

Item No. 5. - ACADEMIC MATTERS

5:6: - Establishment of new department/centres/
Courses etc.

(i) ESTABLISHMENT OF A NEHU CAMPUS IN SIKKIM

The Principal, Sikkim Government College, Gangtok has requested this University to establish of a NEHU Campus in Sikkim and affiliate their Colleges with NEHU vide letter No.01/08/186/2001/East/Edn/1487, dated 6th March, 2002 which is placed at Annexure 'A'.

The reply of the Ministry of Human Resource Development, (MHRD), Government of India to the Honorable Chief Minister of Sikkim and his letter to the MHRD, Government of India are also placed at Annexure 'B' and 'C' respectively.

The matter is placed before the Executive Council for consideration.

NO:F:27-20/Admn/2002

Sikkim Government College,
Tadong : 737102

Ref. No.01/08/186/2001/East/Edn/1487

Date : 6.3.2002.

To: Deputy Registrar (Administration)
North Eastern Hill University,
NEHU Campus;
Shillong - 793 022 (Meghalaya)

Sub :- Establishment of a Campus of NEHU in Sikkim and Affiliation
of Colleges

Sir,

This has reference to our visit to NEHU on the 4th of
September, 2001, concerning establishment of a campus of NEHU in
Sikkim and affiliation of our Colleges thereto.

As a follow-up action the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Sikkim
has written to the Minister, HRD, requesting for his assistance to
amend the NEHU Act to extend its jurisdiction to Sikkim. Copy of
the letter (with irrelevant covered) of the Hon'ble of Chief Minister
of Sikkim and a copy of the letter of Minister, HRD, (regarding
affiliation of our Colleges to NEHU brought up to him before our
visit to NEHU) are enclosed herewith for your kind perusal.

I have been directed to contact and request your University
for initiation of necessary steps to settle the matter expeditiously.
I would appreciate and be obliged if you could kindly consider
taking up the case with utmost urgency on your level.

Regards,

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

(C.B. Sunwar)
Principal,
SIKKIM GOVERNMENT COLLEGE,
TADONG GANGTOK-737102.

No.5-11/2001-NER

DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI

MINISTER OF
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
INDIA

NEW DELHI - 110 001

05 Oct., 2001

Dear Shri Chamling,

Please refer to your letter D.O. No.SH/4/(29)/SCM dated 8/9/2001 regarding pending issues of Education Sector in Sikkim.

This has reference to our visit to NEHU on the 4th of September, 2001, concerning establishment of a campus of NEHU in Sikkim and affiliation of our Colleges thereto. As a follow-up action the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Sikkim has written to the Minister, HRD, requesting for his assistance to amend the NEHU Act to extend its jurisdiction to Sikkim. Copy of the letter (with irrelevant covered) of the Hon'ble of Chief Minister of Sikkim and a copy of the letter of Minister, HRD, (regarding affiliation of our Colleges to NEHU brought up to him before our visit to NEHU) are enclosed herewith for your kind perusal. As regards the matter regarding affiliation of colleges of Sikkim to the North Eastern Hill University, position thereof is being ascertained and will be conveyed to you shortly.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

Sd/-
(MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI)

Yours faithfully,

Shri. Pawan Chamling,
Chief Minister of Sikkim,
Tashiling, Gangtok.

Tashiling Secretariat
Gangtok - 737 103
Sikkim

CHIEF MINISTER OF SIKKIM

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D.O.No.400/CM/001
16/10/001

I would like to thank you for the courtesy extended to me and my Cabinet colleagues when we called on you on 8.9.2001.

In the meeting, you would kindly recall that I had raised the issue of affiliation of our colleges with North Eastern Hill University as also the formula adopted by the Ministry to determine the drop out rates.

In respect of affiliation of our colleges with NEHU, you were most kind to suggest affiliating our colleges with Delhi University. We have considered the matter and keeping in view all aspects of the issue ^{it was,} felt convenient and suitable for our colleges to be affiliated with NEHU. In this regard my government has already initiated action for affiliating our colleges with NEHU. This, however, would require amendment of the North Eastern Hill University Act, 1973 to include Sikkim. I seek your kind assistance to ensure a Bill to amend the Act is brought to the Parliament no sooner the proposal is initiated by the concerned authorities of the University.

With kind regards,

Sd/-
(PAWAN CHAMLING)

Dr. Murli Manohar Joshi,
Minister,
Government of India,
Ministry of Human Resource Development,
Dr. Rajendra Prasad Road,
NEW DELHI.

Sciences, due to the non-availability of experts from the existing list and RESOLVED to ratify the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor.

Item No.5 ACADEMIC MATTERS

5:6- Establishment of new Departments / Centres/Courses, etc.

(i) Establishment of NEHU Campus in Sikkim.

EC:112:2002:5:6:(i): The Council considered the establishment of a University Campus at Sikkim and affiliating the Colleges at Sikkim and RESOLVED that unless Section 6 of the NEHU Act (No.24 of 1973) specifying the jurisdiction of the University is amended no action can be taken.

5:8- Others

(i) Dr. Shankar Dayal Sharma Gold Medal Awards, for 1999, 2000 and 2001.

EC:112:2002:5:8:(i): The Council considered the recommendations of the Committee for selection of students for the award of the Dr. Shankar Dayal Sharma Gold Medal Awards for 1999, 2000 and 2001 and RESOLVED that the following students may be awarded Gold Medals.

1999. Ms. Vanlalruati Ralte,
Botany Department.

2000. Ms. Indrani Ray
Bio-Chemistry Department.

2001 Ms. Biswarupa Ghosh
Botany Department.

Item No.6 ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS:

6:1- Selection Committee:

(i) Recommendations of the different Selection Committees for recruitment to different faculty positions of the University.

EC:112:2002:6:1:(i): The Chairman at the outset gave the background leading to the aborting of the Selections in Economics. The Chairman also explained that a few days before the beginning of the Selections for placement under the Career Advancement Scheme the University had received fresh Guidelines for promotion of Readers to Professors from the University Grants Commission instructing the University that the same should be given effect immediately. However, the