

5:8: - Others:

- (i) Proposal for declaring Centre for Science Education as vocational Centre.

The Academic Council in its 80th meeting held on 3.10.2008 vide Resolution No:AC:80:2008:2:(iii) considered the Proposal for declaring Centre for Science Education as vocational Centre and Resolved to accept the recommendation of the Committee at Annexure 'A' that the Centre for Science Education may be treated as non-vocational Centre.

The matter is placed before the Council for consideration.

Minutes of the meeting of the Academic Council Committee constituted vide Notification No:F.AC:79-4/Conf/2008-148 dated 02/07/2008, held on 17/09/2008 at 12.00 noon

Members Present

1. Prof. A.K. Misra (Chairman)
2. Prof. S. K. Srivastava
3. Prof. N. M. Panda

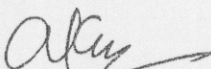
The Committee discussed and deliberated on the issue of declaring Centre for Science Education as vocational Centre.

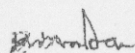
University had notified certain Centres/ Department as non-vocational vide notification No. F.12-1/Estt-II/85-1302 dated 09/12/1985 in which at serial No. 4 Centre for School Science and Mathematics was also listed. Regulation RA-9 on Centres of Studies lists Unit for Science Education under the Centre for Supportive Learning Systems. However, Academic Council reorganised these Centres. Accordingly, Centre for Science Education (CSE) has now been placed under School of Physical Sciences.


The matter of declaring Centres as vocational came up before Academic Council in November 2000. Academic Council vide Resolution No. AC:64:2000:5:8 (ix) reiterated the above notification dated 09/12/1985 declaring the Centres as non-vocational.

The Committee considered the functions of Centres as laid down in Ordinance OA-11 clause (3) and also the activities of the CSE as included in the Annual Reports of the University for the periods 2004-05, 2005-06 and 2006-07. Ordinance OA-11 clause (3) does not provide for regular courses nor the CSE is running any regular courses. Since the Executive Council in its meeting held on 14/02/1984 resolved to approve some Centres as non-vocational on the ground "... they do not enrol students nor hold regular classes", the Committee is of the opinion that the CSE may continue to be treated as non-vocational.

However, the Committee would like to bring to the notice of Academic Council that 'teachers of the University are allowed a period of vacation'. Since teachers attached/ placed in CSE may also be governed by the same service conditions, this may introduce an element of contradiction. Academic Council may like to consider this.


(Prof. A.K. Misra)


(Prof. S.K. Srivastava)


(Prof. N.M. Panda)

		<p>(2) Pathology (3) Microbiology 4. Radiodiagnosis, (5) Obstetrics and Gynaecology as a special case without creating any precedent due to the fact that NEIGRIHMS is a centrally funded professional medical college located in Meghalaya whose MBBS programme has already been affiliated to NEHU. A Committee be constituted to examine the matter and suggests necessary measures for consideration of such cases. The Council also Resolved that Rules be framed for the Medical Courses.</p>
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5:8: Others:

- (i) **Proposal for declaring Centre for Science Education as Vocational Centre.**

NO:EC:135:2008:5:8:(i): The Council considered the recommendation of the 80th Academic Council meeting on declaring Centre for Science Education as a Vocational Centre and **RESOLVED** to approve the recommendation of the 80th Academic Council that the Centre for Science Education be treated as non-vocational Centre based on the recommendation of the Three Member Committee which is placed as Annexure-V.

ITEM NO.6

ADMINISTRATIVE MATTERS

6:1: Selection Committee.

- (i) **Recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment to the post of Publication Officer.**

NO:EC:135:2008:6:1:(i): The Council considered the recommendation of the Selection Committee for appointment of a Publication Officer and **RESOLVED** to appoint Shri Bedarius Shylla, as Publication Officer.

The Council also considered the confirmation of services of the Technical Officers of USIC and **RESOLVED** to approve the same as follows:

1. Shri Ivan S. Lyngdoh w.e.f. 14.12.2005
2. Shri Subhendu De w.e.f. 17.12.2005
3. Friedalin S. Cajee w.e.f. 15.12.2005.