## University of Kerala (Abstract)

First Degree Programmes under CBCS system-Award of Grace Marks-Guidelines for awarding grace marks for Sports Performance/Arts/NSS/NCC-Modifications w.e.f 2019 admissions -Approved-Orders issued.

ACADEMIC 'A V' SECTION <u>No.AcAV/1/grace marks/2019</u> Trivandrum, Dated:06-06-2019 Read:- 1.U O No.Ac.AV/1/Grace marks/2015 dated 25-02-2015 2.U.O.No.No.Ac.AV/1/Grace Marks/2015 dated 22.01.2016 3.Minutes of the meeting of the University Level Monitoring Committee (ULMC)held on 06-03-2019 4.Item.No.08.18.06 of the Minutes of the meeting of the Syndicate held on

30-04-2019

## <u>ORDER</u>

The Guidelines for the award of grace marks to the candidates of First Degree Programmes under CBCS system for their achievements in Sports/Arts/NCC/NSS from 2013 admissions had been issued vide paper read as (1) and (2) above.

The University Level Monitoring Committee at its meeting held on 06.03.2019, considered the note received from the Controller of Examinations regarding the anomalies in the award of grace marks for Arts/Sports/NCC/NSS issued vide U.O.No.AcAV/1/grace marks/2015 dated

25.02.2015 and recommended the following:

(1).Clauses II, III,IV and 8 of the guidelines regarding the award of grace marks for NSS/Sports/Arts and NCC respectively shall be modified as follows:

Course wise distribution shall be followed and grace marks need not be awarded to a student, if he/she secures less than 10% of the maximum marks for the theory course (external).

(2).Clause 9 of the general guidelines for the award of grace marks for Sports/Arts/NSS /NCC viz "Grace Marks awarded shall not be considered for ranking and the total marks after awarding Grace Marks shall be 1 (one) mark less than the total marks of the third rank / position. But the grace marks awarded will not be considered for issuing Position Certificate" shall be modified as follows:

Grace Marks awarded shall not be considered for ranking and the maximum marks after awarding grace marks shall not exceed 89%. But the grace marks awarded will not be considered for issuing Position Certificate.

(3).Clause 14 of the general guidelines for the award of grace marks for Sports/Arts/NSS /NCC shall be modified as follows :

In the case of Arts/NSS participants, the Director of Students' Services/NSS Programme Coordinator shall finalize the list of eligible students for grace marks, after collecting the applications with all relevant documents from the Principals and forward the recommendations to the Controller of Examinations every year.

The above modifications will come into effect from 2019 admissions.

The Syndicate at its meeting held on 30.04.2018 noted the action taken by the Vice-

Chancellor in having approved the recommendations of the ULMC.

Orders are issued accordingly.

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- 1. The Principals of all Colleges offering First Degree Programmes under CBCS system.
- 2. ULMC members
- 3. The Controller of Examinations.
- 4. The Director, Computer Center.
- 5. The Director, Department of Physical Education.
- 6. The Director, Department of Student Services.
- 7. The Co-ordinator, NSS
- 8. PS to VC/PVC
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