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University Grants Commission

(शिक्षा मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार)
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Subject: Categorization of the University under UGC [Categorization of Universities (only) for Grant of Graded Autonomy] Regulations, 2018.

Dear Sir,

As you are aware, UGC is mandated to determine, promote and maintain the standards of higher education in the country, UGC is constantly striving to create an enabling environment whereby higher education institutions in the country can become institution of global excellence, UGC is also aware that global excellence can be achieved by extending autonomy to better performing institutions for promoting and institutionalizing excellence in higher education.

In order to grant autonomy to the better performing institutions, UGC has notified UGC [Categorization of Universities (only) for grant of Graded Autonomy] Regulations, 2018 on 12th February, 2018 in the Gazette of India.

The proposal received from Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Open University, Ahmedabad, Gujarat under the above UGC Regulations has been examined, processed and considered by the Commission in its 567th meeting held on 23rd March, 2023. The Commission has decided to grade Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Open University, Ahmedabad, Gujarat as Category-I University as per the provisions of the above Regulations. The University shall now be eligible for all the benefits as stipulated under Clause 5 (Dimensions of Autonomy for Category-I Universities) of the above mentioned UGC Regulations.

However, the University shall inform the UGC about the benefits being implemented from the new academic session. In light of this, the university should acknowledge in writing that it shall strictly comply with all the Regulations as mentioned in the provisions (clause 5) of the University Grants Commission [Categorization of Universities (only) for Grant of Graded Autonomy] Regulations, 2018.

It is further informed that the University shall intimate the Commission about its changed status as per clause 6 of the said Regulations.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

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