

ADMISSION REGULATORY COMMITTEE (ARC)
(Constituted under DPCI Act 2007)
Govt. of NCT of Delhi
Room No. 217, Admin Block,
Indira Gandhi Delhi Technical University for Women,
Kashmere Gate, Delhi-110006

F. No. ARC/2023/MoM/IV/30-33

Date: 25.09.2023

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING No. IV

A meeting of Admission Regulatory Committee (ARC) under the Chairmanship of Shri S. N. Sahai, IAS (Retd.) was held on 21st September, 2023 at 04:30 PM at Conference Hall, Room No. 216, Admin Block, Indira Gandhi Delhi Technical University for Women, Kashmere Gate, Delhi-110006 to deliberate upon grievances/representations/complaints received from aspiring candidates/parents/other stakeholders.

The following Members of the Committee were present: -

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| 1. Sh. S.N. Sahai, IAS (Retd.) | - Chairperson |
| 2. Ms. R. Alice Vaz, Secretary, TTE/HE | - Member Secretary |
| 3. Dr.(Ms.) Amita Dev, Vice Chancellor, IGDTUW | - Member |
| 4. Ms. Poonam Narang, Dean, MAMC
(on behalf of Secretary (Health)) | - Member |
| 5. Sh. Satyanand Sinha, SE, PWD
(on behalf of Engineer-in-Chief) | - Member |

Besides the above Members of the constituted Committee, the following GGSIPU representatives were also present in the meeting:

1. Dr. Vijay Kumar, Dy. Registrar
2. Sh. Ajay Kumar, Asstt. Registrar

At the onset of the meeting, the Secretary, Higher Education (Member Secretary, ARC) welcomed the Members of the Committee. During the meeting, all complaints/representations received in ARC office through email and dak till 21.09.2023 were presented before the Committee members for consideration.

After detailed deliberations and discussion, the following decisions were taken and directions were issued:-

a) Regarding miscellaneous and minor complaints received in ARC which are being forwarded to the GGSIPU, the Committee members asked the officials of GGSIPU to handle these complaints directly and furnish a report on actions taken within a three-day timeframe. **(Action by GGSIPU)**

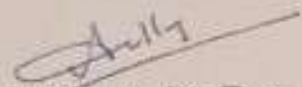
b) In a complaint raised by Ms. Bhavya Solanki dated 31.08.2023, pertaining to her non-promotion in the fourth year despite valid medical grounds, the SO (ARC) was directed to directly pass this concern to the University as it relates to promotion rather than admission. The University representatives were asked to handle this complaint as per their prevailing rules. **(Action by SO(ARC)/GGSIPU)**

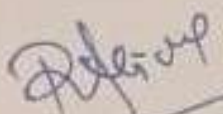
c) The Committee noted a series of complaints filed by Adv. Khagesh B. Jha, who has also resorted to legal action due to the University's refusal to admit his son, Sarthak Jha, under the "person with a disability" (PWD) category on specific grounds. University representatives explained that Sarthak Jha had secured admission in two different colleges and according to university regulations, a student can only enroll in one college and any dual enrollment renders both admissions null and void. However, the exact Rule was not presented by the university representatives. The Committee instructed them to provide the relevant rule and expressed that this policy seems incorrect and needs to be reviewed. They clarified that the admission in one college should be invalidated. The Committee requested a comprehensive response and the university's position on all applications from Ms. Khagesh B. Jha within three days. Additionally, the university was restrained from taking any coercive action against the admission of the candidate. Mr. Jha be informed accordingly.

(Action by GGSIPU)

d) Dr. Nand Kishore Garg from Maharaja Agrasen Technical Education Society vide three complaints dated 31.08.2023 (forwarded to GGSIPU on 31.08.2023), has raised concerns about a significant number of vacant seats in various courses, including MBA, BA LLB (Hons), BBA LLB (Hons), and LLM. Similarly, Dr. Vats from Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies (VIPS) on dated 20.09.2023 has also reported empty seats in their institution as on 18.09.2023, highlighting a notable disparity between the college's course-wise intake and the total seats displayed on the university portal during counseling. It has been complained that in the light of a fully centralized admission process, the responsibility to fill these vacant seats falls squarely on the GGSIPU. They have raised that one potential

factor contributing to the university's struggle in filling law course seats could be the prolonged admission process. Admissions for LLB and LLM are contingent on the CLAT exams held in 2022, with results announced in January 2023—almost eight months later. During this interim period, many prospective students secured admission in other law colleges where the admission process was quicker. VIPS College alone has reported an excess of 300 vacant seats across various courses, underscoring the gravity of the situation. Secretary (HE) informed about the Government's approval of filling up of vacant seats in Law courses through CUET score after exhausting merit list of CLAT. The Committee directed the University should ensure 100% filling of vacant seats in Law course. Action taken be reported. (Action by GGSIPU)


Dr. (Ms.) Amita Dev,
Member, ARC &
Vice Chancellor, IGDTUW, Delhi


(R. Alice Vaz)
Member Secretary, ARC &
Secretary (HE), GNCTD


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C.C.:

1. Director, Higher Education, GNCTD.
2. All concerned.