

(iii): Proposed retrenchment of those teachers of the Pachhunga University College who may opt to remain with NEHU after the establishment of a separate University of Mizoram.

The Academic Council in its 52nd meeting vide resolution no AC: 52: 96: 56(a) resolved to examine the feasibility of establishing a University College or acquiring a College in Meghalaya, in the event of establishment of Mizoram University.

Further in the 53rd meeting of the Academic Council held on 3rd & 4th June, 1996, it was decided vide resolution no 53: 96: 5: 6(iv) to take over the Kiang Nangbah Govt. College at Jowai and to make necessary negotiation with the Govt. of Meghalaya.

A draft MOU between NEHU & the Govt. of Meghalaya in regard to taking over of the Kiang Nangbah Govt. College had already been finalised and presently the matter is pending with the Govt. of Meghalaya.

So far no information has been received from the MHRD nor from the UGC regarding the final decision on the matter.

As per the tentative IXth Plan allocation of fund, as has been intimated by the UGC, there is no specific mentioning about the establishment of the proposed University College, though the University has already submitted a plan either for taking over of the Kiang Nangbah Govt. College or a separate constituent College.

In view of the above facts and over past experience with the repatriated College teachers from the erstwhile NEHU Campus in Nagaland who remained in NEHU without carrying their posts, the Academic Council in its 56th meeting held on 21st & 22nd Nov. 97 deliberated whether such college teachers who may opt to remain in NEHU after establishment of the Mizoram University should not be retrenched, which would in confirmity with the Supreme Court's Judgement in K.S. Jawatkar vs JNU's case in 1972.

The Academic Council after deliberating on the matter resolved to :-

"Express its serious concern that the Ministry of Human Resource Development while formulating the Central Mizoram University Act, has not consulted NEHU, despite the fact that NEHU has a Campus and an undergraduate college in Mizoram in particular.

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Considering the problems faced by NEHU at the time of the establishment of the Nagaland University some of which still remain to be addressed by MOHRD, the Council the further RESOLVED that:

The The MOHRD should make clear cut appropriate provisions, well in advance, regarding the assets, liabilities, including employees of NEHU in Mizoram; in particular, the posts, pay and utilisation of the services of the staff of Pacchung University College.

Meanwhile the University (NEHU) should set up a Committee consisting of the following to look into possible plans how to accommodate and utilise the services of the PUC staff".

1. Pro Vice-Chancellor (Mizoram)	Chairman
2. Professor A.N. Rai	Member
3. Professor M.N. Karna	-
4. Principal, PUC	-
5. Dr. S.H. Pautu	-
6. Registrar	-

The matter is placed before the Council for consideration.

- (iii) Proposed retrenchment of those teachers of the Pachhunga University College who may opt to remain with NEHU after the establishment of a separate University of Mizoram.

EC: 95:97:5:6:(iii): The Council considered the proposed retrenchment of the teachers of PUC who may opt to remain with NEHU after the establishment of the Mizoram University and RESOLVED to endorse the Resolution of the Academic Council.

On the question of taking over of the Kiang Nangbah College, Jowai by NEHU, the Director of Higher & Technical Education, Government of Meghalaya informed the Council that land is now available and the MOU can be signed between NEHU and the state Government. The Council authorised the Registrar to sign the MOU on behalf of the University.

5:7: AFFILIATION ETC.

- (i) (ii) & (iii) Affiliation cases of the various Colleges.

EC:95:97:5:7:(i): (ii)& (iii): The Council considered the affiliation cases of the various Colleges and RESOLVED as follows:

Bissau College: Provisional Affiliation may be granted for three years from 1997 -2000.

Tirikilla College: Provisional Affiliation may be granted for a period of three years from 1996 -99.

St. Edmund's College: The college should not start the course on Bio-Chemistry without the prior appointment of teachers.

Govt. Aizawl College: The college may start the course on Office Management and Secretarial Practice subject to fulfilment of the requirements laid down by the Inspection Team.

Sngap Singh Memorial College: Provisional affiliation for B.A. may be extended for a period of three years.

Shillong Law College: Provisional affiliation may be extended for a period of one year only for 1997-98 and provisional affiliation for the previous years be regularised.

Champhai College: Provisional affiliation be granted for a period of three years for Honours in English, Mizo(Elective) and Economics Pass.