



KANNUR UNIVERSITY

(Abstract)

Two year Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) Degree Programme implemented w. e. f 2015 admission - Eligibility Criteria for Admission to B. Ed. programme in Commerce - Reinstated with effect from 2019-20 admission - Approved-orders issued

ACADEMIC C SECTION

Acad/C4/17111/2019

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Read: 1. U O of Even No. Dated 29.07.2015

2. U O of Even No. Dated 26.09.2016,23.08.2017 & 23.11.2018

3. U O Note No. Acad D1/ B Ed/M.Ed/2018 Dated 08.10.2018

4.Minutes of the meeting of BoS in Education (Cd) held on 29.10.2018

5. U O Note No. Acad D1/ B Ed/M.Ed/2018 Dated. 20.12.2018

6. U O No. Acad C4/9685/2015 Dtd.11.02.2019

7. U O Note No. Acad D1/ B Ed/M.Ed/2019 Dated 01.05.2020

ORDER

1. The Regulations, Scheme, Syllabus & Model Question papers of the Two Year Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) Degree programme, in tune with NCTE Regulations 2014 were implemented in Kannur University w.e.f 2015 admission as per the paper read (1)above and the same was modified later, as per the paper read(2).
2. As per NCTE Regulations, " *Candidate who have secured M.Com. Degree with not less than 50% marks alone are eligible for admission to B.Ed. programme in Commerce. Such candidates are not eligible for any other B.Ed. Courses*".
3. Meanwhile, Higher Education Department vide letter No. H.Edn-B4/355/2018-HEDN dated 07.08.2018 directed to grant admission to B.Ed. in Commerce on the basis of marks secured for B.Com. Degree and added that such candidate must possess M.Com. Degree also.
4. The above matter was placed before the Board of Studies in Education (Cd) vide paper read (3).
5. Subsequently, the meeting of the Board of Studies in Education (Cd) held on 29.10.2018 recommended not to accept the changes suggested by the Higher Education Department vide paper read (4).However, the same was not approved by the Vice Chancellor and vide paper read (5), it was ordered by the Vice Chancellor to amend the Regulations regarding Eligibility Criteria for admission to the B.Ed. Programme in Commerce, in tune with the recommendations of the Government vide letter from Higher Education Department as referred in para (3).
6. Subsequently, orders were issued vide paper read (6) implementing modifications to sub clause "iii) For other optional subjects (e) Commerce" of Clause No. 6., under the Heading " Eligibility for Admission Criteria" in the Regulations of the two year Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) programme w. e. f 2019 admission, as **"Admission should be made on the basis of the marks secured for B.Com. Degree and the candidate seeking admission should have passed M.Com. Degree. Such Candidates are not eligible for admission to any other B.Ed. Courses."**Accordingly, the prospectus of the said course was modified.
7. Meanwhile, the Principal, Rajeev Memorial College of Teacher Education, Thillankeri granted Admission for B.Ed. in Commerce to a student who possessed B.B.A. Degree and M.Com, which was not in tune with the criteria stipulated in the B.Ed. prospectus of 2019-20 admission of the University.

8. Considering the request of the Principal to approve the admission granted to the candidate, the Syndicate sought Legal opinion from the Standing Counsel of the University.
9. The Standing Counsel opined that *"as per NCTE Regulations, a candidate who possesses M.Com. Degree is also eligible for admission to the B.Ed Programme in Commerce, subject to fulfilling of other qualifications except the B.Com. Degree as prescribed in the prospectus and when the Central Regulation stipulates so, any provision contrary to the said stipulation will not stand and the qualifications prescribed under the Central Regulation will prevail"*.
10. Considering the legal opinion, the meeting of the Syndicate, vide item No. 2020.143 dated 10.03.2020 resolved to approve the admission granted to the candidate for B.Ed. in Commerce at Rajeev Memorial College of Teacher Education, Thillenkeri and the Resolution of the Syndicate has been implemented.
11. Subsequently, vide paper read (7), Academic 'D' Section informed that the Vice Chancellor has ordered to reinstate the Eligibility criteria for admission to Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) Degree Programme in Commerce, which was in force prior to 2019 admission, w. e. f 2019 admission.
12. Considering the matter in detail, and in exercise of the powers of the Academic Council, conferred under section II (1), Chapter III of Kannur University Act, 1996 and all other enabling provisions read together with, the Vice Chancellor accorded sanction the following.
(i) *To reinstate the Eligibility Criteria for Admission to Bachelor of Education (B.Ed.) Degree programme in Commerce which was in force prior to 2019 admission - ("Candidate who have secured M.Com. Degree with not less than 50% marks alone are eligible for admission to B.Ed. programme in Commerce. Such candidates are not eligible for any other B.Ed. Courses", with effect from 2019 admission, subject to reporting before the Academic Council.*
(ii) *To approve the admission granted to Smt. Aparna C R for the B.Ed. Programme in Commerce at Rajeev Memorial College of Teacher Education, Thillenkeri, in the academic year 2019-20.*
13. The U O read vide paper (6) above stands modified to this extent.
Orders are issued accordingly.

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