

- (vii) Filling up of the Post of Professors/Lecturers from the SC/St Candidates.

The Council is apprised that the post of Professor/Technical Officer III (USIC) was advertised way back in 1994 but no suitable candidates were found fit for the same. As the post is lying vacant for a long time some Professors from the Science Departments have been appointed to look after USIC in addition to their normal duties as a stop gap arrangement. In some cases the Professors have also expressed their inability to continue and as such the office examined the matter and was agreed by the Vice-Chancellor that the matter may be referred to other institutions who are running the departments of USIC to suggest suitable candidates and to forward the bio-data of the person concerned. Most of the institutions did not response to our D.O'S letter but the University had received three bio-datas of interested candidates for the post of Professor/Technical Officer-III (USIC). Thereafter, the Vice-Chancellor constituted a Committee consisting of 4 (four) Professors to screen the bio-datas of the candidates concerned. The Screening Committee after examining the applications of the candidates found that two (2) out of 3 (three) candidates fulfills the requisite qualifications and recommended those 2 candidates for selection/interview.

With regards to the above, it may be mentioned herein that no provisions have been provided in the Statute/Ordinances with regard to the procedure of selection/interview for such cases.

In this connection, the following suggestions are placed before the Council for its consideration and decision.

- (i) Whether the candidates recommended by the Screening Committee which has been constituted for the purpose should face a regular interview.

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- (ii) the University may offer the appointment to any candidates and if so, the principle of selection candidates .
- (iii) whether the candidates so selected by either of the above procedure are to be appointed on contract/lich/ deputation or regular basis.

- (vi) Termination of service in respect of Dr. R. Lalthangliana.

EC:103:99:6:2:(vi): The Council considered the termination notice served on Dr. R. Lalthangliana on 26.3.99 and as he has completed 10 years as MLA and failed to report for duty on 1.4.99, the Council unanimously RESOLVED to terminate his services.

- (vii) Filling up of the post of Professors / Technical Officer - III (USIC).

EC:103:99:6:2: (vii): The Council considered the filling up of the post of Professor / Technical Officer -III in USIC and RESOLVED that temporary appointments be made until the posts are filled up by regular process.

- (viii) Confirmation in respect of Dr. R. Khongsdier Lecturer, Anthropology, NEHU, Shillong.

EC:103:99:6:2: (viii): The Council considered the confirmation of service in respect of Dr. R. Khongsdier as Lecturer in Anthropology w.e.f. 1.5.97 and RESOLVED to approve the same.

- (ix) Confirmation of service in respect of Dr. BK Mahapatra, Lecturer, Political Science, NEHU, Shillong.

EC:103:99:6:2: (ix): The Council considered the confirmation of service in respect of Dr. BK Mahapatra as Lecturer in Political Science w.e.f. 16.1.97 and RESOLVED to approve the same.

- (x) Unauthorised absence of Dr. VK Gautam.

EC:103:99:6:2: (x): The Council considered the unauthorised absence of Dr. VK Gautam w.e.f. 26.10.1990 to 28.2.1992 and again from 25.5.92 till date and unanimously RESOLVED that his services be terminated.

6: 3- Leave / Deputation

- (i) Grant of Sabbatical leave for a period of 1 (one) year w.e.f. 15.9.99 to 14.9.2000 in respect of Dr. A. Chatterjee.

EC:103:99:6:3: (i): The Council considered the grant of Sabbatical leave to Dr. A. Chatterjee, Lecturer in Zoology, for a period of one year w.e.f. 15.9.99 and RESOLVED to approve the same.