to be shifted :

The room at the back of the Librarian's office is currently being used by the Deputy Librarian as his office. We suggest that this room be used as a Reading-Room for Current Periodicals (Humanities and Social Sciences), by the members of the teaching staff. The Deputy Librarian's office may be shifted to the room where the current periodicals in Humanities and Social Sciences are stacked at present and where one of the Assistant Librarian has his office. The two may, for the time being, share the same room. We suggest this because under the present arrangement for reading current periodicals in Humanities and Social Sciences the readers are facing a number of difficulties: (a) due to lack of space the periodicals are not properly displayed but are kept in piles on the shelves. Hence it is impossible to know at a glance where to look for a particular periodical and which number of the journal has arrived last in the Library. By contrast, the periodicals in Natural and Life Sciences are properly displayed and their readers have been provided with better reading facilities; (b) if an office is located in the reading room the work in both will be invariably disturbed by each other. Besides, this is hardly sound practice from the point of work efficiency. The recommended change will improve the work both in the office and the reading-room. We are aware that the room at the back of the Librarian's Office is also currently used for holding the meetings of the Library Committee. We feel that these meetings can be held in the central conference room in the administrative building where all the other meetings of the University are held.

Utilization of the Second-Floor and the Stack-Room Space

3.1 The space on the second-floor of the library building should be utilized as follows :

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(i) Reading-Room for back periodicals.

The room housing the xerox machine should be converted into a reading-room for the back issues of the periodicals. At present there is no room in the library where the readers of these periodicals, mostly teachers and research scholars, may sit and work. They have at present to crowd in a very small room where the dictionaries and other reference works are kept. The room can hardly accommodate six persons at the small table lying in it. This is a serious hindrance to work to teachers and researchers. The Xerox machine should be immediately shifted to the ground floor office of the other Assistant Librarian. The Assistant Librarian concerned may be accommodated either in the Library Office or in a cubicle constructed on the southern position of the passage to the students' reading-room located on the first floor of the building.

(ii) Construction of cubicles for teachers' reading-room

Two cubicles may be constructed on either side of the passage leading to the stack room on the second floor of the building for use by the members of the teaching staff as reading-rooms. These cubicles may be constructed with proper ventilation and lighting arrangements. Pedestal fans should be provided in these cubicles.

(iii) Seats below the southern windows of the Stack-Room (Second Floor)

The seats meant for readers below the windows at the southern side of the stack room cannot be properly utilized due to insufficient lighting arrangements and also due to the stuffiness of the room during summer months. Pedestal fans should be provided at suitable places near the seats for making them usable. The lighting arrangements should also improve.

3.2 Drinking Water supply in the library for users.

The library has no arrangement at present to supply drinking water to the readers. The readers at present share the meagre supply of drinking water that is arranged for the members of the library staff to the inconvenience of both. A drinking water fountain should be installed immediately at a corner of the first floor of the Library Building. The Committee wishes to mention in this connection that the Library Building is otherwise well maintained.

3.3. Book-trolleys:

A few trolleys should be acquired for the library for carrying books from the stack-rooms to reading-rooms and back by the readers themselves. This will save the readers much time and trouble. This will also help the library attendants in replacing the books in the shelves.

The members of the Committee sincerely hope that the above short-term recommendations will be speedily implemented by the University authorities in the interest of the academic community of this University. Improvement of the Library facilities should be accorded the highest priority in this university in view of the facts that the University is located faraway from the metropolitan centres and there is not a single good library in this region capable of serviing the requirements of advanced students and researchers.

Sd/- G.S.S. Murthi
Sd/- Asim Chaudhuri
Sd/- S. Mukherjee
Sd/- D. Ghose
Sd/- Praloy K. Mazumdar

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Annexure - IX

A meeting of the Committee constituted by the Academic Committee to consider establishment of a teaching department for the degree of Bachelor of Library Science was held on 23.2.82 at Burdwan. The following members were present :-

1. Shri P. B. Barua,
   Head of the Department of Library Science, Burdwan University.
2. Shri C. Sen,
   Librarian, North Bengal University.
3. Shri B. K. Bajpaie, Registrar.

The Committee recommended

(i) That with a view to extending facilities for professional studies for the students of North Bengal courses of studies in Library and Information Science should be started at the North Bengal University immediately;

(ii) That the initial intake of students should be limited to 30;

(iii) That the following teaching staff should be recruited :

(a) One Reader
(b) One Lecturer
(c) 3 part-time lecturers with approved qualifications
(d) One Workshop Instructor being a non-teaching staff with M.A. and M.Lib Science as qualifications
(e) One Junior Assistant-cum-typist
(f) One Peon.

(iv) That the teaching period would be from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M., however, if required, the teaching period could be from 4 P.M. to 9 P.M. initially;

(v) That for admission to such courses preference be given to M.A./M.Sc/M.Com, Honours graduate, Pass graduate with at least 50% marks in the aggregate; however, an admission test should be held. For working Librarians 10% of seats should be kept reserved and 20% of the seats be kept reserved for SC/ST with relaxation of marks as per rules;

(vi) That the following accommodation be provided :

(a) Class Room - 1
(b) Teachers' Room - 1
(c) Head of the Department's Room - 1
(d) Office Room - 1
(e) Library and Workshop - 1
(f) Students' Common Room - 1

Suitable accommodation as mentioned may be provided for the conduct of the course.

(vii) That initial purchase of books worth Rs. 50,000/- be made.

Sd/- Chitrabhanu Sen
Sd/- B. K. Bajpaie

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Annexure - X

OFFICE OF THE UNIVERSITY ENGINEER
NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE HELD IN THE OFFICE OF THE VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY ON 21.7.82 AT 3-00 P.M. UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF DR. S.N. SEN, VICE-CHANCELLOR, NORTH BENGAL UNIVERSITY.

The following members were present :-

1. Dr. S.N.Sen, Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University, Chairman, Building Committee.
2. Sri Bimal Das, Reader, Member, N.D.U.Council.
3. Sri S.N.Sanyal, University Engineer, North Bengal University, Secretary, Building Committee.

AGENDA

Item No.1. To confirm the proceedings of the meeting of the Building Committee held on 11.5.82 at 3-00 P.m.

Decision : The proceedings of the Building Committee meeting held on 11.5.82 were confirmed.

Item No.2. To discuss and approve the estimate amounting to Rs.46,400.00 for "Covering of open terrace in the existing first floor of the UGA building in the Western Sector".

Decision : The committee discussed and approved the above estimate in principle but the work cannot be taken up till fund position is improved.

Item No.3. To discuss and approve the estimate amounting to Rs.65,200.00 for "Conversion of 8 flats Professors'/Readers' quarters to 16 flats in the Eastern Sector of N.B.U.Campus".

Decision : The committee discussed and approved the above estimate and decided to take up the ground floor work immediately and the first floor work might be taken up after obtaining the opinion of the Superintending Engineer, Northern Circle(P.W.D.). If no other fund is available expenditure will be charged against the head of accounts maintenance and petty construction.

Item No.4. To discuss and approved the estimate amounting to Rs.8000.00 for "Fencing of the staff quarters in the old C.B.P.W.D.Campus opposite to gate No.1.

Decision : Withdrawn.

Item No.5. To discuss and approve the estimate for (a) Urgent maintenance to previous C.B.P.W.D. Building to convert into officers' quarters. (b) Urgent maintenance to previous C.B.P.W.D. Building to convert into Class III staff quarters. (c) Urgent maintenance to previous C.B.P.W.D. Building to convert into grade IV staff quarters.

Decision : Withdrawn.

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Item No.6. To discuss and approve purchase of one number water treat_ment plants(capacity of the Doser 48 gallons)on the basis of the previous quotation given by the manufacturers M/S Zeolite India at a cost of Rs.8,240.00 + 8% W.B.S.T. for the masonry well near Life Science Building in connection with water supply to Western Sector.

Decision : Withdrawn.

Item No.7. To discuss and approve further provision of Rs.25,000.00 for roof treatment work in 3 numbers hollow brick officers' quarters in the Western Sector and other staff quarters and office buildings to be executed by M/S Shalimar Tar Produots(1935)Ltd. at their existing rate who are now working in the Campus.

Decision : Deferred.

Item No.8. To discuss and approve the additional amount of Rs.1,452.00 against above the original sanctioned amount of Rs.5,800.00 - for "Fencing of the Cultivation ground by Barbed wire for Reasearch work of the Life Science Department". Extra sanction required for rise in price of materials and labour since the previous contractor did not take up the work.

Decision : The committee discussed and approved the additional amount of Rs.1,452.00 on the ground stated.

SUPPLIMENTARY AGENDA.

Item No.1. To discuss and approve the estimate amounting to Rs.2,967.00 in connection with the Service connection to new pump house near Life Science building at North Bengal University Campus. Chargeable Head - Construction of Life Science Building.

Decision : The committee discussed and approved the estimate amounting to Rs.2,967.00 for the above work.

Item No.2. To report that Vice-Chancellor has approved the lowest bid amounting to Rs.3,500.00 in connection with the water supply of Boys' Hostel considering urgency. Name of work- "Urgent plumbing work in V.K.Hall in connection with water supply".

Decision : The committee noted that the Vice-Chancellor had approved the lowest bid of Sri Nanda Kumar Ghosh at par the rates contained in the P.W.D.schedule for sanitary and plumbing work for the year 1981-82 in connection with the above work. It was also noted that the work was completed.

Item No.3. To discuss and approve of the excess work done by Sri Pradip Bhowmick in connection with the Convocation of 1982. The original work order was given to Sri Pradip Bhowmick by University Engineer on work order basis for Rs.1,000.00 as per P.W.D.Schedule at 5% below the rates of schedule as per N.B.U.Council resolution dt.4.7.81.

But during execution, the quantity of works had to be exceeded as per requisition of different committee at the last moment. As there was no time to call for fresh tender on bid and as the rate was reasonable, the University Engineer, condidering urgency, instructed the working contractor Sri Pradip Bhowmick to execute the works considering urgency of the situation in anticipation of Building Committee approval, upto a total of Rs.5,000.00 as per schedule. Excess thus comes to Rs.4,000.00 approximately i.e. 400% .

Decision : The committee discussed the matter and approved the action taken by the University Engineer considering urgency of the situation.

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Item No.9. MISCELLANEOUS

1. To discuss and approve the lowest tender of Sri Sumit Kumar Saha at 4.75% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for "Maintenance work of road from Guest House to Gate No.3 and new approach of N.H.31 in the Eastern Sector. Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.62,121.00 and work-order to be issued for Rs.65,072.00

Decision : The committee discussed and approved the lowest tender of Sri Sumit Kumar Saha at 4.75% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities and decided to limit the expenditure upto Rs.50,000.00. It was also decided that the work should be started from the teachers' hostel end

2. To discuss and approve the lowest tender of M/S Ghosh & Chakraborty Enterprise at 4.99% above the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for "Fencing of cultivation ground by barbed wire for research work of the Life Science Department". Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.3,712.00 and work-order to be issued for Rs.3,897.00.

Decision : The committee discussed and approved the lowest tender for the work.

3. To discuss and approve the lowest tender of Sri Nanda Kumar Ghosh at par the rates contained in the priced schedule of quantities for "Pipe line cleaning from agricultural field pump to Tower Tank in Salbagan in the Western Sector". Estimated amount put to tender was Rs.7,550.00 and work-order to be issued for the same amount.

Decision : The committee discussed and approved the lowest tender for the above work.

4. To discuss and approve the excess quantities of execution against items bearing retainer (C.M.) Line shaft, Rubber Bearing and Line shaft coupling for Rs.707.39 in connection with "Repairing and overhauling of Johnston Vertical Turbine Pump set SI.No.IY-2195 near Nivedita Hostel.

Although it was apparently considered the old materials will serve the purpose and during actual operation it was found to be not possible and the above excess work was done for speedy execution of the work in anticipation of approval by the Building Committee.

In the Building Committee meeting held on 11.5.82, vide item No.19 an amount of Rs.44,845.00 was considered for the above work. Executed value of the work is Rs.45,552.00. Fresh sanction is required for Rs.707.00

Decision : The committee discussed and approved the excess quantity of execution for Rs.707.00 against the items stated above on the grounds stated.

5. To discuss and approve the single quotation of M/S Mukherjee & Sons for Rs.16,733.00 for their ready and reliable service in this special type of job , in connection with "Repairing of deep well vertical Turbine pump No.2(6" Bowl Assembly)near salbagan.

Decision : The committee discussed and approved the single quotation of M/S Mukherjee & Sons considering urgency and reliability of the firms in this special type of job.

6. To discuss and approve the estimate amounting to Rs.8,500.00 for "Security measure in the V.K.Hall(extension portion)by covering verandah and passage opening by m.s.grill(Chargeable to extension of Boys' Hostel).

Decision : The committee discussed and approved the above estimate amounting to Rs.8,500.00.

7. To discuss and approve the first tender for supplementary items amounting to Rs.1,634.00 in favour of Sri Biplab Mazumder, contractor, in connection with " Temporary Conversion of open space into two rooms in the Physics Department , N.B.U." Tendered amount of the work was Rs.7,375.00.

Decision : The committee discussed and approved the first tender for supplementary items amounting to Rs.1,634.00 in connection with the above work.

Secretary
Building Committee
University of North Bengal

SD/ S.N. Sen.
Chairman
Building Committee
University of North Bengal

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Annexure - X1

Office of the Care Taker
University of North Bongal

No. E3T/24-1/82 Dated 9.82

Minutes of the 30th meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 24.9.82 at 11-30 A.M. at the Chamber of the Finance Officer, N.D.U.

Members present :

1. Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer, Chairman
2. Sri S. Sanyal, University Engineer, Member
3. Sri B. K. Bhattacherjee, Officer-in-charge, Watch & Ward Dept. (Member).

Item No. 1 To confirm the minutes of the 29th meeting of the Liveries Committee held on 28.3.82.

Decision: Confirmed.

Item No. 2 To finalise the problem arrises due to non-acceptance of supply order by M/S. Rateria Textiles, Siliguri since the cloth (white drill) is out of stock.

Decision: The Committee recommended for inviting further quotations for White Drill. Before inviting quotations M/S. Rateria Textiles may be contacted once more and obtain its final openion in the matter. This position may also be reported to the Council in its next meeting.

Item No. 3 To finalise whether the Liveries will be delivered to the staff concerned without receiving back the old Liveries against the Liveries Rules. Notices were issued but only a few (excepting sweepers, Darwans & Malies) attended.

Decision: The Committee recommended to issue the Liveries only to those who returned the old Liveries. But the cases of the defaulters may be referred to the Council in its next meeting for instruction.

Item No. 4 To consider the application of M/S. Patna Tailors requesting for an advance of Rs. 1000/-.

Decision: The Committee considered the question of advance payment to M/S. Patna Tailors and recommended for the payment of part bill in liew of any advance payment.

No other items were discussed and the meeting terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair.

Sd/- S. M. Roy
Chairman

Sd/- R. K. Ghosh
Convenor Secretary

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Annexure - XII

UNIVERSITY B.T. & EVENING COLLEGE
COOCH BEHAR.

Proceeding of the meeting of the College Council held on 15th July, 1982 at 2 P.M. at the office of the Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University at Raja Rammohunpur, Darjeeling.

Members present :

1. Dr. S. N. Sen, Vice-Chancellor Acting in the chair
2. Sri S. M. Roy, Finance Officer, North Bengal University
3. Dr. A. B. Majumder, Inspector of Colleges
   Standing invitee
4. Sri Gurupada Deb, Teachers' Representative
5. Sri Usha Kanta Dutta, Teachers' Representative
6. Sri J. N. Ganguli, Officer-in-Charge,
   Secretary.

Agenda of Business

1. To confirm the proceedings of the last meeting held on 16.2.82.

   Decision : The proceedings of the last meeting were confirmed.

2. To decide in the light of letters received from the Registrar and the Principal, Raiganj College, the order of seniority of teachers of the Evening Section for purpose of holding Charge of the Evening Section of the College, in absence of the Officer-in-Charge.

   Decision : The Officer-in-Charge read out the letters received from the Deputy Registrar and the Principal, Raiganj College received in reply ton the question on the order of Seniority of teachers of the Evening Section in the matter of holding charge of the College and it was decided that reservation persisting in the matter of interpretation of University teachers in the special reference the issue be referred back to the University Council to identify the teachers by name to set the order of priority

3. To review the decision of the College Council Item (6) of the Minutes of the last meeting in the matter of holding the Admission Test for the Fresher Trainees of the College for the session 1982-83 in the light of Government order received in the context.

   Decision : The decision of the College Council Item 6 having been found retrograde in the face of the Govt. order governing admission of Fresher trainees, the Council approved the list of trainees selected for the purpose of admission to the 1982-83 session ruling for the sake of clarity that candidates passed with Honours should have precedence over the category of graduates. It was so decided that the decision be held as confirmed.

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4. To report for confirmation of the Council the recommendation of the Committee in the matter of award of Free & Half-free studentships to the students of B.A./B.Com. Classes for the Session 1981-82.

Decision : The Council considered the recommendation of the Committee in the matter of awards of Half-free studentships.

It was decided that the awards be approved and noted.

The Council opined for the sake of clarity that since the awards are made on the consideration of merit-cum-poverty, no deviation in principle of consideration of merit alone can be accepted as the norms of award.

5. To consider the representation received from the Secretary, Employees' Association dated 25.2.82.

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6. To consider the representation received from the Secretary, Students' Union.

Decision : The Council took note of the contents of the representations received from the Secretary, Employees' Association and the Secretary, Students' Union. The points pertaining to the two sets of representations being similar and mutually not exclusive in substance the Council decides to await the findings of the Inquiry Committee.

The Council also hopes that in the matter of formulation of the promotion policy the advance party to be detailed by the Finance Officer will prepare the ground for the purpose.

In the meantime the Secretary is requested not to delay the matter of the advertisement for the post of a junior assistant-cum-typist as decided earlier.

7. To consider the representation received from Dr. S.N.Ghoshal.

Decision : The Council decides to get the matter examined in deep details by the representative to be deputed by the Finance Officer in course of next week.

8. To consider the outstanding issue involving discipline in respect of a teacher on ground of misuse of medical certificate.

Decision : Deferred till the next meeting.

9. To consider the infringement of Service Rules by a teacher who enlisted himself as practising lawyer at the CoochBehar Court.

Decision : The Council decides that the matter be referred to the Registrar by the Officer-in-Charge.

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10. To consider applications received from Sri S.R.Datta, Sr.Asstt.

Decision : The Council decides to get the matter examined by the Finance Section of the University.

11. To consider the leave applications from (1) Sri A.K.Hazra, (2) Sri S.R.Datta, (3) K. Sengupta, (4) A.K.Dutta, (5) P.Chakraborty, (6) N. Talukder, (7) M. Dam and (8) N.Sadhukhan.

Decision : The Council decides that the leave applications be scrutinised in terms of admissibility and leave granted as per rule.

It is also decided that the prayer of Sri A.K.Hazra for Study leave be forwarded to the Registrar to fit in the procedure laid down for such purpose.

12. To report that the Officer-in-Charge paid off the lawyer's bill of Rs. 223.65 (Rs. 207.95 + Rs. 15.70) on disposal of the case relating to election of Students' Union eventually dismissed.

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13. To report that the Officer-in-Charge shifted to a better house nearer at the College at an enhanced monthly rental of Rs. 200/- with effect from 1.4.82.

Decision : Noted and approved.

14. To consider the issue of re-investment of term deposit amounting to Rs. 80,000/- due tommature on 17.6.82, and to resolve on diversion of accumulations from P.F.A/c. amounting to Rs. 1,25,000/- to term deposit.

Decision : The council decides that statement of accounts pertinent to the distribution of interest on the initial deposit of Rs. 80,000/- be worked out and re-investment of surplus amounts be made without delay to protect the subscribers' interest according to rule.

The Council in this connection accords its approval to the text of the Draft resolution for purpose of operation of accounts for the purpose.

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15. To report that an amount of Rs. 8,454/- has been spent for urgent and indispensable repair works of the College.

Decision : Noted and approved.

Miscellaneous

16. 1. The Council considers the confidential report preferred by the Deputy Librarian, North Bengal University scrutinising the claim of Sri Mitra Sadhukhan, Asstt. Librarian of the College in crossing his efficiency bar and decides that the recommendation made in the context, Sri Sadhukhan be allowed to enjoy the admissible benefits with retrospective effect from the date he completed his term of service.

16. 2. The Council considers the note to the Officer-in-Charge preferred by Sri Satya Ranjan Datta and approves the scale of pay suggested in respected of Sri Kanteswar Dey and Srimati Sarbani Valmik. In respect of fixation of pay of Sri Kshitish Chandra Dey, the electrician-cum- Generator Operator, the matter be examined in deep details by the Finance Branch of the University.

The meeting ended on a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Sd/- S. N. Sen
President.

Secretary.

Annexure - XIII

An extract of the proceedings of the meeting of the Advisory Committee of Vice-Chancellor s held on the 24th September, 1982 in the Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

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"Item No. 8 :

The question of reservation of seats for the Scheduled castes and scheduled tribes students in the various courses of studies in Universities and in the affiliated institutions was considered along with the proposal of the Director of Public Instruction. It was resolved that the scheduled castes and schedules tribe students may be deemed eligible for admission to the next higher courses of study provided they get upto 5% less than the minimum marks prescribed for such admission."

No. F.20/ 590 /C-82 dated 29.11.82.

As desired by the Vice-Chancellor, North Bengal University, the relevant extract of the proceedings of the Advisory Committee of Vice-Chancellors as quoted above is being sent for inclusion as an item in the agenda of the meeting of the North Bengal University Council to be held on 17.12.82.

Sd/- A. K. Chatterjee
Asstt. Registrar

To
The Registrar,
North Bengal University.

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Government of West Bengal
Education Department
University Education Branch

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(7) The Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal

Sub : Question of reservation of seats for the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes students in the State-aided Universities and in the affiliated institutions -

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I am directed to invite your attention to the subject mentioned above and to say that the matter was discussed by the Advisory Committee of Vice-Chancellors at its meeting held on 24.9.82 and views of the Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal were also considered.

After careful consideration of the recommendation of the recommendation of the said Committee it has been decided that the College authorities should be requested to ensure that the students belonging to the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes are made eligible for admission to the next higher courses of study even if they get upto 5% less marks than the minimum marks obtained by non-Scheduled Caste students actually admitted to such courses of study.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/- S. Ghosh
Deputy Secretary

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Calcutta,
The Nov. 10, 1982.

Sd/- S. Ghosh
Deputy Secretary
10.11.82

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Annexure XIV

Note

The Building mmittee in its meeting held on 21-7-82 took the following decisn :

"Item No.3 T discuss and approve the estimate amounting to L 65,200.00 for "Conversion of 8 flats Professors'/ Rders' quarters to 16 flats in the Eastern Sector N.B.U. Campus."

Desicion: E committee discussed and approved the above timate and decided to take up the ground floor rk immediately and the first floor work might be ken up after obtaining the opinion of the Superin-ding Engineer, Northern Circle (P.W.D.). If no der fund is available expenditure will be charged ainst the head of accounts maintenance and petty astruction."

In this caection the following points may kindly be considered :

1. Partition; of the newly constructed quarters in the Eastern Sector met for Professors and Readers would be discriminatory sinchhe same types of quarters in the Western Sector have beenllowed to be occupied as whole by some Professors and Reade.

2. The exist; practice of allotment of quarters is on the basis of scific ranks.

3. After partioning the quarters the space to be allotted to Professorseaders would be much lower.

4. The Quarts already occupied by lecturers are much larger than the rtitioned floor area of the new buildings.

5. Such partion could be made only after following the same principle case of other quarters being currently occupied by Profess/Readers/Lecturers, since otherwise this will be againfundamental Law of the land.

REGISTRAR.