

25th EC

16 March, 1998

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Item 9 :

To consider extension of E.O.L. for one year w.e.f. 22.1.98 to 21.1.99 in respect of Dr. N.B. Biswas, Reader in Education

The Council noted that Dr. N.B. Biswas, Reader in Education, was granted two years E.O.L. from 22.1.96 to 21.1.98 to enable him join as Reader in Assam University, Silchar. The Council also noted that Dr. Biswas has requested for further extension of his E.O.L. for one more year from 22.1.98 to 21.1.99. After thorough discussion, it was resolved that Dr. Biswas be not granted any further extension.

Item 10 :

To consider extension of fifth year deputation period from 8.5.97 to 30.4.98 in respect of Shri P.K. Chakraborty, Junior Engineer, APPWD as Assistant Engineer (Civil) in University

The Council considered the extension of deputation period in respect of Shri P.K. Chakraborty for the fifth year from 8.5.97 to 30.4.98 and approved the same.

The Council further noted that Shri Chakraborty, as per rules, cannot avail any further extension of deputation from the State Government. As for absorption, if he so desires, he is to apply to the University and if his parent department has no objection, the University authority may consider the matter after taking into account all aspects of the case.

Item 11 : *Reporting Items*

The Council noted the following :

(i) Implementation of revised scale of pay for non-teaching employees (up to Group B) w.e.f. 1st January 1996 and additional expenditure incurred on payment of salary for the months of December 1997 to March 1998 and arrear w.e.f. 1.1.96, amounting to Rs.15.61 lakh.

(ii) Visit of the UGC visiting committee consisting of Dr. Y.C. Simhadri & Prof. S.L. Goel (Members of the UGC) as Chairman and Member, respectively, and accompanied by Dr. P. Prakash, Dy. Secretary, UGC, on 3rd March 1998 and held a meeting with Vice-Chancellor; Commissioner (Finance); Secretary (Education), Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh; Deans; Senior Faculty members and the Registrar.

The Council also noted that the UGC has allocated a sum of Rs.2.20 crore as Development Assistance during the Ninth Plan Period to Arunachal University, 20% of which would be released hopefully by March 1998. The Council noted the tentative distribution of the funds under various heads as recommended by the Visiting Committee as follows :

(in lakhs)

Books and Journal	: Rs. 20.00
Equipment	: Rs. 30.00
Staff (2 Readers & 5 Lecturers for 3 years)	: Rs. 40.20
Buildings (Library & Residential)	: Rs. 94.40
Campus Development	: Rs. 34.40
Any other (N.A.A.C.)	: Rs. 1.00
 Total	 : Rs.220.00

The Council further noted that the Visiting Committee has recommended to UGC for starting of the following two new Departments and additional posts for the existing departments during the Ninth Plan Period :

1. Opening of Department of Computer Science, initially with Certificate & Diploma Courses in Computer Applications

(i) Reader : 01
(ii) Lecturer : 01

2. Opening of PG Department of Hindi

(i) Reader : 01
(ii) Lecturer : 02

3. Additional Lecturers in the existing Departments

(i) Dept. of Tribal Studies : 01
(ii) Dept. of Commerce : 01

As there was no other item for discussion, the meeting ended with vote of thanks from the chair.



(JORAM BEGI)
Registrar