



RAJIV GANDHI NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF LAW, PUNJAB

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MINUTES OF THE 32nd MEETING OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE HELD ON 29-12-2021 AT 10:30 A.M. THROUGH BLENDED MODE AT RAJIV GANDHI NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF LAW, PUNJAB, PATIALA.

Members were present :

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| 1. Professor (Dr.) G.S. Bajpai
Vice-Chancellor,
Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab | In Chair |
| 2. Professor (Dr.) Ranbir Singh
Chairman, Search cum Selection Committee,
IIDEM, Election Commission of India,
Former Vice-Chancellor, NLU, Delhi | Member |
| 3. Mr. Mohit Tiwari, IRS
Special Secretary to Govt. of Punjab,
Department of Finance, Punjab,
Chandigarh (Representative Principal Secy. Finance) | " "
(Join through online) |
| 4. Professor (Dr.) Veer Singh
Former Director (Academics),
Chandigarh Judicial Academy,
Chandigarh. | " "
(Join through online) |
| 5. Professor (Dr.) Anand Pawar
Professor of Law,
Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab | " " |
| 6. Professor (Dr.) Naresh Kumar Vats
Professor & Registrar,
Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab | Secretary |

Prof (Dr) G.S. Bajpai, Vice-Chancellor (Chairperson) welcomed the Members of the Finance Committee and thanked them for taking out valuable time from their busy schedule for joining online meeting.

At the outset, the Vice-Chancellor presented a brief of the new initiative and academic activities of the University. The Members placed on record its appreciation to the University.

Prof (Dr) Naresh Kumar Vats, Registrar-cum-Secretary presented the agenda of the meeting. The following decisions were taken by the Finance Committee :

ITEM NO.	PARTICULARS OF AGENDA ITEM(S)	DECISION(S)
1	To confirm the Minutes and Action Taken	The Finance Committee confirmed the

	Report of the last meeting of the Finance Committee held on 20 th September, 2021	Minutes and noted the Action Taken Report of the last meeting.
2	To confirm the minutes of the Fee Rationalisation Committee meeting held on 11-10-2021 at 3:00 p.m. through online mode to consider the matter regarding fee relief/waiver of the students of the B.A.LL.B.(Hons.) FYIC Course	The Finance Committee confirmed the minutes of the Fee Rationalisation Committee.
3	To consider the request of Faculty Members for implementation of UGC 7 th Pay Commission vide notification No. 1-7/2015-U.II(1) dated 2 nd November, 2017 of MHRD, Department of Higher Education, New Delhi	<p>The Finance Committee deliberated the matter on UGC 7th Pay Commission vide notification No. 1-7/2015-U.II(1) dated 2nd November, 2017 of MHRD, Department of Higher Education, New Delhi and resolved that in view of the UGC and the BCI guidelines, the teachers of Universities and Colleges have to be granted salary as per the UGC Pay Scales. Since RGNUL, Punjab was established in 2006 and governed by RGNUL Act and Statute Clause 11(3) that states:</p> <p><i>"the salaries of the regular teachers shall be as per the UGC pay scales as notified by the University Grants Commission from time to time."</i></p> <p>The Finance Committee unanimously resolved that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) the implementation of pay scales of teachers as per the UGC 7th Pay Commission is allowed with immediate effect. (ii) however, the salary expenditure be met out of the University resources till the State Govt. notifies and release the grant. (iii) Viability of payment of arrears shall be assessed by the university depending its financial status and



		<p>other relevant factors including the notification of State of Punjab in this regard.</p> <p>(iv) The Hon'ble Member Mr. Mohit Tewari, IRS, Special Secretary to Finance, also advised that the consolidated proposal for capital and maintenance grant (2022-23) as proposed may be resubmitted to the Govt. of Punjab.</p> <p>Further, recommended to the Executive Council for approval.</p>
4	<p>To consider the following Gazette Notifications regarding 6th Pay Commission of Punjab Government for implementation on the non-teaching employees of the Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab, No. 09/01/2021-5FP1/671, 09/01/2021-5FP1/1228, 03/01/2021-1FP1/1105, 03/01/2021-1FP1/1398-1403, 4/5/2021-1FP1/1136, 4/02/2021-5FP1/1155 & 4/01/2021-5FP1/ 1304-1309 respectively.</p>	<p>The Finance Committee deliberated the matter of the Punjab Government 6th Pay Commission and resolved that :</p> <p>(i) to implement the 6th Pay Commissions for the non-teaching employees of the RGNUL, Punjab.</p> <p>(ii) the Finance Committee also authorized to the Vice-Chancellor, RGNUL, Punjab, to constitute a committee to assess the applicability of Punjab Govt. Gazette Notifications, Circular and Guidelines etc., in this regard, as per financial status of the university.</p> <p>Further, recommended to the Executive Council for approval.</p>
5	<p>To consider the appointment of Legal Retainer/Standing Counsel of Rajiv Gandhi National University of Law, Punjab</p>	<p>The Finance Committee approved the appointment of Mr. Puneet Gupta, Advocate, Punjab & Haryana High Court, Chandigarh, for Legal Retainer/ Standing Counsel of RGNUL, Punjab on monthly Retainer Fee of Rs. 10,000/- and recommended to the Executive Council for approval.</p>



6	<p>To consider to dispose-off the following vehicles of the RGNUL as having completed its life span</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bus Tata - PB-11-AF-8944 2. Bus Tate - PB-11-AG-8944 3. Tata ACE (Tempo) : PB-11-AH-9023 	<p>The Finance Committee deliberated the matter to dispose-off the following RGNUL vehicles and accepted the proposal :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Bus Tata - PB-11-AF-8944 2. Bus Tate - PB-11-AG-8944 3. Tata ACE (Tempo) : PB-11-AH-9023 <p>The Finance Committee also authorized the Vice-Chancellor, RGNUL, Punjab, to purchase new vehicles in place of disposed-off vehicles.</p> <p>Further, recommended to the Executive Council for approval.</p>
7	<p>To consider the proposed Honorarium/ Remuneration paid to the Faculty/Resource Person/Members etc.</p>	<p>The Finance Committee approved the proposed Honorarium/ Remuneration paid to the Faculty/Resource Person/Members etc., and recommended to the Executive Council for approval.</p>
8	<p>To consider the proposed amendment in the fee structure of Ph.D. and Post-Doctoral Research (LL.D.) Programmes of RGNUL, Punjab</p>	<p>The Finance Committee approved the proposed amendment in the fee structure of Ph.D. and Post-Doctoral Research (LL.D.) Programmes of RGNUL, Punjab and recommended to the Executive Council for approval.</p>
9	<p>To consider the paid internship for UG-B.A.LL.B.(Hons.) Five Years Course and PG-LL.M. (One Year Course) at RGNUL, Punjab</p>	<p>The Finance Committee approved the recommendations of the IQAC for paid-internship for B.A.LL.B.(Hons.) Five Years Course and LL.M. (Post-Graduate) One Year Course for both external and internal students at RGNUL, Punjab and recommended to the Executive Council for approval.</p>
10	<p>To consider the Board of Apprenticeship Training Programme (Northern Region), as per minimum monthly remuneration which fixed by the MHRD/NATS for hiring Graduate and Diploma Holder apprentice</p>	<p>The Finance Committee approved the Board of Apprenticeship Training Programme (Northern Region), on minimum monthly remuneration, as per fixed by the MHRD/NATS for hiring</p>



	Graduate : 4984/- per month Diploma : 3542/- per month	Graduate and Diploma Holder apprentice Graduate : 4984/- per month Diploma : 3542/- per month Further, recommended to the Executive Council for approval.
11	To consider the recommendations of the committee, which was constituted by the Vice-Chancellor to examine the promotion channel of the University employees	<p>The Finance Committee deliberated the recommendations of the Committee, constituted by the Vice-Chancellor resolved that:</p> <p>(i) to allow the promotion process of Clerk to Assistant, Senior Assistant to Superintendent, Superintendent to Assistant Registrar, Steno to Stenographer as per RGNUL Regulations.</p> <p>(ii) to adopt the Rules and Regulations of Panjab University, Chandigarh for promotion of Library Assistant to Assistant Librarian and promotion of Restorer.</p> <p>(iii) Mr. Mohit Tewari, IRS, Special Secretary to Finance, also advised the University to maintain the service record and seniority/record of all the employees.</p> <p>Further, recommended to the Executive Council for approval.</p>
12	Any other item with permission of the chair	No Other Item

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

VICE-CHANCELLOR

REGISTRAR