

MINUTES OF THE FOURTH MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL OF THE
INDIRA GANDHI NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY HELD IN THE UNIVERSITY
OFFICE AT MAIDAN GARHI, NEW DELHI - 110 068 ON FRIDAY, JULY 5,
1991 AT 1030 HOURS.

The following were present:-

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| 1. | Prof. V.C. Kulandai Swamy, Vice-Chancellor | - Chairman |
| 2. | Prof. D.D. Joshi | Member |
| 3. | Prof. R.J. Garde | Member |
| 4. | Prof. H.P. Dikshit | Member |
| 5. | Prof. Rakesh Khurana | Member |
| 6. | Prof. B.N. Koul | Member |
| 7. | Prof. V.V. Mandke | Member |
| 8. | Prof. R.N. Mathur | Member |
| 9. | Prof. Pandav Nayak | Member |
| 10. | Prof. M.B. Menon | Member |
| 11. | Dr. M.L. Bhatia | Member |
| 12. | Shri K. Murugan | Member |
| 13. | Dr. (Mrs) S. Taneja | Member |
| 14. | Prof. M.M. Pant | Member |
| 15. | Prof. A.W. Khan | Member |
| 16. | Dr. K. Gopalan | Member |
| 17. | Prof. Ashok Chandra | Member |
| 18. | Prof. M.V. Pylee | Member |
| 19. | Dr. T.S. Saraswathi | Member |
| 20. | Shri T.K. Balaji | Member |
| 21. | Shri K. Narayanan, Registrar | - Member - Secretary |

Dr. (Mrs) Neela Jagannathan, (Deputy Librarian) Dr. K. Anjanappa Registrar (Admissions), Dr. S.N. Chaturvedi, Director, Regional Services, Shri D.C. Pant, Director (Evaluation), Shri C.R. Pillai, Director, Planning & Teachers Affairs attended by special invitation.

Shri K.J.S. Prasada Rao, Deputy Registrar was present to assist the Member-Secretary.

Before the agenda was taken up for consideration, the Vice-Chancellor cordially welcomed the co-opted members of the Academic Council who were attending the meeting for the first time.

The following matters were considered:-

ITEM NO. 1 TO CONFIRM THE MINUTES OF THE THIRD MEETING OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL HELD ON NOVEMBER 30, 1990.

1.1.1 The minutes of the third meeting of the Academic Council held on November 30, 1990 were confirmed, subject to the following modifications:-

1.1.2. The name "Shri Tushar Bhatt" , appearing against Sl. No. 6 under resolution No. 3.1A.2 be read as "Shri Tushaar Shah".

1.1.3. The expression 'qualifications' appearing in resolution No. 3.14.2 be substituted by the word "certification".

ITEM NO. 2 TO CO-OPT A MEMBER OF THE ACADEMIC COUNCIL UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SUB-CLAUSE (viii) OF CLAUSE (1) OF STATUTE 9 ON ACADEMIC COUNCIL

1.2.1. The Council noted the inability of Shri Tushaar Shah, Director, Institute of Rural Management, Anand, to accept the membership of the Academic Council in view of his commitments. The Council resolved that Shri S.S. Kalbag, Vigyan Ashram, Indian Institute of Education, Pabal, Pune, an expert in the area of vocationalisation of education, be co-opted as a member of the Academic Council in place of Shri Tushaar Shah.

ITEM NO.3 TO CONSIDER THE APPROACH PAPER ON COURSE DEVELOPMENT IN THE SCHOOL OF EDUCATION.

1.3.1. On the request of the Chairman, Dr. B.N. Koul, Director, School of Education, appraised the Council of the main features of the approach to course development proposed by the School of Education. The Academic Council noted that the School of Education intends to adopt a course-based approach in its curriculum design and offerings.

