

ABSTRACT

Higher Education – Establishment of Post Graduate Centres in Perambalur, Erode, Kanniyakumari, Dharmapuri and Virudhunagar Districts through Universities concerned – Orders – Issued.

Higher Education (H2) Department

G.O.(Ms) No.76

Announcement made in the Demand No.20, Higher Education Department for the year 2012-2013.

ORDER:-

In the Budget Demand No.20, Higher Education Department, the Hon'ble Minister for Higher Education among other announcement made the following announcement for 2012-2013 in the floor of Tamil Nadu Assembly on 17.04.2012:-

"தற்பொழுது முதுகலை பட்ட மேற்படிப்பு படிக்கும் மாணவர்களின் எண்ணிக்கை கணிசமாக உயர்ந்திருப்பதை கருத்திற் கொண்டு பெரம்பலூர், ஈரோடு, கன்னியாகுமரி, விருதுநகர் மற்றும் தர்மபுரி ஆகிய 5 மாவட்டங்களில் பட்ட மேற்படிப்பு விரிவாக்க மையங்கள் பல்கலைக்கழகங்களின் எல்லைக்குள் துவங்க மாண்புமிகு முதலமைச்சர் அவர்கள் ஆணையிட்டுள்ளார்கள். இவ்விரிவாக்க மையங்கள் ஆராய்ச்சி படிப்பிற்கு தேவைப்படும் ஆய்வுக்கூடங்களை உள்ளடக்கியதாக இருக்கும். மேலும் மாணவர்களின் மேற்படிப்பு கனவை நனவாக்கி ஆராய்ச்சி படிப்பு மேற்கொள்ள ஊக்கமளிக்கும் வகையில் இம்மையங்கள் செயல்படும் ".

2. Knowledge is the resource for global competitiveness. The processes of Liberalization, Privatization and Globalization (LPG), along with technological revolution have strengthened the significance of a knowledge based society. In order to realize India's aspirations to become knowledge super power, the country requires highly specialized human capital to create, share, use and manage knowledge. Higher education and its effectiveness are universal issues which have a bearing on the development or under development of a country. Therefore, the educational system that produces this universal product of higher education assumes considerable significance. The demand for highly skilled workers is increasing, especially in the context of globalization, leading to better employment opportunities and enhanced wages for the university graduates. This has a direct influence on the demand for higher education as reflected through the gross enrolment ratio. With the advent of globalization, emergence of IT and ICT and the expanding perspectives of Service Industries and Media Studies. The demand for post graduation has increased for various subjects, particularly for want of teaching post in the schools and availability of good income jobs in the IT sectors. Universities are frequently conducting placement offers for the students. statistics shows that almost graduate students are getting offers in the IT sector. The demand for PG student is still higher.

3. The Government after careful consideration, ensuring both quality and quantity in Higher Education, and considering the rural and poor students who have obtained their U.G. degree will get benefit from the P.G. Extension Centres, decided to establish PG Extension Centres with High Tech Laboratories in the following area under the jurisdiction of the respective university:-

	Location of the Extension centre		Name of the University
1.	Perambalur	-	Bharathidasan University.
2.	Erode	-	Bharathiar University.
3.	Kanniyakumari	-	Manonmaniam Sundaranar
4.	Dharmapuri	-	University. Periyar University.
5.	Virudhunagar	-	Madurai Kamaraj University

The above said Extension centres shall offer academic courses as detailed in the annexure to this order.

- 4. Government also direct that the expenditure on the above said Extension centres be met by the University concerned out of its own sources without seeking grants from the Government.
- 5. The Government also direct that the guidelines in the Annexure to this order further be followed while establishing the PG Extension Centres with High Tech Laboratories by the concerned universities as above invoking usual procedure.
- 6. The Registrar of the respective university shall take the immediate steps for establishing the above PG Centres and intimate the stage to the Government,
- 7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.24045/Edn-1/2012, dated 10.05.2012.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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The Vice-Chancellor of the respective Universities.

The Registrar of the respective Universities.

The Director of Collegiate Education, Chennai.

The Accountant General, Chennai-18,

The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai – 35.

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<u>ANNEXURE</u>

ANNEXURE to G.O.Ms.No.76, Higher Education (H2) Department, dated 25.05.2012

To start with, the Universities can offer 5 courses based on UG courses opened in the area under the jurisdiction of the University. These centres can also be equipped with High Tech Laboratories which may be used by students / faculty desirous of undertaking research. The rural student community who are studying around the PG Extension Centres shall have access to these High Tech Laboratories for their higher studies / Research purposes.

Bharathidasan University:

M.Sc Computer Science, M.Sc I.T, M.Sc Mathematics, M.Sc Bio- Technology and M.Sc Micro – Biology.

Bharathiar University:

M.A English, M.A Tamil, M.Sc Mathematics, M.B.A. (Master of Business Administration), M.C.A. (Master of Computer Applications) and M.Sc Textiles and Apparel Design.

Manonmaniam Sundaranar University:

M.A English, M.B.A, M.Sc. Mathematics, M.Sc. Computer Science and M.Sc. Biomedical Informatics.

Periyar University:

M.Sc. Computer Science, M.Sc. Physics, M.Sc. Mathematics, M.Sc. Geology and M.Sc. Bio- Technology.

Madurai Kamaraj University:

M.Sc Biology, M.Sc Energy, M.Sc Material Science, M.B.A. and M.Sc..Protection of Environment.

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