

- (X) NEHU Students' Union representative in the Academic Council.

The General Secretary, NEHUSU vide his letter placed at Annexure 'A' has requested that besides the Students nominated on Academic merit to the Academic Council as per the relevant Statutes and Ordinances, a nominee of the NEHUSU may also be included in the Academic Council.

As this is a policy matter related to membership in the Academic Council the matter was placed before Academic Council in its 56th meeting held on 21st & 22nd Nov. 1997 which resolved to regret the same.

The matter is placed before the Council for consideration.

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Ref.No.F.NEHUSU/27/GS/97
dated 25.6.97.

To

The Chairman,
Academic Council,
NEHU, Shillong.

Sub:- NEHU Students' Union representative in the
Academic Council.

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited, I am in receive of a letter No:AC:5/Conf/89(Vol.II)-263 dated Shillong the 19th June, 1997 from Mr.J.M.S. Khongwir, D/R Conference, that as per Statute 14(1)(xiii) two Post-Graduate Students of the University one from Sciences and one from Humanities and also one Research Scholar are selected on Academic merit as representatives to the Academic Council in the manner prescribed by an Ordinance, of which a copy of the relevant Ordinance is enclosed for our information.

As per the letter, the present student representative who have been designated to represent the students are 1. Shri Manoj Sharma, Deptt. of Library and Information Sciences 2. Miss Badashisha Massar, Deptt. of Zoology, 3. Shri Temjennaro Jamir, Deptt. of Education, and these students have been selected on the basis of Academic merit. At this point, we would like to draw your attention to the fact that they do not have the mandate of the students community in general. Therefore, the NEHUSU being the sole recognised student body of the University would hereby place a request for inclusion of its nominee to the Academic Council.

We are aware, that as per Ordinance, our request is inconsistent. But due to the change circumstances and responsibilities assigned and expected of the NEHUSU, we request you to kindly address this issue at the next Academic Council meeting. Towards this end, we feel it is imperative that the existing Ordinance be suitably modified and altered to facilitate the inclusion of the NEHUSU's representative in the Academic Council.

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The Union would like to reiterate that it does not object to the stipulation whereby only Academic meritorious students are designated to represent the students community. It would be highly conducive if you could kindly facilitate the join inclusion of both the meritorious students as well as the nominee of the NEHUSU, a students representative body that is recognised both by the authorities and has the mandate of the students in general.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- General Secretary.

Copy to:-

1. P.S. to the Vice-Chancellor, NEHU, Shillong.
2. Mr.J.M.S.Khongwir, Dy,Registrar, NEHU, Shillong.
3. The Dean Students' Welfare, NEHU, Shillong.

Sd/- General Secretary.

(vii) NEHU Representatives in the Governing
Body of the Colleges.

EC:95:97:5:8:(vii): The Council considered the lists of Representatives in the Governing Bodies of the various Colleges and RESOLVED to approve the names recommended by the Academic Council, as per Annexure III.

(viii) Working problems in the Department of Physics.

EC:95:97:5:8:(viii): The Council considered the working problems in the Department of Physics and RESOLVED that the allotment of space, funds and use of equipments should be discussed at the Faculty meetings which should be held once in every semester where the Dean, School of Physical Sciences, and Professors SK.Mishra and RP.Sharma should also be invited as Observers for a period of one year only. The Council also desired that the Vice- Chancellor should also be present in the Faculty meetings for a period of one year.

(ix) Minutes of the meeting of the Shillong Law College.

EC:95:97:5:8:(ix): The Council considered the recommendations of the Academic Council on the Shillong Law College and RESOLVED to approve the same. The College is to inform the names of experts for the selection of Teachers including the experts from the University.

(x) University's Representative to the MBOSE.

EC:95:97:5:8:(x): The Council considered the recommendations of the Academic Council to nominate Prof. (Ms.) M. S.Padma in place of Prof.(Ms) K.S.Lyngdoh as the University's representative to MBOSE and RESOLVED to approve the same.

(xi) NEHU Student's Union representative in the
Academic Council.

EC:95:97:5:8:(xi): The Council considered the request of NEHUSU to allow a nominee of the Union as a member of the Academic Council and RESOLVED to regret the same.