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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the power conferred by sub-section (1) of section 29 of the West Bengal University of Technology Act, 2000 (West Bengal Act XV of 2000), the Governor is hereby pleased to make the following amendment in the Schedule appended to the said Act (hereinafter referred to as the said Schedule) –

Amendment

In the said Schedule, for sub-clause (1) of Clause 9, substitute the following sub-clause:-

"9. (1) (a)   The Vice-Chancellor shall be a distinguished academic with proven competence and integrity, and having a minimum of ten years of experience in a University system of which atleast five years shall be as professor or ten years of experience in a reputed research or academic administrative organization of which atleast five years shall be in an equivalent position of professor.

(b)   The Vice-Chancellor shall be appointed by the Chancellor out of the panel of three names recommended in order of preference by the Search Committee constituted by the State Government, while preparing the panel, the Search Committee must give proper weightage to academic excellence, exposure to the higher education system in the country and abroad and adequate experience in academic and administrative governance and reflect the same in writing while submitting the panel to the Chancellor.

(c)   The Search Committee shall consist of the following Members:-
   (i)   a nominee of the Chancellor, who shall be the Chairperson of the Committee;
   (ii)   a nominee of the State Government;
   (iii)   a nominee of the General Council;

Provided that all such Members shall be persons of eminence in the sphere of higher education and shall not be connected in any manner with the University or colleges or institutions affiliated with the University or recognized by it."

By order of the Governor,

VIVEK KUMAR
Secretary to the Government of West Bengal