NOTIFICATION

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

Amendments

In the said Schedule, –

(1) for sub-clause (1) of clause 2, substitute the following sub-clause:

"2. General Council. - (1) The General Council shall consist of the following members:

(a) **Ex-officio members** -
(i) the Chancellor;
(ii) the Vice Chancellor;
(iii) the Pro-Vice Chancellor,
(iv) the Secretary, Higher Education Department, Government of West Bengal or his nominee not below the rank of Joint Secretary to the Government of West Bengal;
(v) the Secretary, Finance Department, Government of West Bengal or his nominee not below the rank of Joint Secretary to the Government of West Bengal;
(vi) the Chairman, West Bengal State Council of Higher Education or his nominee;
(vii) the President, West Bengal Council of Higher Secondary Education;
(viii) the President, West Bengal Madrasah Education Board;
(ix) the President, West Bengal Board of Secondary Education;
(x) a nominee of the Chairman of University Grants Commission;
(xi) a nominee of the Chairman of All India Council For Technical Education;
(xii) the Director of Technical Education, West Bengal or his nominee not below the rank of Joint Director;
(xiv) a nominee of the Chairman of the Fee-structure Committee;

(b) **Representatives of Departments of the University and affiliating Colleges** -
(xv) the Directors of the University
(xvi) two senior most Professors of Departments of the University to be selected by rotation for one year by the Vice-Chancellor in alphabetical order of the Department, of whom not more than one Professor shall be from the same Department
(xvii) two senior most Associate Professors of Departments of the University to be selected by rotation for one year by the Vice-Chancellor in reverse alphabetical order of the Department, of whom not more than one Associate Professor shall be from the same Department;
(xviii) two senior most Assistant Professors of Departments of the University to be selected by rotation for one year by the Vice-Chancellor in alphabetical order of the Department, of whom not more than one Assistant Professor shall be from the same Department;

Provided, that in no situation a Professor, an Associate Professor and an Assistant Professor should represent the same Department;

(xix) three Principals or Teacher-in-Charge from the Government Engineering and
Technological Colleges and three Principals or Directors from self-financed Engineering and Technological Colleges including Management Institutions affiliated to the University selected by notification of the Higher Education Department;

(xx) six teachers from the affiliating colleges, of whom at least two shall belong to the Government Engineering and Technological Colleges and others shall belong to the self-financed Engineering and Technological Colleges, selected by notification of the Higher Education Department;

(xxii) one representative of officers of the University, to be elected from amongst themselves in the manner as may be prescribed;

(xxii) two representative of non-teaching employees of whom-
(i) one from non-teaching employees of the University,
(ii) one from non-teaching employees of the affiliated colleges of the University, to be elected from amongst themselves in the manner as may be prescribed;

(c) Nominated Members -

(xxiii) not more than two persons to be nominated by the Chancellor from amongst the persons interested in Engineering and Technological education, Management education or University education:

Provided that no employee of the University or Institution affiliated with the University or recognized by it shall be eligible to be a member;

(xxiv) three persons to be nominated by the State Government from amongst the persons interested in Engineering and Technological education, Management education or University education:

Provided that no employee of the University or Institution affiliated with the University or recognized by it shall be eligible to be a member;

(d) Special Invitee -

(xxv) any official or expert in any field or eminent educationist or scientist or technologist or industrialist whom the University may require for advice, consultation or assistance, may be invited to attend the meeting.

Provided that not more than one official or expert or eminent educationist or scientist or technologist or industrialist whom the University may require for advice may be invited in a meeting at a time.

(2) for sub-clause (1) clause 3, substitute the following sub-clause:-

"3. The Executive Council. -(1) The Executive Council shall consist of the following members:-

(a) Ex-Officio Members -

(i) the Vice Chancellor

(ii) the Pro-Vice Chancellor,

(iii) the Secretary, Higher Education Department or his nominee not below the rank of Joint Secretary;

(iv) the Secretary, Finance Department or his nominee not below the rank of Joint Secretary;

(v) the Director of Technical Education, Government of West Bengal or his nominee not below the rank of Joint Director;

(vi) the Chairman, West Bengal State Council of Higher Education or his nominee;

(b) Other Members -

(vii) Directors of the University;

(viii) two senior most Professors of Departments of the University to be selected by rotation for one year by the Vice-Chancellor in alphabetical order of the Department, of whom not more than one Professor shall be from the same Department;

(ix) two senior most Associate Professors of Departments of the University to be selected by rotation for one year by the Vice-Chancellor in reverse alphabetical order of the
Department, of whom not more than one Associate Professor shall be from the same
department;

(x) two senior most Assistant Professors of Departments of the University to be
selected by rotation for one year by the Vice-Chancellor in alphabetical order of the
department, of whom not more than one Assistant Professor shall be from the same
department;

Provided, that in no situation a Professor, an Associate Professor and an
Assistant Professor should represent the same department;

(xi) three Principals or Teacher-in-Charge from the Government Engineering and
Technological Colleges and three Principals or Directors from self-financed
Engineering and Technological Colleges including Management Institutions affiliated
to the University selected by notification of the Higher Education Department;

(xii) six teachers from the affiliating colleges, of whom at least two shall belong to the
Government Engineering and Technological Colleges and others shall belong to the
self-financed Engineering and Technological Colleges, selected by notification of the
Higher Education Department;

(xiii) two persons nominated by the Chancellor from amongst the persons interested in
Engineering and Technological education, Management education or University
education;

Provided that no employee of the University or of a College or Institution
affiliated with the University or recognised by it shall be eligible to be a member.

(xiv) three persons nominated by the State Government from amongst the persons
interested in Engineering and Technological education, Management education or
University education;

Provided that no employee of the University or of a College or Institution
affiliated with the University or recognised by it shall be eligible to be a member.

(3) for sub-clause (2) in clause 16, substitute the following sub-clause:-

(2) The amount in the University Fund shall be kept in the scheduled bank as defined in the
Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934, or a corresponding new bank as defined in the Banking
Companies (Acquisition and Transfer of Undertakings) Act, 1970, or the Banking Companies
(Acquisition and Transfer of Undertakings) Act, 1980, or may be invested in such securities
authorized by the Indian Trusts Act, 1982. The Executive Council may decide to deposit or
invest the University funds in any of the Banks or Securities body which will ensure highest
earnings of the University subject to compliance of any order issued by the State Government
from time to time:

Provided that no fund received from the Central Government or the State
Government or the Government of any other State or the University Grants Commission or the
All India Council for Technical Education shall be invested in the securities as aforesaid or
diverted for other purposes without the prior approval of the Central Government or the State
Government or the Government of any other State or the University Grants Commission or the
All India Council for technical Education, as the case may be.

By order of the Governor,

VIVEK KUMAR
Secretary to the Government of West Bengal