



**UNIVERSITY OF CALICUT**

**Abstract**

Amendment to the rules & regulations of Ph.D Programmes-2012- LXXIII Meeting of the Academic Council held on 11-07-2015-the action taken by the Vice Chancellor-modifying Item 1.2 (2,5) in the minutes of the meeting of the Academic Council held on 15/01/2015-Ratified -Orders issued.

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**Directorate of Research**

U.O.No. 11300/2015/Admn

Dated, Calicut University.P.O, 04.11.2015

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Read:-1.UO.No.4359/2015/Admn dated 29/04/2015.

2.Minutes of the LXII Meeting of the Academic Council dated 15/01/2015.

3.Minutes of the LXIII Meeting of the Academic Meeting dated 11/07/2015.

4.Orders of the Vice Chancellor dated 23/08/2015.

**ORDER**

The following modifications made in the Item No.1.2(2,5) in the Order cited above are ratified.

Item No 1.2(2). M.Phil degree holders shall be exempted from the course work examination i.e., Regular M.Phil Degree (with equivalency) with Compulsory Course Work & Methodology in the relevant area of Ph.D research. The relevant area shall be ascertained by the Doctoral Committee.

Item No.1.2(5) Only a minimum pass in the entrance examination is required in the case of SC/STcategory . (The admission will be subject to the vacancies available) University Order has already been issued as per reference cited (5) stating that only a minimum pass in the entrance examination is required in the case of SC/ST category for admission to the seats reserved for them w.e.f. 2013 Admission onwards .It was further modified that "the minimum cut-off marks required for SC/ST candidates to qualify the Ph.D. entrance examination (to the seats reserved for SC/ST category) is fixed as 35% with effect from 2013 Admission onwards" .

Item No.1.2(6) is in violation to the UGC direction.(UGC Minimum standards and procedure for award of M.Phil/Ph.D Regulations 2009).Hence Item No.1.2(6) not implemented in the University.

i) Sanction has been accorded by the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor vide reference cited (4) above to ratify the Item No.1.2(2) &1.2(5) to the rules and regulations of the Ph.D programmes 2012 as follows.

Item No.1.2.(2) : M.Phil degree holders shall be exempted from the course work examination . i.e.,Regular M.Phil Degree (with equivalency) with Compulsory Course Work & Methodology in the

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relevant area of the Ph.D. research. The relevant area shall be ascertained by the Doctoral Committee.

Item No.I.2 (5): The U.O vide reference cited (5) on the minimum cut-off marks required for SC/ST candidates to qualify the Ph.D. entrance examination (to the seats reserved for SC/ST category) fixed as 35% with effect from 2013 Admission onwards is also subject to the ratification by the Academic Council.

As per the paper read (4) above, Sanction has been accorded by the Vice-Chancellor not to implement Item No.I.2.(6) as it is in violation to the UGC direction.(UGC Minimum standards and procedure for award of M.Phil/Ph.D Regulations 2009).

Orders are issued accordingly.

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