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Dated:18.10.2023

To

The Dean / Principal of all affiliated Physiotherapy Colleges of this University

Sir/Madam,

| Sub: | Academic - The Tamil Nadu Dr MGR Medical University, Chennai |
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| | - Resolution of Standing Academic Board in Physiotherapy |
| | Degree Courses held on 17.08.2023 – Communicated – Reg. |
| Ref: 1 | Minutes of the Board of Studies Meeting in Physiotherapy Degree |
| | courses held on 28.07.2023. |
| 2 | Minutes of the 62 nd Standing Academic Board Meeting held on |
| | 17.08.2023. |
| 3 | Resolution No.55 passed by the Governing Council in its 297 th |
| | meeting held on 28.08.2023. |
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I am to inform you that, the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Studies in Physiotherapy Degree courses held on 28.07.2023 was recommended by the Standing Academic Board at the 62nd meeting held on 17.08.2023. The following recommendations of the Standing Academic Board was approved by the Governing Council at the 297th

meeting held on 28.08.2023. The Standing Academic Board has resolved that

RESOLUTION NO.1

The Standing Academic Board has resolved that henceforth the Regulations of Break of Study and readmission for all courses of study shall be as follows:

- 1. Each Candidate shall complete the duration of the Course as prescribed by the respective Councils/Regulatory Bodies.
- 2. The mandated percentage of attendance and maximum duration to complete the course as per the respective Councils / Regulatory Bodies norms should be complied with. Where there are no Councils, the University norms will prevail.

3. A candidate should obtain Condonation Order from the University, if he/she is absent / continuously on leave for more than three months along with the payment of the requisite fee. The respective institutions should forward the request of the student within two week's time. If delayed, it must be sent with the requisite penal fee.

This rule shall come into effect on apporval by the Governing Council. The existing rules will cease to exist henceforth.

RESOLUTION NO.2

"Request to change the BPT syllabus into semester pattern in lines with other professional courses.

MPT syllabus clock hours to be updated.

The Standing Academic Board has resolved to constitute an Expert Committee to revamp the existing BPT and MPT Syllabus.

Suggestion to include Physiotherapists also as examiners/ paper correction for clinical papers to expedite the process of examination.

The Standing Academic Board has resolved to follow the existing system.

Request to make E Consortium available for our students.

The Standing Academic Board has resolved to forward the request to make E Consortium for Physiotherapy students to the Library Advisory Committee.

Request to include Physiotherapy Principals as Senate Members of our University.

The Standing Academic Board has resolved to forward the request to include Physiotherapy Principals as Senate Members to the appropriate authority in the University.

Request to have Faculty of Physiotherapy only in the Degree certificates.

The Standing Academic Board has resolved to have separate Faculty for Physiotherapy.

Request to have make modifications in the Statutes in regard to minimum eligibility for Professors/ Associate Professors/ Assistant Professors as per UGC.

Request to have make modifications in the Statutes in regard to psychometric lab, community lab, mandatory equipments and list of journals."

The Standing Academic Board has resolved to make modifications in the Statutes by placing in the appropriate forum of the University.

RESOLUTION NO.3

Appointment of examiners as doctors/physiotherapists for all medical subjects. Due to the less availability of examiners for the medical subjects there is very delay in the paper evaluation and prolong of the oral examination dates. This leads to the delay in publications of the University results.

The Standing Academic Board has resolved to follow the existing system.

Streamline of University Examination dates for BPT and MPT Degree Courses as before COVID crisis. As we don't have proper schedule of University examinations the duration of the both UG and PG degree courses is prolonged the duration of the course then academic course durations when compared the other deemed Universities.

The Standing Committee Board has resolved to look into the University Examination dates for BPT and MPT Degree Courses as before covid crisis.

New syllabus pattern for both BPT and MPT Degree Courses. As ours syllabus pattern for both BPT and MPT Degree Courses are very old, we have to update the syllabus with the inclusion of new pattern of examinations and subjects as compared with other government and deemed University so that we can have update knowledge of the students with the latest treatment techniques.

The Standing Academic Board has resolved to form an Expert Committee to modify the existing BPT and MPT Syllabus.

International journals as per norms

As per norms the University has prescribed 10 international journals out of 10, 5 international journals is mandatory in the college library. At present many international journals has stopped their publications. So we can recommend any 5 international journals available by printed copy or by way of e-journals. So it is easy for the college to procure the journals and place in the library.

The Standing Academic Board has resolved to make modifications in the Statutes by placing in the appropriate forum in the University.

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Details of remuneration of examination amount in terms of paper evaluation to the examiner and reimbursement of amount to the institutions. As we are facing difficulty in settlements accounts as for which session it has been reimbursement has been done and details has to be email to the respective institution with respective sessions. And in case staff's for the paper evaluation the amount which has been received for the University is also not able to identify i.e. sessions and year of examinations".

The Standing Academic Board has resolved to place in the appropriate forum in the University.

k.s. Krishmakumani for REGISTRAR

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- 1. The Controller of Examinations(FAC)
- 2. The Deputy COE (Physiotherapy)
- 3. Examination Wing (Physiotherapy Section) (for necessary action)
- 4. The Personal Secretary to Vice-Chancellor
- 5. The Personal Secretary to Registrar
- 6. The System Analyst with a request to publish in the Uty Website.
- 7. Stock File
- 8. Spare.