Thakur College of Science & Commerce [Autonomous]

(Academic Year 2020 – 2021)

Meeting of College Development Committee (CDC)

Date: 11th July 2020 (Saturday)

Time: 4.00 p. m.
Source: Google Meet

Minutes:

The 1st meeting of College Development Committee for the Academic Year 2020- 2021 commenced at 4:00 p.m. through Google Meet in presence of the listed members. Principal welcomed everyone and asked Dr. Vinit Vaidya (Staff Secretary) to head the meeting.

Shri. V. K. Singh, Shri. Jitendra Singh and Mr. & Mrs. Khatri had conveyed about their Leave of Absence due to some prior commitments.

Agenda wise points were discussed as below:

1. Confirmation of minutes of the earlier meeting held on 14th March 2020:

Minutes of the earlier meeting of CDC held on 14th March 2020 at 11.00 a.m. in the Conference Room were confirmed by the members unanimously.

2. Adoption of the policies and strategies by the College due to shift from offline to online mode of working for Academic Year 2020 - 2021:

Members were informed that TCSC has started academics via Virtual Classrooms from 11th June 2020 after conducting various meetings and training the faculty. Students are enjoying this way of learning and parents are also appreciating.

Dr. Farooqi & Dr. Mantri were of the opinion that:

- There should be one common platform for LMS.
- Each lecture should be stored so that no one misses the lecture.
- Learner should get advantage of attending lecture at their space & time.
- Lecture sessions should be interactive. Some question answer sessions should be there in between the lecture so that we come to know whether the learner is actually attending the lecture.

3. Income & Expenditure statement of Academic Year 2019 – 2020:

There were some corrections related to the terminologies were suggested by the members. (A copy is attached).

4. Budget for Academic Year 2020 - 2021:

An Income and Expenditure statement for Academic Year 2019 - 2020 & Budget for Academic Year 2020 - 2021 was presented before the members. They suggested some changes in the statement and the final copy of the accepted budget is attached along with.

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5. Fee Structure of various programmes for Academic Year 2020 - 2021:

The members were informed that initially it was decided to increase the fees for academic year 2020- 2021 but due to Covid-19, the management decided not to increase the Fees and Fees are collected Semester wise & also learners are allowed to pay them Installment wise.

6. Declaration of the Results of First- & Second-Year level Students for Academic Year 2019 - 2020:

The results of First- & Second-Year Students for Academic Year 2019 - 2020 were presented before the members.

The Results were declared as per the Rules of Assessment & Evaluation given by the Mumbai University. Dr. Mantri opined that the Autonomous Institutes have Assessment & Evaluation authority so they should not depend on the University for the same.

A Resolution should be passed in Academic Council about the Result Declaration.

7. Admission of the Students at Second- & Third-Year Levels for Academic Year 2020 - 2021:

The members were satisfied with the progress in the admissions and commented that if so many students are taking admission in spite of pandemic situation then it is good sign and proves the brand value of the College. (A separate sheet is attached)

8. Implementation of New Programmes - B. Com (International Accountancy), B. Com (Honors), B. Com (Actuarial Studies), B.Sc. (Actuarial Science) and Vedant (Credit Course of 30 Hours) for Academic Year 2020 - 2021:

Following Teachers have been appointed as the Coordinator for various programmes:

Sr. No.	Name of the Programme	Name of the Coordinator
1	B. Com. (Honors)	Mr. Manoj L. Mishra
2	B. Com. (International Accountancy & Finance)	Ms. Rakhee Pathak
3	B. Com. (Actuarial Studies)	Dr. Gulab Nibrad
4	B. Sc. (Actuarial Science)	
5	Certificate Course in Vedant	Mr. Akshay Gawande

College has proposed above mentioned programmes to be started from the academic year 2020 - 2021.

Dr. Mantri has opined that TCSC should think of introducing Courses that other Colleges don't have.

He also suggested for 'B. Com Honors', College should collaborate with the CA Institute. They should first validate the Syllabus. This would add weightage to the Course.

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9. Achievements of the Staff and Students in the Academic Year 2019 - 2020:

Members were informed about various achievements of Staff & Students in academic, co – curricular and extra – curricular activities.

Dr. Mantri insisted that the research papers should published in good Journals.

10. Any other matter with the permission of Chair.

1) Dr. Mantri & Dr. Farooqi believed the moment an Institute gets Autonomy, it gets Freedom. One should not wait for the commencement date to be declared from the University.

An Autonomous Institute can commence their lectures, conduct exams, declare results as per their Academic Calendar.

- 2) Dr. Farooqi advised that Case Studies should be a part of B. Com Professional Courses.
- 3) It was suggested that the College should have 5 Years' Prospective Plan to improve the quality of the College in Autonomy.
- 4) Members have asked for the Report on 'what are the Changes made in the College after getting Autonomy' in the next CDC Meeting.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks by Dr. Santosh Singh (IQAC COORDINATOR).

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Member Secretary, CDC