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GONDWANA UNIVERSITY, GADCHIROLI.

Direction No. 10 of 2018

RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR CONDUCT OF BUSINESS AT THE MEETINGS OF THE BOARDS OF STUDIES COMPRISED IN EACH FACULTY DIRECTION, 2018 (AMENDEMENT) DIRECTION, 2018.

(Issued u/s 12 (8) of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016)

Whereas, the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016 (Maharashtra Act No. VI of 2017) (hereinafter the 'Act') has come into force in the State of Maharashtra, with effect from 1st March 2017, repealing the Maharashtra Universities Act, 1994;

Whereas, as per section 40 of the Act, there shall be a Board of Studies for every subject or a group of the subjects and by virtue of the provisions of Direction No. -11 of 2017 issued by the University on 07/07/2017 Boards of Studies have been formulated for various subjects and a group of subjects; comprised in each faculty in the university.

AND

Whereas, as per provisions of section 26 of the Act, the Boards of Studies are authorities of the University and as per section 69 of the Act a Statute for all the matter with regard to the conduct of business at the meetings of the authorities is required to be passed by the Senate;

AND

Whereas, rules of procedure for conduct of business at the meetings of authorities of the university, as provided under section 71(5) of the Act, is a subject matter of the statute;

AND

Whereas, as per section 40 of the Act, in the very first meeting of the Board of Studies co-option of certain members and election of Chairperson of the Board of Studies are required to be made and the Uniform Statute No. 1 of 2017 prescribed by the Government of Maharashtra vide its Notification No. Misc-2016/C.R. 347/Desk-Vishi-3 Date 17th May 2017, is silent on the procedure to be followed for co-option of members on the Board of Studies;

AND

Whereas, Higher and Technical education department Mumbai Vide Notification No. MNS-2016/(347/16)/Ue-3 dated 28th April 2017 has prescribed eligibility conditions for being elected as a Chairperson of the Board of studies in the subject or a group of subjects comprised in each faculty in the university and co-opted as a member of the Board of studies in the subject or a group of subjects comprise in each faculty in the university.

AND

Whereas, Direction No. 7 of 2018 in respect of Rules of procedure for conduct of business at the meetings of the Boards of Studies comprise in each faculty Direction, 2018 is issued by the Vice-Chancellor under provision of section 12 (8) of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016, on 21/03/2018.

AND

Whereas, provision for the member of the Board, who is only eligible candidate to contest the election of the Chairperson of the Board of Studies, is not made for submitting his/her own Nomination paper with himself/herself as a proposer and a seconder, in the Direction No. 7 of 2018.

AND

Whereas, Direction No. 7 of 2018 is yet to be converted into the Statute.

AND

Whereas, making of the Statute is time consuming process.

AND

Whereas, there is an emergency for making provision to submit nomination paper by only one eligible candidate on the Board of Studies for the post of Chairperson of the said Board of Studies.

Now, therefore, I, **Dr. N.V. Kalyankar, Vice-Chancellor,** Gondwana University, Gadchiroli, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me under provision of section 12(8) of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016, do hereby issue the following Directions to amend Direction No. 7 of 2018:-

- 1. This Direction may be called, "Rules of Procedure for conduct of business at the Meetings of the Boards of Studies comprised in each faculty Direction, 2018 (Amendment) Direction, 2018."
- 2. This Direction shall come into force from the date of it's issuance.
- 3. After proviso of clause (iv) of sub-para (g) of para 20 of Direction No. 7 of 2018 in respect of "Rules of Procedure for conduct of business at the Meetings of the Boards of Studies comprised in each faculty Direction, 2018.", following proviso be added

"Provided that, in case there are more than two voters on the board of studies and only one candidate is eligible to contest the election of the Chairperson of the said Board of studies, he/she may propose and second his/her own nomination paper."

Gadchiroli.

Date: 11 04 2018

(Dr. N. V. Kalyankar) Vice-Chancellor