



GONDWANA UNIVERSITY, GADCHIROLI

Direction No. 16 of 2023

Implementation of UGC Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges and Measures for the Maintenance of Standards in Higher Education, 2018 in the University, Direction, 2023.

Whereas, the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016, (Maha. Act VI of 2017) (hereinafter the "Act") has been made applicable to the Gondwana University, Gadchiroli (hereinafter the "University") with effect from 1st March 2017;

AND

Whereas, University Grants Commission vide its Regulation No.F.1-2/2017(EC/PS) dated 18/07/ 2018 & letter F.No.23-4/2017(PS) dated 31/01/2018 has issued 'Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges and Measures for the Maintenance of Standards in Higher Education, 2018 which have been modified from time to time;

AND

Whereas, the Government of Maharashtra, has issued Resolution No. Misc-2018/C.R.56/18/UNI-1, dated 8th March, 2019 entitled "Revision of Pay Scales of Teachers in Non Agricultural Universities, National Law University, Affiliated Colleges, Government Colleges /Institutes as per 7th Central Pay Commission and UGC Regulations on minimum qualifications for appointment of teachers and other academic staff in universities and colleges and measures for the maintenance of standards in Higher Education, 2018"

AND

Whereas, the terms and conditions of services of the teachers in the Universities, affiliated colleges and recognized institutions are to be laid down by Statutes to be made under Section 71(20) of the Act it has become necessary to frame an appropriate Statute, incorporating the

provisions of the above said Government Resolution dt. 8th March, 2019 as modified by the Government of Maharashtra Higher and Technical Education Department Corrigendum No. Misc.- 2018/C.R. 56/18/UNI-1 dated 10th May' 2019, with respect to the teachers of the University and its affiliated colleges and recognized institutions, but since Statute making is a time consuming process the University had issued Direction No. 1 of 2023 entitled as "Revision of pay scales of teachers in Non-Agricultural Universities as per 7th Central pay Commission & UGC regulations on minimum qualifications for appointment of teachers and other academic staff in Universities and colleges and measures for the maintenance of standards in Higher Education, 2018, Direction, 2023" under section 12(8) of the Act;

AND

Whereas, as per the provisions of the proviso to section 12(8) of the Act the said Direction No. 1 of 2023 has lapsed as the same could not be converted in to an appropriate Statute and since there is an exigency to regulate the subject by issuing an appropriate Statute and since Statute making is a time consuming process it is necessary to issue a fresh Direction, incorporating the provisions of the lapsed Direction 1 of 2023, with suitable modifications necessitated by the UGC Notification No.F.9-4212023(PSIMISC Dated 6 July 2023 and also certain administrative decisions taken by the University (including the title of the Direction;

Now, therefore, I, Dr. Prashant S. Bokare, Vice-Chancellor, Gondwana University, Gadchiroli, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me under provision of sub-section(8) of the section 12 of the Act do hereby issue following Directions:

1. This Direction may be called "**Implementation of UGC Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges and Measures for the Maintenance of Standards in Higher Education, 2018 in the University, Direction, 2023**".
2. This Direction shall come into force from the date of its issuance.
3. In this Direction, unless the context otherwise requires: -
 - (i) 'Act' means the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016.
 - (ii) 'Government Resolution' means the Government of Maharashtra Higher and Technical Education Department Resolution No. Misc.- 2018/C.R. 56/18/UNI-1 dated 8thMarch' 2019 read with Government of Maharashtra Higher and Technical Education Department Corrigendum No. Misc.- 2018/C.R. 56/18/UNI-1 dated 10th May' 2019.

(iii) 'Regulations' means the University Grants Commission Regulations, 2018 bearing No.F.1-2/2017(EC/PS) dated 18/07/2018 & F.No.23-4/2017(PS) dated 31/01/2018, as modified from time to time.

(iv) 'State Government' means the Government of Maharashtra;

4. The pay-scales and other service conditions of the teachers and other academic staff in the University and its affiliated colleges/institutions or recognized institutions shall be as per the provisions of the University Grants Commission's "Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges and Measures for the Maintenance of Standards in Higher Education, 2018" (Appendix-I) as modified from time to time vide UGC Notifications given in Appendix IA, I-B and I-C and as adopted by the State Government vide Government Resolution 'No. Misc.- 2018/C.R. 56/18/UNI-1 dated 8th March' 2019 (Appendix II) read with Government of Maharashtra Higher and Technical Education Department Corrigendum No. Misc.- 2018/C.R. 56/18/UNI-1 dated 10th May' 2019 (Appendix II-A).
5. For making appointments of Assistant Professors in the University all the candidates who fulfill the eligibility conditions specified in the advertisement issued for this purpose shall be invited for the interview to be conducted by the University for appointment of Assistant Professors in the University. The number of candidates to be called for the interview to be conducted for appointment as Assistant Professor in the Affiliated Colleges shall be decided by the Colleges as per the specified criteria for short- listing of candidates for interview for the post of Assistant Professor in colleges given under the table 3B of Appendix-II
6. "NET/SET/SLET Shall be the minimum criteria for the direct recruitment to the post of Assistant Professor for all Higher Education Institutions."

Date: 18/10/2023
Place: Gadchiroli


(Dr. Prashant S. Bokare)
Vice- Chancellor