

(v) ORDINANCE ON THE RAJENDRA KUMAR SUNEHARI DEVI JAIN CHARITABLE ENDOWMENT

The Rajendra Kumar Sunehari Devi Jain(RKDJ) Charitable Trust created a corpus fund of Rs.16,466/- with NEHU in 1987 for awarding Book grants to M.Sc (Zoology) students. NEHU have been awarding Book grant annually to the students of the Department of Zoology from the interest accrued on the investment of the Fund. In appreciation of the performance of NEHU, the Trust has proposed to donate a sum of Rs.83,534/- to increase the Corpus Fund to Rs.1,00,000/-(One lakh) only. The Faculty of the Department of Zoology decided to use 60% of the interest on the Corpus Fund for awarding a P.G.merit scholarship and the remaining 40% of the interest to award Book grant to two students of General category and two SC/ST students each year. The Deans' Committee in its meeting held on 8.11.2000, agreed to accept the offer of the RKSDJ Charitable Trust to enhance the Endowment to Rs.1,00,000/-. The Deans' Committee also agreed that (i) the name of Trustees be entered in the permanent list of VIPs during Convocation, and (ii) local hospitality should be offered to the Donar's nominee(without payment of TA/DA). The Dean's Committee observed that it would be necessary to frame an Ordinance on FKSDJ Endowment, and resolved that the Head, Department of Zoology and the Dean, School of Life Sciences may be requested to prepare a draft Ordinance. However, the Head, Department of Zoology, in consultation with the Dean, School of Life Sciences, feels that framing of a "Regulation" (not an Ordinance) may be helpful in easy and smooth operation of the Endowment. The draft prepared by the Head, Department of Zoology and the Dean, School of Life Sciences is enclosed herewith for consideration of the Academic Council.

The above matter was placed before the Academic Council in its 66th meeting wherein the Council Resolved to fram on Ordinance instead of a Regulation and approved the relavant Ordinance as per Annexure 'A'.

The matter is placed before the Council for consideration.

ON THE RAJENDRA KUMAR SUNEHARI DEVI JAIN CHARITABLE ENDOWMENT

- Short title The Endowment shall be called the "RAJENDRA KUMAR SUNEHARI DEVI JAIN CHARITABLE ENDOWMENT"
- Objective The objective of the Endowment is to provide scholarship and book grants to P.G. students of the Department of Zoology, NEHU, Shillong.
- Endowment & its purpose
1. The Endowment shall have an amount of Rs.1,00,000/- (One Lakh) only. This amount shall be invested in fixed Deposit in a Nationalized/Scheduled Bank.
 2. The annual accrued interest of the Endowment fund from its Fixed deposit account shall be drawn rounded to the nearest hundred rupees. Sixty percent (60%) of the interest amount shall be used for award of one annual P G Scholarship to one M Sc Previous (Zoology) student for one year, based on the criteria of merit of the awardee.
 3. The rest of the annual interest amount (40%) shall be used for award of four book grants of equal value to two General Category and two SC/ST students of M Sc previous (Zoology) each year, other than the recipient of the Scholarship.

Mode of selection

1. The Head, Deptt. of Zoology, NEHU, Shillong shall invite applications from the M Sc Previous (Zoology) students and shall short-list them as per the above mentioned criteria.
2. The final selection of the awardees shall be made by a Committee comprising of following members.

(A) The Head, Deptt. of Zoology, NEHU, Shillong.	-	Chairman
(B) Nominee of the Dean, School of Life Sciences.	-	Member
(C) Two Nominees of the Deptt.	-	Member
(D) Trust's nominee	-	Member
3. An announcement of the awards shall be made at the Convocation, where a nominee of the Trust shall be an Official invitee (without payment of TA/DA)
4. The awardees shall be given citations at the time of Convocation.

Management of the Endowment Fund The Finance Officer, NEHU, Shillong shall manage the Endowment Fund and shall maintain all accounts in respect of this Endowment.

The Council also desired that Column 13 of the application form may include the words "including co-curricular activities". The application forms need not be filled in the candidate's own handwriting.

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EC:111:2001:5:1:(v): The Council considered the Ordinance on the Rajendra Kumar Sunehari Devi Jain Charitable Endowment and RESOLVED to approve the same as per Annexure 'B'.

5.3- Research-

- (i) Request of two Ph.D. scholars, Department of Philosophy for pre-submission Seminar and Submission of Thesis under the original Supervisor Viz. Dr. N. Malla.

EC:111:2001:5:3:(i): The Council considered the matter and noted that the Council in its meeting held on 17th August, 2001, considered the cases of the following research scholars arising due to the suspension of Professor N. Malla and his subsequent forced retirement vide Resolution No:EC:110:2001:8:(iv): dated 17.8.2001:

1. Shri XP Mao
2. Shri Alempa Ao
3. Shri KD Ramsiej

To ease the position of the research scholars, the Department of Philosophy provided them with alternative supervisors. But, the scholars did not report to the new supervisors and were deliberately defying the orders of the University Authorities. Accordingly, the Executive Council decided that they should be given a notice to comply with the directions of the department within 15 days from the date of receipt of the notice. However, till date, the scholars failed to comply with the direction of the University. The Council is of the firm opinion that this is an act of disobedience and breach of discipline and therefore RESOLVED that the Ph.D. registration of the above scholars would stand cancelled with immediate effect. However, there will not be any bar for them to get admission afresh in the Ph.D. programme of the University.