

- (vii) Appointment of Dr.L.Joyprakash Singh as Head of the Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering vice Shri S.K.Dutta, since resigned from Headship.

The Executive Council in its 140th meeting held on 04.03.2010 considered the letter of resignation submitted by Shri S.K.Dutta, the Head, Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering. The said Council discussed the matter in question in threadbare and resolved that the concerned Head may be requested to continue as Head in the interest of the University.

The decision of the Council was conveyed to Shri S.K.Dutta, Head, Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering on 12th March,2010 by the Registrar of the University. For reference ANNEXURE-A may be seen. In response, Shri S.K.Dutta, Head,Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering reiterated his stand not to continue as Head of the Department (ANNEXURE-B) and stopped working as Head of the Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering since 12th March,2010. This resulted in the dislocation of work in the Department such as, teaching/examination programmes and placement of students. Further, his refusal to continue as Head had serious implication on purchases concerning the Department being the end of the financial year.

In order to avoid dislocation of work in the Department any further in general and keeping the interest of the students in view in particular, the Vice-Chancellor had accepted the resignation of Shri S.K.Dutta w.e.f. 17.03.2010 and requested Dr.L.Joyprakash Singh, to help the University in this hour of need. Dr.L.Joyprakash Singh had accepted to be the Head of the Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering and accordingly Dr.L.Joyprakash Singh, subject to ratification by the Executive Council, was appointed as Head of the Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering for a period of 3 years w.e.f. 17.03.2010 vide ANNEXURE-C. However, Dr.L.J.Singh could assumed the charge of the office of the Head w.e.f. 23.03.2010(AN) as per Charge Report vide ANNEXURE-D.

Considering the sequence of events as stated above, it may not be out of place to mention herein that virtually there was no Head of the Department since 12.03.2010 to 23.03.2010(FN). Copies of the letter from President, NEHUTA and relevant to the issue are placed vide ANNEXURE-E, F & G.

The matter is submitted for consideration of the Council.

No.F. 5-5/Estt.II/2006/ECE/-284 dt. 16/4/2010

**OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR
NORTH EASTERN HILL UNIVERSITY
SHILLONG**

**From: Prof. D.R. Syiemlieh
Registrar**

No:2-15:Estt-II:Regr:2010-462
Dated: 12th March, 2010

To

Shri Sushanta Kabir Dutta
Head
Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering
North-Eastern Hill University
Shillong


Sir,

Kindly refer to your letter F.3-1/ECE/Resignation/2010-25 dated 9th March, 2010. I am to inform that your earlier letter of resignation was placed before the 140th meeting of the Executive Council which met on 4th March, 2010. The Executive Council has requested you to kindly continue as Head in the interest of the University. Copy of the extract of the EC Resolution is enclosed herewith.

I am to inform that a Committee has been constituted to look into the incident of 30th December 2009 and to suggest corrective measures. The Committee is to meet on 15th March, 2010.

In this background you are requested to kindly continue as Head Department Electronics and Communication Engineering.


Yours sincerely,

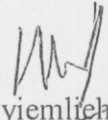

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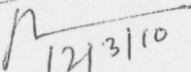
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1. PS to Vice Chancellor, NEHU, Shillong
2. PS to Pro Vice Chancellor, NEHU, Shillong
3. Dean, School of Technology, NEHU, Shillong
- ✓ 4. Deputy Registrar (Estt-II), NEHU, Shillong

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Sushanta kabir dutta
Reader

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No. : Pers/2010/3

Date: 12.03.2010

To,

Registrar,
North-Eastern Hill University,
Shillong-22

Sub: *Resignation from the position of head, Department of Electronics and Communication Engg.*

Ref: My letter bearing no: SoT-IT/ADM-3/08/18 dated 31st Dec 2009 & no.:SoT-IT/ADM-5/06/62 dated 22nd Feb 2010 and your letter bearing No.NIL dated 8th Jan, 2010 & No. 2-15: Estt-II:Regr:2010-462 dated 12th March 2010

Sir,

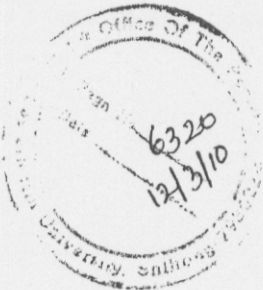
With reference to the above, I would like to inform you that I am standing by my decision not to continue as head of Department of *Electronics and Communication Engg.* as communicated through my previous letters.

This is for your kind information and necessary action.

Thanking you,

Yours Faithfully

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12/3/10
Sushanta Kabir Dutta
Reader, Dept. of Electronics and Communication
North-Eastern Hill University,
Umshing, Shillong-22.





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पू. प० विवि० परिसर, शिलांग-७९३०२२ (मेघालय)

North-Eastern Hill University

NEHU Campus, Shillong - 793 022 (Meghalaya)

No.F.5-5/Estt-II/06/ECE/- 290

Dated 17th March, 2010

NOTIFICATION

In terms of provision laid down under Statute 7 of the NEHU Act 1973 and subject to ratification by the Executive Council, the Vice-Chancellor, NEHU is pleased to appoint Dr.L.Joyprakash Singh, Associate Professor as Head of the Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering, NEHU, Shillong for a period of 3 years w.e.f. 17.03.2010 vice Shri S.K.Dutta, since resigned from the Headship.

Deputy Registrar(Estt-II)

Copy to:

1. The Pro-Vice-Chancellor, NEHU, Shillong/Tura Campus, -for information
2. All Deans of Schools, NEHU, Shillong- for information..
3. All Heads of Departments/Centres, NEHU, Shillong/Tura Campus.
4. Dr.L.Joyprakash Singh, Associate Professor ,Deptt. of ECE, NEHU, Shillong.
He is requested to take over the charge of the Headship and submit the charge report to the undersigned.
5. Shri S.K.Dutta, Associate Professor, Deptt. of ECE, NEHU, Shillong. He is requested to handover the charge of Office of the Head to Dr.L.J.Singh on the date specified above.
6. All Dy.Registrars/Asstt.Registrars NEHU, Shillong/Tura Campus-for information.
7. The In-Charge, NEHU Publication, NEHU, Shillong. -for information.
8. The Administrative In-Charge, NDVN(VSAT) facility, NEHU, Shillong information and needful action.
9. SPS to the Vice-Chancellor, NEHU. -for information.
10. PS to the Registrar, NEHU. -for information.
11. PA to the Finance Officer, NEHU, Shillong-for information.
12. PS to the COE, NEHU, Shillong-for information.
13. Personal file.

Deputy Registrar(Estt-II)

NORTH EASTERN HILL UNIVERSITY
NEHU CAMPUS : : SHILLONG

CHARGE REPORT

Certified that the charge for the post of Head, ECE in the North-Eastern Hill University, Shillong has been assumed/relinquished by me this Forenoon/Afternoon of 23/03/2010 in accordance with Memo No.F. 5-5/EN-11/06/ECE/-290 dated 17th March 2010

(Appointment/Officiating/Leave/Transfer/Resignation).

Signature [Handwritten Signature]

Name Dr. L. S. Sarmah

Designation Assistant Professor

Department Communication Engineering

Dated, Shillong
The 23/03/10

Copy to:

1. The Finance Officer, NEHU, Shillong.
2. The Section Officer, Salary Section, NEHU, Shillong.
3. The Deptt/Section of _____, NEHU, Shillong.
4. Shri/Smti _____, NEHU, Shillong.
5. Personal file.

COUNTERSIGNED:

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Estt (A)
N. Sarmah
23/3/10

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DK
25/3/10

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(Signature) 23/3/10
(With Seal and Date)
Dean
School of Technology
North-Eastern Hill University
Shillong - 793 022

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NORTH-EASTERN HILL UNIVERSITY TEACHERS'S ASSOCIATION

NEHU, SHILLONG-793022

Prof. S. B. Prasad
President

Dated March 18, 2010

To
The Vice Chancellor
North-Eastern Hill University
Shillong-22

Subject- Headship in the Dept. of Information Technology and the Dept. of Electronics and Communications, NEHU, Shillong.

Sir,

With reference to the above I am to draw your attention to the fact that the problem at out Headship in these Departments arose out of the problem of University's failure to provide security to teachers while doing the University duty. NEHUTA has already written to you about it and we are yet to receive a satisfactory reply. In view of the above we are advising our members not to accept the office of the Heads falling vacant out of the issue of security. You are requested not to try to influence our members in any manner that is contrary to our decision.

Yours Sincerely,

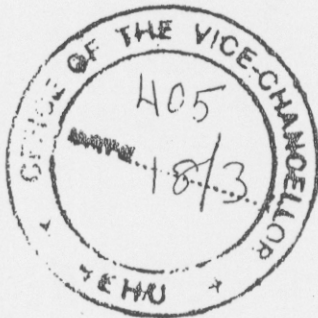
- *S.B. Prasad* 18/3/10
(S. B. Prasad)
President, NEHUTA

President

NEHU Teachers' Association

Copy to Shillong.

Dr. Bubu Bhuyan, Dept. of Information Technology and Dr L. J Singh, Dept. of Electronics and Communications, NEHU, Shillong with a request not to accept the Headship.



Received at
2 P.M on
18/3/10

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North-Eastern Hill University
NEHU Campus, Shillong - 793 022 (Meghalaya)

Prof. David R. Syiemlieh
Registrar

No.F.2-34/Regr/NEHUTA/2010-478
The 18th March, 2010

To

Prof.S.B.Prasad
President,
NEHUTA,
NEHU, Shillong.

Sir,

This has reference to your letter dated 18th March, 2010 on the subject "Headship in the Department of IT and ECE".

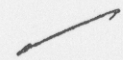
It is clear from your letter that (i) you have advised the newly appointed Heads of the Departments not to accept the responsibilities of the office of the Heads; and (ii) you have put certain conditions on the University before you would allow the offices of the Heads to function.

Dr L. J. Singh and Shri B. Bhuyan were appointed as Heads of the Department of ECE and IT, respectively in view of the resignation of Md. Iftekhar Hussain and Shri Sushanta Kabir Dutta. As per their letters dated March 18, 2010, it is clear that they have now refused to accept the charge of the office under pressure from you.

The University has taken a serious view of the attempts on the part of the NEHUTA President in directly interfering with the normal functioning of the University for which NEHUTA was not established.

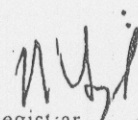
You are advised not to pressurize the faculty members who are first employees of NEHU and then members of NEHUTA.

Yours sincerely,


(David R. Syiemlieh)

Copy to:

1. Dr L.J.Singh, Associate Professor, Department of ECE, NEHU, Shillong.
2. Shri B.Bhuyan, Associate Professor, Department of IT, NEHU, Shillong.
3. Md. Iftekhar Hussain, Associate Professor, Department of IT, NEHU, Shillong.
4. Shri Sushanta Kabir Dutta, Associate Professor, Department of ECE, NEHU, Shillong.
5. The Dean, School of Technology, NEHU, Shillong.
6. Sr.PS to the Vice Chancellor, NEHU, Shillong for V.C's information.
7. PS to the Pro-Vice Chancellor, NEHU, Shillong Campus for PVC's information.


Registrar

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Date: 18th March 2010

To,
The Vice-Chancellor,
North-Eastern Hill University (NEHU),
Shillong – 793 022

Pranod Zaidon
18/3/10 4:15pm

Subject: Request for re-consideration

Dear Sir,

Thank you so much for giving me this opportunity to take the responsibility of the department. But NEHUTA has given me a copy of the letter, address to the Vice-Chancellor of the University, today in the morning not to accept the headship till the issue of security to the teachers is resolved. Since I am also a member of NEHUTA, it will be unethical for me to go against the wishes of the association.

I therefore request you to reconsider the issue of headship till the above mentioned matter is resolved.

Thanking you,

Regards,

L. Joyprakash Singh

L. Joyprakash Singh

Associate Professor, ECE Department,
NEHU, Shillong – 793 022

Enclosure:

A Copy of the letter received from NEHUTA, President for your ready reference.

ITEM NO.2**REPORTING ITEMS**

- (i) **Action taken on the Minutes of the 140th Meeting of the Executive Council.**

NO:EC:141:2010:2:(i): The Council **noted** the action taken on the decisions of the Council in its 140th meeting.

ITEM NO.3**RATIFICATION OF ACTION TAKEN BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR.**

- (i) **Appointment of Head of the Department of Environmental Studies.**

NO:EC:141:2010:3:(i): The Council **ratified** the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in appointing Prof. B.K. Tiwari as Head of the Department of Environmental Studies for a period of three years w.e.f. 22nd March, 2010 vice Prof. O.P. Singh.

- (ii) **Appointment of a Visiting Fellow, Department of Cultural and Creative Studies.**

NO:EC:141:2010:3:(ii): The Council **ratified** the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in appointing Shri Benedict Hynniewta as a Visiting Fellow, Department of Cultural and Creative Studies, considering the need and interest of the student community w.e.f. 1st March, 2010 to 31st July, 2010 or till the appointment of a regular incumbent whichever is earlier. Shri Hynniewta is entitled to draw minimum of the pay band of Rs.15,600-39100/- with AGP of Rs.6000/- plus other allowances as admissible under rules of the University for such appointment.

- (iii) **Appointment of Shri Bubu Bhuyan as Head of the Department of Information Technology vice Md. I. Hussain, since resigned from Headship**
and

- (iv) **Appointment of Dr. L. Joyprakash Singh as Head of the Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering vice Shri S.K. Dutta, since resigned from Headship.**

NO:EC:141:2010:3:(iii)&(iv): The Council **ratified** the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor in accepting the resignation of Md. I. Hussain and Shri S.K. Dutta who

stopped functioning as Head of the Department of Information Technology and Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering respectively w.e.f. 12th March, 2010 and in appointing Shri Bubu Bhuyan, Reader, as Head of the Department of Information Technology and Dr. L. Joyprakash Singh as Head of the Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering for a period of three years w.e.f. 17.03.2010.

The Council noted with serious concern that Md. Iftekhar Hussain and Shri S.K. Dutta did not heed the request of the Executive Council (vide Resolution No.EC:140:2010:6:2:xiii:) to continue as the Head of the Departments and even stopped functioning as Heads causing closure of the office of the Heads of the Departments from 12th March, 2010 to 23rd March, 2010. The Council took a serious note of this and directed the administration to issue a warning to Md. Iftekhar Hussain and Shri S.K. Dutta for their misconduct and not to repeat the same in future.

The Executive Council also took a serious note of the letter of Prof. S.B. Prasad, President North-Eastern Hill University Teachers' Association (NEHUTA) to the Vice-Chancellor. The Council directed the administration to issue warning to him that he should not interfere in the appointment/functioning of the Heads of Departments and stern action will be taken if such things recur in future.

ITEM NO.6 ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

6:1: *Selection Committee*

- (i) **Recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Registrar, Finance Officer, and University Engineer.**

NO:EC:141:2010:6:1:(i): The Council considered the recommendations of the Selection Committees held on 19th & 20th April, 2010 for recruitment of Group 'A' Officers and **RESOLVED** to approve as under:

Registrar	- Shri Lambha Roy
Finance Officer	- Shri Taliremba (on deputation)
University Engineer	- Shri Tongbram Jagat Singh