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Sir,

Sub: Categorization of Standalone Institutions for Grant of Graded Autonomy – Reg.

All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) is mandated to determine, promote and maintain the standards of Higher Education. It recognizes the need to create an enabling environment whereby Standalone Institutions can become institutions of Global excellence. Autonomy is pivotal in promoting and Institutionalising excellence in higher education and the regulatory framework needs to facilitate better performing institutes.

In order to grant graded autonomy to better performing Standalone Institutions, AICTE has issued Gazette Notification titled "All India Council for Technical Education (Categorization of Standalone Institutions for Grant of Graded Autonomy) Regulations, 2019.

The proposal received from **Vivekanand Education Society's Business School** under the above regulations has been examined and processed by the Expert Committee constituted by the Council on 07/10/2020. **As recommended by the committee, the Council has decided to grant Graded Autonomy to Vivekanand Education Society's Business School under Category 2 as per the provisions in the above regulations.** The standalone institution shall be now eligible for all the benefits as stipulated under **Clause 5** (Dimensions of Autonomy for Category-2 Standalone Institutions) of the regulations.

The Institution shall inform the Council about the benefits being implemented from the new academic session and shall submit an undertaking to the council on the adherence to Clause 9 (Mandatory Disclosure & Periodic Review of Autonomy) of the regulations.

The status of Graded Autonomy under Category 2 to **Vivekanand Education Society's Business School** is valid from 2020 to 24 subject to clause 5.6 of Regulations, 2019 i.e. "The institution should also mandatorily disclose the period of accreditation and its category status. Once the accreditation period is over the status of autonomy automatically stands withdrawn unless institute gets itself accredited". However, if there are complaints about noncompliance of AICTE norms, AICTE shall conduct inspection and after giving due opportunity for the institute to defend, take suitable action.

Yours Sincerely

(Prof Rajive Kumar)