## HIDAYATULLAH NATIONAL LAW UNIVERSITY, NAVA RAIPUR (C.G.)

# MINUTES OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 08.04.2022 AT 07:30 p.m.

An emergency meeting of Academic Council was called in short notice by online mode on 08.04.2022 at 07:30 p.m., wherein the following Hon'ble members were present:

- 1. Hon'ble Prof.(Dr.) V.C. Vivekanandan, Vice Chancellor and Chairperson
- 2. Prof. (Dr.) A. David Ambrose, Head (Rtd.), Department of Legal Studies, University of Madras
- 3. Prof.(Dr.) Uday Shankar, Hidayatullah National Law University
- 4. Prof.(Dr.) Yogendra Kumar Srivastava, Hidayatullah National Law University
- 5. Prof.(Dr.) Vishnu Konoorayar, Hidayatullah National Law University
- 6. Prof.(Dr.) Jaya Vasudevan, Hidayatullah National Law University
- 7. Dr. Vipan Kumar, Hidayatullah National Law University
- 8. Dr. Avinash Samal, Hidayatullah National Law University
- 9. Dr. Ayan Hazra, Hidayatullah National Law University

Shri R.K. Tiwari, Principal Secretary, Law and Legal Affairs Department and Dr. Dipak Das, Associate Professor, Hidayatullah National Law University were not present in the meeting.

Prof.(Dr.) V.C. Vivekanandan, Vice Chancellor, Chairperson of the Academic Council welcomed the members present in the meeting. Thereafter, the following matters were discussed and concluded:

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1. Approval of changes in the Ph.D. Ordinance drafted by the Research Degree Committee (RDCU)of the University of the University.

### Notes:

The RDCU has approved in its meeting held on January 15, 2022 some progressive changes in the existing Ph.D. Ordinance of the University to be implemented from the Academic year 2021-2022 admissions. The recommendations of the RDCU are placed before the Academic Council for the perusal and approval.

#### Decision:

The members of the Academic Council unanimously accepted the RDCU approved amendments of the Ph.D. Ordinance from the Academic Year 2021-2022.

2. **Any Other Item with the permission of the Chair.** 

<u>Deliberation on the mode of examinations of Merged Mid and End Term</u> <u>Semester Exam for the Under Graduate and Post Graduate Courses for the the academic year of 2021-2022.</u>

#### Notes:

The University committee of Deans and Associate Professors had deliberated

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upon the modalities of merged Mid and End semester exam in internal meetings and also conducted open house meetings with senior year students of third to fifth year. Based on their appeal of flexibility in the background of online classes in major part of the semester, limited access to physical library & reading room, limited opportunity of interaction with students it has been decided to conduct merged Mid and End term exams and sought the advice of the Academic Council as follows:

- A. The First year to Fourth Year students will be given an option to take the physical exam in the month of April 2022 (scheduled between  $19^{th}$  to  $30^{th}$  April, 2022) or in the month of July 2022 in the next academic year (tentative schedule of  $4^{th}$  - $16^{th}$  July, 2022)
- B. The Fifth Year and LL.M student to be administered a 3.30 hours online exam with appropriate uploading time between 19<sup>th</sup> -30<sup>th</sup> April 2022.

## **Decision:**

The Academic Council after deliberation consented to the model of optional editions for 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> year UG and Online mode for 5<sup>th</sup> Year UG and LL.M students for the end semester of Academic year 2021-2022.

The meeting concluded with the vote of thanks by the Vice Chancellor.

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