

## PANJAB UNIVERSITY, CHANDIGARH

Minutes of the meeting of the SYNDICATE held on Tuesday, 27<sup>th</sup> September 2011 at 5.00 p.m., in the Syndicate Room, Panjab University, Chandigarh.

### PRESENT

1. Professor R.C. Sobti ... (in the Chair)  
Vice-Chancellor
2. Shri Avtar Singh Bedi
3. Shri Dayal Partap Singh Randhawa
4. Dr. Dharinder Kumar Tayal
5. Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath
6. Dr. Gurmeet Singh
7. Principal (Dr.) Hardiljit Singh Gosal
8. Shri Harmohinder Singh Lucky
9. Dr. Ishwar Dayal Gaur
10. Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal
11. Professor Naval Kishore
12. Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma
13. Dr. R.P.S. Josh
14. Dr. Surjit Singh Randhawa
15. Professor A.K. Bhandari ... (Secretary)  
Registrar

Shri Madan Lal Aeri, Dr. Raj Bahadur, Dr. Jasvir Singh, D.P.I. (Colleges), Punjab and Shri D.K. Tewari, Director, Higher Education, U.T., Chandigarh, could not attend the meeting.

### **Condolence Resolution**

The Vice-Chancellor said, "I am pained to inform about the demise of Dr. P.S. Kaushal, Professor (Retd.), Department of Botany, on September 5, 2011, who had made rich contributions for the growth of this University. I am further pained to inform this august house about the void created in the academic circles with the sad demise of Padma Bhushan Shri G.P. Chopra ji, President, D.A.V. Colleges Managing Committee, New Delhi, after a brief illness on September 21, 2011. In these sad demises, the University fraternity has lost noble human beings, who had very richly contributed for the growth of academics at national levels. The entire academic fraternity of the country has plunged into gloomy despair with these sad happenings.

**The Syndicate expressed its sorrow and grief over the passing away of Dr. P.S. Kaushal, Professor (Retd.), Department of Botany and Padma Bhushan Shri G.P. Chopra ji, President, D.A.V. Colleges Managing Committee, New Delhi, and observed two minutes' silence, all standing, to pay homage to the departed souls.**

**RESOLVED:** That a copy of the above Resolution be sent to the members of the bereaved families and the Press.

## Vice-Chancellor's Statement

1. The Vice-Chancellor said that he has been appointed Chairman of National Council for Science Museum.

**RESOLVED:** That –

- (1) Felicitations of the Syndicate be conveyed to Professor R.C. Sobti, Vice-Chancellor, Panjab University, Chandigarh, on his having been appointed as Chairman of National Council for Science Museum;
- (2) the Action Taken Report on the decisions of the Syndicate dated 31.07.2011, as per **Appendix-I**, be noted; and
- (3) the next meeting of the Senate be fixed on Sunday, the 16<sup>th</sup> of October 2011 at 10.30 a.m. instead of 15.10.2011.

## Appointment of Assistant Professors in Mathematics/Applied Mathematics at University Institute of Engineering & Technology

2(i). Considered minutes dated 8.9.2011 (**Appendix-II**) of the Selection Committee for appointment of Assistant Professors in Mathematics/Applied Mathematics-2 (Gen.-1, SC-1 at University Institute of Engineering & Technology.

**RESOLVED:** That the following persons be appointed Assistant Professors in Mathematics/Applied Mathematics at University Institute of Engineering & Technology, in order of merit, on one year's probation, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.6000/- on a pay to be fixed according to the rules of Panjab University:

1. Dr. Aditya Kaushik
2. Ms. Shivdeep Kaur (SC).

The competent authority could assign them teaching duties in the same subject in other teaching Departments of the University in order to utilize their subject expertise/specialization and to meet the needs of the allied Department/s at a given point of time, with the limits of workload as prescribed in the U.G.C. norms.

**RESOLVED FURTHER:** That the following persons, in order of merit, be placed on the Waiting List:

1. Dr. Dilbag Singh
2. Mr. Minto Rattan (SC).

**NOTE:** The score chart of all the candidates who appeared in the interview will form a part of the proceedings.

## Promotion under CAS at University Institute of Engineering & Technology

2(ii). Considered minutes dated 12.9.2011 (**Appendix-III**) of the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for promotion from Assistant Professor (Mathematics) Stage-1 to Assistant Professor Stage-2, under the Career Advancement Scheme at University Institute of Engineering & Technology.

**RESOLVED:** That Dr. Kalpana Dahiya be promoted from Assistant Professor (Mathematics) Stage-1 to Assistant Professor (Mathematics) Stage-2, at University Institute of Engineering &

Technology, under the U.G.C. Career Advancement Scheme, (subject to fulfillment of U.G.C. conditions), with effect from **17.12.2010 (i.e. the date one day after completion of Refresher Course on 16.12.2010)**, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.7,000/- at a starting pay to be fixed under the rules of Panjab University. The post would be personal to the incumbent and she would perform the duties as assigned to her.

**NOTE:** The complete bio-data of the candidate would form a part of the proceedings.

**Promotion under the Career Advancement Scheme at University Institute of Engineering & Technology**

**2(iii).** Considered minutes dated 12.9.2011 (**Appendix-IV**) of the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for promotion from Assistant Professor (CSE) Stage-1 to Assistant Professor (CSE) Stage-2, under the Career Advancement Scheme, at University Institute of Engineering & Technology.

**RESOLVED:** That Mr. Makhan Singh be promoted from Assistant Professor (CSE) Stage-1 to **Assistant Professor (CSE) Stage-2** at University Institute of Engineering & Technology, under the U.G.C. Career Advancement Scheme (subject to fulfillment of U.G.C. conditions), with effect from **03.07.2011**, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.7,000/- at a starting pay to be fixed under the rules of Panjab University. The post would be personal to the incumbent and he would perform the duties as assigned to him.

**NOTE:** The complete bio-data of the candidate would form a part of the proceedings.

**Promotion under Career Advancement Scheme at University School of Open Learning**

**2(iv).** Considered minutes dated 12.9.2011 (**Appendix-V**) of the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for promotion from Assistant Professor (Education) Stage-1 to Assistant Professor (Education) Stage-2, under the Career Advancement Scheme, at University School of Open Learning.

**RESOLVED:** That Dr. (Mrs.) Manju Gera be promoted from Assistant Professor (Education) Stage-1 to **Assistant Professor (Education) Stage-2** at University School of Open Learning, under the U.G.C. Career Advancement Scheme (subject to fulfillment of U.G.C. conditions), with effect from **07.09.2009**, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.7,000/- at a starting pay to be fixed under the rules of Panjab University. The post would be personal to the incumbent and she would perform the duties as assigned to her.

**NOTE:** The complete bio-data of the candidate would form a part of the proceedings.

**Promotion under Career Advancement Scheme at University School of Open Learning**

**2(v).** Considered minutes dated 12.9.2011 (**Appendix-VI**) of the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for promotion from Assistant Professor (Education) Stage-1 to Assistant Professor (Education) Stage-2, under the Career Advancement Scheme, at University School of Open Learning.

**RESOLVED:** That Dr. (Mrs.) Mamta Rani be promoted from Assistant Professor (Education) Stage-1 to **Assistant Professor (Education) Stage-2** at University School of Open Learning, under the U.G.C. Career Advancement Scheme (subject to fulfillment of U.G.C. conditions), with effect from **01.10.2010 (i.e. the date one day after**

**completion of Refresher Course on 30.09.2010**), in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.7,000/- at a starting pay to be fixed under the rules of Panjab University. The post would be personal to the incumbent and she would perform the duties as assigned to her.

**NOTE:** The complete bio-data of the candidate would form a part of the proceedings.

**Promotion under Career Advancement Scheme at University School of Open Learning**

**2(vi).** Considered minutes dated 12.9.2011 (**Appendix-VII**) of the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for promotion from Assistant Professor (Education) Stage-1 to Assistant Professor (Education) Stage-2, under the Career Advancement Scheme, at University School of Open Learning.

**RESOLVED:** That Dr. Kuljeet Kaur Brar be promoted from Assistant Professor (Education) Stage-1 to **Assistant Professor (Education) Stage-2** at University School of Open Learning, under the U.G.C. Career Advancement Scheme (subject to fulfillment of U.G.C. conditions), with effect from **21.12.2010 (i.e. the date one day after completion of Refresher Course on 20.12.2010)**, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.7,000/- at a starting pay to be fixed under the rules of Panjab University. The post would be personal to the incumbent and she would perform the duties as assigned to her.

**NOTE:** The complete bio-data of the candidate would form a part of the proceedings.

**Promotion under Career Advancement Scheme in the Department of Laws**

**2(vii).** Considered minutes dated 12.9.2011 (**Appendix-VIII**) of the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for promotion from Assistant Professor Stage-2 to Assistant Professor Stage-3, under the Career Advancement Scheme, in the Department of Laws.

**RESOLVED:** That Dr. Vandana Arora be promoted from Assistant Professor Stage-2 to **Assistant Professor Stage-3** in the Department of Laws, Panjab University, Chandigarh, under the U.G.C. Career Advancement Scheme (subject to fulfillment of U.G.C. conditions), with effect from **22.12.2010**, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.8,000/- at a starting pay to be fixed under the rules of Panjab University. The post would be personal to the incumbent and she would perform the duties as assigned to her.

**NOTE:** The complete bio-data of the candidate would form a part of the proceedings.

**Promotion under Career Advancement Scheme in the Department of Public Administration**

**2(viii).** Considered minutes dated 12.9.2011 (**Appendix-IX**) of the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for promotion from Assistant Professor Stage-1 to Assistant Professor Stage-2, under the Career Advancement Scheme, in the Department of Public Administration.

**RESOLVED:** That Dr. (Mrs.) Navreet be promoted from Assistant Professor Stage-1 to **Assistant Professor Stage-2** in the Department of Public Administration, Panjab University, Chandigarh, under the U.G.C. Career Advancement Scheme (subject to fulfillment of U.G.C. conditions), with effect from **01.06.2011 (i.e. the date one day after completion of Refresher Course on 31.05.2011)**, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.7,000/- at a starting pay to be fixed under the rules of Panjab University. The post would be personal to the incumbent and she would perform the duties as assigned to her.

**NOTE:** The complete bio-data of the candidate would form a part of the proceedings.

**Following Items 2(ix) and 2(x) on the agenda were withdrawn as it was informed that stay has been granted by the Hon'ble High Court for filling up these posts:**

### **Withdrawn Items**

**2(ix).** To consider minutes dated 13.9.2011 of the Selection Committee for appointment of Assistant Professors-2 (Gen.-1, SC-1) in the Department of Laws.

**2(x).** To consider minutes dated 13.9.2011 of the Selection Committee for appointment of Assistant Professors in Law-3 (SC-1, ST-2) at University Institute of Legal Studies.

### **Appointment of Assistant Professor in English at University Institute of Legal Studies**

**2(xi).** Considered minutes dated 14.9.2011 (**Appendix-IX-A**) of the Selection Committee for appointment of Assistant Professor in English at University Institute of Legal Studies.

**RESOLVED:** That Dr. (Ms.) Deepti Laroia be appointed Assistant Professor in English at University Institute of Legal Studies, Panjab University, Chandigarh, on one year's probation, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.6,000/ on a pay to be fixed according to the rules of Panjab University.

The competent authority could assign her teaching duties in the same subject in other teaching Departments of the University in order to utilize her subject expertise/specialization and to meet the needs of the allied Department/s at a given point of time, with the limits of workload as prescribed in the U.G.C. norms.

**NOTE:** The score chart of all the candidates who appeared in the interview will form a part of the proceedings.

### **Appointment of Assistant Professor in English at P.U. Rural Centre, Kauni, Sri Muktsar Sahib**

**2(xii).** Considered minutes dated 14.9.2011 (**Appendix-X**) of the Selection Committee for appointment of Assistant Professor in English at P.U. Rural Centre, Kauni, Sri Muktsar Sahib.

**RESOLVED:** That Ms. Savita Grover be appointed Assistant Professor in English at P.U. Rural Centre, Kauni, Sri Muktsar Sahib, on one year's probation, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.6000/- on a pay to be fixed according to the rules of Panjab University.

The competent authority could assign her teaching duties in the same subject in other teaching Departments of the University in order to utilize her subject expertise/specialization and to meet the needs of the allied Department/s at a given point of time, with the limits of workload as prescribed in the U.G.C. norms.

**NOTE:** The score chart of all the candidates who appeared in the interview will form a part of the proceedings.

### **Appointment of Assistant Professor (Reserved for SC) in the Department of English**

**2(xiii).** Considered minutes dated 14.9.2011 (**Appendix-XI**) of the Selection Committee for appointment of Assistant Professor in English-1 (Reserved for SC) in the Department of English.

**RESOLVED:** That Ms. Geetanjali Bhagat (SC) be appointed Assistant Professor (Reserved for SC) in the Department of English, Panjab University, Chandigarh, on one year's probation, in the pay-

scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.6000/- on a pay to be fixed according to the rules of Panjab University.

The competent authority could assign her teaching duties in the same subject in other teaching Departments of the University in order to utilize her subject expertise/specialization and to meet the needs of the allied Department/s at a given point of time, with the limits of workload as prescribed in the U.G.C. norms.

**NOTE:** The score chart of all the candidates who appeared in the interview will form a part of the proceedings.

**Appointment of Assistant Professors in Mechanical Engineering at University Institute of Engineering & Technology**

**2(xiv).** Considered minutes dated 15.9.2011 (**Appendix-XII**) of the Selection Committee for appointment of Assistant Professor in Mechanical Engineering-2 (Gen-2) at University Institute of Engineering & Technology.

**RESOLVED:** That the following persons be appointed Assistant Professors in Mechanical Engineering at University Institute of Engineering & Technology, Panjab University, Chandigarh, in order of merit, on one year's probation, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.6000/- on a pay to be fixed according to the rules of Panjab University:

1. Mr. Tukesh Soni
2. Mr. Gagandeep Singh.

The competent authority could assign them teaching duties in the same subject in other teaching Departments of the University in order to utilize their subject expertise/specialization and to meet the needs of the allied Department/s at a given point of time, with the limits of workload as prescribed in the U.G.C. norms.

**RESOLVED FURTHER:** That the following persons, in order of merit, be placed on the Waiting List:

1. Mr. Ramandeep Singh
2. Ms. Tejbir Kaur.

**NOTE:** The score chart of all the candidates who appeared in the interview will form a part of the proceedings.

**Promotion under Career Advancement Scheme at University Institute of Engineering & Technology**

**2(xv).** Considered minutes dated 15.9.2011 (**Appendix-XIII**) of the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for promotion from Assistant Professor in Mechanical Engineering Stage-1 to Assistant Professor in Mechanical Engineering Stage-2 at University Institute of Engineering & Technology.

**RESOLVED:** That Mr. Amit Chauhan be promoted from Assistant Professor in Mechanical Engineering Stage-1 to **Assistant Professor in Mechanical Stage-2** at University Institute of Engineering & Technology, under the U.G.C. Career Advancement Scheme (subject to fulfillment of U.G.C. conditions), with effect from **06.06.2011**, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.7,000/- at a starting pay to be fixed under the rules of Panjab University. The post would be personal to the incumbent and he would perform the duties as assigned to him.

**NOTE:** The complete bio-data of the candidate would form a part of the proceedings.

**Appointment of Assistant Professor in Sociology at University Institute of Legal Studies**

**2(xvi).** Considered minutes dated 17.9.2011 (**Appendix-XIII-A**) of the Selection Committee for appointment of Assistant Professor in Sociology-1 at University Institute of Legal Studies.

**RESOLVED:** That Dr. (Ms.) Anupam Bahri be appointed Assistant Professor in Sociology at University Institute of Legal Studies, Panjab University, Chandigarh, on one year's probation, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.6000/- on a pay to be fixed according to the rules of Panjab University.

The competent authority could assign her teaching duties in the same subject in other teaching Departments of the University in order to utilize her subject expertise/specialization and to meet the needs of the allied Department/s at a given point of time, with the limits of workload as prescribed in the U.G.C. norms.

**NOTE:** The score chart of all the candidates who appeared in the interview will form a part of the proceedings.

**Appointment of Assistant Professor in Sociology at P.U. Regional Centre, Ludhiana**

**2(xvii).** Considered minutes dated 17.9.2011 (**Appendix-XIV**) of the Selection Committee for appointment of Assistant Professor in Sociology-1 (for B.A. LL.B. Hons. 5-Year Integrated course) at Panjab University Regional Centre, Ludhiana.

**RESOLVED:** That Dr. (Ms.) Anupam Bahri be appointed Assistant Professor in Sociology (for B.A. LL.B. Hons. 5-Year Integrated course) at P.U. Regional Centre, Ludhiana, on one year's probation, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.6000/- on a pay to be fixed according to the rules of Panjab University.

The competent authority could assign her teaching duties in the same subject in other teaching Departments of the University in order to utilize her subject expertise/specialization and to meet the needs of the allied Department/s at a given point of time, with the limits of workload as prescribed in the U.G.C. norms.

**RESOLVED FURTHER:** That Dr. (Ms.) Jasleen Kewlani be placed on the Waiting List.

**NOTE:** The score chart of all the candidates who appeared in the interview will form a part of the proceedings.

**Re-advertisement of the post**

**2(xviii).** Considered minutes dated 19.9.2011 (**Appendix-XV**) of the Selection Committee for appointment of Assistant Professor in Biotechnology at University Institute of Engineering & Technology.

**RESOLVED:** That the post be re-advertised.

**Following Items 2(xix), 2(xx), 2(xxi) and 2(xxiii) on the agenda were withdrawn with the remarks that some technicalities were involved in these promotions.**

**Withdrawn Items**

**2(xix).** To consider minutes dated 21.9.2011 of the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for promotion as Professor Stage-5, under the Career Advancement Scheme, in the Department of Chemistry.

**2(xx).** To consider minutes dated 21.9.2011 of the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for promotion as Professor Stage-5 (Chemistry), under the Career Advancement Scheme at University Institute of Chemical Engineering & Technology.

**2(xxii).** To consider minutes dated 21.9.2011 of the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for promotion as Professor Stage-5, under the Career Advancement Scheme in the Department of Public Administration.

**2(xxiii).** To consider minutes dated 21.9.2011 of the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for promotion as Professor stage-5, under the Career Advancement Scheme, at University Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences.

**Promotion under the Career Advancement Scheme (old) in the Department of Biotechnology**

**2(xxii).** Considered minutes dated 19.9.2011 (**Appendix-XVI**) of the Selection Committee for promotion as Reader under the Career Advancement Scheme (old Scheme) in the Department of Biotechnology.

**RESOLVED:** That Dr. Neeraj Khullar be promoted as Reader in the Department of Biotechnology, Panjab University, Chandigarh, under the U.G.C. Career Advancement Scheme (Old Scheme) (subject to fulfillment of U.G.C. conditions), with effect from **04.06.2008**, i.e. after one year from the date of her eligibility, i.e. 04.06.2007 as done in the case of Dr. Seema Vinayak and Dr. Geeta Shukla, Department of Psychology and Microbiology, respectively, in order to maintain uniformity in all such cases, in the pay-scale of Rs.12000-420-18300 at a starting pay to be fixed under the rules of Panjab University. The post would be personal to the incumbent.

**Following Item 2(xxiv) on the agenda was withdrawn as it was informed that stay has been granted by the Hon'ble High Court for filling up this post:**

**Withdrawn Item**

**2(xxiv).** To consider minutes dated 22.9.2011 of the Selection Committee for appointment of Assistant Professors in History-2 (SC-1, ST-1) in the Department of History.

**Re-advertisement of the posts**

**2(xxv).** Considered minutes dated 22.9.2011 (**Appendix-XVII**) of the Selection Committee for appointment of Associate Professors in History-3 (Gen-2, SC-1) in the Department of History.

**RESOLVED:** That the posts be re-advertised.

**Appointment of Assistant Professor under UGC XI Plan**

**2(xxvi).** Considered minutes dated 27.9.2011 (**Appendix-XVIII**) of the Selection Committee for appointment of Assistant Professor (under UGC XI Plan, temporary but likely to continue) (Advt. No.13/2010) at Centre for System Biology and Bioinformatics.

**RESOLVED:** That Dr. (Ms.) Veena Puri be appointed Assistant Professor (under UGC XI Plan, temporary but likely to continue) at Centre for System Biology & Bioinformatics, Panjab University, Chandigarh, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.6000/- on a pay to be fixed according to the rules of Panjab University.

The competent authority could assign her teaching duties in the same subject in other teaching Departments of the University in order to utilize her subject expertise/specialization and to meet the needs of the allied Department/s at a given point of time, with the limits of workload as prescribed in the U.G.C. norms.

**RESOLVED FURTHER:** That Dr. (Ms.) Tammanna Ravee Sahrawat be placed on the Waiting List.

**NOTE:** The score chart of all the candidates who appeared in the interview will form a part of the proceedings.

**Appointment of Assistant Professors in System Biology and Bioinformatics**

**2(xxvii).** Considered minutes dated 27.9.2011 (**Appendix-XIX**) of the Selection Committee for appointment of Assistant Professors at Centre for System Biology & Bioinformatics, Panjab University, Chandigarh.

**RESOLVED:** That the following persons be appointed Assistant Professors at Centre for System Biology & Bioinformatics, Panjab University, Chandigarh, in order of merit, **on one year's probation**, in the pay-scale of Rs.15600-39100 + AGP Rs.6000/- on a pay to be fixed according to the rules of Panjab University:

1. Dr. (Ms.) Veena Puri
2. Dr. (Ms.) Tammanna Ravee Sahrawat.

The competent authority could assign them teaching duties in the same subject in other teaching Departments of the University in order to utilize their subject expertise/specialization and to meet the needs of the allied Department/s at a given point of time, with the limits of workload as prescribed in the U.G.C. norms.

**RESOLVED FURTHER:** That the following persons, in order of merit, be placed on the Waiting List:

1. Dr. (Ms.) Nisha Kapoor (ST)
2. Dr. Akhlesh P. Singh.

**NOTE:** The score chart of all the candidates who appeared in the interview will form a part of the proceedings.

**Issue regarding issuance of promotion letters to certain faculty members**

**3.** Considered if following faculty members, promoted under Career Advancement Scheme as per UGC Regulations, 2000 which were considered by the Syndicate, vide Para No. and date mentioned against each, subject to fulfillment of UGC Regulations, 2010, be issued letter of promotion:

Sr. No.	Name of teacher/ Department	Promotion as Professor/Reader/ Placement in Sr. scale under CAS	Date of Promotion	Syndicate Meeting dated & Para
1.	Dr. Geeta Khanna Joshi Department of Law	as Reader	23.4.2009	29.6.2010 (Para 2(xiii))
2.	Dr. Latika Sharma Lecturer Department of Education	as Reader	20.6.2009	29.6.2010 (Para 2(x))
3.	Dr. Ranjan Kumar Lecturer Department of Physics	as Reader	11.5.2009	29.6.2010 (Para 2(xxiv))
4.	Dr. Ashih Virk Lecturer in Law at P.U.R.C., Ludhiana	Placement in Sr. Scale	1.7.2009	29.6.2010 (Para 2(xiv))
5.	Dr.(Mrs.) Supreet Kaur Lecturer in Education at USOL	Placement in Sr. Scale	7.9.2009	29.6.2010 (Para 2(xii))
6.	Dr. Ram Mehar, Lecturer in Education at USOL	Placement in Sr. Scale	14.10.2009	29.6.2010 (Para 2(xii))
7.	Dr. Rajinder Singh Lecturer at S.S.G.P.U.R.C., Hoshiarpur	Placement in Sr. Scale	3.9.2009	22.7.2010

**NOTE:** 1. The Syndicate approved the appointment of the above teachers at its meeting held on 29.6.2010 and 22.7.2010 subject to fulfillment of new UGC Regulation 2010.

2. A detailed office note enclosed **(Appendix-XX)**.

Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal enquired when the promotion cases of above persons were approved by the Syndicate and Senate, why letters of promotion were not issued to them. Moreover, these promotions were covered under the then prevailing U.G.C. Regulations, why the new U.G.C. Regulations were implemented in anticipation of their notification.

The Vice-Chancellor said that U.G.C. was very strict for implementation of its Regulations and Rules and their amendments came from time to time. The University just took precautions so that the University did not face any problem in future. He, however, clarified that the promotions have been granted to them from the date of their eligibility.

Dr. Gurmeet Singh stated that some persons, who had completed three years as Readers, were designated as Associate Professors and letters of promotion were issued to them, whereas some others, who completed three years as Readers later on and have become eligible to be designated as Associate Professor, letters were not issued to them. May be these have been kept pending due to expectance of new U.G.C. Regulations. He further said that the University should not follow two sets of rules. The teachers on completion of three years as Reader should be designated as Associate Professor.

It was clarified that the University is seeking clarification from the U.G.C. on the issue. However, these cases would be expedited.

Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath observed that if no clarification is received from the U.G.C. within a month, action should be taken at the University level.

The Vice-Chancellor said that the case of one of their colleagues had been referred to the Anomaly Committee by the U.G.C. Due to this, all parallel cases have been kept pending.

Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma said that he was happy that the teachers are being given their dues, though late. He, however, stated that the U.G.C. on 30.6.2010 had withdrawn its notification dated 28<sup>th</sup> June 2010, but the University was acting on it.

Dr. Gurmeet Singh pleaded that the letter of promotion in the cases other than the one referred to Anomaly Committee by the U.G.C., should be issued.

**The Vice-Chancellor said that the matter would be looked into.**

**RESOLVED:** That it be recommended to the Senate that the following faculty members, promoted under Career Advancement Scheme as per UGC Regulations, 2000 which were considered by the

Syndicate, vide Para No. and date mentioned against each, subject to fulfillment of UGC Regulations, 2010, be issued letter of promotion:

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name of teacher/ Department</b>	<b>Promotion as Professor/Reader /Placement in Sr. scale under CAS</b>	<b>Date of Promotion</b>	<b>Syndicate Meeting dated &amp; Para</b>
1.	Dr. Geeta Khanna Joshi Department of Law	as Reader	23.4.2009	29.6.2010 (Para 2(xiii))
2.	Dr. Latika Sharma Lecturer Department of Education	as Reader	20.6.2009	29.6.2010 (Para 2(x))
3.	Dr. Ranjan Kumar Lecturer Department of Physics	as Reader	11.5.2009	29.6.2010 (Para 2(xxiv))
4.	Dr. Ashih Virk Lecturer in Law at P.U.R.C., Ludhiana	Placement in Sr. Scale	1.7.2009	29.6.2010 (Para 2(xiv))
5.	Dr.(Mrs.) Supreet Kaur Lecturer in Education at USOL	Placement in Sr. Scale	7.9.2009	29.6.2010 (Para 2(xii))
6.	Dr. Ram Mehar, Lecturer in Education at USOL	Placement in Sr. Scale	14.10.2009	29.6.2010 (Para 2(xii))
7.	Dr. Rajinder Singh Lecturer at S.S.G.P.U.R.C., Hoshiarpur	Placement in Sr. Scale	3.9.2009	22.7.2010

**Cancellation of appointment of Dr. Tanzeer Kaur, Assistant Professor on temporary basis in the Department of Biotechnology**

**4.** Considered if the appointment of Dr. Tanzeer Kaur, Assistant Professor on temporary basis in the Department of Biotechnology for the session 2011-2012 be treated as cancelled w.e.f. 19.8.2011 as she has joined the Department of Biophysics on regular basis on 19.8.2011.

**NOTE:** The Syndicate meeting dated 31.7.2011 (Para 2(xxviii)) has resolved that Dr. (Ms.) Tanzeer Kaur be appointed Assistant Professor in the Department of Biophysics, Panjab University, Chandigarh.

**RESOLVED:** That the appointment of Dr. Tanzeer Kaur, Assistant Professor on temporary basis in the Department of Biotechnology for the session 2011-2012, be treated as cancelled w.e.f. 19.8.2011, as she has joined the Department of Biophysics on regular basis on 19.8.2011.

**Deletion of Rule 7 at page 506 of Panjab University Calendar, Volume III, 2007**

**5.** Considered deletion of following Rule 7 at page 506 of P.U. Cal. Vol. III, 2007 with regard to Grant of subsidies to University Teachers attending International Conferences/ Seminars/Symposia, etc. held abroad:

“A person who has less than three years to serve the University on his return shall not ordinarily be given the travel subsidy for attending international conference etc., abroad.”

**NOTE:** 1. The Travel Subsidy Committee dated 19.7.2011 was of the unanimous view that the faculty members nearing their retirement have more knowledge and experience and that is why they were invited for International

Seminar/Conference more often. The University should also show a good gesture to such experienced faculty members by allowing them travel subsidy for attending such Seminars/Conferences instead of depriving them of this benefit, therefore, the said Rule may be done away with.

2. Detailed office note enclosed **Appendix-XXI**).

Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal said that on 2.8.2011, the Finance & Development Officer returned the papers to the Establishment Branch to check whether there is any bar for allowing Travel Subsidy to teachers retiring within three years by U.G.C. She emphasized that teachers are being harassed one way or the other.

Endorsing the viewpoint expressed by Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal, Dr. Gurmeet Singh said that the teachers are being harassed while granting Travel Subsidy. Moreover, 50% of the teachers who applied for Travel Subsidy never get it.

The Vice-Chancellor said that grant of Travel Subsidy to the teachers is also delayed as the teachers did not submit their Boarding Passes in the University.

Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath observed that time has come that the University should adopt the post audit system as was being done in Government circles.

Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal suggested that in the U.T. Government, the persons who wanted to go on Ex-India leave are given advance money on the basis of an undertaking given by them and after their return, they get the amount adjusted. This system should be followed by the University.

Dr. D.P.S. Randhawa and Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma stated that the applications for grant of Travel Subsidy to the teachers should be decided within 7 days and advance given before their departure.

**The Vice-Chancellor said that the suggestion given by Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal would be examined.**

**RESOLVED:** That the following Rule 7 appearing at page 506 of P.U. Calendar, Volume III, 2007 with regard to Grant of subsidies to University Teachers attending International Conferences/Seminars/Symposia, etc. held abroad, be deleted:

“A person who has less than three years to serve the University on his return shall not ordinary be given the travel subsidy for attending international conference etc., abroad.”

**RESOLVED FURTHER:** That the above decision be made effect from 19.07.2011 i.e. the date on which the Committee has recommended the deletion of the said rule.

**Confirmation of certain Superintendents**

6. Considered the recommendation of the Vice-Chancellor, and

**RESOLVED:** That it be recommended to the Senate that the following Superintendents be confirmed in their posts w.e.f. the date mentioned against each:

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name of the person and Branch/Department</b>	<b>Date of promotion</b>	<b>Date of confirmation</b>
1.	Shri Rajinder Kumar Agnihotri Exam.-I	21.10.2008	30.4.2010
2.	Mrs. Sarvada Sharma Dr. Harvansh Singh Judge Institute of Dental Sciences	31.7.2008 (A.N.)	1.5.2010
3.	Shri Jagmohan Lal N.S.S.	15.9.2008	2.5.2010
4.	Shri Satish Kumar Soni Evening Studies	22.10.2008	3.5.2010
5.	Shri Gurbachan Singh R & S	2.9.2008	4.5.2010
6.	Mrs. Surinder Rani Conduct	6.11.2008	5.5.2010
7.	Shri Sat Pal Vinayak P.U.R.C., Ludhiana	22.10.2008	6.5.2010
8.	Mrs. Ravneet Kaur nee Prem Kumari, Secrecy	22.10.2008	7.5.2010
9.	Shri Ramesh Gulati U.I.E.T.	25.11.2008	8.5.2010
10.	Mrs. Hassan Devi Re-Evaluation	25.11.2008	9.5.2010
11	Shri Avtar Singh Exam.-IV	16.12.2008	10.5.2010
12	Mrs. Veena Mehta Computer Unit	23.12.2008	11.5.2010
13	Mrs. Veena Kumari General	6.1.2009	12.5.2010
14	Shri Param Jeet Lal Office of the D. U. I.	7.1.2009	13.5.2010
15	Mrs. Asha Kumari RTI & Add-on-Courses Cell	2.2.2009	14.5.2010
16	Mrs. Sushma Anand Re-Evaluation	12.2.2009	15.5.2010
17	Shri Kuldip Chand Gupta U.B.S.	11.2.2009	16.5.2010
18	Mrs. Shobha Rani Colleges	12.2.2009	17.5.2010
19	Shri Rajinder Parshad Sharma Accounts	12.2.2009	18.5.2010
20	Shri Balbir Kumar Khosla Accounts	18.2.2009	19.5.2010
21	Shri Santosh Kumar Secrecy	18.2.2009	20.5.2010
22	Mrs. Grace Exam.-II	18.2.2009	21.5.2010
23	Shri Satish Kumar Exam.-I	20.2.2009	22.5.2010
24	Shri Bharat Bhushan Talwar Estt.-I	4.3.2009	23.5.2010
25	Mrs. Mridula Kumari Secrecy	13.3.2009	24.5.2010
26	Mrs. Usha Rani General	17.3.2009	25.5.2010

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name of the person and Branch/Department</b>	<b>Date of promotion</b>	<b>Date of confirmation</b>
27	Mrs. Poonam Chopra English	17.3.2009	26.5.2010
28	Shri Kuldeep Kumar Sobti Mathematics	17.4.2009	27.5.2010
29	Shri Parkash Chand Sharma Estt.-II	30.3.2009	28.5.2010
30	Shri Rajinder Kumar Walia School of Communication Studies	30.4.2009	29.5.2010
31	Shri Rajinder Singh General	29.4.2009	30.5.2010
32	Shri Inder Mohan Sharma, Exam.-II	1.5.2009	31.5.2010
33	Mrs. Shamima Begam nee Sunila Ganda, Chem. Engg. & Tech.	8.7.2009	8.7.2010
34	Shri Sunil Kumar Mehta Youth Welfare	12.5.2009	9.7.2010
35	Mrs. Radha Dayal nee Radha Rani Pathania U.I.P.S.	8.5.2009	10.7.2010
36	Shri Mohinder Singh Budhwar Exam.-I	18.5.2009	11.7.2010
37	Ms. Madhu Ahuja Accounts	27.5.2009	12.7.2010
38	Shri Karan Kumar Soni Certificate	2.6.2009	13.7.2010
39	Mrs. Uma Kumari USOL	3. 6.2009	14.7.2010
40	Mrs. Sudesh Khullar nee Sudesh Kumari Markan UIHMT	12.6.2009	15.7.2010
41	Mrs. Narinder Kaur U.I.A.M.S	8.7.2009	16.7.2010
42	Shri Madhu Sudan Secrecy	7.7.2009	17.7.2010
43	Shri Ram Kumar Conduct	13.7.2009	18.7.2010
44	Shri Dharam Pal Sharma Single Window Enquiry	7.7.2009	19.7.2010
45	Mrs. Salochana Rani UIET	8.7.2009	20.7.2010
46	Mrs. Sarita Sharma, UIET	8.7.2009	21.7.2010
47	Shri Paramjit Kumar Accounts	7.7.2009	22.7.2010
48	Mrs. Indra Rani USOL	21.7.2009	23.7.2010
49	Mrs. Kiran Sharma Geology	8.10.2009	8.10.2010
50	Mrs. Saroj Physics	7.10.2009	9.10.2010
51	Shri Jagmohan Singh Computer Unit	5.9.2009	10.10.2010
52	Shri Ashok Kumar UIAMS	14.10.2009	14.10.2010
53	Mrs. Krishana Sabharwal R&S	17.2.2010	17.2.2011
54	Mrs. Saroj Bala Vyas	07.11.2009	18.2.2011

Sr. No.	Name of the person and Branch/Department	Date of promotion	Date of confirmation
	Exam-I		
55	Mrs. Tarsem Kumari, USOL	21.10.2009	19.2.2011
56	Shri Harjit Singh, Estate/Legal Cell	4.11.2009	20.2.2011
57	Sh. Ravinder Kumar Ahuja, Exams-II	4.11.2009	21.2.2011
58	Mrs. Vijay Prabha Accounts	4.11.2009	22.2.2011
59	Shri Ram Krishna Press	6.11.2009	23.2.2011
60	Shri Paramjit Singh Political Science	17.11.2009	24.2.2011
61	Mrs. Usha Sehgal nee Usha Kumari Kapoor Office of D.C.D.C.	6.11.2009	25.2.2011
62	Shri Girish Kumar Gulati Accounts	23.11.2009	26.2.2011
63	Mrs. Gurcharan Kaur Legal/Estate Cell	21.12.2009	27.2.2011
64	Mrs. Jitan R & S	21.12.2009	28.2.2011
65	Shri Satish Kumar Centre for Emerging Areas in Social Sciences	29.12.2009	1.3.2011
66	Shri Jagmohan VVBIS & IS, Hoshiarpur	1.1.2010	2.3.2011

**NOTE:** The date of confirmation of these Superintendents is on the basis of availability of permanent slots.

**Adoption of Punjab Government Notification maximum age limit for recruitment**

**Punjab Gazette regarding limit for**

**7.** Considered if the Punjab Government Gazette Notification No. Punjab Government Gaz. (Extra) May 25, 2010 (JYST 04,1932 SAKA) (**Appendix-XXII**) be adopted for enhancing the upper age limit for recruitment to 37 years for technical and non-technical posts in future and accordingly the Rule 1 at page 77 of P.U. Calendar, Volume III, 2009 be amended.

Dr. D.P.S. Randhawa stated that certain persons are working in the University on daily wage/contract basis for the last about 14 to 20 years. But their services have not been regularized as they had approached the Court for continuation in service.

It was clarified that the Legal Retainer of the University had told the University that according to decision of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the case: State of Karnataka V/s Uma Devi, the service of the persons, who had put in 10 years or more service without the intervention of the Court, could be regularized. Accordingly, the University had appointed those persons, who had put in 10 years or more service without the intervention of the Court, on regular basis.

Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath stated that the University had framed the policy. He clarified that according to the above referred

decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court, the services of persons, who had put in 10 years or more service, could be regularized as one time exception.

The Vice-Chancellor said that the services of certain persons, who were working on daily wage/contract basis, have been regularized and certain similar cases are being examined.

**RESOLVED:** That the Punjab Government Gazette Notification No. Punjab Government Gaz. (Extra) May 25, 2010 (JYST 04,1932 SAKA) (**Appendix-XXII**), be adopted for enhancing the maximum age limit for recruitment to 37 years for technical and non-technical posts in future and, accordingly, the Rule 1 at page 77 of P.U. Calendar, Volume III, 2009 be amended.

**Issue regarding to enhancement of Rent/Licence Fee, Water Charges of Campus Houses**

**8.** Considered minutes dated 11.8.2011 (**Appendix-XXIII**) of the Committee constituted by the Vice-Chancellor with regard to enhancement of Rent/Licence Fee, Water Charges of Campus Houses of P.U. Chandigarh as well as of Hoshiarpur and Ludhiana Houses.

**RESOLVED:** That the recommendations of the Committee dated 11.8.20011, as per **Appendix-XXIII**, be approved.

At this stage, Shri A.S. Bedi enquired as to why the person, who was appointed as Assistant Registrar at V.V.B.I.S. & I.S., Hoshiarpur, and later on promoted as Deputy Registrar at Swami Sarvanand Giri P.U. Regional Centre, Bajwara, Hoshiarpur, has now been transferred back to V.V.B.I.S. & I.S., Hoshiarpur.

The Vice-Chancellor said that Shri A.S. Bedi should discuss the matter with the Registrar who would clarify the point raised by him.

Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath stated that certain employees were provisionally reinstated, strictly without prejudice & subject to decision of Court cases pending against them. These persons have now been pleading that they are innocent and nothing wrong had been found against them. Moreover, they were not held guilty by the Courts even. Therefore, their cases should be taken up for promotion, etc.

The Vice-Chancellor said that a Committee was constituted to consider the cases of above referred persons (under suspension), which recommended that these persons should be provisionally reinstated to get some work from them as they were getting 75% of the salary. But these persons, after their reinstatement, are not performing their duties sincerely at the place of their posting.

After some further discussion, it was –

**RESOLVED:** That the following Committee comprising of Syndics be constituted to examine the cases of those persons, who were placed under suspension and subsequently provisionally reinstated and make recommendations:

1. Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath (Chairman)
2. Shri A.S. Bedi
3. Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma
4. A.R. (Estt.) (Convener)

**Issue regarding remuneration to the staff deputed for PULEET**

**9.** Considered if, remuneration to the staff deputed for PULEET entrance test, be paid at par with the staff of M.Ed. Entrance Tests conducted on 7.8.2011, as both the exams were of same duration. Information contained in the office note (**Appendix-XXIV**) was also taken into consideration.

**NOTE:** The rates of the PULEET entrance test and the M.Ed. entrance tests are different, but both the examination were of same duration, The staff deputed on PULEET examination demanded the same rate prescribed for M. Ed. entrance examination. The orders of the COE were obtained the payment was made at par to the staff of PULEET examination. But the audit has passed the bill subject to the approval of the Syndicate/Senate.

**RESOLVED:** That remuneration to the staff deputed for PULEET Entrance Test, be paid at par with the staff of M.Ed. Entrance Tests conducted on 7.8.2011, as both the exams were of same duration.

At this stage, Dr. R.P.S. Josh suggested that the Red Seal has not been fixed on some Degrees properly as presently it is being fixed manually, so a machine should be procured for automatic fixation of Red Seal.

The Vice-Chancellor said that the next Convocation of the University has been fixed for 16<sup>th</sup> December 2011.

### Deferred Item

**10.** Consideration of following Item 10 on the agenda was deferred:

**10.** To consider if sum of ₹50 lac be transferred from the income generated by the Centre for Industry Institute Partnership Programme (CIIPP) to the fund, 'Foundation for Higher Education & Research A/c', as per.

**11.** Considered minutes dated 17.8.2011(**Appendix-XXV**) of the committee constituted by the Vice-Chancellor regarding inspection of Copy Printer Machine for writing off and to make recommendations to purchase new machine.

**Writing off Copy  
Printer Model-5430**

Name of machine	Date of purchase	Purchase price	Remarks
Copy Printer Model-5430 S.No.F0911200893	8.1.2004	₹ 5,33,300/-	7 Yrs. Service Life as rate by DGS & D

**RESOLVED:** That it be recommended to the Senate that the Copy Printer (Model 5430), Sr. No.F.0911200893, date of purchase 8.1.2004 purchased at Rs.5,33,300/- of P.U. Press, be written off as the same is beyond economical repair/running.

**RESOLVED FURTHER:** That a new Digital Copy Printer Model DX4545 120CPM A<sub>3</sub> to A<sub>3</sub> size be purchased from M/s Ricoh India Ltd., SCO 50-51, Sector 17-A, Chandigarh, at approved DGS & D Rate contract @ Rs.4,72,039.64 net (Rs.40,000/- less buy-back of old Copy Printer) out of the Budget Head "Depreciation Funds".

**Issue regarding covering of temporary/daily wage/contractual employees etc. of P.U., Chandigarh, be covered under Regulation 14.4**

**12.** Considered if the temporary/daily-wage/contractual employees etc. of P.U., Chandigarh, be covered under Regulation 14.4 of P.U. Calendar, Volume I, 2007 at page 129, “regarding Provident Fund”, otherwise the Regional Provident Fund Commissioner, Chandigarh will cover all such employees under the employees Provident Fund and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952. Information contained in the office note (**Appendix-XXVI**) was also taken into consideration.

**NOTE:** Regulation 14.4 of P.U. Cal. Vol. I, 2007 at page 129 reads as under:

14.4. The Syndicate shall also have power to permit any whole-time employee of the following categories to become a despositor in the Provident Fund:

- (i) appointed against temporary \*post not likely to be made permanent.
- (ii) Holding appointment for a fixed term.

\*to apply to those who were appointed in 1955 or thereafter.

The Syndicate applauded this gesture by thumping of desks that the University was going to provide a better scheme than the EPF Scheme to the persons working on temporary/daily wage/contractual basis.

**RESOLVED:** That the temporary/daily-wage/contractual employees, etc. of P.U., Chandigarh, be covered under Regulation 14.4 of P.U. Calendar, Volume I, 2007 at page 129, “regarding Provident Fund”.

Arising out of the above, Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma desired that the University should instruct the affiliated Colleges to deduct the Contributory Provident Fund of the teachers working on temporary/contract basis as per University Regulations.

**Addition of footnote in the existing Rule**

**13.** Considered the addition of footnote in the existing Rule in Chapter XIX (a) of the University Calendar, Volume III, 2009 at page 276 pertaining to the Constitution of Student’s Organization for the Teaching Departments of the University, under (II) eligibility criteria for candidates:

<b>Existing</b>	<b>Proposed</b>
<p><b>II. Eligibility criteria for candidates</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Undergraduate students between the ages of 17 and 22 may contest elections. This age range may be appropriately relaxed in the case of Professional Colleges, where courses often range between 4 to 5 years.</li> <li>2. For Post graduate Students the maximum age limit to legitimately contest an election would be 24-25 years.</li> <li>3. For research Students the</li> </ol>	<p><b>II. Eligibility criteria for candidates</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Undergraduate students between the ages of 17 and 22 may contest elections. This age range may be appropriately relaxed in the case of Professional Colleges, where courses often range between 4 to 5 years.</li> <li>2. For Post graduate Students the maximum age limit to legitimately contest an election would be 24-25 years.</li> <li>3. For research Students the maximum</li> </ol>

<b>Existing</b>	<b>Proposed</b>
maximum age limit to legitimately contest an election would be 28 years.	age limit to legitimately contest an election would be 28 years.  <b>NOTE: The age limit for students of LL.B. course be considered as 25 years and for LL.M. it be taken as 27 years.</b>

**NOTE:** The Existing Rule as mentioned above needs an addition in the form of foot-note to make it clear for the contesting candidates about the age limit which has been incorporated in the proposed column. Since the minimum eligibility condition for admission to LL.B. course is graduation and the students who takes the admission generally crossed age 21-22.

Dr. Dharinder Tayal suggested that the proposed Rule 2 should be read as under:

“For Post graduate Students the maximum age limit to legitimately contest an election would be up to 25 years.

Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal suggested that the note under the propose rule should read as under:

**NOTE: The age limit for students of LL.B. course be considered as 25 years and for LL.M. and M.Ed. it be taken as 27 years.**

Dr. Dharinder Tayal said that a comprehensive view for all the courses should be taken while fixing the maximum age limit to legitimately contest an election by the students.

Dr. D.P.S. Randhawa said that the notification with regard to election schedule for the Campus Students Council should be issued at least one week before the date of election. Canvassing should be allowed up to one day before the date of election or legally, election be held 72 hours after the final list of candidates contesting the election is displayed on the Notice Board.

Continuing, Dr. D.P.S. Randhawa said that in an earlier meeting of the Syndicate, he had raised the issue of representation of students on the Senate and the Vice-Chancellor had said that he was working on it. But nothing has come out of it so far.

The Vice-Chancellor said that Dr. Randhawa should see him in his office and he would be apprised of the latest position of the case.

Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath stated that the University had prepared its own Rule for election to the Students Council in accordance with the directive of Lingdo Commission. But unfortunately some problems cropped up and they were compelled to resort to other things which some people wanted. Now, the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India has said that the University had no right to frame its own rules and the matter is before a 5-Judge Bench of the Apex Court. He, however, suggested that a small Committee should

be constituted within that framework to solve the problems, e.g. maximum limit of expenditure of Rs.5,000/- on the election by a candidate, counting of attendance from which date, etc.

Shri H.S. Lucky suggested that some honorarium should be fixed for the persons associated with the conduct of Students Council election.

The Vice-Chancellor said that a Committee would be constituted to solve the problems faced in the conduct of Students Council election, e.g. maximum limit of expenditure of Rs.5,000/- on the election by a candidate, counting of attendance from which date, etc. and amendment in above mentioned Rule, Chapter XIX (a) of the University Calendar, Volume III, 2009 pertaining to the Constitution of Student's Organization for the Teaching Departments of the University, under (II) eligibility criteria for candidates.

**This was agreed to.**

**The Syndicate placed on record its appreciations for Professor Naval Kishore, former Dean Student Welfare and Professor A.S. Ahluwalia, Dean Student Welfare, teachers and students, for getting the Students Council election conducted in most peaceful manner.**

**Regulations/Rules for Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Agriculture (Semester System)**

**14.** Considered Regulations/Rules (**Appendix-XXVII**) for Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Agriculture (Semester System) effective from the session 2011-2012, duly approved by the Dean, Faculty of Dairying, Animal Husbandry & Agriculture.

Dr. Dharinder Tayal observed that the nomenclature of Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Agriculture was not appropriate and needed to be looked into.

The Vice-Chancellor said that, earlier, courses like fisheries, bee keeping, rabbitery, etc. were proposed to be run under the Faculty of Dairying, Animal Husbandry & Agriculture.

Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal said that the Regulation/Rule given in (x) was not in order because the power to prescribe the tuition and other charges for a course rested with the Syndicate. She further said that the entire world over the education is heading towards skilled training. She, therefore, pleaded that vocational courses, which could generate employment to the students, should be offered in the University. She said that she would submit a concrete proposal, the same should be examined and implemented.

Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath stated that, since there was an acute shortage of Malis in this part of the country, the Malis should be given at least two months courses for providing basic knowledge of Mali's job.

The Vice-Chancellor said that during the tenure of Professor A.K. Prasad as Dean of University Instruction and Professor T.N. Kapur as Vice-Chancellor, the Department of Vocational Studies was set up, but it did not work properly.

Shri H.S. Lucky suggested that a course in Hotel Management at postgraduate level should be started in the University.

On a point made by Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath that certain students had secured 1 mark less for qualifying the examination due to which they are declared fail, the Vice-Chancellor said that if representation from the students came, the same would be looked into.

Dr. Dharinder Tayal stated that the development of their country depend on the skilled human resources. More and more short-term courses at the undergraduate level are being sought to be introduced instead of research oriented courses at the postgraduate level. He emphasized that ITIs and IITs could not be equivalent. Therefore, the character of the University should not be changed in any way.

The Vice-Chancellor requested that the Fellows should give concrete proposals on the issue.

Dr. R.P.S. Josh said that, as per circular of the University dated 27.5.2011, there is a confusion whether the Postgraduate Diplomas being offered in the affiliated Colleges would be run under the Semester System or under the Annual System. Clear-cut instructions in this regard should be sent by the University to the affiliated Colleges.

**RESOLVED:** That nomenclature of Postgraduate Diploma in Applied Agriculture (Semester System) be re-examined and correction in Regulation/Rule (x) with regard to the tuition and other charges be made. The Vice-Chancellor be authorized to take decision in the matter, on behalf of the Syndicate.

**Regulations/Rules for M.Ed. (General), M.Ed. (Guidance and Counselling) and M.Ed. (Education Technology) and M.A. Education**

**15.** Considered -

- (i) Regulations/Rules for M.Ed. (General), M.Ed. (Guidance and Counselling) and M.Ed. (Education Technology) (**Appendix-XXVIII**) under Semester System from the session 2010-2011, duly approved by the Board of Studies in Education and Dean, Faculty of Education.
- (ii) Regulations/Rules for M.A. Education (**Appendix-XXVIII**) (Semester System) in place of Annual System from the academic session 2009-2010 duly approved by the Board of Studies in Education and Dean, Faculty of Education.

Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal stated that since the counselling for admission to M.Ed. course was still in progress and the classes are expected to start from 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2011 and about 2 months of the session had already elapsed, the course could not be run under the Semester System. She, therefore, suggested that M.Ed. course should be allowed to run in the affiliated Colleges under the Annual System for the session 2011-2012 and in the Teaching Departments of the University, it should be run under the Semester System.

**This was agreed to.**

**RESOLVED:** That -

- (i) Regulations/Rules for M.Ed. (General), M.Ed. (Guidance and Counselling) and M.Ed. (Education Technology) under Semester System from the academic session 2010-2011, as per **Appendix- XXVIII**, be approved.
- (ii) Regulations/Rules for M.A. Education (Semester System) in place of Annual system from the academic session 2009-2010, as per **Appendix- XXVIII**, be approved.

**Regulations/Rules for M.Sc. Zoology (Semester System)**

**16.** Considered the recommendation of the Postgraduate Board of Studies in Zoology dated 15.7.2011 (**Appendix-XXIX**) duly approved by the Dean, Faculty of Science on behalf of the Faculty and the Vice-Chancellor on behalf of Academic Council dated 27.6.2011 with regard to Rule/Regulations for M.Sc. Zoology 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester for Academic Session 2011-12.

**NOTE:** The Postgraduate Board of Studies in Zoology recommended the Regulations/Rules for M.Sc. Zoology semester system as already existing in P.U. Cal. Vol. II, 2007 at page 132.

**RESOLVED:** That Regulations/Rules for M.Sc. Zoology (Semester System) w.e.f. session 2011-2012, be the same as for other M.Sc. courses being run under the Semester System (existed in P.U. Calendar, Volume II, 2007, pages 132-136).

**Regulations/Rules for M.Sc. Physics (Semester System)**

**17.** Considered the recommendation of the Postgraduate Board of Studies in Physics dated 21.7.2011 (**Appendix-XXX**) duly approved by the Dean, Faculty of Science on behalf of the Faculty of Science and the Vice-Chancellor on behalf of Academic Council dated 27.6.2011 with regard to Regulations/Rules for M.Sc. Physics 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester for Academic Session 2011-12.

**NOTE:** The Postgraduate Board of Studies in Physics recommended the Regulations/Rules for M.Sc. Physics semester system as already existing in P.U. Cal. Vol. II, 2007 at page 132.

**RESOLVED:** That Regulations/Rules for M.Sc. Physics (Semester System) w.e.f. session 2011-2012, be the same as for other M.Sc. courses being run under the Semester System (existed at pages 132-136 of P.U. Calendar, Volume II, 2007).

**Request of Principal, Guru Nanak National College, Doraha, regarding opting for Computer Science subject at B.A./B.Sc. level**

**18.** Considered request dated 2.5.2011 (**Appendix-XXXI**) received from Principal, Guru Nanak National College, Doraha, District Ludhiana, that the candidates, who have passed computer related subject like Computer Science/ Information Technology etc. as one of the Elective subjects or optional subject at +2 level, be allowed to opt the subject of Computer Science at B.A./B.Sc. level w.e.f. the academic session 2012-2013. Information contained in the office note (**Appendix-XXXI**) was also taken into consideration.

**RESOLVED:** That –

- (1) the candidates, who have passed computer related subject like Computer Science/ Information Technology, etc. as one of the Elective subjects or optional subject at +2 level, be allowed to opt the subject of Computer Science at B.A./B.Sc. level w.e.f. the academic session 2012-2013; and
- (2) addition, in this respect, be made in Regulation 4.1 Proviso (iii) at page 41 of Panjab University Calendar, Volume II, 2007

## Enquiry Report

**19.** Considered Enquiry Report dated 18.8.2011 (**Appendix-XXXII**) submitted by Justice S.K. Jain (Retd.) regarding Guru Nanak College, Ferozepur Cantt.

Dr. Dharinder Tayal stated that the Controller of Examinations should be appreciated for sending more persons for flying squad duties even under those circumstances. It had also been written in the report that the Examination Centre at the College should be closed for future.

The Vice-Chancellor said that the report submitted by Justice S.K. Jain (Retd.) should be accepted. Later on, it would be examined as to what action is to be taken in the matter. But before taking any action, the members would be taken into confidence.

**RESOLVED:** That Enquiry Report (**Appendix-XXXII**) submitted by Justice S.K. Jain (Retd.) regarding Guru Nanak College, Ferozepur Cantt., be accepted.

## Inspection Reports

**20.** Considered and

**RESOLVED:** That temporary extension of affiliation be granted to the following Colleges w.e.f. the session 2011-2012 for the courses/subjects as mentioned against each in column No. 4 in accordance with the recommendations of the Inspection Committee/s (**Appendix-XXXIII**) with the condition that the College will follow the other instructions/guidelines of the Panjab University/ Punjab Government:

Sr. No.	Name of the College	Course/subject applied for	Recommendations of the Inspection Committee
1.	Sant Darbara Singh College for Women, Lopon, Distt. Moga	B.C.A.-III (one unit)	Recommended
2.	L.R.D.A.V. College, Jagraon, Distt. Ludhiana	(i) B.Com.-1 (2 <sup>nd</sup> unit) (ii) M.Com.-I (iii) M.Sc.-1 (Mathematics) (iv) M.Sc.-1(IT)	Recommended for (i) to (iii) <b>Regarding (iv) the College has withdrawn its request for affiliation in M.Sc.-I (IT)</b>
NOTE: The College will pay salary to the NET qualified teachers as			

per UGC norm and ₹ 25,800/- per month to those where UGC-NET qualified candidates are not available.			
3.	S.M.S. Karamjot College of Women, Miani, Distt. Hoshiarpur	(i) B.C.A.-1 & II (one unit) and (ii) PGDCA	

- NOTE: 1. The College will pay salary to the NET qualified teachers as per UGC norm and ₹ 25,800/- per month to those where UGC-NET qualified candidates are not available.
2. The College shall appoint the faculty on regular basis during the current session failing which the admission to the courses in the 1<sup>st</sup> year in 2012-13 will not be accorded.
3. The Inspection Committee Report of S.M.S. Karamjot College of Women, Miani, Distt. Hoshiarpur is enclosed (**Appendix-XXXIII**).

## Inspection Reports

**21.** Considered and

**RESOLVED:** That provisional extension of affiliation be granted to the following Colleges, for Certificate/Advance Diploma/Diploma/Add-On Course, as per University Grants Commission guidelines under University Grants Commission/Self-financing courses/subjects, for the session 2011-2012 as per Inspection Committee Reports (**Appendix-XXXIV**):

Sr. No.	Name of the College	Courses/Subject applied for
1.	Kamla Lohtia Sanatan Dharam College, Subhash Nagar, Daresi Road, Ludhiana	(i) Diploma Add-on-course in Foreign Trade Practice and Procedures  (ii) Diploma Add-on course in Mass Communication & Video Production
2.	Khalsa College for Women, Civil Lines, Ludhiana	Advance Diploma Add on course in Bank Management
3.	Dasmesh Girls College, Badal (Muktsar)	Diploma Add-on Course in Cosmetology

## Award of degree of Doctor of Philosophy

**22.** Considered reports of examiners of certain candidates on the theses, including viva voce reports, for the award of degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.).

Dr. R.P.S. Josh stated the course work of Ph.D. was not being run in any of the affiliated Colleges, including recognized research centres and P.U. Regional Centres because of non-availability of teachers in those particular subjects. Due to this, the students were facing a lot of harassment for not being allowed to undertake Ph.D. course work at their nearest places.

The Vice-Chancellor said that the students could do their Ph.D. course work either in the concerned Department of Panjab University or at P.U. Regional Centres or in any of the recognized Ph.D. research centre.

Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath stated that the problem was something else. In fact, the faculty of University Teaching Departments wanted that the registration of only those students should be cleared, who have done Ph.D. course work at their Department alone.

Principal S.S. Randhawa said that non-production of Ph.D. students is also a big hindrance in award of A Grade by the NAAC to the Colleges because they award this status to the Colleges on the basis of number of Ph.D.s produced.

Dr. R.P.S. Josh said that several affiliated Colleges had applied for recognition of research centres in various subjects, but their applications are kept pending by the concerned Department of the University.

Dr. Dharinder Tayal pointed out that some of the students, who had topped their respective examinations, have not been allowed enrolment for Ph.D. due to limited number of seats. He suggested that the teachers should be allowed to guide more than 8 students at a time so that these students could be accommodated.

Endorsing the viewpoints expressed by Dr. Dharinder Tayal, Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath and Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma requested the Vice-Chancellor to increase the number of seats so that the brilliant students do not suffer for a year.

Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal stated that the students should be allowed to make presentation of his/her Ph.D. topic, etc. in the Pre-Research Degree Committee under the parent supervisor only and if the presentation is made to the external supervisor, the topic becomes outdated. Secondly, the working teachers should be allowed to do the Ph.D. course work during vacations and the teachers of the University/Colleges who are engaged for the Ph.D. course work should be given incentives for doing this extra work. She further suggested that as far as possible the Pre-Ph.D. course should be given a modular form.

Continuing, Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal enquired as to what is the difference between the BoC referred to by the U.G.C. and the University. To the best of her knowledge the BoC to which the U.G.C. referred to is almost equivalent to Board of Studies, but the Board of Control which is referred by the University deals with the internal affairs of the Department concerned and not with the entire affairs of the University.

The Vice-Chancellor said that a Committee comprising Dean, College Development Council, (Chairman), Dr. R.P.S. Josh, Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma, Principal S.S. Randhawa, Shri A.S. Bedi and Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal should be constituted to look into all the problems relating to Ph.D. enrolment, course work and recognition of Research Centres.

**This was agreed to.**

**RESOLVED:** That the degree of Doctor of Philosophy be awarded to the following candidates in the Faculty and subject noted against each:

Sr. No.	Name of the candidate	Faculty/ Subject	Title of thesis
1.	Mr. Sanjeev Goel C/o Goel Radios V.P.O. Barwala Panchkula Haryana - 134118	Arts/ Geography	SPATIAL PATTERNS OF POPULATION CHANGE IN HARYANA 1971-2001
2.	Mr. Jasvinder Singh H.No.2737/C MIG (S) Sector 70, Mohali - 160071	Education/ Physical Education	CONTRIBUTION OF AKHARAS IN THE PROMOTION OF WRESTLING IN INDIA – A CASE STUDY
3.	Ms. Rakhee Dewah H.No.559, Sector 16-D Chandigarh	Business Management & Commerce	ASSESSMENT OF QUALITY OF WORK LIFE AMONG DOCTORS, NURSES, AND PARAMEDICAL STAFF IN HOSPITALS
4.	Mr. Rakesh Kumar H.No.207/1 Sector 55 Chandigarh – 160055.	Business Management & Commerce	CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT IN BANKING INDUSTRY – A STUDY OF SELECTED BANKS IN AND AROUND CHANDIGARH
5.	Ms. Sukhjeet Kaur H.No. 344, Sector-91 Mohali	Science/ Zoology	ROLE OF REPAIR GENES POLYMORPHISM AND DNA HYPERMETHYLATION OF GSTP GENE IN THE RISK OF PROSTATE CANCER
6.	Ms. Jyoti Khurana H.No. 3709, Sector 32-D Chandigarh	Science/ Biotechnology	CLONING EXPRESSION AND BIOCHEMICAL CHARACTERISATION OF A LIPASE FROM A <i>BACILLUS</i> ISOLATE
7.	Mr. Karan Veer Singh H.No. 3219, Sector 35-D Chandigarh	Science/ Biotechnology	GENETIC DIVERGENCE STUDIES IN SEAHORSE SPECIES
8.	Ms. Rashmi Dhawan B-359, Dalima Vihar, Rajpura, Distt- Patiala 140401	Science/ Chemistry	INFLUENCE OF CARBON-OXYGEN SURFACE GROUPS ON THE ADSORPTION OF ORGANIC VAPOURS BY ACTIVATED CARBONS
9.	Mr. Baljinder Singh V.P.O. Jandwala Mira Sangla Tehsil- Fazilka Ferozepur, 152128	Science/ Biotechnology	MICROBIAL DEGRADATION OF ORGANOPHOSPHATE PESTICIDES AND NITROAROMATIC COMPOUNDS
10.	Mr. Ajay Kumar H.No. 335/FF Sector-15/D Chandigarh- 160015	Education/ Physical Education	DEVELOPMENT OF PHYSICAL FITNESS NORMS FOR CHANDIGARH SCHOOL BOYS
11.	Ms. Veenu Khurana H.No. 3030, Sector-28/D Chandigarh-160002	Education/ Education	A STUDY OF SPIRITUAL INTELLIGENCE OF ADOLESCENTS IN RELATION TO THEIR SELF-ESTEEM GENDER AND PERSONALITY
12.	Ms. Parvinder Kaur H.No.108, New Model Town Ludhiana, 141002	Education/ Education	A STUDY OF LEARNING OUTCOMES OF ADOLESCENTS IN RELATION TO THEIR EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE METACOGNITION AND PERSONALITY TRAITS
13.	Ms. Mannika Kapil H.No-1018/B, Sector-41/B Chandigarh, 160036	Design & Fine Arts/Music	MADHYA KAAL MEIN SNGEET SADHNA VA ADHYATM KA ANTAH SAMBANDH: EK VISLESHNATMAK ADHYAYAN
14.	Mr. Arif Ahmed Mohammed Hassan Al-Ahdal	Languages/ English	ENHANCING COMPETENCE OF SECONDARY SCHOOL ENGLISH TEACHERS IN YEMEN: A NEED-BASED

Sr. No.	Name of the candidate	Faculty/ Subject	Title of thesis
	H.No. 2632 (Top Floor) Sector 22-C Chandigarh-160022		SYLLABUS FOR INSET PROGRAMMES
15.	Mr. Arvind Kumar H.No. 1382 Chaman Colony, Dhanas Chandigarh-160014	Languages/ Hindi	SHUKLOTAR HINDI ALOCHNA MEIN VAICHARIK DWANDWATMAKTA (1950 SE 2000 ESVI TAK)
16.	Ms. Anupam Nahar H.No. 1472, Sector 42-B Chandigarh-160036	Languages/ English	RE-INVENTING AND RE-STAGING: LOCAL ADAPTATIONS OF SELECT WESTERN PLAYS
17.	Ms. Arti Jolly H.No. 1814/B-2, New Vishva Karma Colony Near Bitna Road, Pinjore Distt. Panchkula	Arts/ Economics	ECONOMICS DEVELOPMENT, DEPRIVATION AND DISTRESS: A STUDY OF VARIATION ACROSS NATIONS WITH SPEICAL REFERENCE TO INDIA
18.	Mr. Ramesh Kumar Department of Gandhian Studies P.U., Chandigarh	Arts/ Gandhian Studies	MAHATMA GANDHI AND SUBHAS CHANDRA BOSE: A CLASH OF IDEOLOGY
19.	Mr. Harminder Singh Bains C/o Mr. Balbir Singh H.No. 2145/VII SAS Nagar, Mohali	Engineering & Technology	PRODUCTION, PROCESSING AND FABRICATION OF ALUMINIUM BASE METAL MATRIX COMPOSITE
20.	Mr. Ahmed H. Ali H.No. 154 Sector 15-A Chandigarh-160015	Engineering & Technology	STUDIES ON HETEROGENEOUS PHOTOCATALYTIC DEGRADATION OF TEXTILE DYES AND THEIR SIMULATED DYEBATH WASTEWATER

**Recommendations of Selection Committee for appointment of Controller of Examinations**

**23.** Considered minutes dated 9.8.2011 (**Appendix-XXXV**) of the Selection Committee for appointment of Controller of Examinations, Panjab University, Chandigarh.

**NOTE:** The Syndicate meeting dated 29.8.2011 Para 2(v)) has decided that:

**“The members observed that the Syndicate members have due respect for the members of the Selection Committee and the Vice-Chancellor. However, one of the members apprised the House about some facts relating to the recommended candidate, i.e. Dr. Parvinder Singh. The House authorized the Vice-Chancellor to verify the facts in case they are brought to his notice by the members in the next 2-3 days. They should, however, be supported with documentary proofs. The item be bought back to the Syndicate in its next meeting.”**

**This was agreed to”.**

Principal Hardiljit Singh Gosal stated that the candidate has mentioned in his bio-data that he is working as a Registrar in the

College, whereas no such post existed in any of the Colleges. The candidate had no administrative experience and as such he did not fulfil the condition of requisite administrative experience. The experience for working as Lecturer could not be treated as administrative experience. Secondly, one of the candidates was made eligible on 8<sup>th</sup> August 2011 and on 12<sup>th</sup> August 2011 he/she was declared ineligible, that too, after the date of interview, i.e. 9<sup>th</sup> August 2011. Thirdly, complete bio-data of the candidate was not presented before the Selection Committee. He pleaded that the recommendations of the Selection Committee should be rejected.

Dr. Gurmeet Singh stated that it is a serious issue. They had full confidence in the Selection Committee which was duly constituted comprising of eminent persons. The Selection Committee has made its recommendations. It is wrong to say that every Selection Committee has to justify its recommendation/s, but at the same time eligibility is a big issue because the post of Controller of Examinations is an administrative and sensitive post and several persons worked under him. For that post, administrative experience is must. Since questions have been raised by some of the members on the administrative experience of the recommended candidate, they should not take any decision in haste. If there is really any lacuna in the eligibility of the candidate, that should be examined.

Dr. Ishwar Dayal Gaur enquired why curtailed bio-data of one of the candidates was presented before the Selection Committee? If so, whether the same was done intentionally?

Dr. D.P.S. Randhawa, endorsing the viewpoints expressed by Principal Gosal, Dr. Gurmeet Singh and Dr. Gaur, enquired whether the provision Academic Performance Indicator being applied for recruitment of Assistant Professors, was also applicable for the posts like Registrar and Controller of Examinations. If it was so, that must have been applied while scrutinizing the applications of the candidates.

Shri A.S. Bedi stated that the recommended candidate did not fulfil the requisite qualifications because only Professor of a University or Principal of a College fulfils the qualifications prescribed for the post of Controller of Examinations. The candidate has mentioned that he worked as Registrar in the College. But according to him, the Registrar in a College just assists the Principal in the conduct of house examinations, which is meaningless. He worked under the overall control/ supervision of the Principal, and his experience as such could not be treated as administrative experience. In nutshell, he said that the recommended candidate did not fulfil the requisite administrative experience. Hence, the recommendations of the Selection Committee should be rejected.

Endorsing the viewpoints of earlier speakers, Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal stated that in the previous meeting of the Syndicate it was unanimously decided that a Committee be constituted for looking into the complaint of a candidate and nowhere the Vice-Chancellor was authorized. The Vice-Chancellor was authorized to appoint members on the Committee. As a person from Education, she failed to understand why one of the candidates was declared half eligible. Having done so, the confidence of the candidate was psychologically shattered and he appeared in the interview with broken confidence.

Dr. R.P.S. Josh stated that in the previous meeting of the Syndicate it was decided that if any of the members brought fact/s/documents proof about the allegations levelled against the recommended candidate within 2-3 days, the same would be examined. He enquired whether any of them had brought facts in the knowledge of the Vice-Chancellor?

**The Vice-Chancellor said that none of the members had brought to his knowledge any fact/documentary proof about the allegations levelled against the recommended candidate till today morning.**

Continuing, Dr. R.P.S. Josh said that he had no ifs and buts on the recommendations of the Selection Committee. Moreover, he did not want to say more as he had his own reservations.

Principal S.S. Randhawa stated that in the previous meeting of the Syndicate, the members had pointed out certain discrepancies in the selection of the recommended candidate. He further said that no post of the nomenclature of Registrar Examinations existed in the Colleges. In the Colleges, one of the teachers is asked to see the work of house examinations, which is done under the overall supervision/control of the Principal of the College. Since the recommended candidate did not fulfil the requisite administrative experience, the recommendations of the Selection Committee should be disapproved.

Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma stated that, as said by Dr. Gurmeet Singh, responsible and eminent persons were there on the Selection Committee and nobody could doubt their credibility and status. Moreover, there were several examples wherein the recommendations of the Selection Committees had been rejected by the higher body. According to him, the recommendations of the Selection Committee are rejected on the basis of issues, which could not be termed as aspersions on the experts/members of the Selection Committee. The recommended candidate had claimed that he had 15 years administrative experience, whereas he had just assisted the Principal of the College in the conduct of house examinations. According to him, administrative experience meant independent charge of an administrative post, power to write ACRs of subordinate employees, financial powers, etc., which the recommended candidate never allowed to exercise. Recently, even the appointment of a person, who was recommended for appointment as Assistant Registrar, had been rejected by the High Court because he did not have requisite administrative experience. He further stated that the persons who acts as Registrar in the Colleges, just do additional duties of conduct of examinations and NSS, which is misleading statement regarding having administrative experience. If the recommended candidate is appointed as Controller of Examinations in the University, he would not be able to do justice to the University. Keeping in view all this, the recommendations of the Selection Committee should be rejected.

Shri H.S. Lucky said that since the recommended candidate did not have requisite administrative experience, the recommendations of the Selection Committee should be disapproved.

Referring to the issue that firstly one of the candidates was made eligible on 8<sup>th</sup> August 2011 and on 12<sup>th</sup> August 2011 he/she was declared ineligible, that too, after the date of interview, i.e. 9<sup>th</sup> August

2011, the Vice-Chancellor said that action in the matter has been taken and the Assistant Registrar concerned had been sent on long leave.

The Vice-Chancellor clarified that the term 'administrative experience' had been defined by Bambah Committee. It had made everything crystal clear. Accordingly, when the posts of Registrar, Controller of Examinations were advertised, objections were raised in the Syndicate and suggested that they should stick to the U.G.C. though the U.G.C. was not clear about the administrative experience as its recommendations are vague. Lastly, the posts of Registrar, Controller of Examinations, etc. were advertised strictly according to the qualifications and experience prescribed by the U.G.C.

Referring to the point raised by the members regarding the fulfilment of the condition of administrative experience, i.e. '15 years administrative experience out of which 8 years shall be as Deputy Registrar or equivalent post', the Vice-Chancellor said that this condition is applicable for those persons working on the administrative side in the Universities or Departments of Higher Education. He further pointed out that in the qualifications for the post of Deputy Registrar duly approved by the Syndicate, the following is also a part of the qualifications:

**At least 8 years' experience of working in responsible position in an educational/ research institution/ University including experience as Principal/Head of the Department/Bursar/Registrar (Exam.)/ Lecturer/Assistant Professor/Assistant Registrar, etc. in an affiliated College.**

If the post of Registrar did not exist in Colleges, why these qualifications were made?

**RESOLVED:** That the recommendations of the Selection Committee dated 9.8.2011 (**Appendix-XXXV**) for appointment of Controller of Examinations, Panjab University, Chandigarh, be **not** accepted.

**The Vice-Chancellor said that the Syndicate had rejected the recommendations of the Selection Committee, but he has his own reservations as this decision might reflect on the working of the office of the Dean, University Instruction as well as the Selection Committee as both have worked meticulously and put the things in wrong perspective for times to come.**

Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath did not take part in the discussion.

## **Routine and formal matters**

**24.** The information contained in Items **R-(i)** to **R-(xviii)** on the agenda was read out, viz. –

- (i) The Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of Syndicate/Senate, has approved the re-employment of Professor S.K. Singla (Retd.), Department of Biochemistry under rule 8 at page 130 of P.U. Cal., Vol.-III, 2009, with the modification that he would be re-employed for a period of one year on contract basis w.e.f. the date he join as such with one day break on 1.9.2011 on fixed emoluments equivalent to last pay drawn minus pension to be worked out on the full service

of 33 years both in case of teachers opting for pension or C.P.F. salary for this purpose means pay plus allowances excluding House Rent Allowance.

**NOTE:** The re-employed teacher will not be entitled to any residential accommodation on the Campus. If a teacher was already living on the campus, he/she shall not be allowed to retain the same for more than 2 months after the date of superannuation. The failure to vacate the University residential accommodation after the stipulated period shall entail automatic termination of re-employment.

- (ii) The Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate/Senate, has approved the re-employment of Professor (Mrs) Shalina Mehta (Retd.), Deptt. of Anthropology under Rule 8 given at page 130 of P.U. Cal., Vol-III, 2009, with the modification that she would be re-employed for a period of one year on contract basis w.e.f. the date she join as such with one day break on 01.09.2011 on fixed emoluments equivalent to last pay drawn minus pension to be worked out on the full service of 33 years both in case of teachers opting for pension or CPF. Salary for this purpose means pay plus allowances excluding House Rent Allowance.

**NOTE:** The re-employed teacher will not be entitled to any residential accommodation on the Campus. If a teacher was already living on the Campus, he/she shall not be allowed to retain the same more than 2 months after the date of superannuation. The failure to vacate the University residential accommodation after the stipulated period will entail automatic termination of re-employment.

- (iii) The Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate/Senate, has extended the contractual term of appointment of Mrs. Shruti Sahdev as Medical Officer (Homeopathic) at SSGPURC, Bajwara, (Hoshiarpur) for further period of three months w.e.f. 24.9.2011 to 21.12.2011 with one day break on 23.9.2011 or till the post is filled in afresh (on contract basis), on the previous terms and conditions.

- (iv) The Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate/Senate, has extended the contractual term of appointment of the following Programmers for further period of three months w.e.f. the date as noted against each, on the previous terms and conditions:-

Sr. No.	Name of employee/ Deptt.	Date of expiry of earlier term	Date of Break	Due date of extension
1	Shri Gurpreet Singh, Computer Centre, PU	9.9.2011	10.9.2011	12.9.2011 to 6.12.2011

				(11.9.2011 being Sunday)
2.	Shri Om Parkash Computer Centre, PU	12.9.2011	13.9.2011	14.9.2011 to 8.12.2011

- (v) The Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate/Senate, has approved the appointment of Mr. Mohit Gupta as Programmer (on contract basis) @ ₹25,800/- p.m. (fixed) w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> July 2011 to 31<sup>st</sup> August 2011 or till the completion of joint B. Ed Admission, 2011 in the Panjab University, Chandigarh. His salary will be charged out of the Budget Head B. Ed Admission, 2011 (CET).
- (vi) The Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate, has allowed to engage Mr. Som Nath (Supdt., Retd.) as Special Officer (Confidential Unit) for another six months, w.e.f. 2.9.2011 to 29.2.2012 with one day break on 1.9.2011, on contract basis on half of the salary last paid (excluding HRA, CCA and other special allowance) rounded off to nearest lower 100 which will come equal to ₹16165/- out of the Budget Head "General Administration", Sub-head 'Hiring services/Outsourcing Contractual/Casual or Seasonal Workers', under Regulation 18 at page 134 of P.U. Calendar, Vol. I, 2007.
- (vii) The Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate, has extended the term of appointment of Shri Madan Mohan Kapoor on contractual basis for another 6(six) months w.e.f. 4.7.2011 to 3.01.2012 as OSD in the UIAMS as per norms of the previous appointment i.e. half of the salary last paid (excluding HRA, CCA and other special allowance) rounded off to nearest lower 100 out of the Budget Head "General Administration Sub head-Hiring services/ Outsourcing Contractual/Casual or Seasonal Workers", under Regulation 18 at page 134 of P.U. Cal. Vol. I, 2007.
- (viii) The Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate, has extended the Extra Ordinary Leave without Pay to Dr. Anuj Sharma, Programmer, Department of Mathematics, P.U. w.e.f. 16.9.2011 to 30.9.2011 to enable him to complete his assignment at RWTH, Aachen University, Germany.
- (ix) The Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate/Senate, has accepted the resignation of Dr. (Mrs.) Naveen Ahuja, Assistant Professor, University Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences w.e.f. 1.8.2011 (i.e. the date after expiry of her Extra Ordinary Leave without pay) under Regulation 6 at page 118 P.U. Calendar, Vol.-1, 2007.

**NOTE:** Regulation 6 at page 118 of P.U. Calendar, Vol. I, 2007, reads as under:

"A permanent employee, recruited on or after 1<sup>st</sup> January, 1968, shall give at least three months' notice before resigning his post, failing which he shall forfeit salary for the same period".

- (x) The Vice- Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate, has accepted the resignation of Dr. M.S Bains, Professor (Re-employed), Department of Laws, w.e.f. 31.08.2011.
- (xi) The Vice- Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate, has accepted the resignation of Dr. Ranjana Vohra, Professor (Re-employed), Department of Library & Information Science w.e.f.15.09.2011 due to her ill health and family circumstances.
- (xii) The Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate/Senate, has approved the full fee waiver scheme for economically weaker sections of society and handicapped candidates up to maximum 5% of the sanctioned intake per course for the academic session 2011-2012 to Chandigarh College of Engineering & Technology, Sector 26, Chandigarh. These seats shall be supernumerary in nature as per the letter No. 1304-IH (3)-2009/20434 dated 26.10.2009 (**Appendix-XXXVI**) received from Chandigarh Administration.

**NOTE:** The benefit of the scheme is already available to the students in University Institute of Engineering & Technology and University Institute of Chemical Engineering & Technology as per Government/University Policy.

- (xiii) The Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate, has granted full fee concession to Mr. Abdul Wahied student of B.A. LL.B. 5<sup>th</sup> semester, Department of University Institute of Legal Studies for the session 2011-2012.

**NOTE:** The Academic Committee of U.I.L.S dated 10.8.2011 strongly recommended the case for exemption of fee as the candidate is very good in studies and belongs to a very economically weaker family.

- (xiv) The Vice-Chancellor, subject to and in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate/Senate & grant of NOC from the Punjab Govt. has granted temporary extension of affiliation to the following Colleges in the courses/subjects mentioned against each, for the session 2011-2012, as per Inspection Report (**Appendix-XXXVII**) with the condition that the College will follow the other instructions/guidelines of the Panjab University/Punjab Government.

Sr. No.	Name of the College	Courses/Subject applied for
1.	DAV College, Hoshiarpur, Punjab	(i) B.B.A.-1 (one unit) (ii) P.G. Diploma in Fashion Designing - 24 seats
<p><b>NOTE:</b> 1. The College will pay salary to the NET qualified teachers as per UGC norms and Rs.25,800/- per month to those where UGC-NET qualified teachers are not available.</p>		

Sr. No.	Name of the College	Courses/Subject applied for
		<p>2. The College will appoint one faculty member on regular basis as recommended by the Inspection Committee in its report dated 7.6.2011 in the course/subject i.e. Post-Graduate Diploma in Fashion Designing and send the authentic proof i.e. proceedings of the Selection Committee, appointment letter and joining report of one faculty member as per UGC/PU norms on regular basis to this office within two months from the date of issue of the letter, failing which the return of the students shall not be accepted.</p>
2.	S.D. College for Women, 3-Jawahar Nagar Moga (Punjab)	(i) B.Com-II (One unit) (ii) B.A.-II (Physical Education)- Elective and (iii) M.A.-I(Economics)-30 seats
		<p><b>NOTE:</b> 1. The College will pay salary to the NET qualified teachers as per UGC norm and ₹25,800/- per month to those where UGC-NET qualified teachers are not available.</p> <p>2. The college shall appoint one D.P.E. on regular basis as per PU/UGC norms before the start of next academic session i.e. 2012-2013.</p>
3.	Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College for Women, Dasuya Distt. Hoshiarpur (Punjab)	(i) B.Sc.-III (Non-Medical)-80 seats (ii) B.Sc.-III(Computer Science) and (iii) M.A.-I (Political Science)-40 seats
		<p><b>NOTE:</b> 1. The College will pay salary to the NET qualified teachers as per UGC norm and ₹25,800/- per month to those where UGC-NET qualified teachers are not available.</p> <p>2. The College must appoint 6 teachers on regular basis for B.Sc.-III (Computer Science) as recommended by the Inspection Committee in its report, during the current session, failing which, the College not be allowed to make admissions in B.Sc.-I (Computer Science) from the session 2012-13. The case for grant of temporary extension of affiliation in M.A.-I (English) is kept pending until the College appoints three teachers on regular basis.</p>

- (xv) The Vice-Chancellor, subject to and in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate/Senate has granted temporary affiliation to new proposed College namely- Mata Sahib Kaur Girls College, Talwandi Bhai, Distt. Ferozepur for B.A.-I with subjects of English (C & E), Punjabi (C & E), Hindi, Economics, Political Science, History, Sociology, Physical Education and Computer Applications for the Academic session 2011-2012, subject to fulfillment of the conditions as listed in the Inspection Report dated 22.8.2011 (**Appendix-XXXVIII**), with the condition that the College will follow the other instructions/guidelines of the Panjab University/UGC/Punjab Government.

**NOTE:** 1. The College will pay salary to the NET qualified teachers as per UGC norms and ₹25,800/- per month to those where UGC-NET qualified teachers are not available.

2. The College will appoint the Assistant Professors on regular basis as per PU/UGC norms in the subjects of English, Political Science, Sociology, Physical Education, Mathematics, History and Economics latest by 15.10.2011.

**(xvi)** The Vice-Chancellor, subject to and in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate/Senate and grant of NOC from the Punjab Government has granted temporary extension of affiliation to the following Colleges w.e.f. the session 2011-12 for the courses/subjects mentioned against each in the column 4 in accordance with the recommendations of the Inspection Committee/s (**Appendix-XXXIX**) with the condition that the College will follow the other instructions/guidelines of the Panjab University/ Punjab Government:

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name of the College</b>	<b>Courses/Subject applied for</b>	<b>Recommendations of the Inspection Committee</b>
<b>1.</b>	<b>2.</b>	<b>3.</b>	<b>4.</b>
1.	Guru Nanak Khalsa College for Women, Gujarkhan Campus, Model Town, Ludhiana	(i) B.C.A-II (2 <sup>nd</sup> Unit) (ii) P.G. Diploma in Mass Communication	<b>Recommended for (i) and (ii)</b>
2.	National College For Women, Machhiwara, Distt. Ludhiana.	(i) B.C.A-I,II and III (One Unit) (ii) B.A./B.Sc.-I, II, and III (Computer Science (One Unit) -E (iii) B.Com.-I (One Unit) (iv) PG Diploma in Fashion Designing (v) M.A.-I (Punjabi)	Recommended for (i) to (iv) <b>Regarding (v), the Principal of the College has withdrawn the course</b>
3.	Shree Atam Vallabh Jain College, Ludhiana-Jalandhar G.T, Road, Opposite Hotel Amaltas, Hussainpura, Distt Ludhiana	(i) B.Com- II(One Unit) (ii) BBA-II (One Unit) (iii) B.Sc-II (Fashion Designing)-40 seats (iv) B.Com-I (Additional One Unit i.e. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Unit)	<b>Recommended for (i) to (iv)</b>
4.	Tarawati Memorial Degree College, Bringali, Tehsil: Mukerian, Distt. Hoshiarpur	B.A-III (Computer Application)	<b>Recommended</b>
5.	Guru Teg Bahadur Khalsa College for Women, Dasuya, Distt. Hoshiarpur	M.A.-I (English)	

**NOTE:** (1) the College will pay Salary as per University Grants Commission Norms to NET cleared

teachers and ₹25,800/- to those where NET qualified teachers are not available.

- (2) the College must appoint 3 teachers on regular basis for M.A.-I (English) as recommended by the Inspection Committee in its report, within two months from the date of issue of this letter, failing which, the return of the students for the M.A.-I (English) shall not be accepted.

**(xvii)** The Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate/ Senate and grant of NOC from Punjab Govt., has granted extension of affiliation for M.A.-II (Punjabi) to Guru Nanak Khalsa College for Women, Shamchurasi, Distt. Hoshiarpur for the session 2010-11, with the condition that College will follow the other instructions/ guidelines of the Panjab University/ Punjab Govt.

**NOTE:** (1) the College will pay Salary as per University Grants Commission Norms to NET cleared teachers and ₹25,800/- to those where NET qualified teachers are not available.

- (2) the extension of affiliation for B.A.-II (Computer Application) shall be considered only after the College fulfills the conditions as imposed by the Inspection Committee in its report dated 24.04.2011 (**Appendix-XL**).

**(xviii)** The Vice-Chancellor, in anticipation of approval of the Syndicate/ Senate and grant of NOC from the Punjab Govt., has granted provisional extension of affiliation to Gujranwala Guru Nanak Khalsa College, Civil Lines, Ludhiana for (i) B.C.A.-I (2<sup>nd</sup> Unit), (ii) B.C.A.-II (2<sup>nd</sup> Unit), (iii) B.C.A.-III (iv) B.A.-III (Computer Science)-E, (v) B.Com.-II (3<sup>rd</sup> Unit) and (vi) B.Com.-III(3<sup>rd</sup> Unit) for the session 2010-11, subject to fulfillment of the conditions (if any) as listed in the Inspection Report dated 10.07.2010, 18.09.2010 and 05.03.2011 (**Appendix-XLI**) and with the condition that the College will follow the other instructions/guidelines of the Panjab University/ Punjab Govt.

**NOTE:** The College will pay Salary as per University Grants Commission Norms to NET cleared teachers and ₹25,800/- to those where NET qualified teachers are not available.

Referring to appointment of persons for various purposes, Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal suggested that the stop gap arrangement should be made for bare minimum period because if such persons allowed to continue for longer period and later on their services are regularized, the University would be deprived of the services of meritorious persons. About two years back, she had given this in writing also.

The Vice-Chancellor said that every recruitment in the University is made after following proper selection procedure.

**RESOLVED:** That the information contained in **Item 24 (R-(i) to R-(xviii)** on the agenda, be ratified.

**Routine and formal matters**

**25.** The following information contained in Items **I-(i) to I-(ii)** on the agenda was read out and noted, i.e. –

**(i)** The Vice-Chancellor, as authorized by the Syndicate (Para 5, dated 31.10.1984), has sanctioned retirement benefits to the following University employees:

Name of the employee and post held	Date of appointment	Date of retirement	Benefits sanctioned
Professor Ashvini Agrawal Department of Ancient Indian History Culture and Archaeology	27.04.1984	30.9.2011	Gratuity and Furlough as admissible under the University Regulations with permission to do business or serve elsewhere during the period of Furlough.

**NOTE:** The above is being reported to the Syndicate in terms of its decision dated 16.3.1991 (Para 16).

(ii) The Vice-Chancellor, as authorized by the Syndicate (Para 5, dated 31.10.1984), has sanctioned retirement benefits to the following University employees:

Sr. No.	Name of the Employee and post held	Date of appointment	Date of retirement	Benefits sanctioned
1.	Shri Milkhi Ram Assistant Registrar University School of Open Learning	25.07.1973	31.10.2011	Gratuity and Furlough as admissible under the University Regulations with permission to do business or serve elsewhere during the period of Furlough.
2.	Mrs. Lalita Arora Superintendent RTI & Add-on Cell	18.06.1977	31.10.2011	
3.	Mrs. Madhu Ahuja Superintendent Accounts Branch	29.05.1979	31.10.2011	
4.	Shri Puran Chand Security Guard University Business School	13.07.1983	30.09.2011	Gratuity as admissible under the University Regulations.
5.	Shri Sarup Chand Cleaner Construction Office	31.12.1965	31.10.2011	

**NOTE:** The above is being reported to the Syndicate in terms of its decision dated 16.3.1991 (Para 16).

After decisions on the agenda items were taken, the members started general discussion.

(1) Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma stated that the amendment in Regulations regarding enhancement in age of superannuation of University teachers from 60 years to 65 years sent to the Government of India should be pursued.

(2) On a point raised by Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath that the Regulations/Rules framed by him for sending and taking persons on deputation were accepted by the Syndicate dated 29.8.2011, but the decision had been recorded that the draft proposal be put before a Committee to be constituted by the Vice-Chancellor.

The Vice-Chancellor said that, earlier, a Committee, under the chairmanship of Shri Sada Nand, Fellow, was constituted to frame the Rules for sending and taking persons on deputation, the Committee's recommendations are awaited. Therefore, as decided in the previous meeting of the Syndicate, a new Committee would be constituted for the purpose.

- (3) Shri H.S. Lucky suggested that some award/scholarship should be instituted in the name of Padma Bhushan Shri G.P. Chopra, who was an eminent educationist.

**The Vice-Chancellor said that the matter would be examined through a Committee.**

- (4) Dr. D.P.S. Randhawa stated that one of the students, Mr. Sandeep, of M.Sc. Human Genome, who had reappear in 1<sup>st</sup> year, is not being promoted to 2<sup>nd</sup> year whereas promotions of certain students had been made in similar cases. He handed over the representation of Mr. Sandeep to the Vice-Chancellor on the floor of the House along with documentary proof. He pleaded that the representation of the candidate should be considered favourably.

- (5) Dr. D.P.S. Randhawa stated that four seats in B.Sc. (Biochemistry) are lying vacant as the candidates who had been admitted against these seats were neither attending the classes nor applied for refund of fees. He, however, said that there is a provision of cancellation of admission if the students did not attend 33% of the lectures delivered during the first 10 days.

**The Vice-Chancellor said that the matter would be looked by the Dean, College Development Council.**

- (6) Dr. D.P.S. Randhawa remarked that the democratic system prevalent in the Syndicate and Senate is given by the Britishers and the same is the best system. He pleaded that this system should be continued; otherwise, it would meet the fate of Punjabi and Guru Nanak Dev Universities. Secondly, the persons should not be snubbed from speaking; otherwise, a wrong message would go outside.

The Vice-Chancellor said that here everybody is free to express his/her views.

- (7) Principal Hardiljit Singh Gosal stated that in the previous meeting of the Syndicate, (i) on the appointment of Controller of Examinations, it was decided to constitute a four-member Committee of Syndics, but the decision had been mentioned something else; (ii) the enrolment fee for becoming a voter for the Registered Graduates' Constituency was never agreed to be enhanced; and (iii) the Vice-Chancellor had not expressed his reservation on the issue grant of pension (Item 21).

The Vice-Chancellor said that the correction in the proceedings for not increasing the enrolment fee for becoming a voter for the Registered Graduates' Constituency would be made. Further, he (Vice-Chancellor) did express his reservation by raising hand on the said item, particularly when Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma had thanked all the members and tried to do so to the Vice-Chancellor also (who objected).

- (8) Shri A.S. Bedi stated that his dissent on the approval of appointment of Registrar in the previous meeting should be recorded in detail and he has written to the Registrar on these

lines. Secondly, presently no official is looking after the reservation of accommodation in the University Guest House, Golden Jubilee Hall and Faculty House. Thirdly, though the Vice-Chancellor had not expressed his reservation on the pension item, now he had said that he did express his reservation on the item, they accept it.

The Vice-Chancellor said that for the time being the charge of University Guest House, Golden Jubilee Hall and Faculty House, had been given to Deputy Registrar (Secrecy). The assigning of job relating to reservation to any one should be left to the Administration.

- (9) Dr. Dharinder Tayal stated that in the proceedings of the previous meeting of the Syndicate the statement of the Vice-Chancellor had not been mentioned in response of the issue raised by him, i.e. that the candidates, who had done Ph.D. under the old Regulations, should be made eligible for the post of Assistant Professor without UGC NET as had been done in case of candidates, who had done Ph.D. under the new U.G.C. Regulations 2009.

The Vice-Chancellor said that the University could not go beyond the conditions imposed by the U.G.C.

Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath stated that, in fact, the language is that 'those who are/or obtained Ph.D. degrees under 2009 Regulations are exempted from U.G.C. NET. Those who have been enrolled/registered under the old Regulations and obtained Ph.D. degree under those Regulations shall be exempted from NET. Earlier, degrees of M.A. Arts of Pracheen Kala Kendra were cancelled by the University, but the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India had observed that Syndicate is not a body to obliterate the degrees *de facto/de jure* to a person who had obtained the degree under the law. Under Section 22 of the UGC Act, degrees awarded to the candidates could not be cancelled subsequently even if the U.G.C. say that the University/College is established unconstitutionally.

Continuing, Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath suggested that if no clarification is received from the U.G.C. within a period of one month, the University should go ahead and should not declare any candidate ineligible. He further said that even if candidate obtained the degree by the date of interview, the same had to be considered.

Dr. Dharinder Tayal said that on the decision quoted by Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath 'those who are/or obtained ....., he would provide the copy of the gazette notification.

The Vice-Chancellor informed that the result of three selections made by the University had already been sealed by the Court.

- (10) Dr. DharinderTayal stated that no Committee had been formed to consider a Resolution proposed by him.

The Vice-Chancellor informed that a Committee had been formed and the mover of the Resolution is a member of the said Committee.

- (11) Dr. Dharinder Tayal said that certain persons were appointed Senior Lecturers at Dr. Harvansh Singh Judge Institute of Dental Sciences & Hospital. After 5 years service, they are eligible for promotion as Reader. He pleaded that they should be promoted.

The Vice-Chancellor said that the problem was that the persons working in Dr. Harvansh Singh Judge Institute of Dental Sciences & Hospital wanted that they should be given the benefits of U.G.C., Dental Council of India and AICTE. In fact, the benefits of only one national body could be extended to them. He added that the persons working at Dr. Harvansh Singh Judge Institute of Dental Sciences & Hospital are getting more salary than allowed by the U.G.C.

Continuing, Dr. Dharinder Tayal said that certain posts of Dr. Harvansh Singh Judge Institute of Dental Sciences & Hospital were advertised in 2008 and whose validity was extended time and again, the interviews for the said posts be conducted at the earliest.

The Vice-Chancellor said that interviews would be held in due course.

Dr. Dharinder Tayal enquired whether the score in API is for publication of research paper/s or acceptance of research paper/s for publication.

Shri Gopal Krishan Chatrath said that score in API is for acceptance of research paper/s for publication.

The Vice-Chancellor said that API score is awarded for publication of research paper/s and not for acceptance of research paper/s for publication. However, a Committee has been constituted to prepare guidelines on the issue.

- (12) On a point raised by Dr. Dharinder Tayal that a SC physically handicapped person, who knows carpentry, should be appointed as such, the Vice-Chancellor said that the person concerned had been appointed as Helper.
- (13) Principal S.S. Randhawa stated that B.Sc. (Agriculture) course is being offered at Government College, Hoshiarpur, but this year admission to this course had not been made. The College should be allowed to make admission next year.
- (14) On the suggestion made by Principal S.S. Randhawa, it was –

**RESOLVED:** That the rates of road mileage journey by own car/taxi in connection with University work be enhanced from Rs.8/- p.k.m. to **Rs.9/- p.k.m.** after approval by the Senate.

- (15) Principal S.S. Randhawa stated that Inspection Committees are visiting various affiliated Colleges. The Inspection Committees which had visited Sadbhavna College of Education, Jalaldiwal – Raekot (Ludhiana) had pointed out various discrepancies in the fulfillment of conditions laid by the earlier Committees and one of the Committees had recommended that this College should be disaffiliated as the College is totally violating the Regulations of the University. Their Committee again visited the College and recommended that the intake of seats of the College should be reduced from 200 to 100, but no action had been taken by the University. He demanded that an enquiry should be instituted against the corrupt officials.

Responding to the issues raised by Principal S.S. Randhawa, Dean, College Development Council, stated that the basic issue of concern to him was the refusal of the Colleges of Education to furnish the mandatory proforma giving details about the infrastructure, the faculty – its nature of appointment whether regular/ temporary/*ad hoc*/ guest faculty and the total number of seats sanctioned for admission, etc., in the absence of which the admission process could not be undertaken/ regulated centrally. In order to check and curb the referred defiance, a three member Committee had been appointed to inspect the Colleges on the said issues whereupon the College authorities complied with the requirement of the mandatory proforma and submitted the same to the University. The report of the Inspection Committee also favoured the grant of affiliation as this College – Sadbhavna College of Education, Jalaldiwal – Raekot, fulfilled all the conditions necessary for grant of affiliation.

Principal S.S. Randhawa enquired as to why the third Committee has been sent to inspect the College when the earlier Committee of which he was a member had recommended disaffiliation of the College.

To this, the Dean, College Development Council, said that this was necessitated because the College had claimed having complied with all the shortcomings, which were to be verified by third Committee. The report of the third Committee found the compliance report in order and recommended grant of affiliation.

To this, Principal S.S. Randhawa alleged that even the members of the Committees and officials of College Branch were involved in accepting gratifications from the Colleges seeking affiliation/extension of affiliation, etc.

Taking a strong objection to this observation of Principal Randhawa, the Dean, College Development Council vociferously opposed the imputation of motives to the Hon<sup>ble</sup> members of the Inspection Teams and further said that he was morally bound to accept the reports of the Inspection Team in good faith and had absolutely no reason to doubt the integrity of any member of the Inspection Team. He also stated that should Principal Randhawa detail anything to the contrary, he (Dean) undertook to investigate the matter if the corroborative evidence was provided by him (Principal Randhawa).

The Vice-Chancellor said that as Principal Randhawa had levelled serious allegations against the members of the Committee, which amounted to financial corruption, he should submit an affidavit along with supporting evidence so that an enquiry could be conducted and, if need be, matter be given to Police.

At this point, Principal Randhawa said that he had levelled charges of corruption against the officials of the University alone and not against the members of the Committee, to which the Vice-Chancellor said that in such an event the issue is all the more serious and calls for a probe only if Principal Randhawa submits the details thereof in the form of an affidavit so that the alleged malaise can be not only checked, but also routed out permanently from the University.

Shri A.S. Bedi stated that he along with other members had inspected Sadbhavna College of Education on 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2011. The Committee found everything in order. The earlier Committees had also not found anything wrong.

Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal said that if they really wanted to unearth the truth, interviews of students, teachers and former Principal should be taken on the issue.

**RESOLVED:** That the Committee, comprising Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal, Dr. D.P.S. Randhawa and Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma, be constituted to look into all the reports pertaining to Sadbhavna College of Education. The Committee should visit the College and listen to the students, teachers and former Principal/s. Thereafter, the Committee should make the recommendations.

(16) Shri A.S. Bedi stressed that the wrong information given to the Inspection Committee by Guru Gobind Singh College, Malout, about its land should be enquired. In fact, the College had land somewhere else and shown the land to the Inspection Committee at somewhere else. He also said that the enquiry instituted by the Punjab Government is also pending against the said College.

(17) Principal S.S. Randhawa pleaded that all the University employees, including re-employed, should be allowed to keep University accommodation for at least six months after retirement.

The Vice-Chancellor said that permission to retain the University accommodation after retirement is given as per provisions of the University Calendar.

(18) Principal S.S. Randhawa pleaded that the D.P.Es., who had been designated as Lecturer, should be given the voting right.

(19) On a point raised by Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal, the Vice-Chancellor said that the University had identified 15 orphans and blinds, who would be given totally free education.

- (20) Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal suggested that the University should make a time frame for completing all the formalities for all the events. She pointed out that though the counselling for admission to M.Ed. had started, the University did not provide timely legal aid to them and they faced a lot of difficulties in settling various issues. If the admission Committee did not have acted promptly, there might have been a contempt of Court.

To this, the Vice-Chancellor said that Professor V.K. Bansal was appointed to assist the University in the counselling for admission to M.Ed. course.

- (21) Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal said that, in an earlier meeting of the Syndicate, it was decided that the University should explore the possibility of award of dual degrees simultaneously, but no progress had been made on the issue so far.

It was clarified that a clarification has been sought from the U.G.C. regarding award of dual degrees to a student simultaneously.

- (22) On a clarification sought by a member, the Vice-Chancellor said that if a superannuated person appointed as Visiting Professor and stay in the University for a month, he would be entitled to T.A. and accommodation at the University and at an honorarium for the delivery of lecture would be made in accordance with the University rules & regulations governing payment on lecture basis as delivered by him.

**RESOLVED:** That the Vice-Chancellor be authorized to fix lecture basis emoluments for the Visiting Professors, on behalf of the Syndicate.

- (23) On pointing out by Principal Hardiljit Singh Gosal that nothing had been done on the point made by him on the issue tempering of proceedings of the Selection Committee meeting conducted at Guru Govind Singh Degree College, Gidderbaha, the Vice-Chancellor requested the already constituted Committee comprising Dr. D.P.S. Randhawa and Ms. Jasvir Kaur Chahal, to examine the issue early.

- (24) Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma said that, earlier, provisions of Regulation 11.1 were imposed on S.P.M. College, Mukerian and the College had approached the Court. Till date, no reply had been filed by the University in the Court. In fact, the provisions of Regulation 11.1 were imposed after getting a comprehensive report of a Committee. The College had only a few approved teachers. Had the report of Bahia Committee been implemented, the situation would have been entirely different.

- (25) Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma said that anarchy is prevailing in Homoeopathic College, Sector 26, Chandigarh. Even the promotions of teachers had been effected by the Society by violating the Regulations/Rules of the University.

The Vice-Chancellor said that even Shri Dhanwantry Ayurvedic College and Hospital, Sector 46-B, Chandigarh, had

been allowed to make admissions by the Court despite there being no clearance by the AYUSH. AYUSH had clearly said that the College had to follow the Regulations/Rules of the affiliating University.

Reflecting on the issue further, the Dean, College Development Council stated that the genesis of this problem is rooted in the two parallel governing bodies of the College, which always act independently and vie with each other to force their writ on the University. The office of College Development Council is flooded with all such multiple and multifarious decisions of the two warring factions of the management, whereupon the Dean directed the office of College Development Council to seek categoric clarifications from the Principal of the College with regard to the status of the management. The reply is still awaited. However, the issue of promotion raised by Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma has been actually taken care of by the Dean, College Development Council and the Principal of the College has been directed to explain under which rules and regulations of the CCIM these promotions have been effected unilaterally? This direction has been necessitated because the CCIM prohibits all such promotions as there is no policy in existence with the CCIM in this regard and also it has been laid by the CCIM that in the absence of such a promotion policy, the promotion policy of the affiliated University shall be followed.

- (26) Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma said that the interview for the post of Director-Principal of Dr. Harvansh Singh Judge Institute of Dental Sciences & Hospital should be expedited.

The Vice-Chancellor said that he was on the job.

- (27) Dr. Rabinder Nath Sharma said that the recommendations of the Committee regarding election of Senate from Registered Graduates' Constituency had been considered by the Syndicate in its previous meeting. It should be clarified whether the enrolment fee approved was Rs.15/- or Rs.20/-.

The Vice-Chancellor said that a Committee has been constituted to review the entire issue.

A.K. Bhandari  
Registrar

Confirmed

**R.C. SOBTI**  
**VICE-CHANCELLOR**