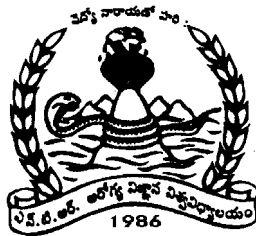


**NTR UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES ACT, 1986**  
(updated upto 31-12-2002)



The following Act of the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly received the assent of the Governor on the 5th April, 1986 and the said assent is hereby first published on the 7th April, 1986 in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette for general information:-

**ACT No. 6 Of 1986**

An Act to provide for the establishment and incorporation of a Teaching and Affiliating University in the State of Andhra Pradesh for the purpose of ensuring Efficient and Systematic Education, Training and Research on the Allopathic and Indian Systems of Medicine, Dentistry, Pharmacy and Nursing.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Andhra Pradesh in the Thirty-Seventh Year of the Republic of India as follows:-

**CHAPTER-1**

**Preliminary**

1. (1) This Act may be called the AP University of Health Sciences Act, 1986. [The name of the University of Health Sciences Act, 1986 was amended as “NTR University of Health Sciences AP Act, 1986” vide Act No.4 of 1998. The Change of the name came into effect from 2nd February, 1998 as notified vide G.O.Ms.No.24, dt. 24-1-98]
- (2) It extends to the whole of the State of Andhra Pradesh.
- (3) It shall come into force on such date as the Government may, by notification in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette, appoint. (In G.O.Ms.No. 661, HM & FW (E1) Dept., dated 13-10-86 the Government notified that the Governor of Andhra Pradesh assented the 1st day of November, 1986 as the date on which the said Act shall come into force – copy enclosed as Annexure-I)
2. In this Act, and in all Statutes, Ordinances and Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires:-
- “Academic Senate” means the Academic Senate of the University;
  - “affiliated college” means a college affiliated to the University as providing courses of study qualifying students for admission to University examinations in accordance with the regulations prescribed;
  - “appointed date” means the date appointed under subsection(3) of section-1;
  - “approved institution” means a hospital, health centre or such other institution recognised by the University as an institution in which a person may undergo training, if any, required by a course of study before the award of any medical qualification by the University;
  - “Authority” means any authority of the University specified in section 18;
  - “Centre” means a centre established by the Executive Council;
  - “College” means a college established and maintained by, associated with or recognised by the University;
  - “Dean” means the dean of a faculty;

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**Definitions**

\* The act No.4 of 1998 and the G.O.Ms.No.24, HM&FW Dept., Dt.24-1-98 are provided for reference at Annexure X & XI.

- i) “department” means a Department of a College established by the Executive Council;
- j) “government” means the State Government of Andhra Pradesh;
- k) “health science” means the modern and Indian Systems of Medicine in all their branches concerning preventive, promotive, curative and rehabilitative services;
- l) “hostel” means unit of residence for the students of the University maintained or recognised by the University in accordance with the conditions prescribed;
- m) “Indian Systems of Medicine” include Ayurveda, Unani, Homoeopathy, Naturopathy, Yoga and such other disciplines as may be prescribed;
- n) “institution” means an academic institution, not being a college, maintained by the University;
- o) “modern medicine” means allopathic medicine inclusive of dental medicine, dealing with different subjects in non-clinical, para-clinical and clinical specialities and includes training of para-medical personnel at the collegiate level in Nursing, Genetics, Bio-medical and Public Health Engineering.
- p) “notification” means a notification published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette and the word “notified” shall be construed accordingly;
- q) “prescribed” means prescribed by the Statutes, Ordinances or Regulations;
- r) “Principal” means the head of a college or an institution;
- s) “Registrar” means the Registrar of the University;
- t) “schedule” means the Schedule appended to this Act;
- u) “student” means a person who is enrolled for studies in one of the Colleges or Centres of the University and pursues studies by attending the prescribed courses;
- v) “teacher” includes Professors, Readers and Lecturers in a College and such other persons giving instruction in a college or institution as may be declared by the Statutes;
- w) “University” means the NTR University of Health Sciences established under section 3;
- x) “University Campus” means the area comprised with in such limits of the Headquarters of the University as may, from time to time, be notified by the Government in Andhra Pradesh Gazette;
- y) “University College” means a college established or maintained by the University including the hospital attached thereto and providing courses of study qualifying students for admission to University examinations in accordance with the regulations prescribed.

## CHAPTER-II THE UNIVERSITY

- 3 (1) There shall be constituted in and for the State of Andhra Pradesh a University by the name of the NTR University of Health Sciences which shall consist of a Chancellor, a Vice-Chancellor, a Rector, if any, an Executive Council and an Academic Senate. **The University**
  - (2) The Headquarters of the University shall be at such place in the State as may be notified by the Government and it may establish campuses at such other places within the State as it may deem fit. (In G.O.Ms.No.662, HM & FW (E1) Dept., dt. 13-10-86 the Government notified that the Governor of Andhra Pradesh declared that the headquarters of the University shall be at Vijayawada. copy enclosed as Annexure-II.)
  - (3) The University shall be a teaching and affiliating University.
  - (4) The University shall be a body corporate, having perpetual succession and a common seal and shall sue and be sued by the said Corporate name.
  - (5) In all suits and other legal proceedings by or against the University, the pleadings shall be signed and verified by the Registrar and all processes in such suits and proceedings shall be issued to and served on the Registrar.
- 4) The objects of the University shall be
    - i) to maintain a uniform curriculum in all the institutions affiliated to it;
    - ii) to conduct a common entrance examination to the courses in all the institutions affiliated thereto; and;
    - iii) to improve the standards of Medical Education including Research.**Objects of the University.**
- 5) The University shall have the following powers and functions, namely:-
    - a) to formulate and maintain uniform curriculum and system of examinations for all the Medical Colleges in the respective systems of medicine and other institutions;
    - b) to conduct a common entrance examination for all the Medical Colleges in the respective systems of medicine, for the selection of students;**Powers and functions of the University.**

- c) to provide for instruction and training in such branches of medicine and allied sciences as may be considered suitable and to make provision for research and for the advancement and dissemination of knowledge in Health Sciences;
- d) to institute degrees, titles, diplomas, certificates and other academic distinctions and to provide instruction for such courses of study as it may determine;
- e) to develop, upgrade and start departments in the medical specialities, as may be required and to provide instruction for such courses of study, as it may determine;
- f) to confer degrees, titles, diplomas and other academic distinctions on persons who shall have carried out research in the University or in any other centre or institution recognised by the University under the conditions prescribed;
- g) to hold examinations and to confer honorary degrees or other distinctions under conditions prescribed;
- h) to prescribe conditions under which the award of any degree, title, diploma and other academic distinction may be withheld;
- i) to institute, maintain and administer University Colleges, hospitals and laboratories and institutes of research, libraries or other institutions necessary to carry out the objects of the University;
- j) to affiliate or recognise colleges and institutions and to withdraw such affiliation or recognition;
- k) to institute Professorships, Associate Professorships, Assistant Professorships, Lecturerships and other teaching or academic posts required by the University and to appoint persons to such posts;
- l) to supervise and control hostels and to regulate and enforce discipline among the students of the University and to make arrangements for promoting their health and general welfare;
- m) to cooperate with any other University, authority or association or any other public or private body within or outside India with purposes and objects similar to those of the University on such terms and conditions, as may, from time to time, be prescribed, in respect of such matters as may be agreed upon;
- n) to establish and maintain University libraries, research stations, museums and Press and Publication bureau;
- o) to establish research posts and appoint persons to such posts;
- p) to institute and award fellowships including travelling fellowships, scholarships, incentives and prizes in the manner prescribed;

- q) to establish, maintain or recognise hostels for students of the University and residential accommodation for the staff of the University and to withdraw any such recognition;
  - r) to fix fees and to demand and receive such fees as may be prescribed;
  - s) to hold and manage endowments, medals, prizes and other properties and funds of the University;
  - t) to undertake publication of works of merit and research pertaining to the Health Sciences;
  - u) to participate in National Cadet Corps training; and such other recognised courses of training;
  - v) to organise, encourage, regulate and control University Unions;
  - w) to maintain an employment bureau;
  - x) to enter into agreements with other bodies or persons for the purpose of promoting the objects of the University including the assuming of the management of any institution under them and the taking over of its rights and liabilities;
  - y) to manage and control all immovable and movable property transferred to the University on the appointed day or subsequent thereto and to apply it as trustee, subject to the provisions of and for the purposes of this Act; and
  - z) to do all such acts and things, whether incidental to the objects and powers aforesaid or not, as may be necessary or desirable to further the objects of the University;
- 6) 1) No Medical College in the State of Andhra Pradesh imparting education in health sciences shall, save with the consent of the University and the sanction of the Government be associated in any way with or seek admission to any privileges of any other University in India.
- 2) Any such privileges enjoyed from any other University before the appointed date by any Medical College or institution situated in the State of Andhra Pradesh shall be deemed to be withdrawn with effect from such date.
- 3) With effect on and from the appointed date, all colleges admitted to the privileges of the Andhra University, the Nagarjuna University, Sri Venkateswara University, the Osmania University, Sri Krishnadevaraya University and the Kakatiya University shall be deemed to have been admitted to the Privileges of the University.

**Jurisdiction and admission to privileges.**

**Admission to the University.** 7) 1) The University shall, subject to the provisions of this Act and the Statutes, be open to all persons irrespective of their religion, race, caste, sex, place of birth or any of them.

2) Nothing contained in sub-section (1) shall require the University:-

- a) to admit to any course of study any person who does not possess the prescribed academic qualification or standard;
- b) to retain on the rolls of the University any student whose academic record is below the minimum standard required for the award of a degree, title, diploma or other academic distinction; or
- c) to admit any person or retain any student whose conduct is prejudicial to the interests of the University or the rights and privileges of other students and Teachers.

**Transfer of affiliation of certain colleges and institutions to the university.**

8) 1) Notwithstanding anything in Andhra University Act 1925, Sri Venkateswara University Act, 1954, the Osmania University Act 1959, the Nagarjuna University Act, 1976, the Kakatiya University Act, 1976, and Sri Krishnadevaraya University Act, 1981, the colleges and institutions specified in the First Schedule shall, on and from the appointed date, be disaffiliated from the said Universities and there upon they shall be deemed to have been affiliated to the University.

2) Notwithstanding the disaffiliation of the colleges specified in the First Schedule from the respective Universities, it shall be competent for the Government to issue such directions as may be necessary for the conduct of the examinations and the declaration of results by the respective Universities so far as they relate to the current academic year and it shall also be competent for the Government to give such directions, from time to time, as would be necessary in the interest of the students, to meet any contingency that might arise, as a result of the disaffiliation of the institutions mentioned in the First Schedule.

3. a) the control and management of all the Medical Colleges, Teaching Hospitals, Dental Colleges, Nursing Colleges and Nursing Schools in the State, shall stand transferred to and vest in the Government and shall function under the administrative control of the Government, as affiliated and colleges of the University;

b) all the properties, assets and liabilities, rights and obligations in relation to such institutions and all obligations of the University in relation to them shall devolve upon the Government;

c) every officer or employee who immediately before such commencement was working in any such institution shall continue to work in such institution as its employee not withstanding that he exercised the option to be absorbed in the service of the University; and

d) every officer or employee of the Directorate of Medical and Health Services who immediately before such commencement was working on deputation with the University shall be deemed to be the employee of the Government not withstanding that he exercised the option to be absorbed in the services of the University.

Provided that the service rendered by any such officer or employee in the University prior to such commencement shall be deemed to be service under the Government and he shall be entitled to count that service for the purpose of increments, leave, pension, provident fund and gratuity”.

**Amendment of section 8 of UHS Act 1986 subsequent Amendment vide Act 1987 L.A.Bill No.19 of 1987 and subsequent Amendment vide Act No.15 of 2001.**

4. With effect on and from the commencement i.e., 22nd Day of December, 2000 the N.T.R. University of Health Sciences (Amendment) Act, 2001,-

(a) the control and management of the following institutions shall stand transferred to and vest in the Government and they shall function under the administrative control of the Government, as affiliated colleges of the University:-

1. Siddhartha Medical College, Vijayawada with attached Hospitals, namely:-

(a) University General Hospital, Vijayawada.

(b) University General Hospital, Mangalagiri.

(c) Mangalagiri Hospital, Mangalagiri.

(d) Rural Health Centre, Nimmakuru.

(e) S.V.R.K.M.Hospital, Vuyyuru.

(f) Yarlagadda Venkanna Chowdary Oncology Wing & Research Centre, Chinakakani, Guntur District.

2. University Dental College and Hospital, Vijayawada.

3. School of Nursing, Mangalagiri.

(b) all the properties, assets (except unfinished building and appurtenant land) and liabilities, rights and obligations in relation to the institutions as specified in clause (a) and all obligations of the University in relation to them shall devolve upon the Government.

(c) every regular officer or employee who immediately prior to such commencement was working in any of the institutions as specified in clause (a) shall continue to work on deputation as its employee till absorption; and

(d) all temporary employees who immediately prior to such commencement were working in any of these institutions as specified in clause (a) shall continue to work in the institutions in accordance with the relevant Government orders from time to time.

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\* The original Act of 1986 Chapter-II Section 8 (2) amended from time to time is incorporated and the earlier act provision and its subsequent amendment is provided for reference at Annexure III, V and XI.

Provided that the services rendered by any such officer or employee in the University prior to such commencement shall be deemed to be service under the Government and he / she shall be entitled to count that service for the purpose of increments, promotion, leave, pension, provident fund and gratuity.”

9) 1) The Government shall have the right to cause an inspection **Inspection and control.** to be made by such person or persons as they may direct, of the affairs and properties of the University, its buildings, laboratories, Libraries, Museums, Workshops and equipment, and of any college or institution maintained by the University, and also to cause an enquiry to be made into the teaching and other work conducted or done by the University, or in respect of any matter connected with the University. The Government shall in every case give notice to the University of their intention to cause such inspection or inquiry to be made and the University shall be entitled to be represented there at.

2) The Government shall forward to the Vice-Chancellor a copy of the inspection report for obtaining the views of the Executive Council and on receipt of such views, the Government may tender such advice as they consider necessary and fix a time limit for action to be taken by the University.

3) The Executive Council shall, within such time as the Government may fix, report to them through the Vice-Chancellor the action which has been taken or is proposed to be taken on the advice tendered by them.

4) The Government may, where action has not been taken by the University within the time fixed to their satisfaction, after considering any explanation furnished or representation made by the Executive Council issue such directions as they may think fit and the University shall comply with such directions.

**CHAPTER-III****OFFICERS OF THE UNIVERSITY****Officers**

**of the University** 10) The following shall be the Officers of the University.

- 1) The Chancellor ;
- 2) The Vice-Chancellor ;
- 3) The Rector, if any ;
- 4) The Deans of the faculties ;
- 5) The Registrar ;
- 6) The Finance Officer ; and
- 7) such other persons as may be declared by the Statutes to be the officers of the University.

**The****Chancellor.**

- 11) 1) The Governor of Andhra Pradesh shall be the Chancellor of the University. (Act No. 5 of 1990 as Annexure VII) .
- 2) The Chancellor, shall, by virtue of his office, be the head of the University.
- 3) The Chancellor, shall, when present, preside at the convocation of the University held at conferring degrees. He shall exercise such other powers and perform such other functions as may be conferred on or vested in him by or under the provisions of this Act.
- 4) The Chancellor, may by order in writing annul any proceedings of the University, which is not in conformity with the provisions of this Act, the Statutes, the Ordinances or the Regulations ;

Provided that before making any such order, he shall give a notice calling upon the University to show cause why such an order should not be made and if any cause is shown within the time specified there for, in the said notice, shall consider the same.

**The Vice-Chancellor**

- 12) 1) Vice-Chancellor shall be appointed by the Chancellor from out of a panel of names of distinguished educationalists in the field of medicine in the alphabetical order which shall not be less than three, but not more than five, suggested by a Committee consisting of -
  - i) a nominee of the Chancellor ;
  - ii) a nominee of the Government who shall also be the Convenor of the Committee ; and
  - iii) a nominee of the Executive Council ;

Provided that no employee of the University or member of any authority of the University shall be a member of the Committee.

- 2) The Vice-Chancellor shall be the principal executive and academic officer of the University and shall exercise general supervision and control over the affairs of the University and give effect to the decisions of all the authorities of the University.
- 3) The Vice-Chancellor may, if he is of opinion that immediate action is necessary on any matter, exercise any power conferred on any authority of the University by or under this Act and shall report to such authority the action taken by him on such matter ;

Provided that if the authority concerned is of opinion that such action ought not to have been taken, it may refer the matter to the Chancellor whose decision there on shall be final;

Provided further that any person in the service of the University who is aggrieved by the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor under this sub-section shall have the right to appeal against such action to the Executive Council within three months from the date on which the decision on such action is communicated to him and there upon the Executive Council may confirm, modify or reverse the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor.

- 4) The Vice-Chancellor shall exercise such other powers and perform such other functions as may be prescribed by the Statutes or Ordinances.

- 13) 1) The Rector shall be appointed by the Executive Council on the recommendation of the Vice-Chancellor and shall exercise such powers and discharge such duties as may be prescribed by the Statutes.
- 2) Where the Executive Council does not accept the recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor, the matter shall be referred to the Chancellor, whose decision thereon shall be final and binding on the Executive Council and the Vice-Chancellor.

**Rector**

**The Registrar.** 14) 1) The Registrar shall be a wholetime paid officer of the University appointed by the Executive Council on such terms as may be prescribed by the Statutes.  
2) The Registrar shall have the power to enter into agreements, sign documents and authenticate records on behalf of the University and shall exercise such other powers and discharge such other duties as may be prescribed by the Statutes.

**The Finance Officer.** 15) The Finance Officer shall be a whole time paid officer of the University appointed by the Executive Council from out of a panel of names suggested by the Government. He shall exercise such powers and discharge such duties as may be prescribed by the Statutes.

**Deans of faculties** 16) The manner of appointment and powers and duties of the Deans of Faculties and other officers of the University shall be such as may be prescribed by the Statutes.

**Conditions of service of the officers** 17) The salary and allowances payable to each of the officer specified in sections 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16 shall be such as may be prescribed by the Statutes.

**CHAPTER-IV  
AUTHORITIES OF THE UNIVERSITY**

**Authorities of the University.** 18) The following shall be the authorities of the University, namely:-  
i) The Executive Council ;  
ii) The Academic Senate ;  
iii) The Planning Board ;  
iv) The Finance Committee ;  
v) The Boards of Studies ; and  
vi) Such other bodies as the Statutes may declare to be authorities of the University.

**The Executive Council and it's powers and functions.** 19) 1) The Executive Council shall be the Principal executive body of the University.  
2) The constitution of the Executive Council and it's powers and functions shall be prescribed by the Statutes.

20) 1) The Academic Senate shall be the Principal academic body of the University and shall, subject to the Provisions of this Act, Statutes and Ordinances, co-ordinate and exercise general supervision over the academic policies of the University.  
2) The Constitution of the Academic Senate and it's powers and functions shall be prescribed by the Statutes.

21) 1) The Planning Board shall be the Principal Planning Body of the University and also be responsible for monitoring the development of the University on the lines indicated in the objects of the University.  
2) The constitution of the Planning Board and it's powers and functions shall be such as may be prescribed by the Statutes.

22) The constitution, powers and functions of the Finance Committee shall be prescribed by the Statutes.

23) There shall be Boards of Studies attached to each department of teaching and research. The constitution and powers of the Boards of Studies shall be such as may be prescribed by the Statutes.

24) Save as otherwise provided, the members of the Executive Council, Academic Senate and the Planning Board shall be reconstituted at or about the same time every three years and the members of these authorities shall except in the case of ex-officio members hold office as members thereof upto the date of next reconstitution.

25) The faculties of the University and their composition shall be such as may be prescribed by the Statutes.

**Term of office of members of the Executive council the academic Senate and the Planning Board.**

**The facilities**

**CHAPTER -V**  
**UNIVERSITY FUNDS, Etc.**

- General Fund.** 26) The University shall have a general fund to which shall be credited:-
- i) its income including the fees and endowment ;
  - ii) contributions or grants which may be made by the Government on such conditions as they may impose; and
  - iii) other contributions or grants.
- Constitution of other funds.** 27) The University shall have such other funds and maintain such accounts as the Executive Council may determine on the recommendation of the Finance Committee.
- Borrowing of money.** 28) The University may accept money from the Government of India; the State Government, the University Grants Commission and International Agencies like the World Health Organisation and also borrow money from a Bank or a Corporation for the purposes of the University ;
- Provided that where the University intends to borrow money from a Bank or a Corporation or both exceeding an amount of fifty thousand rupees at a time or in the aggregate, it shall obtain the prior written approval of the Government therefor.
- Certain restrictions in respect of financial matters.** 29) The University shall not without the prior approval of the Government, divert earmarked funds for other purposes, or upgrade any post or revise the scales of pay of its staff or implement any schemes which involve any matching contribution from the Government or create a post or posts resulting in recurring liability on the Government either immediately or in future ;
- Provided that the Executive Council may authorise the creation and filling up of posts of teachers for a period not exceeding one year but any such post or posts shall not be continued or created afresh for any period beyond the said period of one year without prior approval of the Government.

**CHAPTER - VI**

**STATUTES, ORDINANCES AND REGULATIONS**

- Statutes** 30) Subject to the provisions of this Act, the Executive Council shall have power to make statutes for all or any of the following matters, namely:-

- i) the holding of convocation to confer degrees;
- ii) the conferment of honorary degrees and academic distinctions;
- iii) the constitution, powers and functions of the authorities of the University;
- iv) the manner of filling vacancies among members of the authorities;
- v) the allowances to be paid to the members of the authorities and committees thereof;
- vi) the procedure at meetings of the authorities including the quorum for the transaction of business at such meetings;
- vii) the authentication of the orders of decisions of the authorities;
- viii) the formation of departments of teaching and research at the University;
- ix) the term of office and methods of appointment and conditions of service of the officers of the University other than the Chancellor; and Vice-Chancellor;
- x) the qualifications, classification, the method of appointment and determination of the terms and conditions of service of teachers and other persons employed by the University;
- xi) the institution of pension, gratuity, insurance or provident fund for the benefit of the officers, teachers and other persons employed by the University;
- xii) the institution of fellowships, travelling fellowships, Scholarships, studentships, bursaries, exhibitions, medals, incentives and prizes and the conditions of award thereof;
- xiii) the establishment and maintenance of halls and hostels;
- xiv) the conditions for residence of students of the University in the halls and hostels maintained by the University and the levy of fees and other charges for such residence;
- xv) the delegation of the powers vested in the authorities or officers of the University;
- xvi) the admission of the students of the University;
- xvii) the conditions of recognition of hostels not maintained by the University;
- xviii) the conditions and mode of appointment and duties of examining bodies and examiners;
- xix) the maintenance of discipline among the students of the University;
- xx) the fees to be charged for teaching, research and training;
- xxi) the procedure for arbitration in case of dispute between employees or students of the University;
- xxii) the procedure for appeals to the Executive Council by students against the action of any Officer or authority of the University;
- xxiii) the constitution, terms and references of the grievances committee for the employees and students of the University;



- xxiv) the participation of students and research scholars in the affairs of the University;
- xxv) the creation, composition and functions of any other body which is considered necessary for improving the academic life of the University; and
- xxvi) any other matter which is required to be or may be prescribed by the statutes;

**Statutes  
how  
made**

31) 1) The first statutes of the University are those set out in the Second Schedule.

- 2) The Executive Council may, from time to time, make new statutes or any statutes in addition to the first statutes referred to in sub-section (1) and may amend or repeal any statute including the first Statutes;

Provided that the Executive Council shall not make, amend or repeal any statute affecting the statute, power or constitution of any authority of the University until such authority has been given an opportunity of expressing an opinion in writing on the proposed changes, and any opinion so expressed shall be considered by the Executive Council.

- 3) Every new statute or addition to the statutes or any amendment or repeal of a statute shall require the approval of the Chancellor who may assent thereto or withhold assent there from or remit the same to the Executive Council for reconsideration.
- 4) A new statute or a statute amending or repealing an existing statute shall have no validity unless it has been assented by the Chancellor.
- 5) Not withstanding anything in the foregoing subsections the Chancellor may make new or additional statutes or amend or repeal the statute referred to in sub-section (1) during the period of three years immediately after the commencement of this Act;

Provided that the Chancellor may, on the expiry of the said period of three years make, within three years from the date of such expiry, such detailed statutes as he may consider necessary and such detailed statutes shall be laid before the Legislative Assembly of the State.

**Ordinance**

- 32) 1) The first Ordinances shall be made by the Vice-chancellor with the previous approval of the Government during the period of two years immediately after the commencement of this Act, and the Ordinances so made may be amended, repealed or added to at any time by the Executive Council in the manner prescribed by the Statutes.

2) Subject to the provisions of this Act, and the Statutes, the Ordinances may provide for all or any of the following matters, namely:-

- a) the admission of the students to the Colleges affiliated to the University and their enrolment as such;
- b) the courses of study to be laid down for all degrees, diplomas and certificates of the University;
- c) the award of degrees, diplomas, certificates and other academic distinctions, the qualification for the same and the means to be taken relating to the granting and obtaining of the same;
- d) the fees to be charged for courses of study in the Colleges affiliated to the University and for admission to the examinations, degree and diplomas of the University.
- e) the conditions for the award of fellowships, scholarships, studentships, medals and prizes;
- f) the conduct of examinations and other methods of evaluation, including the terms of office and appointment and the duties of examining bodies, examiners and moderators;
- g) the special arrangements, if any; which may be made for the residence, discipline, and teaching of women students and the prescribing of special courses of studies for them;
- h) the appointment and emoluments of teachers and other employees other than those for whom provision has been made in the statutes;
- i) the establishment of Centres of Studies ; Boards of Studies, special centres, specialised laboratories and other Committees;
- j) the terms and conditions of the recognition of institution of higher learning and its withdrawal;

- k) the terms and conditions on which persons working in any recognised institution or in any institution associated with the University may be recognised as teachers and for withdrawing such recognition.
- l) the manner of cooperation or collaboration or association with other Universities, authorities or institutions of higher learning;
- m) the creation, composition and functioning of any other body which is considered necessary for improving the academic life of the University;
- n) such other terms and conditions of service of teachers and other academic staff as are not prescribed by the statutes;
- o) the management of colleges and institutions established by the University; and
- p) all other matters which by this Act or the Statutes may be provided for by the Ordinances.

**Regulations** 33) The authorities of the University may make regulations consistent with this Act, the Statutes and the Ordinances for the conduct of their own business and that of the committees appointed by them and not provided for by this Act, the Statutes or the ordinances, in the manner prescribed by the Statutes.

**Annual Report.** 34) The Executive Council shall prepare an annual report of the University on or before such date as may be prescribed by the Statutes. A copy of the report with a copy of the resolution thereon shall be submitted to the Government for information.

**Annual Accounts.** 35) The Finance Officer shall prepare during each financial year the annual accounts of the University of the preceding year and submit them to the Executive Council for consideration with the recommendations of the Finance Committee and thereafter submit them to such audit as the Government may direct before the end of the financial year. The accounts when audited shall be published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazettee and copies thereof together with copies of audit report shall be submitted to the Executive Council not later than two years from the end of financial year to which the accounts pertain and to the Government.

36) 1) The Finance Officer shall prepare before such date as may be prescribed by the Statutes the financial estimates for the ensuing financial year along with the annual accounts whether audited or not, of the preceding financial year and after they are considered by the Finance Committee submit them to the Executive Council for approval.

2) The Government shall fix the block grant for the University normally for a period of five years;

Provided that any liability which the University may have incurred with the approval of the Government and which was not envisaged at the time of fixing the block grant shall in addition to the block grant, be reimbursed.

37) The Executive Council may, for reasons to be recorded in writing, incur any expenditure for which no provision has been made in the budget or which is in excess of the amount provided in the budget.

**Power to incur unforeseen Expenditure**

## CHAPTER-VII GENERAL

38) All casual vacancies among the members other than ex-officio members of any authority or other body of the University shall be filled as soon as may be, by the person or body who or which nominated the member whose place has become vacant and the person nominated to a casual vacancy shall be member of such authority or body for the residue of the term for which the person whose place he fills would have been a member;

**Filling of casual vacancies.**

Provided further that no casual vacancy shall be filled if such vacancy occurs within six months before the date of the expiry of the terms of the members of any authority or other body of the University.

39) No suit or other legal proceedings, shall lie against any officer or employees of the University for anything which is in good faith done or intended to be done in pursuance of any of the provisions of this Act, the Statutes or Ordinances.

**Protection of action taken in good faith.**

**Proceedings of the University authorities and bodies not invalidated by vacancies.** 40) No act or proceeding of any authority or other body of the University shall be invalidated merely by reason of the existence of any vacancy or of any defect or irregularity in the election, or appointment of a member of any authority or other body of the University or any defect or irregularity in such act or proceeding not affecting the merits of the case.

**Disqualification for Membership.** 41) 1) No person shall be qualified for election or nomination as a member of any of the authorities of the University if, on the date of such election or nomination, he is -  
 a) of unsound mind, deaf-mute or suffering from leprosy, or  
 b) an applicant to be adjudicated as an insolvent or an undischarged insolvent ; or  
 c) sentenced by a criminal court to imprisonment for any offence involving moral turpitude.  
 2) In case of dispute or doubt as to whether a persons is disqualified under sub-section(1)The Executive Council shall refer such case to the Chancellor whose decision thereon shall be final.

**Removal from membership of the University.**

42) 1) The Executive Council may remove by an order in writing made in his behalf any person from membership of any authority of the University by a resolution passed by a majority of the total membership of the E.C. any by a majority of not less than two third of the members of the Executive Council present and voting at the meeting. If such person has been convicted by a criminal court for an offence which in the opinion of the Executive Council involves moral turpitude or if he has been guilty of gross misconduct and for the same reason, the Executive Council may withdraw any degree or diploma conferred on or granted to that person by the University.  
 2) The Executive Council may also by an order in writing made in this behalf remove any person from the membership of any authority of the University if he becomes of unsound mind or deaf-mute or suffers from leprosy or has applied to be adjudicated or has been adjudicated as an insolvent.

3) No action under this section shall be taken against any person unless he has been given a reasonable opportunity to show-cause against the action proposed to be taken.  
 4) A copy of every order passed under sub-section (1) or sub-section (2), as the case may be shall as soon as may be after it is so passed be communicated to the person concerned in the manner prescribed.

43) If any question arises whether any person has been duly elected or nominated as, or is entitled to be, a member of any authority of the University or other body of the University the question shall be referred to the Chancellor whose decision thereon shall be final.

44) All the authorities of the University shall have power to constitute or reconstitute Committees and delegate to them such of their powers as they deem fit. Such committees shall save as otherwise provided, consist of members of the authority concerned and of such other persons, if any as the authority in each case may think fit.

45) Until the Authorities of the University are constituted under sub-section (1) of section 49, the Vice-Chancellor, shall subject to the approval of the Chancellor, have power.  
 1) to appoint such advisory or selection committees as he may think fit;  
 2) to appoint such members of the teaching staff as may be necessary; and  
 3) to appoint such ministerial and lower grade staff as may be necessary.

46) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act or any other law for the time being in force, the Government may by order in writing, call for any information from the University on any matter relating to the affairs of the University and the University shall, if such information is available with it, furnish the Government with such information within a reasonable period:  
 Provided that in the case of information which the University considers confidential, the University may place the same before the Chancellor.

**Disputes as to constitution of University authorities and bodies.**

**constitution of committees**

**Advisory committees.**

**Power to obtain information.**

**Mode of proff of University record.**

47) Copy of any receipt, application, notice proceeding or resolution of any authority or committee of the University or other documents in possession of the University or any entry in any register duly maintained by the University, if certified by the Registrar shall be received as prima facie evidence of such receipt, application, notice, proceeding or resolution, document for the existence of entry in a register and shall be admitted as evidence of the matters and transactions, where in the original thereof would, if produced, have been admissible in evidence.

**Appointment of the first****Vice-Chancellor, the first Registrar & the first Finance Officer.**

48) Notwithstanding anything in this Act, and the Statutes the first Vice-chancellor, the first Registrar and the first Finance Officer shall be appointed by the Chancellor on a salary to be fixed by him and each of the said officer shall hold office for a period to be fixed by him, but not exceeding three years.

**Transitory powers of the first Vice-Chancellor.**

49) 1) It shall be the duty of the first Vice-Chancellor to make arrangements for constitution of the Executive Council and such other authorities of the University within six months from the commencement of the Act of such longer period not exceeding one year as the Government may, by notification, direct.

2) The first Vice-Chancellor shall, in consultation with the Government, make such rules as may be necessary for the functioning of the University.

3) The authorities constituted under sub-section 1) shall commence to exercise their functions on such date as the Government may, by notification, specify in this behalf.

4) It shall be the duty of the first Vice-Chancellor to draft such Statutes, as may be necessary and submit them to the Executive Council for their approval. Such Statutes when framed shall be published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

5) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, and the Statutes and until such time an authority is duly constituted, the first Vice-Chancellor may appoint any officer or constitute any committee temporarily to exercise and perform any of the powers and duties, of such authority under this Act and the Statutes.

50) No benefaction shall be accepted by the University, which in the opinion of the authorities of the University, involves conditions or obligations as to the religious belief in the admission or appointment of members, students, teachers or in any other connection whatsoever.

**Acceptance of benefaction by the University.**

Provided that nothing in this section shall prevent the University from accepting any such benefaction intended for the promotion of research in any branch of study.

51) 1) The Executive Council may invite a person of high academic distinction and professional attainments to accept a post of Professor in the University on such terms and conditions as it deems fit, and on the person agreeing to do so, appoint him to the post.  
2) The Executive Council may appoint a teacher or any other member of the academic staff working in any other University or organisation for undertaking a joint project in the manner prescribed.

**Special mode of appointment**

52) 1) If any difficulty arises as to the first constitution or reconstitution of any authority of the University after the commencement of this Act, or otherwise in giving effect to the provisions of this Act, the Government may by notification make such provision, not inconsistent with the provisions of this Act as may appear to them to be necessary or expedient for removing the difficulty :

**Power to remove difficulties.**

Provided that no such notification shall be issued after the expiry of three years from the date of commencement of this Act.

- 2) All notifications made under sub-section (1) shall, as soon as may be after they are made, be placed on the table of the Legislative Assembly of the State and shall be subject to such modifications by way of amendments or repeal as the Legislative Assembly may make either in the same session or in the next session.
- 53) 1) Every employee shall be appointed under a written contract which shall be lodged with the Registrar and a copy of which shall be furnished to the employee concerned.
- Conditions of service of employees and settlement of disputes.** 2) Any dispute arising out of a contract between the University and any employee may be referred by the Vice-Chancellor to a grievances Committee consisting of such persons not being members of the Executive Council as may be nominated by the Executive Council.
- 54) Any student or candidate for an examination whose name has been removed from the rolls of the University by the Orders of resolution of the Vice-Chancellor, Discipline Committee or Examination Committee, as the case may be, and who has been debarred from appearing at the examinations of the University for more than one year may, within ten days of the date of communication of such orders or copy of such resolution to him, appeal to the Executive Council and the Executive Council may confirm, modify or reverse the decision of the Vice-Chancellor or the Committee, as the case may be.
- Procedure of appeal in disciplinary cases against students.** 55) Every employee or student of the University shall, notwithstanding anything contained in this Act have a right to appeal within such time as may be prescribed by the Statutes to the Executive Council against the decision of any officer or authority of the University and thereupon the Executive Council may confirm, modify or reverse the decision appealed against.
- Right to appeal**
- 56) 1) The University shall, constitute for the benefit of its employees in such manner and subject to such conditions as may be prescribed by the Statutes, such schemes of pension, provident fund and insurance as it may deem fit with the prior approval of the Government.
- Provident and Pension Funds.**
- 2) Where such provident or pension fund has been so constituted, the Government may declare that the provisions of the Provident Funds Act, Act 9 of 1925 shall apply to such funds as if it were a 1925 Government Provident Fund.
- Central Act 9 of 1925.**

**CHAPTER-VIII**  
**SCHEDULES - THE FIRST SCHEDULE**  
(See Section 8)

- 1) Andhra Medical College, Visakhapatnam ;
- 2) Rangaraya Medical College, Kakinada ;
- 3) Guntur Medical College, Guntur ;
- 4) Sri Venkateswara Medical College, Tirupathi ;
- 5) Kurnool Medical College, Kurnool ;
- 6) Kakatiya Medical College, Warangal ;
- 7) Osmania Medical College, Hyderabad ;
- 8) Gandhi Medical College, Hyderabad ;
- 9) Siddhartha Medical College, Vijayawada ;
- 10) Government Dental College, Hyderabad ;
- 11) Ayurvedic College, Vijayawada ;
- 12) Ayurvedic College, Warangal ;
- 13) Ayurvedic College, Hyderabad ;
- 14) Ayurvedic College, Tirupathi (run by TTD) ;
- 15) Homoeopathi College, Gudivada ;
- 16) Homoeopathi College, Hyderabad ;
- 17) Homoeopathi College, Cuddapah ;
- 18) Nizamia Tibbi College, Hyderabad ;
- 19) Unani College, Kurnool ;
- 20) College of Nursing, Hyderabad ;
- 21) College of Nursing, Visakhapatnam ;
- 22) College of Nursing, Kurnool;

**THE SECOND SCHEDULE**  
(See Section 30)

**THE STATUTES OF THE UNIVERSITY**

**The Vice-Chancellor**

1. 1) a) The Vice-Chancellor shall be a whole time officer of the University. The salary and other emoluments and conditions of service of the Vice-Chancellor shall be such as may be prescribed by the Statutes.
- \* b) Subject to the provisions of clause (c), the Vice-Chancellor shall hold office for a term of three years from the date of his appointment and he shall be eligible for re-appointment to that office for another term of three years only.

\* Proviso vide para No.2 of 1 (1) (b) has been deleted.

For a copy of orders on amendment to statute 1(1) vide Annexure- VI.

Provided further that the Vice-Chancellor shall however continue to hold office after the expiration of his term of appointment for a period not exceeding six months or until his successor is appointed and enters upon his office, whichever is earlier.

- c) The Vice-Chancellor shall not be removed from his office except by an order of the Chancellor based on the ground of misbehaviour or incapacity and after due inquiry by such person who is or has been a judge of a High Court or the Supreme Court as may be appointed by the Chancellor, in which Vice-Chancellor, shall have an opportunity of making his representation against such removal.
- 2) a) The Vice-Chancellor shall, by virtue of his office, be a member and Chairman of the Executive Council and of the Academic Senate and shall preside at the convocations of the University in the absence of the Chancellor.
- b) The Vice-Chancellor shall have power to convene meetings of the Executive Council and the Academic Senate.
- c) The Vice-Chancellor shall be entitled to be present at and address at any stage of any authority or the University but not to vote there at unless he is a member of the authority concerned.
- 3) It shall be the duty of the Vice-Chancellor to see that the provisions of this Act, the Statutes, Ordinances and Regulations are duly observed and he may exercise all powers necessary for this purpose.
- 4) When the Vice-Chancellor is unable to exercise his powers, perform his functions and discharge his duties owing to absence, illness or any other cause, the Rector, if any shall exercise the powers, perform the functions and discharge the duties of the Vice-chancellor until a new Vice-Chancellor assumes office or until the existing Vice-Chancellor attends to the duties of his office as the case may be ;

Provided that if the Rector is not available, the Chancellor may make necessary arrangements to perform the duties of the Vice-Chancellor by appointing a Vice-Chancellor incharge or otherwise.

- 5) It shall be competent for the Chancellor to accept the resignation of the Vice-Chancellor.
- 6) When the post of the Vice-Chancellor falls permanently vacant either by resignation or otherwise, the vacancy shall be filled by the Chancellor by appointing another person as Vice-Chancellor and the Vice-Chancellor so appointed shall hold office for a full term of three years.

### THE RECTOR

Under sub-section (2) of section 31 read with section 17 of the University of Health Sciences Act, 1986 (Andhra Pradesh Act No.6 of 1986), the Executive Council hereby makes the following statutes, the terms and conditions governing emoluments and other matters of service of the Rector.

- 1) Emoluments:  
There shall paid to the Rector emoluments of Rs.6,500/- P.M. If the Rector is re-employed after retirement his pay on re-employment shall be according to the orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.341, Finance (PSC) Department, dt. 14-12-1987.
- 2) Residential Accommodation and Conveyance;  
He shall be entitled furnished rent-free residence throughout his term of office and no charge shall fall on the Rector personally in respect of the maintenance of such residence. He shall also be provided with a car by the University.
- 3) Transfer Travelling Allowance:  
He shall be entitled to actual fares for self and family members from his place of stay at the time of his appointment to Vijayawada and transportation charges of personal effects. He shall also be entitled to T.T.A. from Vijayawada to the place where he wishes to settle down on the above scale, on relinquishment of the office.
- 4) Tour Travelling Allowance:  
The Rector shall be entitled to Travelling Allowance on Tour at the rates as applicable to Grade-I Officers as per Andhra Pradesh Travelling Allowances Rules and any orders governing the regulation of his T.A. on Tour.
- 5) Leave:  
The Rector shall be entitled to 15 days Earned Leave on full pay for every completed period of 6 months services or at the rate of 2½ days for each completed calender month. He shall be entitled to encashment of Earned Leave on the expiry of his tenure as Rector upto a maximum period of 180 days. The Rector shall also be entitled, on medical grounds or otherwise, to Extra-ordinary leave without pay on period of exceeding 3 months during the term of his office. He shall not be permitted to proceed on leave of any kind after the date of expiry of the tenure period.
- 6) Medical Attendance:  
The Rector shall be governed by the Medical Attendance Rules as applicable to the Officers of the State Government of Andhra Pradesh.

## 7) Leave Travel Concessions:

L.T.C. will be admissible to Home Town only as per the latest orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.184, T.A., dt. 7-7-88 but not to any place in India. If the "Home Town" happens to be outside the state, the L.T.C. will have to be limited to the shortest route upto the point of State border.

**THE REGISTRAR**

## 2. 1) The emoluments and other terms and conditions of service of the Registrar shall, be such as may be prescribed by the Statutes;

Provided that the Registrar shall retire on attaining the age of fifty-eight years;

Provided further that the Registrar shall, notwithstanding his attaining the age of fifty-eight years, continue in office until his successor is appointed and enters upon his office or until the expiry of a period of one year whichever is earlier.

## 2) a) The Registrar shall be a whole time officer of the University.

i) He shall be appointed by the Executive Council.

ii) He shall be appointed

b) i) On deputation (or) ii) Through Direct Recruitment. iii) He must be an academician in the field of Medical Sciences not lower in rank than of a Professor with a five years standing (or) an officer not below the rank of Deputy Secretary in Government (or) an Officer of the University not below the rank of Joint Registrar. iv) The Registrar, shall hold office for a term of three years from the date of his appointment and he shall be eligible for reappointment for a second term. c) The scale of pay of Registrar shall be the same as he was drawing in his original post or the Deputy Secretary to Government of Andhra Pradesh or the scale of pay attached to the post of Registrar in other University. d) Any other allowances as may be decided by the Executive Council (**Annexure-IX**).

3) When the office of the Registrar is vacant or when the Registrar is, by reason of illness or any other cause, unable to perform the duties of his office, the duties of the office shall be performed by such persons as the Vice-chancellor may appoint for the purpose.

4) a) The Registrar shall have power to take disciplinary action against such of the employees, excluding teachers of the University and academic staff as may be specified in the orders of the Executive Council and to suspend them pending inquiry, to administer warnings to them, to impose on them the penalty of censure or the withholding of increment;

Provided that no such penalty shall be imposed unless the person concerned has been given an opportunity of showing cause against the action proposed to be taken in regard to him.

b) An appeal shall lie to the Vice-Chancellor against any order of the Registrar imposing any of the penalties specified in sub-clause (a).

c) In a case where the inquiry discloses that a punishment beyond the powers of the Registrar is called for, the Registrar shall, upon conclusion of the inquiry, make a report to the Vice-Chancellor along with his recommendations.

Provided that an appeal shall lie to the Executive Council against an order of the Vice-Chancellor imposing any penalty.

5) The Registrar shall be the ex-officio Secretary of the Executive Council and the Academic Senate, but shall not be deemed to be a member of any of those authorities.

6) It shall be the duty of the Registrar -

a) to be the custodian of the records, the common seal and such other property of the University as the Executive Council shall commit to his charge;

b) to issue all notices convening meetings of the Executive Council, the Academic Senate and the Boards of studies or any committees appointed by the authorities of the University;

c) to keep the minutes of all the meetings of the Executive Council, Academic Senate, and of any Committees appointed by the authorities of the University;

d) to conduct the official correspondence of the Executive Council and the Academic Senate.

e) to supply to the Chancellor copies of the agenda of the meetings of the authorities of the University as soon as they are issued and the minutes of such meetings;

- f) to represent the University in suits or proceedings by or against the University, sign powers of attorney and verify pleadings or depute his representative for the purpose; and
- g) to perform such other duties as may be specified in the Statutes, the Ordinances or the Regulations or as may be required, from time to time, by the Executive Council or the Vice-Chancellor.

**THE FINANCE OFFICER**

3. 1) The Finance Officer shall be the ex-officio Secretary of the Finance Committee, but shall not be deemed to be a member of such Committee.
- .2) When the office of Finance Officer is vacant or when the Finance Officer is, by reason of illness, absence or any other cause, unable to perform the duties of his office, the duties of the office shall be performed by such persons as the Vice-Chancellor may appoint for the purpose.
- 3) The Finance Officer shall :-
  - a) exercise general supervision over the funds of the University and shall maintain the accounts of the University and shall advise it as regards its financial policy; and
  - b) perform such other financial functions as may be assigned to him by the Executive Council or as may be prescribed by these Statutes or the Ordinances;
 

Provided that the Finance Officer shall not incur any expenditure or make any expenditure or make any investment exceeding ten thousand rupees without the previous approval of the Executive Council.
- 4) Subject to the control of the Executive Council, the Finance Officer shall-
  - a) hold and manage the property and investments of the University including trust and endowed property;
  - b) ensure that the limits fixed by the Executive Council for recurring and non-recurring expenditure for a year are not exceeded and that all moneys are expended on the purposes for which they are granted or allotted;
  - c) be responsible for the preparation of annual accounts and the budget of the University and, their presentation to the Executive Council;
  - d) keep a constant watch on the state of the cash and bank balance and on the state of investments;
  - e) watch the progress of the collection of revenue and advise on the methods of collection employed;

- f) ensure that the registers of buildings, land, furniture and equipment are maintained up-to-date and that stock checking of equipment and other consumable materials in all offices, special centres, specialised laboratories, colleges and institutions maintained by the University is conducted;
  - g) call for explanation for unauthorised expenditure and for other financial irregularities and suggest disciplinary action against persons at fault; and
  - h) call for from any office, centre, laboratory, college or institution affiliated to or maintained by the University, any information or returns that he may consider necessary for the performance of his duties.
- 5) The receipt of the Finance Officer or the person or persons or duly authorised in this behalf by the Executive Council for any money payable to the University shall be sufficient discharge for payment of such money.

**THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL**

- 1) The Executive Council shall consist of the following persons, namely;
 

**Class I :- Ex Officio Members**

  - i) Vice-Chancellor;
  - ii) Secretary to Government, Medical and Health Department or his nominee,
  - iii) Secretary to Government, Finance and Planning Department or his nominee,
  - iv) Director of Medical Education;
  - v) Director of Health and Family Welfare;
  - vi) Director of Indian Medicine and Homoeopathy;

**Class II - Other Members**

  - vii) three eminent educationists in the field of medicine representing the interests of Health Sciences in the State to be nominated by the Government”;
  - viii) three members, one each from the Andhra, Telangana and Rayalaseema regions of the State of Andhra Pradesh having proficiency in Allopathic Medicine;
  - ix) three Professors from the faculties of the affiliated colleges of the University to be nominated by the Government”.
- 2) When a person ceases to be a member of the Executive Council, he shall cease to be a member of any of the authorities of the University of which he may happen to be a member by virtue of his membership in the Executive Council.



- 3) The members of the Executive Council shall not be entitled to receive any remuneration from the University except such daily and travelling allowances as may be prescribed ;

Provided that nothing contained in this clause shall preclude any member from drawing his emoluments to which he is entitled by virtue of the Office he holds.

- 4) A Member of the Executive Council, other than an ex-officio member may tender resignation for his membership at any time before the term of his office expires. Such resignation shall be conveyed to the Chancellor by a letter in writing by the member, and the resignation shall have effect from the date of its acceptance by the Chancellor.

The quorum for the meeting of the Executive Council shall be one-third of the total number of members of four persons whichever is higher.

#### **POWERS OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL**

- 5) The Executive Council shall have the following powers, namely:-
1. to make statutes and amend or repeal the statutes;
  2. to co-operate with other Universities, academic authorities and Colleges in such manner and for such purposes as it may determine;
  3. to provide for research and advancement and dissemination of knowledge in Health Sciences and allied fields and for this purpose to establish such Colleges, Departments and Institutions as may be considered necessary, from time to time, in addition to those specified in the First Schedule;
  4. to institute lecturer-ships, readerships, professorships and any other teacher or research posts required by the University.
  5. to institute degrees, titles, diplomas and other academic distinctions;
  6. to confer degrees, titles, diplomas and other academic distinctions on persons who shall have carried on research under conditions prescribed ;
  7. to confer honorary degrees or other distinctions on the recommendation of not less than two-thirds of the members present at the Executive Council ;
  8. to establish and maintain halls and hostels;
  9. to institute fellowships, travelling fellowships, scholarships, studentships, bursaries, exhibitions, medals, incentives and prizes and to award the same in accordance with the statutes;

10. to consider and take such action as it may deem fit on the annual report, the annual accounts and the financial estimates;
11. to institute a publication bureau with necessary equipment and to maintain it;
12. to enter into any agreement with the Central or any State Government or with a private management for assuming the management of any institution and for taking over its properties and liabilities or for any other purposes not repugnant to the provisions of this Act;
13. to make statutes regulating the method of election to the authorities of the University and the procedure at the meetings of the Executive Council and other authorities of the University and the quorum of members required for the transaction of business by the authorities of the University;
14. to hold, control and administer the properties and funds of the University;
15. to direct the form, custody and use of the common seal of the University;
16. to regulate and determine all matters concerning the University in accordance with this Act and the statutes;
17. to administer all properties and all funds placed at the disposal of the University for specific purposes;
18. a) to appoint Tutors, Assistant Professors, Professors, Visiting Professors, Professors of Emeritus, Researchers, and fix their emoluments, if any, define their duties and the conditions of their services and provide for filling up of temporary vacancies;
- b) to make statutes specifying the mode of appointment of administrative and other similar posts and fix their emoluments, if any, define their duties and the conditions of their services and provide for filling up of temporary vacancies;
19. to suspend and dismiss or reinstate the University teachers and other employees of the University;
20. to accept on behalf of the University endowments, bequests, donations, grants and transfer of any movable and immovable properties made to it;
21. a) to raise, on behalf of the University loans from the Central or any State Government or the public or any Corporation owned or controlled by the Central or any State Government;
- b) to borrow money with the approval of the Government on the Security of the property of the University for the purposes of the University.

22. to recognise hostels not maintained by the University and to suspend or withdraw recognition of any hostel which is not maintained in accordance with the statutes and the conditions imposed there under;
23. to arrange for, and direct, the inspection of hostels;
24. to prescribe the qualifications of teachers and other employees;
25. to charge and collect such fees as may be prescribed;
26. to make statutes regarding the admission of students to the University;
27. to appoint members to the Boards of Studies ;
28. to appoint examiners, after consideration of the recommendations of the Boards of studies and to fix their remuneration;
29. to supervise and control the residence and discipline of the students of the University and make arrangements for securing their health and well being ;
30. to institute and manage libraries, museums, institutes of research and other institutions established or maintained by the University;
31. to manage hostels instituted by the University ;
32. to promote research within the University and to call for reports, from time to time of such research ;
33. to exercise such other powers and perform such other duties as may be conferred or imposed on it by this Act or the statutes; and
34. to delegate any of it's powers to the Vice-Chancellor or to a Committee appointed in accordance with the statutes.

#### **MEETINGS OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL**

- 6.1) The Executive Council shall meet at such times and places and shall, subject to the provisions of clauses (2) and (3) observe such rules of procedure in regard to transaction of business at it's meetings [including the quorum at meetings] as may be prescribed;  
Provided that the Executive Council shall meet atleast once in every six weeks and may meet more often if necessary.
- 2) The Vice-Chancellor or in his absence any member chosen by the Members present shall preside over a meeting of the Executive Council.
- 3) Upon a requisition in writing signed by not less than one third of the total number of Members of the Executive Council, the Vice-Chancellor shall convene a meeting of the Executive Council on a date appointed by him which shall not be later than seven days from the date of receipt of requisition aforesaid.

- 4) All questions at any meeting of the Executive Council shall be decided by a majority of the votes of the members present and voting and in the case of an equality of votes, the Vice-Chancellor or the member presiding, as the case may be, shall have and exercise a second or casting vote.
- 5) a) The Executive Council may, for the purpose of consultation, invite any person having special knowledge or practical experience in any subject under consideration to attend to any meeting. Such person may speak in, and, otherwise take part in the proceedings of the meeting but shall not be entitled to vote ;  
b) the person so invited shall be entitled to such daily and travelling allowances as are admissible to a member of the Executive Council.

#### **THE ACADEMIC SENATE**

- \* 7) The Academic Senate shall consist of the following Persons, namely:-
  1. the Vice-Chancellor;
  2. the Rector; if any;
  3. all members of the Executive Council;
  4. all principals of affiliated colleges;
  5. twenty Professors from affiliated colleges otherthan Principals nominated by the Vice-Chancellor;
  6. three Professors from Indian System of Medicine one each from Ayurveda, Unani and Homeopathy System of Medicine nominated by the Government;
  7. four Professors having proficiency in Modern Medical Sciences nominated by the Government;
  8. the Director, Institute of Genetics, Hyderabad;
  9. the Director, Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad.
  10. the Director, Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupathi;
  11. the Director, National Institute of Nutrition;
  12. the Deputy Director, incharge of Extension Education ; National Institute of Nutrition, Hyderabad;
  13. three Professors of the affiliated colleges other than the members specified in item 5 belonging to scheduled castes / scheduled tribes nominated by the Vice-Chancellor".

**POWERS AND FUNCTIONS OF THE ACADEMIC SENATE**

- 8.1) The Academic Senate shall have power, subject to the provisions of this Act, the Statutes and the regulations to prescribe all courses of study and determine the curricula and have general control of teaching within the University and be responsible for the maintenance of the standards thereof. It shall have power to make regulations consistent with this Act and the statutes relating to all academic matters which by this Act or the Statutes may be provided for by regulations and to amend or repeal such regulations.
- 2) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, the Academic Senate shall have power-
- to advise the Executive Council on all Academic matters including the control and management of the libraries;
  - to make recommendations to the Executive Council for the institution of academic posts and in regard to the duties and emoluments thereof,
  - to make recommendations to the Executive Council for the recognition of teachers in affiliated and recognised colleges and institutions;
  - to formulate, modify or revise schemes for the constitution or reconstitution of departments of Teaching;
  - to make regulations regarding the admission of students to the University;
  - to make regulations regarding the examinations of the University and the conditions on which students shall be admitted to such examinations;
  - to make regulations, prescribing equivalence of examinations, degrees and diplomas of other Universities and Boards;
  - to make regulations relating to courses of study leading to degrees, diplomas and titles in the University;
  - to make regulations prescribing the manner in which exemptions relating to the admission of students to examinations may be given.
  - to make recommendations to the Executive Council regarding postgraduate teaching and research;
  - to make regulations for collaboration, co-ordination and reciprocity with other Universities and institutions in India and abroad with a view to promote academic life.

- 9.1) There shall be constituted a Planning Board of the University which shall advise generally on the planning and development of the University and to maintain excellence in the standards of education and research of the University.

**The Planning Board**

- 2) The Planning Board shall consist of the following members, namely :-
- the Vice-Chancellor who shall be Chairman of the Board ; and
  - not more than eight persons of high academic standing nominated by the Chancellor in consultation with the Vice-Chancellor of whom atleast two persons shall be from outside the state and one shall be nominee of the University Grants Commission and one shall be nominee of the Medical Council of India for such period as the Chancellor may determine.
- 3) The Board shall in addition to all other powers vested in it by this Act have right to advise the Executive Council on any academic matter.

10. 1) The Finance Committee shall consist of the following members, namely :-

- the Vice-Chancellor ;
- the Secretary to the State Government in the Finance and Planning [Finance Wing] Department or his nominee or deligate not below the rank of Deputy Secretary to Government in that Department.
- the Secretary to the State Government in the Medical and Health Department or his nominee or delegate not below the rank of Deputy Secretary to Government in that Department.
- \*iv) The Registrar ;
- v) three members nominated by Executive Council from among it's members of whom one shall be a Dean, one shall be a Director and one shall be a Professor other than Dean.

**The Finance Committee.**

\* included by amendment - vide **Annexure-V**.

- 2) The Vice-Chancellor shall be the ex-officio Chairman and the Finance Officer shall be the ex-officio Secretary of the Finance Committee.
- 3) All members of the Finance Committee, other than ex-officio members shall hold office for a period of three years.
- 4) The Finance Committee shall meet atleast twice in every year to examine the accounts and to scrutinize proposals for expenditure.
- 5) The annual accounts of the University prepared by the Finance Officer shall be laid before the Finance Committee for consideration and comments and thereafter submitted to the Executive Council for approval.
- 6) The Finance Committee shall recommend limits for total recurring expenditure and the total nonrecurring expenditure for the year based on the income and resources of the University which in the case of productive works may include the proceeds of loans.
- 7) The Finance Committee shall :-
  - a) review the financial position of the University from time to time;
  - b) make recommendation to the Executive Council on every proposal, involving investment or expenditure for which no provision has been made in the annual financial estimates or which involves expenditure in excess of the amount provided for in the annual financial estimates;
  - c) prescribe the methods and procedure and forms for maintaining the accounts of the University;
  - d) make recommendation to the Executive Council on all matters relating to the finances of the University; and
  - e) perform such other functions as may be prescribed.
- 8) The financial estimates of the University prepared by the Finance Officer shall be laid before the Finance Committee for consideration and comments. The said estimates, as modified by the Finance Committee, shall then be laid before the Executive Council for consideration. The Executive Council may accept the modifications made by the Finance Committee.

- 11.1) Every Dean shall be appointed by the Vice-Chancellor from among the Professors in the Colleges for a period of three years and he shall be eligible for re-appointment; **Deans of faculties.**

Provided that a Dean of attaining the age of sixty years shall cease to hold office as such ;

- 2) When the Office of the Dean is vacant or when the Dean is, by reason of illness, absence or any other cause, unable to perform the duties of his Office, the duties of his Office shall be performed by such person as the Vice-Chancellor may appoint for the purpose.
- 3) The Dean shall be the Head of the college and shall be responsible for the conduct and maintenance of the standards of research in the college. The Dean shall also have such other functions as may be prescribed.
- 4) The Dean shall have the right to be present and to speak at any meeting of the Boards of studies or committee of the colleges, as the case may be, but shall not have the right to vote there at unless he is a member thereof.

### SELECTION COMMITTEES

For the University and campus colleges, there shall be constituted selection committees:-

12. 1) a) One in regard to the appointment of Tutors, Assistant Professors and Professors; and  
b) one in regard to the Librarian.
- 2) a) The selection committee constituted under sub-clause a) of clause 1) shall consist of the following persons, namely :-
  - 1) The Vice-Chancellor or his nominee who shall be the Chairman of the Committee ;
  - 2) The Dean of the Faculty concerned ;
  - 3) The Head of the Department concerned ;
  - 4) The external experts ;
  - 5) a nominee of the Chancellor,
- b) The Selection Committee constituted under sub-clause

b) shall consist of the following persons, namely :-

1. The Vice-Chancellor or his nominee;
2. two persons not in the service of the University, who have special knowledge of the subject of Library Science, or Library Administration, to be nominated by the Executive Council; and
3. one person, not in the service of the University, nominated by the Executive Council;

Provided that no person shall participate in the meetings of the Selection Committee for any appointment if he is, or if he is near relative of, a candidate for the appointment :

Provided further that no person holding a post lower in rank than the one to which appointment is to be made shall be a member of the Selection Committee.

4. The quorum for a meeting of the Selection Committee for the posts of Tutors, Assistant Professors and Professors shall be five members of whom two shall be external experts in the subject concerned.
5. The quorum for a meeting of the Selection Committee for the post of Librarian shall be five members of whom one shall be an external expert in the subject concerned.
6. The Procedure to be followed by a Selection Committee in making recommendation shall be laid down by the regulations.
7. If the Executive Council is unable to accept the recommendations made by a Selection Committee, it shall record its reasons and submit the case to the Chancellor for final orders.
8. Appointments to temporary posts shall be made in the manner indicated below :

i) if the temporary vacancy is for a duration longer than one year, it shall be filled on the advice of the Selection Committee in accordance with the procedure indicated in the foregoing clauses:

Provided that if the Vice-Chancellor is satisfied that in the interest of work it is necessary to fill the vacancy, the appointment may be made on a purely temporary basis by a local Selection Committee referred to in sub-clause ii) for a period not exceeding six months.

- ii) If, the temporary vacancy is for a period of less than a year, an appointment to such vacancy shall be made on the recommendation of a local selection committee consisting of the Dean of the faculty concerned, the Head of the Department and a nominee of the Vice-Chancellor:

Provided that if the same person holds the Offices of the Dean of the Faculty and the Head of the Department, the Selection Committee may consist of two nominees of the Vice-Chancellor: Provided further that in case of sudden casual vacancies of the teaching posts caused by death or any other reason, the Vice-Chancellor may, in consultation with the Dean of the Faculty concerned and the Head of the Department concerned make a temporary appointment for a month.

- iii) No teacher appointed temporarily shall, if he is not recommended by a regular Selection Committee for appointment under these statutes, be continued in service on such temporary employment, unless he is subsequently selected by a local Selection Committee or a regular Selection Committee for a temporary or permanent appointment as the case may be.

#### **ORDINANCE HOW MADE**

- 13.1) The first ordinance made under sub-section (1) of section 32 may be amended, repealed or added to at any time by the Executive Council in the manner specified below.
- 2) No ordinance in respect of the matters enumerated in section 32, (chapter-VI) other than those enumerated in clause (n) of sub-section (2) thereof, shall be made by the Executive Council unless a draft of such Ordinance has been proposed by the Academic Senate.

- 3) The Executive Council shall not have power to amend the draft of any Ordinance proposed by the Academic Senate under clause (2), but may reject the proposal or return the draft to the Academic Senate for consideration, either in whole or in part together with any amendment which the Executive Council may suggest.
- 4) Where the Executive Council has rejected or returned the draft of an Ordinance proposed by the Academic Senate the Academic Senate may consider the question afresh and in case the original draft is reaffirmed by a majority of the total number of members of the Academic Senate and by a majority of not less than two-thirds of the members present and voting, the draft may be sent back to the Executive Council which shall either adopt it or refer it to the Chancellor whose decision thereon shall be final.
- 5) Every Ordinance made by the Executive Council shall come into effect immediately.
- 6) Every ordinance made by the Executive Council shall be submitted to the Chancellor within two weeks from the date of its adoption. The Chancellor shall have the power to direct the University within four weeks of the receipt of the Ordinance to suspend the operation of any such Ordinance and he shall, as soon as possible, inform the Executive Council about his objection to the proposed Ordinance. The Chancellor may, after receiving the comments of the University, either withdraw the order suspending the Ordinance or disallow the Ordinance and his decision thereon shall be final.

### **REGULATIONS**

14. 1) The authorities of the University may make regulations consistent with the provisions of this Act and the Statutes and the Ordinances;
  - a) laying down the procedure to be observed at their meetings and the number of members required to form a quorum;
  - b) providing for all matters which are required by this Act, the Statutes or the Ordinance to be prescribed by Regulations;
  - c) providing for all other matters solely concerning such authorities or committees appointed by them and not provided for by this Act, these statutes or the ordinances.

- 2) Every authority of the University shall make Regulations providing for the giving of notice to the members of such authority of the dates of meetings and of the business to be considered at meeting and for the keeping of a record of the proceedings of meetings.
- 3) The Executive Council may direct the amendment in such manner as it may specify, of any Regulation made under this statute or the amendment of any such Regulation.

### **DELEGATION OF POWERS**

- 15) Subject to the provisions of this Act and the Statutes any officer or authority of the University may delegate his or its powers to any other officer or authority or person under his or its respective control and subject to the condition that overall responsibility for the exercise of the powers so delegated shall continue to vest in the officer or authority delegating such powers.

### **HOLDING CONVOCATION FOR CONFERRING DEGREES**

- 16) The Executive Council shall have power:-
  - i) to confer degrees, diplomas, and other academic distinctions on persons who have pursued an approved course of study in the University college or in an affiliated college or in any institution recognized by the University in the manner prescribed by the regulations and shall have passed the prescribed examination of the University and award prizes and medals concerning such degrees in accordance with the conditions prescribed.
  - ii) to confer degrees or diplomas on persons who have carried on research under the conditions prescribed in the University College, or in an affiliated college or in any other institution recognized by the University and
  - iii) to confer honorary degree or other academic distinctions on eminent persons who distinguished themselves in various fields of Medicine or other allied science or on persons of eminence in the other fields.

**CONVOCAATION**

- 1 (a) Convocation for conferring degrees, diplomas and other academic distinctions shall be held once in a year which shall be called the Annual Convocation on such date as may be fixed by the Chancellor and at such other times as the Chancellor may direct.
- (b) Special Convocation for conferring degrees, and other academic distinctions may be held on such date and time as the Executive Council may, with the Chancellor's approval, determine.

**DEGREES & DIPLOMAS**

- (2) The following are the degrees, and diplomas to be awarded and conferred at a Convocation.

DOCTORATE / RESEARCH DEGREES:

1. Doctor of Sciences - D.Sc.
2. Doctor of Philosophy - Ph.D.

OTHER DEGREES & DIPLOMASFACULTY OF MODERN MEDICINE

3. Degree in Super Specialities in Medicine and allied subjects – Doctor in Medicine-D.M.
4. Degree in Super Specialities in Surgery and allied subjects – (CHIRURGIAE MAGISTER) (Master in Surgery) – M.Ch.
5. Doctor of Medicine – M.D.
6. Master of Surgery – M.S.
7. Postgraduate Diplomas in allied subjects of Medicine.
8. Postgraduate Diplomas in allied subjects of Surgery.
9. PG Diploma in Obstetrics and Gynaecology.
10. Master of Science (Nutrition) - M.Sc.
11. Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery – MBBS.

FACULTY OF DENTAL SURGERY:

12. Master in Dental Surgery – MDS.,
13. Bachelor of Dental Surgery – BDS.,

FACULTY OF AYURVEDA:

14. Doctor of Medicine in Ayurveda (Ayurveda Vachaspathi) – MD (A)
15. Bachelor of Ayurvedic Medicine and Surgery (Ayurveda Acharya) – BAMS.,

FACULTY OF UNANI MEDICINE:

16. Doctor of Medicine in Unani (Mahir-a-Tib) – MD (U)
17. Bachelor of Unani Medicine and Surgery (Kamil-E-Tibb-O-Jarahat) – BUMS.

FACULTY OF HOMOEOPATHY:

18. Doctor of Medicine in Homoeopathy – MD (H)
19. Bachelor of Homoeo Medicine and Surgery – BHMS

FACULTY OF NATUROPATHY AND YOGA:

20. Bachelor of Naturopathy and Yoga Sciences (BNYS).

FACULTY OF NURSING:

21. Master of Science in Nursing – M.Sc. (N)
22. Bachelor of Science in Nursing – B.Sc. (N)

**STATUTE ON CONVOCATION**

Holding Convocation for awarding Degrees :

**HOW AWARDED**

- 3) a) Candidates for honorary Degrees and for Degrees or Diplomas at S.No.1 to 10,12, 14, 16, 18 and 21 in the preceding statute only shall be admitted in person to the respective Degrees or Diplomas at the Convocation. However, such candidates for any of the above Degrees or Diplomas as are unable to present themselves in person at the Convocation may on payment of the prescribed fee, be admitted "in absentia" to that degree or diploma.
- b) Candidates for the degrees referred in S.Nos. 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 20 and 22 shall be admitted to the respective degrees in absentia and their degree certificates shall be sent soon after the Convocation to the Principals of colleges for distribution to the candidates by the colleges at their Annual Day or at a special function to be arranged for the purpose. Such a function shall not be called as Convocation.

**DEGREES AWARDED POSTHUMOUSLY**

- 4) Degrees and Diplomas of persons who were declared eligible for the award of degrees, or diplomas may be given posthumously to such representative of the deceased as may be approved by the Vice-Chancellor on payment of prescribed fee along with the application for the granting of the degree.

**SEAL OF THE UNIVERSITY**

- 5) The degrees and diplomas of the University shall be valid only if they bear the seal of the University and are signed by the Officer(s) authorized.

**NOTICE**

- 6) Not less than four weeks notice shall, under the direction of the Vice-Chancellor be given by the Registrar for the annual Convocation and such notice of any other Convocation as may be possible with place and time of the Convocation.

**DATE OF APPLICATION**

- 7) Candidate for all degrees and diplomas shall submit to the Registrar their applications for admissions for admission prescribed form together with the prescribed fee at least twenty days before the date fixed for the Convocation.

No candidate who has not sent the application with the prescribed fee shall receive the degree or diploma at the Convocation.

**PENALTY FOR ABSENCE AT A CONVOCATION.**

- 8) Any person, who having sent his name to the Registrar as a candidate for a degree in person at a Convocation fails to appear on that occasion, shall, when the next applies for the same degree, pay again in full the prescribed fee along with the penalty prescribed.

**AWARD OF DEGREES & DIPLOMAS IN ADVANCE**

- 9) It shall be competent for the Vice-Chancellor for the satisfactory reasons shown, to present candidates, who are declared eligible for the award of their respective degrees or diplomas in advance on payment of the prescribed fee. All such cases shall be reported to the succeeding convocation.

**CONVOCATION ADDRESS**

- 10) The Executive Council with the approval of the Chancellor may invite an eminent person to address the candidates at a Convocation.

**WHO TO PRESIDE**

- 11) The Chancellor shall preside at the Convocation. In the absence of the Chancellor, the Vice-Chancellor shall preside.

**ARRANGEMENT OF SEARS**

- 12) The Dias at the Convocation hall shall be so arranged that the Chancellor's chair is some what in advance and the chairs assigned to the Chief guest Vice-Chancellor, Rector, Members of the Executive Council, Deans of the Faculties, and Registrar being so arranged as to leave full space for the presentation of the candidates. Special seats shall be provided in the hall for the members of the Academic Senate.

**SEATING OF CANDIDATES**

- 13) The candidates for admission to the several degrees and diplomas and other academic distinctions shall assemble at the Convocation and hall atleast one hour prior to the notified time of Convocation and shall wear the academic robes pertaining to their respective degrees and diplomas and shall take the seats assigned to them. Candidates shall be arranged according to their faculties and all candidates shall be required to appear clearly and respectably attired.



## PROCEDURE

14) The following procedure followed:

## ASSEMBLY OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

- a) The members of the Executive Council of the University shall assemble before the hour and time fixed for Convocation. The members shall wear the academic robes given to them and wait for arrival of the Chancellor. The Chancellor, on arrival will be received by the Vice-Chancellor, Rector and the Registrar and then conducted to the front of entrance of the Convocation hall where he will receive salute.

The Chancellor then will move to the “Hall of Graces” after wearing the Academic Robes where members of Executive Council Assemble to pass the graces.

## GRACES OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

- b) The graces of the Executive Council on behalf of the candidates for admission to the several degrees and diplomas will be supplicated by the Deans of Faculties (or by any other person(s) nominated by the Vice-Chancellor) in the following order:
- a) Research Degrees
  - b) Faculty of Modern Medicine
  - c) Faculty of Dental Surgery
  - d) Faculty of Ayurveda
  - e) Faculty of Homoeopathy
  - f) Faculty of Unani
  - g) Faculty of Naturopathy and Yoga
  - h) Faculty of Nursing.

## FORM OF GRANCE

- c) The formula to be used for each grace shall “mutates mutandis” be as follows. Mr.Chancellor, I move that a grace of the Executive Council be passed that those persons whom the Executive Council, on the reports of the Examiners, has certified to be qualified for the degree / diploma be admitted to that degree.

## PASSING OF GRACE

- d) Where upon the Chancellor shall put the question “Does it please you that this grace be passed?” and the Executive Council assenting, the Chancellor shall say “This grace is passed”.

## GROUP PHOTO

- e) After all graces are passed the Chancellor, the Vice-Chancellor, the Rector, Members of Executive Council, Deans of Faculties, Registrar and the Chief Guest and the recipients of Honorary degrees will assemble for a group photo outside.

## PROCESSION

- f) When all the graces have been passed, and group photo is taken the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, members of the Executive Council, Chief Guest and Deans of Faculties in their academic robes shall proceed in procession, in pairs, to the Convocation where the degrees are to be conferred.

The following shall be the order of the procession:

Registrar,  
Members of the Executive Council  
Deans of Faculties  
Vice-Chancellor  
Convocation Orator / Chief Guest  
Chancellor.

On the procession entering the hall the candidates, guests and invitees shall rise and remain standing until the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor members of the Executive Council, Chief Guest, Deans of Faculties and Registrar take their seats.

- 15) The Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, Members of the Executive Council, Chief Guest, Deans of Faculties and Registrar having taken their seats, the Chancellor shall say:

“The Convocation of the University of Health Sciences has been called to confer Honorary degrees on whom the Executive Council has decided to confer honorary degrees and to confer degrees and diplomas upon the candidates who, in the examinations recently held for the purpose, have been certified to be worthy of the same”.

- a) “Let..... the candidate for Honorary Degrees be presented”.  
(The recipient will rise from his seat when he is presented to the Chancellor and will resume his seat only after receiving the degree from the Chancellor).

The University Professor / Executive Council Member / any person nominated by the Vice-Chancellor will stand, bow to the Chancellor and read the citation which shall end with the following prayer to the Chancellor.

“May I, Mr.Chancellor, now present to you, Dr. / Sri..... and pray that he be awarded the Degree of ..... (Honoris causa) of University of Health Science.

At the end of citation, the Chancellor will say.

“By virtue of the authority vested in me as Chancellor of the University of Health Sciences, I confer upon you the Degree of ..... Honoris causa and in token there of you have been presented with this degree and I authorize you to wear the robes ordained as the insignia of your degree.”

Dr. / Sri..... Will receive Honorary degree from the Chancellor and resume his seat.

b) After the presentation of Honorary Degree(s) is over the Chancellor shall say “Let the Candidates for all degrees, diplomas stand forward”.

Then the candidates standing the Chancellor shall put to them the following questions.

**QUESTIONS & ANSWERS**

16) QUESTION Do you sincerely promise and declare that, if admitted to the degrees and diplomas for which you are severally candidates and for which you have been recommended, you will in your daily life and conversation conduct you selves as become members of this University?

ANSWER I do Promise.

QUESTION Do you promise that to the utmost of your opportunity and ability you will support and promote the cause of morality and sound learning?

ANSWER I do Promise.

QUESTION Do you promise that you will, as for as in your lies, uphold and advance social order and the well – being of your fellowmen?

ANSWER I do Promise.

QUESTION Do you promise that you will faithfully and carefully fulfil the duties of the profession, that you will, on all occasions, maintain their purity and reputation and that you will never deviate from the straight path of their honourable exercise by making your knowledge subservient to unworthy ends?

ANSWER I do Promise.  
(Then all the candidates shall resume their seats.

**PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES**

17) a) Then the Chancellor shall say:

“Let the candidates be now presented” Then the candidates shall be presented to the Chancellor by the Deans of the respective faculties or by any other person(s) nominated by the Vice-Chancellor in the following order the candidates having first received their diplomas from the Registrar.

- 1) D.Sc.
- 2) Ph.D.
- 3) D.M.
- 4) M.Ch.
- 5) M.D.
- 6) M.S.
- 7) M.D.S.
- 8) M.D.(A) (Ayurveda Vachaspathi)
- 9) MD (U) (Mahir-e-Tib)
- 10) M.D.(H)
- 11) P.G.Diplomas
- 12) M.Sc. (Nutrition)
- 13) M.B.B.S.
- 14) B.D.S.
- 15) B.A.M.S. (Ayurveda Acharya)
- 16) B.U.M.S. (Kamil-I-Tib-O-Jarahat)

- 17) B.H.M.S.
- 18) B.N.Y.S.
- 19) B.Sc. (Nursing)
- 20) BPT
- 21) B.Sc. (MLT)

(Candidates for the concerned Degrees / Diplomas being presented remain standing till the Chancellor admits them to the respective degree.

The candidates for Research Degrees, and Degrees in Super specialties will be presented individually.

There will be no individual presentation of candidates for other degrees).

The Deans of Faculties in presenting the candidates for degrees shall go before the Chancellor and bow and shall say.

“Mr.Chancellor, I present to you in-accordance with the grace of the Executive Council just passed the candidates whose names are herewith submitted for the admission to the Degrees / Diplomas in the University of Health Sciences”.

The Chancellor then shall say.

“By virtue of the authority vested in me as Chancellor of the University of Health Sciences, I confer upon you the respective Degrees in the University, in token there of you have been presented with this Degree and I authorize you to wear the gown and hood ordained as the insignia of your Degree”.

(The candidates who are standing will resume their seats).

#### PRESENTATION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES AND DIPLOMAS IN ABSENTIA.

- b) After the candidates for all the Degrees and Diplomas have been presented in person and Chancellor has admitted them to the respective degrees, the person nominated by the Vice-Chancellor shall raise and bow to the Chancellor and request the Chancellor to admit the candidates for the Degrees and Diplomas.

In Absentia in the following words:

Mr.Chancellor, I move that the candidates whose names are herewith submitted who have been certified after examination to be duly qualified to respective Degrees / Diplomas be admitted to the respective Degrees and Diplomas in absentia.

The Chancellor will then say:

“By virtue of the authority vested in me as Chancellor of the University of Health Sciences, I confer upon these candidates in absentia the respective Degrees and Diplomas in the University, in token thereof permit the Registrar to present them with their Degrees and Diplomas and authorize the Degree holder to wear the gown and hood ordained as the insignia of their degrees.

#### RECORD OF DEGREES

- 18) When all the candidates for all the degrees have been presented, the Registrar shall lay the record of the degrees that have been conferred, before the Chancellor, who shall sign the same.

#### AWARD OF MEDALS & PRIZES

- 19) The Registrar will read out the names of the candidates who have been declared entitled to Medals and Prizes at University level at the Degree and postgraduate Degree / Diploma examinations. As he reads out each name, the candidate shall come to the Dias and receive the Medal / Prize from the Chancellor.

#### REPORT

- 20) When all the Medals and Prizes are presented, the Vice-Chancellor will present the report reviewing the activities of the University, and then request the Chief Guest to address the Convocation.

#### ADDRESS

- 21) The Chief Guest will then deliver the Convocation address.

#### VOTE OF THANKS

- 22) Then one of the members of the Executive Council nominated by the Vice-Chancellor shall raise and move the motion of the vote of thanks to the Convocation Orator.

## DISSOLUTION OF CONVOCATION

23) Then the Chancellor shall say:

I dissolve the Convocation.

## NATIONAL ANTHEM

24) Then National Anthem (BY RECORD) will be rendered.

## PROCESSION.

25) Then the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, Chief Guest, Rector, Members of Executive Council, Deans of the Faculties and Registrar shall leave the Convocation hall in procession in the same order as the first one with the Registrar leading.

Guests (invitees) and graduates will remain at their seats till the entire procession reaches the grace Committee's Room and disperse only after the Chancellor, the Chief Guest, the recipients of Honorary Degrees, and the Vice-Chancellor depart.

## PROCEDURE FOR HONORARY DEGREES

26) Nothing in the aforesaid statutes except Statutes 5, 6, 11, 12, 14 (5), 14 (6), and 15 in so far as they are applicable shall apply in the case of Honorary Degrees.

## ACADEMIC ROBES

The Academic Robes for the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, Rector, Members of the Executive Council, Registrar, Deans of faculties and candidates for the several degrees and diplomas shall be as presented below:

## CHANCELLOR

1) A purple terry velvet gown, made like an Oxford Proctor's dress gown, with two-inch gold lace down the fronts and round the bottom of the sleeves outside.

A black velvet academic cap, bound round with gold lace and gold tassel, nine inches long or such other head dress as the person holding the office is accustomed to wear.

## VICE-CHANCELLOR

2) A purple terry velvet gown same shape as the Chancellor's and trimmed in the same way, but with silver lace.

A cap like the Chancellor's but with silver lace and tassel, or a turban or such other head dress as the person holding the office is accustomed to wear.

## RECTOR

3) A deep blue velvet gown same shape as the Vice-Chancellor's and trimmed in the same way with silver lace.

A copy like the Vice-Chancellor's or a turban or such other head dress as the person holding the office is accustomed to wear.

## MEMBERS OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

4) A red gown of silk or stuff and a scarf of scarlet silk or stuff four inches wide, with a fringe of the same colour, three inches deep; A black velvet academic cap laced with scarlet silk or a turban or such other head dress as the person holding the office is accustomed to wear.

## DEANS OF

5) A deep blue velvet gown with yellow boarder.  
A black velvet academic cap laced with Yellow colour or a turban or such other head dress as the person holding the office is accustomed to wear.

## REGISTRAR

6) A black laced gown of silk or stuff.  
A black cloth, academic cap or a turban or such other head dress as the person holding the office is accustomed to wear.

## BACHELORS DEGREES

7) A gown made of black stuff, cut like the Cambridge B.A. gown.  
A hood made of black silk of stuff, edged inside with three inch wide lining of pale blue (Cambridge blue) colour.

8) a) PG DEGREE & DIPLOMAS.  
A white gown same as for Cambridge M.A. with blue border.  
A hood made of black cloth with three inches wide lining of silk of white colour.

b) SUPER SPECIALTY A white gown same as for Cambridge M.A. with scarlet border.  
A hood made of black silk with three inches wide lining of white colour.

## DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY AND DOCTOR OF SCIENCE

- 9) A gown made of white silk or stuff cut like the Cambridge M.A. gown with scarlet border.  
A hood made of black silk of stuff lined with scarlet silk of stuff.

## HONORARY DEGREES

- 10) A gown made of maroon silk or stuff with facings of yellow silk.  
A hood made of black silk or stuff lined with yellow silk.

17) **STATUTE ON CONSTITUTION OF BOARD OF STUDIES**

This Statute is made in pursuance of the Provision of Section 23 of the University of Health Sciences Act 1986 Section 23 reads as.

“THERE SHALL BE BOARDS OF STUDIES – ATTACHED TO EACH DEPARTMENT OF TEACHING AND RESEARCH. THE CONSTITUTION AND POWERS OF THE BOARDS OF STUDIES SHALL BE SUCH AS MAY BE PRESCRIBED BY THE STATUTES”.

1. There shall be separate Boards of Studies for Undergraduates and Postgraduate courses for each Branch / Department of the Faculty.
2. a) The University Professor or where there is no University Professor, the Head of the Department appointed as such by Executive Council in the Branch / Department of the faculty for which the Boards of Studies is constituted, shall ordinarily by an ex-officio member and Chairman.  
b) In the case of such branches / departments of the faculty, as are not administered by the University, the Vice-Chancellor shall nominate the Chairman.
3. a) The number of members of Boards of Studies shall not be more than 14, atleast one of whom shall be an expert nominated by the Vice-Chancellor in the Branch / Department from outside the University.  
b) The meeting of the Boards of Studies of Postgraduate and Undergraduate courses shall ordinarily be held on the same day adjusting timings.

4. a) Members of Board of Studies, other than the Chairman and nominated expert, shall be appointed by the Executive Council in consultation with the Dean of the faculty concerned and Heads of the Departments subjects concerned.  
b) The members of Boards of Studies shall hold Office for a period of 2 years, However, any member of the Boards of Studies shall cease to be a member when he vacates the office, which he was holding at the time of his appointment unless otherwise permitted by the Vice-Chancellor.
5. DUTIES AND POWERS:
  - a) It shall be the duty of each Boards of Studies to consider and report on any matter referred to it by the Academic Council for the Faculty concerned with the Branch / Department with which it deals.
  - b) Each Board shall have power to make recommendations to the Academic Council in the subject / subjects with which it deals.
  - c) Each Board shall have the power to recommend to Executive Council suitable persons for appointment as Examiners and paper setters in the subject with which it deals.
  - d) Each Board of Studies shall review the facilities in the department and take appropriate steps for providing courses of an integrated and inter-disciplinary nature.
  - e) Each Board of Studies shall take appropriate steps to determine the research needs of the Branch / Department and recommend for the provisions of Finance and facilities.
6. Meetings of the Boards of Studies jointly or severally shall ordinarily be convened on the advise of the Chairman by the Academic Officer who shall be the Ex:-Officio member secretary of all the Boards of Studies.
7. The Quorum for a meeting of Boards of Studies shall be half the number of members that constitute the Board of Studies.

ANNEXURE-I

## THE ANDHRA PRADESH GAZETTEE

PART-I - EXTRAORDINARY  
PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY

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No. 562.] HYDERABAD, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1986

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## NOTIFICATION BY GOVERNMENT

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENT OF DATE ON WHICH THE UNIVERSITY OF  
HEALTH SCIENCES ACT, 1986 SHALL COME INTO FORCE.

(G.O.Ms.No. 661, Health, Medical and Family Welfare (E1) Department, dt.  
13th, October, 1986.)

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (3) of section 1 of the University of Health Sciences, Act, 1986 (Act 6 of 1986), the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby appoints the 1st day of November, 1986 as the date on which the said Act shall come into force.

Dr.P.L.SANJEEVA REDDY,  
Secretary to Government.

ANNEXURE-II

## THE ANDHRA PRADESH GAZETTEE

PART-I - EXTRAORDINARY  
PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY

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No. 562.] HYDERABAD, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1986

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## NOTIFICATION BY GOVERNMENT

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES HEAD QUARTERS OF THE  
UNIVERSITY.

(G.O.Ms.No. 662, Health, Medical and Family Welfare (E1) Department, dt.  
13th, October, 1986.)

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of section 3 of the University of Health Sciences, Act, 1986 (Act 6 of 1986), the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby notice that the Headquarters of the University of Health Sciences shall be at Vijayawada.

Dr.P.L.SANJEEVA REDDY,  
Secretary to Government.

ANNEXURE-III.  
**THE ANDHRA PRADESH GAZETTEE**  
 PART IV-B - EXTRAORDINARY PUBLISHED BY  
 AUTHORITY.

No. 7 HYDERABAD, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1987.

ANDHRA PRADESH ACTS, ORDINANCES AND  
 REGULATIONS Etc.

The following Act of the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly received the assent of the Governor of the 4th February, 1987 and the said assent is hereby first published on the 4th, February, 1987 in the Andhra Pradesh Gazettee for general information:-

ACT No. 6 of 1987

An Act to amend the University of Health Sciences, Act, 1986.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the state of Andhra Pradesh in the Thirty-eight Year of Republic of India as follows:-

**Short Title.** 1) This Act may be called the University of Health Sciences (Amendment) Act, 1987.

**Amendment of section 8 of Act 6 of 1986.** 2) In the University of Health Sciences, Act, 1986 in Section 8; 1) after sub-section (2), the following sub-sections shall be inserted, namely:-

- 3) With effect from such date as may be notified:-
- a) the control and management of all the Medical Colleges, Teaching Hospitals, Dental Colleges, Nursing Colleges and Nursing Schools except Colleges and institutions of Indian system of Medicine (hereinafter under this section referred to as "institutions") shall stand transferred to and vest in the University and shall function under its administrative control;

b) all the properties, assets and liabilities rights and obligations, in relation to such institutions and all obligations of the Government in relation to them shall devolve upon the University;

c) every officer or employee who immediately before that date was working in any such institution shall continue to work on deputation with the University till he exercises the option to be absorbed in the service of the University; and

d) every officer or employee of the Directorate of Medical and Health Services who immediately before that date was dealing with the Medical Education shall continue to work on deputation with the University till he exercises the option to be absorbed in the service of the University;

Provided that :-

- i) the terms and conditions applicable to such officers and employees consequent on their absorption in the service of the University shall not be less favourable than those applicable to such employees immediately before such absorption as respects, pay and allowances, leave, pension, gratuity, provident fund and age of superannuation;
- ii) the service rendered by any such officer or employee in the aforesaid institutions and the Directorate of Medical and Health Services prior to their absorption in the service of University shall be deemed to be service under the University and he shall be entitled to count that service for the purpose of increments, leave, pension, provident fund and gratuity;
- iii) such of those officers and employees who do not opt for absorption in the service of the University may continue on deputation;

e) in addition to the staff absorbed in the service of the University under this sub-section, the University may appoint such other officers and employees on such terms as may be prescribed from time to time.

**Act 23 of 1984.** 4) “every officer and employee absorbed in the service of the University under sub-section (3) shall, notwithstanding anything in this Act, continue to hold such post subject to the provisions of the Andhra Pradesh Public Employment (Regulation of age of superannuation) Act, 1984 and such rules as may be made under the proviso to article 309 of the Constitution; and until such provision in that regard is so made, the law for such time being in force regulating recruitment and conditions of service applicable to such holder immediately before such date shall continue to apply to such holder.

D..J.JAGANADHA RAJU,  
Secretary to Government,  
Law and Legislative Affairs,  
Law Department

## ANNEXURE - IV

Government of Andhra Pradesh  
Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department

Letter No.943/E1/87-2, dt. 18-11-1987

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From  
The Addl. Secretary to Government,  
Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department,  
HYDERABAD.

To  
The Vice-Chancellor,  
University of Health Sciences,  
Gunadala,  
VIJAYAWADA - 520 005.

Sir,

Sub:- University of Health Sciences - Including of the  
Registrar as a Members to the Finance Committee - Reg.

Ref:- Your Lr.No.Fa/626/87, dated 3-5-1987.

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I am directed to refer to your letter cited and to state that Chancellor of the University of Health Sciences has approved on 3-10-1987 the proposal to amend Statute No.10(1) of the University of Health Sciences Act, 1986 to include the Registrar of the University as a member of the Finance Committee. You may take further action in the matter.

Yours faithfully,  
Sd. xx xx xx  
for Addl. Secretary to Government.



ANNEXURE-V  
THE ANDHRA PRADESH GAZETTE  
PART IV-B-EXTRAORDINARY  
PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY

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No.1 HYDERABAD, TUESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1988

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**ANDHRA PRADESH ACTS, ORDINANCES  
AND REGULATIONS, ETC.**

The following Act of the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly received the assent of the Governor on the 4th January, 1988 and the said assent is hereby first published on the 5th January, 1988 in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette for general information:-

**Act No. 1 of 1988**

An Act further to amend the University of Health Sciences Act, 1986.

BE it enacted by the Lagislative Assembly of the State of Andhra Pradesh in the Thirty-eighth year of the Republic of India as follows:-

1. (1) This Act may be called the University of Health Sciences (Amendments) Act, 1988 **Short title and commencement.**

2. (2) It shall be deemed to have come in to force on the 29th September, 1987.

2. In the University of Health Sciences Act, 1986 in section 8, **Amendment of section 8 Act of 1986.**

(1) for sub-sections (3) and (4), the following sub-section shall be substituted, namely:-

3) with effect on and from the commencement of the University of Health Sciences (Amendment) Act, 1988:-

- a) the control and management of all the Medical Colleges, Teaching Hospitals, Dental Colleges, Nursing Colleges and Nursing Schools in the State, except the Siddhartha Medical College, Vijayawada the Government General Hospital, Vijayawada and the Centre for training and Research in Community Health Sciences, Mangalagiri (here in after in this section referred to as "institutions"), shall stand transferred to and vest in the Government and shall function under the administrative control of the Government, as affiliated colleges of the University;
- b) all the prosperities, assets and liabilities, rights and obligations, in relation to such institutions and all obligations of the University in relation to them shall devolve upon the Government.;
- c) every officer or employees who immediately before such commencement was working in any such institution shall continue to work in such institution as it's employees not withstanding that he exercised the option to be absorbed in the service of the University; and
- d) every officer or employee of the Directorate of Medical and Health Services who immediately before such commencement was working on deputation with the University shall be deemed to be the employee of the Government not withstanding that he exercised the option to be absorbed in the services of the University;

Provided that the service rendered by any such Officer or employee in the University prior to such commencement shall be deemed to be service under the Government and he shall be entitled to count that service for the purpose of increments, leave, pension, provident fund and gratuity".

3) The University of Health Sciences Amendment Ordinance, 1987 is hereby repealed.

**Repeal of  
Ordinance  
8 of 1987**

D.NARAYANA RAO  
Secretary to Government  
Law and Legislative Affairs,  
Law Department.

## ANNEXURE-VI

Government of Andhra Pradesh  
Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department

Letter No.304/E1/88-4, dt. 31-3-1988

From  
The Secretary to Government,  
Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department,  
HYDERABAD.

To  
The Vice-Chancellor,  
University of Health Sciences,  
Gunadala,  
VIJAYAWADA.

Sir,

Sub:- University of Health Sciences Act, 1986 (Act No.6 of 1986)  
Amendment to Statute 1 (1)(b) of University of Health  
Sciences Act - Regarding.

Ref:- Proceedings of the E.C. of U.H.S. held on 9-2-1988.

I am directed to refer to the Proceedings cited and to state that the Chancellor of the University of Health Sciences has approved on 14-2-1988, the proposal to delete the first proviso under statute 1 (1) (b) viz., "Provided that in no case, the Vice-Chancellor shall hold office beyond the age of sixty-five years".

I am therefore directed to request you to take further necessary action.

Yours faithfully,  
Sd/- P.Hanumantha Rao  
for Secretary to Government

## ANNEXURE-VII

THE ANDHRA PRADESH GAZETTE  
PART IV-B-EXTRAORDINARY  
**PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY**

No.15.] HYDERABAD, SATURDAY, APRIL 7, 1990

ANDHRA PRADESH ACTS, ORDINANCES

AND REGULATIONS, ETC.

The following Act of the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly received the assent of the Governor on the 2nd April, 1990 and the said assent is hereby first published on the 7th April, 1990 in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette for general information:-

**Act No. 5 of 1990**

An Act further to Amend the University of Health Sciences Act, 1986.

BE it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Andhra Pradesh in the Forty-first year of the Republic of India, as follows:-

1. (1) This Act may be called the University of Health Sciences (Amendments) Act, 1990 **Short title and commencement.**  
(2) It shall be deemed to have come in to force on the 5th February, 1990.
2. In the University of Health Sciences Act, 1986 in section 11, insub-section (1), for the words "Chief Minister", the word "Governor" shall be substituted. **Amendment of section 11 Act 6 of 1986.**
3. The University of Health Sciences (Amendment) Ordinance, 1990 is hereby repealed. **Repeal of Ordinance 1 of 1990.**

P.V.VIDYA SAGAR,  
Secretary to Government,  
Law and Legislative Affairs,  
Law Department.

ANNEXURE-VIII  
**STATUTE ON AFFILIATIONS**

In Exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of section-31 of the Andhra Pradesh University of Health Sciences act, 1986 (Act No.6 of 1986) the Executive Council hereby makes the following statutes in respect of the conditions of affiliation of recognition of Colleges and Institutions.

I) a) Definitions:

- i) “affiliated college” means a college affiliated to the University as providing course of study qualifying students for admission to the University examinations in accordance with the regulations prescribed.
- ii) The colleges in the University area that are now affiliated to the various Universities in the state i.e., Osmania University, Kakatiya University, Andhra University, Nagarjuna University and Sri Venkateswara University shall be and shall have the privileges of the affiliated colleges under the Act.
- iii) The University shall have the power to admit the colleges to affiliation as a professional college (Modern Medicine, Ayurveda Medicine, Homoeopathy and Yoga), Nursing College, College of Pharmacy or any other colleges of allied Sciences in accordance with the statutes.

b) Authority competent to grant affiliation / recognition.

The Executive Council shall have the power to-

- i) affiliate any college within the University area as an affiliated college on such general or special conditions as may be prescribed. The Executive Council shall however consult the academic council or it’s standing committee when the academic council is not in session before granting the affiliation. The affiliation may also be granted separately for each subject or for each specified stage of University Instruction.

- ii) recognize a college or institution for imparting instruction to students, preparing for research degree or for any University examination for awarding degrees, diplomas and certificates.

II) APPLICATION FOR AFFILIATION OR RECOGNITION:

1) Procedure for sending an Application:

An application in the prescribed form (10 copies) with enclosures for affiliation of a college or recognition of a college or institution shall be

- a) made by an officer authorized by Government for the purpose in the case of an institution owned and maintained by Government and by the Governing body in the case of other institutions;
- b) addressed to the Registrar,
- c) submitted before the 1<sup>st</sup> of September preceding the academic year from which the courses are proposed to be started;
- d) accompanied by a copy of G.O., issued by the Government of Andhra Pradesh permitting the starting of the college.
- e) the Executive Council will appoint a screening committee which will consider all applications received;

2) Fees to be remitted along with the application for affiliation or recognition.

Every college shall pay alongwith the application to the University an initial fee of rupees one thousand for affiliation.

3) Information to be furnished with each application:

The application for affiliation (or recognition) shall contain full information on the following matters; namely:-

- a) Constitution and personnel of the Governing body (college or institution run by the Government need not furnish this information).
- b) Subjects and courses in which affiliation or recognition is sought.

- c) Previous application, if any, for affiliation or recognition in the same subjects to the University and their disposal.
- d) The financial resources of the college:  
Particulars to be given of the cost of buildings and equipment proposed to be obtained, the amount of money available for the purpose and the money available from Endowment fund. Certified copies of trust Deeds or Title Deeds of Gift or Endowment Deeds, etc., executed in favour or for the benefit of the institution should be sent alongwith their application.

If additional sums are expected, the source from which they are expected and the probable date of their receipt. (college or institution run by Government need not furnish this information).

- e) the accommodation, equipment and staff now available or proposed to be provided on account of the present application.
- f) the hostel accommodation for students.
- g) the total area of ground available and the extent of play grounds.
- h) sanitary arrangements, tiffin rooms and other amenities to students.
- i) the application shall further contain the assurance that after the college is affiliated the management will confirm to abide and be bound by the provisions of the code of the University for the time being and will report forthwith to the Executive Council any transference of management and / or of all changes in teaching staff for its approval.

Note: The information relating to existing and proposed accommodation should be accompanied by drawings.

- 4) Conditions to be satisfied by every college / institution applying for application / recognition.

Every college applying for affiliation / recognition shall satisfy the Executive Council with regard to the following particulars (Government colleges / institutions are exempted from the conditions. a to d)

- a) that it is under the management of regularly constituted governing body or Managing Committee on which shall be represented the Principal atleast one other senior member of the teaching staff.

Note: For the purpose of this clause a regularly constituted governing body appointed by a society or a trust, duly registered.

- b) that the governing body or the Managing Committee shall have atleast two representatives of the University nominated by the Vice-Chancellor and one Representative of the Government of Andhra Pradesh from the Medical Education Department nominated by the Government. The Governing body shall have as its members among others not less than seven or not more than ten persons including (a) the Principal of the College (Ex-officio), (b) two persons nominated by the Vice-Chancellor to represent the University (c) one person nominated by the State Government to represent the Government from Medical Education Department and (d) one person from the teaching staff of the college concerned by election from among themselves. It shall however be competent to the Executive Council to allow any management to have a common Governing body for a group of colleges of Medical and allied subjects, under its control subject to the condition that the accounts and minutes shall be maintained separately for each college.

In addition to the Governing Body the College shall have a General Body which will be deliberative body.

- c) other members shall be elected from among the General Body.
- d) that any change in the constitution and composition of the Governing body or the Managing Committee of the College shall be reported forthwith to the Executive Council for approval.
- e) Every affiliated college other than a Government college shall be managed by a regularly constituted Governing Body in which the teaching staff is represented, appointed by the person or body maintaining the college, the constitution of which shall be periodically reported to and approved by the Executive Council.
- f) that the traveling allowance to the University representatives on the Governing Body of the Managing Committee will be paid by the Management of colleges in accordance with the rules by which they are governed in the University.
- g) that taking into account the medical educational facilities already available in the area, it satisfied a demand for education in medical and allied sciences in the locality where such institution is proposed to be established.
- h) that no person shall be excluded from admission to the college or institution on grounds only of religion, race, caste, sex, place of birth or any of them and that no test whatsoever of religious belief or profession is adopted or imposed on any person in order to entitle him for admission to the college / institution.
- i) that the qualifications of the teaching staff and the conditions governing their tenure of office are such as to made due provision for instruction in the subject for which the college desired affiliation and are in accordance with the Medical Council of India regulations.

- j) just the financial resources of the college are such that due provision is made for its continued maintenance in the efficient manner; Government colleges are exempted from this condition.
  - k) that separate common rooms have been provided for women.
  - l) that the buildings are suitable as regards rooms, floor space and cubic space;
    - i) that the lecture rooms are well lit and ventilated;
    - ii) the accommodation, equipment, hostels and play grounds are adequate for the number of classes and the strength and satisfy the conditions laid down.
  - m) that due and suitable provision has been made for a library containing books as well as periodicals, so that both the staff and students may find adequate material for their work and studies;
  - n) that such other matters as are essential for the welfare of the students and the maintenance of the one and standards of University Education are satisfactorily observed.
- 5) Funds Required to be shown at the time of submission of the application.  
Any college seeking affiliation in various courses shall abide by the CAPITAL FUND – NON RECURRING:
- Payment of security deposit has been waived off by the Exeuctive Council in its meeting held on 20-12-2001.
- The sources for the permanent in-come will have to either in the form of:
1. Interest on long term fixed deposits;
  2. Properly in the name of the management for which income would be calculated at the rate of 60%
  3. Donations from statutory bodies, trusts, etc.

Note: Consideration of Application:

- i) Procedure on Receipt of Application:
  - 1) The Executive Council may call for any further information which it may deem necessary before proceeding with the application or may advise the management that the application is premature and that it should be submitted in a subsequent year, or may decline to proceed with the application if it is satisfied that the arrangements made or likely to be made before the beginning of the academic year in which the courses are to be started, are not adequate or suitable or if the college has failed to observe the conditions laid down in respect of any previous affiliation.
  - 2) If the Executive Council decides to proceed with the application, it shall direct an enquiry to be made by an inspection commission appointed in this behalf and consisting of the following:
    - a) Principal of one of the colleges and two senior professors nominated by the Vice-Chancellor (of the concerned faculty) one of whom should be nominated as Chairman.
    - b) The Registrar, Ex-Officio Secretary (if the Registrar is unable to join the Commission any other Deputy / Assistant Registrar of the University nominated by the Vice-Chancellor).

Note: The charges of the inspection commission (or adhoc committee) shall be borne by the college or institution concerned as per University rules.
  - 3) The report or the inspection commission along with the recommendations of the Vice-Chancellor based thereon shall be placed before the Academic Council for opinion and thereafter be submitted, with recommendation of the Academic Council to the Executive Council for final decision, in case the affiliation or recognition is granted the fact shall be reported to the Academic Council and the Executive Council at their next meeting.

- ii) With drawal of application for affiliation:  
An application for affiliation or recognition may be withdrawn at any time before an order has been passed by the Executive Council provided that the college shall not be entitled to a refund of the fee paid.

### III) AFFILIATION:

#### 1) Provisional Affiliation:

The affiliation or recognition granted shall be in the first instance provisional for a period of three years, provided that if the college or institution is not started in the academic year for which affiliation has been granted, the management should send prior intimation to the University, otherwise the affiliation granted shall lapse.

The conditions which should be fulfilled by the college or institution before the expiry of this period shall be specified in the order of the Executive Council granting the affiliation or recognition. If at the end of the period the conditions are not fulfilled, the Executive Council may extend the period of provisional affiliation or recognition for such period as it may decide.

#### 2) Permanent Affiliation

Every college or institution that has been granted provisional affiliation or recognition shall atleast 6 months before the expiry of the period of provisional affiliation or recognition apply to the Registrar requesting for permanent affiliation or recognition.

The Executive Council shall appoint an inspection commission to report on the working of the college or institution and the fulfillment of the conditions. If the working of college or institution is satisfactory and the conditions are fulfilled, the Executive Council shall have the power at the end of the period, to grant permanent affiliation or recognition.

Note: The charges of the Inspection Commission shall be borne by the college or institution concerned as per the University rules.

- 3) Affiliation / Recognition not granted with retrospective effect.  
Affiliation or recognition shall not be granted to any college or institution with retrospective effect.
- 4) Affiliation in additional subjects:-  
Where a college desires to add to the courses of study in respect of which it is already affiliated the following procedure shall be followed:  
An application in prescribed form, in copies, for affiliation in additional subjects shall
  - a) made by an officer authorized by Government for the purpose in the case of an institution owned and maintained by Government and by the Governing body in the case of other institutions.
  - b) Addressed to the Registrar.
  - c) Submitted before the 1<sup>st</sup> of January proceeding the academic year from which the courses are proposed to be started.
  - d) Accompanied by a copy of the Government order issued by the Government of Andhra Pradesh permitting the starting of the new courses.
- 5) Affiliation / Recognition fees (Recurring)
  - a) Every college or institution that is granted provisional affiliation on recognition shall pay to the University recurring affiliation or recognition fee of rupees three thousands per annum, provided that they will be eligible for exemption if intimation to the effect that the course was not started is given in proper time.
  - b) The above fees shall be paid within the closures of the financial year to which they relate.
- 6) Medium of instruction:  
The medium of instruction of affiliated colleges shall be English and any other language approved by the Executive Council in consultation with the Academic Council on such conditions as may be prescribed.
- 7) General Inspection Commission:  
The Executive Council shall appoint a General Inspection Commission consisting of some experts to inspect every affiliated

colleges or recognized colleges or institutions atleast once in five years and whenever the necessity may arise.

- 8) Charges of Inspection Commission:  
The management of the college concerned shall meet the cost of the inspection commission as per the University Rules.
  - 1) a) Sitting fees of the members of the Commission or committee  
Rs.100/- per member.
  - b) Journey fees
    - i) Air Journey
    - ii) Railway Journey
    - iii) Road Journey
  - 2) For office staff accompanying the commission or committee.
  - 3) Halting allowance (DA)

As per University Rules.
- IV) Lapse of Privileges:
  - 1) Suspension of instructions and lapse of privileges:  
The Executive Council shall have power, at any time after due enquiry and in consultation with the Academic Council, to recommend to the Executive Council the withdrawal or suspension for a definite period, in whole or in part the privileges of affiliation or recognition granted to a college or institution if the conditions of affiliation or recognition are not fulfilled or observed, or for gross mis-management, or if for any other reasons the Executive Council is of the opinion that the college or institution should be deprived of such privileges either in whole or in part.  
  
Provided that before passing such orders, the University shall inform the management of the college or institution concerned of its finding after the enquiry, and shall allow it an opportunity of making such representation as it may deem necessary.  
  
It shall be open to an affiliated college after obtaining the previous approval of the Executive Council to suspend instruction from the beginning of an academic year in any subject or subjects in which the college is affiliated, provided that such suspension does not involve suspension of an entire course of study.

The classes in the subject or subjects suspended shall not be restored without obtaining the previous sanction of the Executive Council and if the work is not resumed at the end of a period of three years, the affiliation previously granted shall be regarded as having lapsed.

Provided that wherein any year a college being prepared to make the usual arrangements to give instruction in subjects in which it has been affiliated or recognized, does not for want of students offer instruction in one or more these subjects and if it reports to Executive Council before the 1<sup>st</sup> of September, it shall not be deemed that the college has suspended instruction in the subject or subjects concerned.

Any college that wishes to suspend instruction in a course of study may do so with the prior approval of the Executive Council but shall have to apply a fresh for affiliation, it is intends to revise the course.

## 2) Closure of College / Institution

In the management of any college / institution proposes to close down the college / institution, it shall take action as follows:

- a) Inform the University about their intention of closing the college institution and obtain its approval.
- b) Give notice of atleast one year, after obtaining University's approval to all the staff of the College / Institution:
- c) Notify to the students a year before the closure of the college / institution.

## 3) Selection committee for appointment of teachers:

Every affiliated colleges shall have a duly constituted selection committee for recruitment to the teaching staff and there shall be atleast two representatives of the University nominated by the Vice-Chancellor on it. The Vice-Chancellor, University of Health sciences shall be the chairman of the

Selection Committee. The recommendations made by the Selection Committee shall be reported to the Vice-Chancellor for approval, he shall satisfy himself they meet the requirements of the University.

For the appointments of the teaching staff, the management shall take action as follows:

- i) advertise the post in atleast three daily news papers of which one is National and 2 are state having wide circulation.
- ii) Send a copy to the Registrar.
  - a) of the advertisement mentioning the names of the daily news papers to which it has been sent for publication together with the relevant cuttings from the newspapers.
  - b) a copy of the statement, in the prescribed proforma showing the name and qualifications of all those who had applied in response to the advertisement.
  - c) the selection committee consisting of principal of the college, Head of the Department of the concerned subject, two representatives of the University nominated by the Vice-Chancellor and government nominee of the Medical Education Department. Atleast one representative of the University and the representative of the Government should be considered as essential for completing the quorum for selection.

## 4) Staff Council:

Every affiliated college shall have a duly constituted staff council properly representative of the senior teaching staff, to advise the principal regarding the internal affairs of the college and no such other matters as the principal may determine.

## 5) Levies and Cuts:

No college shall impose review from its teaching staff for institution recurring or non-recurring scholarships or for meeting the general or special expenditure of the college or impose acts cuts for any other purpose without prior sanction of the Executive Council.

- 6) Terms, Vacations, Admissions, Attendance, Examinations etc. Students Selection:-



No capitation fee should be collected from the college students, students should be admitted on the basis of the common entrance test in the order of merit following the constitutional reservations. The tuition fees enhanced by the affiliated college should have prior approval of Executive Council.

The terms, vacations, conditions for admission of students, attendance, examinations, promotions and hours of work in an affiliated college shall be the same as those prescribed for the constituent college of the University from time to time.

Provided, however, that if any affiliated college wishes to effect change, it may do so only with the prior approval of the Vice-Chancellor.

7) Residence of Students:

When hostel accommodation is provided for students by any affiliated college, the arrangements shall be of a standard to be approved by the Executive Council of this University.

8) Facilities for Games and Physical Training:

Every affiliated college shall provide facilities for the students for playing games and for physical training, and shall make adequate arrangements for instructor playgrounds and proper equipment for this purpose.

9) Medical Inspection of Students:

Every affiliated college shall make provision for annual medical examination of its students.

10) Registers to be maintained:

Every affiliated college shall maintain the following registers:-

- a) A register of admissions and withdrawals.
- b) A register of attendance for each class in each subject.
- c) A register of fees paid showing date of payments.
- d) A counter foil fee receipt book.
- e) A register of Merit Scholarships.
- f) A register of bursaries and Freshships

- g) A counterfoil book of Transfer Certificates
- h) A register of marks obtained by each student at the college examination.
- i) A register of members of the staff showing their qualifications, salaries, number of hours of work classes and subjects they take and other personal record.
- j) A register of endowments and donations.
- k) Account books showing the financial transactions of the college.
- l) Other registers as may be found necessary.

11) Periodical Returns to be maintained:

- a) Every affiliated college shall forward to the University at the end of the first term in each academic year a list of its teaching staff, the number of students enrolled in various classes and additions to the laboratories and the library.
- b) Every affiliated college shall furnish such other information as the University may require from time to time to enable it to judge the efficiency and progress of the college.
- c) Any change in the staff shall be reported to the University within fifteen days of its occurrence.

12) General:

Every college affiliated to or recognized by the University shall confirm to and be bound by the rules of the University that are now in force, or that may be framed from time to time.

V) Penalties & withdrawals of recognition etc.

- 1) Each college shall be subject to inspection from time to time by committee of competent persons appointed by Vice-Chancellor.

The Executive Council may call upon any college so inspected to take within the specified period such action as may appear to it to be necessary in respect of any matters referred to it.

The University shall have the right to institute an enquiry or appoint an enquiry committee if there are substantial allegations of irregularities of administrative, financial or academic nature, against the college.

The Executive Council may impose one or more of the following penalties on the management of non-government affiliated college, which violates or deviates from the University rules, regulations, ordinances, statutes, standing orders of Executive Council and directions issued by Executive Council from time to time.

- a) Withholding consideration of the teachers of the college for purpose of appointment as examiner.
  - b) With holding recognition of the college as an examination center.
  - c) With holding grant of further affiliation in new courses of study.
  - d) With holding recommendation to the University Grants Commission or other authorities of the proposals made by the College for grants.
  - e) Recommending to the University Grants Commission or other authorities for stoppage or discontinuance of grants to the College in respect of proposals already sanctioned.
  - f) Recommending to the State Government to withhold grants in aid to the college.
  - g) Suspending the college Governing body and appointing and adhoc committee in its place.
  - h) With holding grants of renewal of conditions affiliation to the college.
- 2) All directions issued by the University to an affiliated college an any matter concerning the administration of the college for ensuing sound administration and academic standards, the management of principal of the college shall comply with such directions within the limits prescribed for such compliance of or fails to adhore to the standing orders of the Executive Council and other provisions in the University code, the name of such college may be included by the Executive

Council in a register which may be called “Sanctions Register”. As soon as an entry is made in this register the University shall keep in abeyance all action which gives benefits to the college.

“If a college fails to comply with the directions even after three months from the date of intimation to the college of entry of its name in the sanctions Register the Executive Council shall have power to supersede the management and appoint an adhoc committee to look after the affairs of the college for a specified period.

#### VI) Essential Requirements:

- |                           |                                      |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| a) Financial Requirements | as per Medical Council of India      |
| b) Physical Requirements  | Regulations and Regulations of       |
| i) Buildings              | Nursing Council of India, Dental     |
| ii) Equipment             | Council of India, Central Council of |
| c) Academic Requirements  | Indian Medicine, Pharmaceutical      |
|                           | Council of India, Central            |
|                           | Council of Homoeopathy.              |

CHANCELLOR, NTR UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES GAVE  
ASSENT TO THE STATUTE ON AFFILIATIONS VIDE LETTER  
NO. 07590/E1/90-3, DT. 2-1-1991.  
A COPY OF THE LETTER FOLLOWS:

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT  
Letter No.07590/E1/90-3

From  
Asst. Secretary to Government,  
Health, Medical and Family Welfare Department,  
Hyderabad.

To  
The Registrar,  
A.P.University of Health sciences,  
Gunadala, Vijayawada.

Dt. 2-1-1991,  
Hyderabad.

Sir,

Sub:- University of Health Sciences – Statutes governing affiliation  
of Colleges – Assent of the Chancellor, University of Health  
sciences – Reg.

Ref:- From the Registrar, University of Health Sciences letter  
No.5107/Ag/88, dt. 29-3-1990 addressed to the Chancellor.

I am directed to inform you that the Chancellor, A.P. University of  
Health Sciences has assented to the statutes governing affiliation of colleges,  
a copy of which is enclosed.

I am to request you to take further action.

Yours faithfully,  
Sd/- xxxx  
for Asst. Secretary to Government

//TRUE COPY//

ANNEXURE-IX

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
HEALTH MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Letter No. 306 / E1 / 98-10.

From  
Additional Secretary to Government,  
Health, Medical and Family Welfare Department,  
HYDERABAD.

To  
The Registrar,  
University of Health Sciences,  
Gunadala, VIJAYAWADA.

Sir,

Hyderabad, dt. 20-7-1991.

Sub:- University of Health Sciences - Statute on service  
conditions of Registrar, University of Health Sciences -  
Assent of the Chancellor, University of Health Sciences -  
Communication of.

Ref:- From the Registrar i/c., University of Health Sciences  
Lr.No. 1/Mg/87, dt. 13-2-1989.

I am directed to invite attention to the reference cited and to state that  
the Chancellor of University of Health Sciences (His Excellency the Governor)  
has accorded his assent to the statute on service conditions of Registrar,  
University of Health Sciences as required under subsection (4) of section 31 of  
University of Health Sciences Act. A copy of the statute as approved by the  
Chancellor is enclosed.

Yours faithfully,  
Sd/-G.V.Jagandham,  
for Additional Secretary to Government.

**CLEAN COPY OF STATUTE VETTED BY LAW DEPARTMENT**

In exercise of his powers conferred by subsection (2) of section 31 of the University of Health Sciences Act, 1986 (A.P. Act No. 6 of 1986) the Executive Council of University of Health Sciences hereby makes the following amendment to statute 2 of the statutes in the Second Schedule.

**AMENDMENT**

In the same statute for statute (1) the following shall be substituted, namely:-

1. (a) The Registrar shall be a wholetime Officer of the University.
  - (b) i) He shall be appointed by the Executive Council.
  - ii) He shall be appointed
    - i) On deputation (or)
    - ii) Through Direct Recruitment.
  - iii) He must be an academician in the field of Medical Sciences not lower in rank than of a Professor with five years standing (or) an officer not below the rank of Deputy Secretary in Government (or) an Officer of the University not below the rank of Joint Registrar.
  - iv) The Registrar, shall hold office for a term of three years from the date of his appointment and he shall be eligible for re-appointment for a second term.
- c) The scale of pay of Registrar shall be the same as he was drawing in his original post or the Deputy Secretary to Government of Andhra Pradesh or the scale of pay attached to the post of Registrar in other University.
- d) Any other allowances as may be decided by the Executive Council.

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Sd/- xx xx xx,  
Section Officer.

**ANNEXURE - X**

THE ANDHRA PRADESH GAZETTE  
PART-IV-B EXTRAORDINARY  
PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY

No.4 HYDERABAD, THURSDAY, JANUARY 8, 1998

ANDHRA PRADESH ACTS, ORDINANCES AND  
REGULATIONS Etc.

The following Act of the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly received the assent of the Governor on the 5th January, 1998 and the said assent is hereby first published on the 8th January, 1998 in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette for general information:-

ACT No. 4 of 1998

**AN ACT FURTHER TO AMEND THE UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES ACT, 1986.**

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Andhra Pradesh in the Forty-eight year of the Republic of India as follows:-

- 1) (1) This Act may be called the University of Health Sciences (Amendment) Act, 1998. **Short title and commencement**  
(2) It shall come into force on such date as the Government may, by notification, appoint.
- 2) In the University of Health Sciences Act, 1986 (hereinafter referred to as the Principal Act), **Amendment of Section 1 Act 6 of 1986.** in Sub-section (1) of Section 1, for the expression "The University of Health Sciences Act, 1986", the expression "N.T.R. University of Health Sciences Act, 1986" shall be substituted.

- Amendment of Section 2.** 3) In section 2 of the principal Act :-  
 (a) for Clause (a), the following shall be substituted namely:-  
 (a) 'Academic Senate' means the " the Academic Senate of the University";  
 (b) in Clause (w), for the words "the University of Health Sciences" the words "N.T.R. University of Health Sciences" shall be substituted.
- Amendment of section 3.** 4) In sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Principal Act, for the words "the University of Health Sciences" and "Academic Council", the words "N.T.R. University of Health Sciences" and "Academic Senate" shall respectively be substituted.
- Amendment of section 12.** 5) In section 12 of the Principal Act, in sub-section (1), for the words "from out of a panel of names in the alphabetical order", the words "from out of a panel of names of distinguished educationalists in the field of medicine in the alphabetical order" shall be substituted.
- Amendment of section 18.** 6) In section 18 of the Principal Act, for item (ii), the following shall be substituted namely:-  
 " (ii) Academic Senate",
- Amendment of Section 20.** 7) In section 20 of the principal Act :-  
 (a) in sub-section (1), for the words "Academic Council" the words "Academic Senate" shall be substituted;  
 (b) in sub-section (2), for the words "Academic Council" the words "Academic Senate" shall be substituted;  
 (c) in the marginal heading, for the words "Academic Council" the words "Academic Senate" shall be substituted.
- Amendment of section 24.** 8) For section 24 of the principal Act, along with marginal heading, the following new section shall be substituted, namely :-

24. Save as otherwise provided, the members of the Executive Council, the Academic Senate and the planning Board shall be reconstituted at or about the same time every three years and the members of these authorities shall except in the case of ex-officio members hold office as members thereof upto the date of next reconstitution."
- 9) In the Second Schedule to the principal Act:-  
 (a) in the statute 4, in clause (1), under the heading "Class II - other members"  
 (i) for item (vii) , the following shall be substituted, namely :-  
 (vii) three eminent educationalists in the field of medicine representing the interests of Health Sciences in the state to be nominated by the Government";  
 (ii) after item (viii), the following shall be added, namely:-  
 (ix) three professors from the faculties of the affiliated colleges of the University to be nominated by the Government" .
- (b) for statute 7 and the heading, the following shall be substituted, namely:-  
 "THE ACADEMIC SENATE"  
 7. The Academic Senate shall consist of the following persons, namely:-  
 1) the Vice-Chancellor;  
 2) the Rector;  
 3) all members of the Executive Council;  
 4) all principals of affiliated colleges;  
 5) twenty professors from affiliated colleges other than Principals nominated by the Vice-Chancellor;  
 6) three Professors from Indian System of Medicine one each from Ayurveda, Unani and Homeopathy System of Medicine nominated by the Government;  
 7) four professors having proficiency in Modern Medical Sciences nominated by the Government;  
 8) the Director, Institute of Genetics;  
 9) the Director, Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad.

**Term of office of members of the Executive Council, the academic Senate and the planing Board, Amendment of Second schedule.**

- 10) the Director, Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupathi;
- 11) the Director, National Institute of Nutrition;
- 12) the Deputy Director, incharge of Extension Education; National Institute of Nutrition, Hyderabad;
- 13) three Professors of the affiliated colleges other than the members specified in item 5 belonging to scheduled castes / scheduled tribes nominated by the Vice-Chancellor”.

(c) in statute 9 in clause (2), to item (ii), the following shall be added, at the end, namely :-

“ and one shall be a nominee of the Medical Council of India”.

**Substitution of the words “Academic Senate” for the words “Academic Council”.**

- 10) Throughout the principal Act, for the words “Academic Council” wherever they occur, the words “Academic Senate” shall be substituted.

**Transitional provision**

- 11) On the commencement of the University of Health Sciences (Amendment) Act, 1997:-
  - a) the members of the Academic Council constituted and functioning before the commencement of the University of Health Sciences (Amendment) Act, 1997 (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), shall continue to be such members and function only until the Academic Senate is re-constituted in accordance with the provisions of the principal Act as amended by the said Act ;
  - b) Upon the reconstitution of the Academic Senate, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, the members of the Academic Council holding office as such members immediately before such reconstitution shall cease to hold office as such members.

G.BHAVANI PRASAD,  
Secretary to Government,  
Legislative Affairs and Justice,  
Law Department.

Government of Andhra Pradesh  
Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department

Letter No.2540/E1/87-1, dt. 6-1-1988

From  
The Secretary to Government,  
Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department,  
HYDERABAD.

To  
The Vice-Chancellor,  
University of Health Sciences,  
Gunadala,  
VIJAYAWADA.

Sir,

Sub:- UHS – Constitution of Boards of Studies – Consent of the Chancellor communicated.

Ref:- Your Lr.No.10079/AC/87, dt. 11-11-1987.

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I am directed to refer to your letter cited on the above subject and to state that the Chancellor of the University (the Chief Minister) has accorded his assent on 30-2-1987 to the draft statute, constitutions of Board of Studies, enclosed to your letter cited. You may take further necessary action in the matter.

Yours faithfully,  
Sd/- X X X X X  
for Secretary to Government

## ANNEXURE-XI

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT

University of Health Sciences (Amendment) Act, 1998 - Appointment of date of which the University of Health Sciences (Amendment) Act, 1998 come into force - Notified.

## HEALTH MEDICAL &amp; FAMILY WELFARE (E1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.24

Dt. 24-1-98

Act No.4 of 1998 published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette Part-IV-B Extraordinary issue dt. 8-1-98.

## ORDER:

The following Notification will be published in the Extraordinary issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette dated the 29th January, 1998.

## NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of Section 1 of the University of Health Sciences (Amendment) Act, 1998 (Act No.4 of 1998), the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby appoints the 2nd February, 1998 as the date on which the said Amendment Act shall come into force.

S.ANWAR  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

ANNEXURE-XII  
THE ANDHRA PRADESH GAZETTE  
PART IV-B-EXTRAORDINARY  
PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY

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No.15 ] HYDERABAD, SATURDAY, APRIL 21, 2001

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ANDHRA PRADESH ACTS, ORDINANCES AND  
REGULATIONS Etc.

The following Act of the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly received the assent of the Governor on the 20th April, 2001 and the said assent is hereby first published on the 21st April, 2001 in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette for general information:-

ACT No. 15 of 2001

An ACT FURTHER TO AMEND THE N.T.R. UNIVERSITY  
OF HEALTH SCIENCES ACT, 1986.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Andhra Pradesh in the Fifty-second year of the Republic of India as follows:-

- 1) (1) This Act may be called the N.T.R. University of **Short title and**  
Health Sciences (Amendment) Act, 2001. **Commencement.**  
(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force with effect from the 22nd day of December, 2000.
- 2) In the N.T.R. University of Health Sciences Act, 1986, in section 8:-  
(1) in sub-section (3), in clause (a), the words, "except the Siddhartha Medical College, Vijayawada, the Government General Hospital, Vijayawada and the centre for Training and Research in Community Health Sciences, Mangalagiri (hereinafter in this section referred to as "Institutions")", shall be omitted.  
(2) after sub-section (3) the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely:-  
“(4) With effect on and from the commencement of the N.T.R. University of Health Sciences (Amendment) Act, 2001,-

(a) the control and management of the following institutions shall stand transferred to and vest in the Government and they shall function under the administrative control of the Government, as affiliated colleges of the University:-

1. Siddhartha Medical College, Vijayawada with attached Hospitals, namely:-

(a) University General Hospital, Vijayawada.

(b) University General Hospital, Mangalagiri.

(c) Mangalagiri Hospital, Mangalagiri.

(d) Rural Health Centre, Nimmakuru.

(e) S.V.R.K.M.Hospital, Vuyyuru.

(f) Yarlagadda Venkanna Chowdary Oncology Wing & Research Centre, Chinakakani, Guntur District.

2. University Dental College and Hospital, Vijayawada.

3. School of Nursing, Mangalagiri.

(b) all the properties, assets (except unfinished building and appurtenant land) and liabilities, rights and obligations in relation to the institutions as specified in clause (a) and all obligations of the University in relation to them shall devolve upon the Government.

(c) every regular officer or employee who immediately prior to such commencement was working in any of the institutions as specified in clause (a) shall continue to work on deputation as its employee till absorption; and

(d) all temporary employees who immediately prior to such commencement were working in any of these institutions as specified in clause (a) shall continue to work in the institutions in accordance with the relevant Government orders from time to time.

Provided that the services rendered by any such officer or employee in the University prior to such commencement shall be deemed to be service under the Government and he / she shall be entitled to count that service for the purpose of increments, promotion, leave, pension, provident fund and gratuity.”

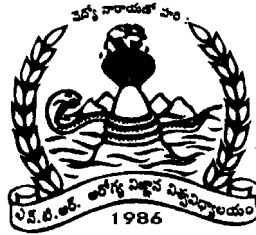
G.TRINANDHA RAO,  
Secretary to Government (I/c.)  
Legislative Affairs & Justice,  
Law Department.

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