

## 5: 8-OTHERS.

- 1) Placement of the P.U.C. teachers opting to remain in NEHU consequent upon the formation of the Central University in Mizoram.

The Pachhunga University College Teachers' Association has submitted a memorandum (Copy enclosed at Annexure A) on placement of PUC Teachers in NEHU. The PUCTA urges that those teachers of the PUC who would opt to remain in the service of the NEHU after the formation of the Central University in Mizoram, be placed in its corresponding post graduate departments in Shillong.

The Council while deliberating on the issue may taken note of the following :

1. Academic Council did not agree for retrenchment of any teacher of the PUC in the event of Mizoram University coming up.
2. So far no college in Meghalaya has been taken over by NEHU as its constituent college as the MHRD and the UGC did not favour for such a move.
3. So far no infrastructural facility is available for having a constituent college of NEHU in Meghalaya.
4. Given a choice, it is not possible that every teacher of PUC will opt for NEHU and as such it will not be feasible to start a department in any college with these few teachers only. The problems in such cases have already been experienced when few teachers from the department of Linguistics, Commerce & Geology from Nagaland University had opted for NEHU service.
5. The recruitment criteria for PUC teachers and the teachers for University P.G. departments are the same so far as qualifications etc are concerned (excepting for those who had been received before the taking over of P.U. College by NEHU) but the composition of the Selection Committee is not the same.

Two Representatives of the Pachhunga University College Teachers' Association presented their views before the Council and answered question placed before them.

The Academic Council after consideration of the agenda note and also the verbal representation made by the representatives of PUCTA, RESOLVED that those teachers of Pachhunga University college who opt to continue in NEHU service, after the establishment of a new University in Mizoram, will be suitably accommodated within the existing academic Programmes of the North-Eastern Hill University until such time as a permanent alternative is evolved for their consolidated placement. The University may apprise the Ministry of Human Resource Development and the University grants Commission of the additional financial and infrastructural provisions that will have to be made to facilitate the above arrangement. The University, at the moment is not in a position to start a constituent College of its own.

The matter is placed before the Council for consideration.

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PACHHUNGA UNIVERSITY COLLEGE TEACHERS ASSOCIATION OF  
NORTH EASTERN HILL UNIVERSITY : AIZAWL MIZORAM:796001

Ref No..... Dated 8.9.1998

To  
 The Vice Chancellor,  
 North Eastern Hill University  
 Shillong

Subject: Placement of the Pachhunga University College teachers  
 opting to remain in NEHU service consequent upon the  
 formation of the Central University in Mizoram -  
 Please for placement in the Post-Graduate departments  
 in Shillong

Ref: Our representation dated : Aizawl, May, 1998

Sir,

We may be permitted to draw your benevolent attention to the issue of the placement of those teachers of the Pachhunga University College(PUC) who would opt to remain in the service of the North Eastern Hill University(NEHU) in the event of the establishment of the Central University in Mizoram.

Sir, the matter is of paramount importance to us being the determinant of our career and future security. Consequently, over the last three years, since the issue first came up, the members of our Association(the PUCTA) have been contemplating and speculating over the various possibilities of the said placement Vis-a-Vis the NEHU. Those speculations were the contents of our representations made until recently on the issue to the concerned authorities, the referred one being the last in the series. Nevertheless, the exigence of the issue has considerably shot up in recent times in view of the fact that the Mizoram Central University is now indeed oncoming. Hence the members of PUCTA have paid serious attention into the matter for evolving a final resolution on the issue.

Sir, we have discussed afresh and at length the various aspects of the said issue in a general body meeting of the PUCTA held very recently. The deliberations made in that meeting have converged on the unequivocal conclusions made in the placement issue, that is, "the teachers who would opt to remain in the NEHU service be placed in the Post-Graduate departments in Shillong". A memorandum conveying our contention about the placement issue and its related aspects is attached hereto for your kind perusal and judicious action.

With regards,

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-  
 (Dr. A.S.Dixit)  
 General Secretary

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 (S.N. Pautu)  
 President

MEMORANDUM OF PUCTA ON PLACEMENT OF PUC TEACHERS IN NEHU

We may kindly be allowed to submit the following on the present issue for your kind and active consideration.

1. The PUCTA urges that those teachers of the Pachhunga University College (PUC) who would opt to remain in the service of the North Eastern Hill University (NEHU) after the formation of the Central University in Mizoram be placed in its corresponding Post Graduate department in Shillong. In the cases of the subject for which such departments may not be in existence, the teachers ought to be placed in the allied Post Graduate departments or in the related centres of study, if creation of such departments is deemed unfeasible, but again in Shillong.

2. The PUCTA is of the opinion that such placement of teachers as mentioned above in serial No.1 can easily be done by adjusting the concerned teachers against the regular vacancies and, if necessary, by creating or by arranging to carry the required number of personal posts, whichever is found suitable.

The proposed placement is justified by the following facts:

i) This would benefit qualifications of the teachers in terms of the UGC norms as well as the experiences.

ii) This would give us an access to the facilities of an already established set up, which we have deprived of so far, and which we were confident would now enable us to excel ourselves academically, professionally and intellectually and hence to contribute more to the NEHU.

iii) This would certainly add to the strength of each departments in the NEHU and thereby help enrich its academic programmes to cope with the rapid expansion of knowledge, thus elevating NEHU's position in the national level.

iv) This would be cost-effective to the maximum, entailing no significant additional exchequer because of requirements of not much infra-structural development for the purposes of the proposed placement.

3. The PUCTA further urges that all the necessary arrangements be completed well in advance, so that the said placement of the teachers can be carried out soon after the exercise of option by them. And, before that, the process of option exercise ought to be completed as soon as the notification of the Mizoram Central University Act. is made by the Government of India. In any case, the process of placement in the NEHU must not be prolonged to the disadvantage of the concerned incumbents.

In the light of the above submission, we fervently request your kindness to be gracious enough to exert your good office to ensure justice for us.

Sd/-  
(Dr. A.S. Dixit)  
General Secretary

Sd/-  
(S.H. Pautu)  
President

## (ii) Starting of the Department of M. C. A.

EC:99:98:5:6: (ii): The Council considered the placement of the Department of MCA and while noting the representations received from the Departments of the School of Physical Sciences RESOLVED to approve the decision of the Academic Council to place the Department of Computer Applications under the School of Economics Management & Information Sciences. The Council also noted the dissent to its decision from Prof. AL Verma. (Annexure -D ).

## 5:7- AFFILIATION ETC.

(i) Inspection Reports of various Colleges for Permanent /  
Renewal / Initial affiliation.

EC:99:98:5:7: (i): The Council considered the recommendations of the Academic Council on the permanent / renewal / initial affiliation of the following Colleges and while approving the affiliations subject to fulfilment of the conditions laid down by the Inspection Teams RESOLVED that all the Colleges under the jurisdiction of the University be required to make appointments of their teachers as per the UGC norms including NET examinations.

As regards NERIST a Show Cause Notice be issued as to why the privileges of NEHU should not be withdrawn on the following grounds:

- (a) Collecting fees in the name of NEHU without obtaining any prior authority or permission from the University.
- (b) Using the seal and designation of the Vice - Chancellor of NEHU in the fee receipts without any authority or permission from the University.

The Chairman is authorised to take necessary action on the reply from NERIST which should be submitted latest by 10.1.1999.

## 5:8- OTHERS

- (i) Placement of the PUC teachers opting to remain in NEHU consequent upon the formation of the Central University in Mizoram.

EC:99:98:5:8: (i): The Council considered the placement of the PUC Teachers opting to remain in the services of NEHU after the creation of the University in Mizoram and RESOLVED to accept the recommendations of the Academic Council