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To:

1. The Chairmen/ Co-ordinators/ Head of all the P.G. Depts. of Mangalore University.
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3. The Co-ordinator, Dept. of Biochemistry, PG Centre, Chikka Aluvara, Kodagu- 571232.
4. The Director of all Recognized Research Centre of Mangalore University.
5. The Principals of Affiliated/ Autonomous Colleges of Mangalore University.
6. The Principal, University College, Mangalore- 1.
7. The Principal, Field Marshal K. M. Cariappa College, Madikeri.
8. The Registrar (Evaluation), Mangalore University.
9. The Librarian, Mangalore University.
10. The Director, College Development Council, Mangalore University.

Sir,

Sub: Clarification regarding research supervisor.

Ref: D. O. No. F.10-6/2011(PS) MISC, dated: 06-07-2015 from  
Prof. Jaspal S. Sandhu, Secretary, UGC, New Delhi.

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With reference to the above subject, I am enclosing herewith a copy of the letter cited ref for your kind information.

Yours faithfully,

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6<sup>th</sup> July, 2015

Dear Sir/Madam,

It has come to the notice of the UGC that some Universities are hiring the services of the Supervisors who do not happen to be the **regular** teachers of the Universities or its affiliated PG Colleges/Institutes awarding the M.Phil/Ph.D. degree. This practice is in violation of UGC (Minimum standards and procedure for award of M.Phil/Ph.D. Degree) Regulations, 2009.

The following clarification is, therefore, issued in this regard:

*"Universities shall allocate the supervisor from amongst the regular faculty members in a department or its affiliated PG Colleges/Institutes depending on the number of students per faculty member, the available specialization among the faculty supervisors and the research interest of the student. It is further clarified that any Ph.D./M.Phil degree awarded by a University under the supervision of a supervisor who is not a faculty member of the University or its affiliated PG Colleges/Institutes would be in violation of UGC (Minimum standards and procedure for award of M.Phil./Ph.D.) Regulations, 2009."*

This may also be brought to the notice of the Colleges/Research Institutions affiliated to your University. Any violation of the Regulation of the UGC will be viewed very seriously by the UGC.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Jaspal S. Sandhu)

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