

PROCEEDINGS OF THE 44th MEETING OF RESIDENT INSTRUCTION COMMITTEE (RIC) HELD ON 25.03.2022 AT 03:30 P.M. IN THE OFFICE OF DEAN, PGS, LUVAS, HISAR.

The following officers were present:-

Sr. No.	Name	Designation	Remarks
1.	Dr. J.B.Phogat	Dean, PGS, LUVAS	Chairman
2.	Dr. Parveen Goel	DR/Registrar, LUVAS	-do-
3.	Dr. V.K. Jain	Dean, COVS, LUVAS	-do-
4.	Dr. J.B.Phogat	Dean, CODST, LUVAS	-do-
5.	Dr. Nirmal Sangwan	DHRM, LUVAS, Hisar	-do-
6.	Dr. A.S. Yadav	Director, IPVS/DEE, LUVAS	-do-
7.	Dr. Trilok Nanda	DSW-cum-EO/Registrar, LUVAS	-do-
8.	Dr. S. P. Dahiya	Professor, AGB,COVS, LUVAS	-do-
9.	Dr. Sharnagouda B. Patil	Professor, CoDST, LUVAS	-do-
10.	Dr. Gautam	Prof.& Head VAHEE /Secretary BOS	Special invitee
11.	Dr. S. K. Gupta	COE, LUVAS, Hisar	-do-
12.	Dr. Ruby Siwach	Assistant Registrar, LUVAS	-do-
13.	Dr. Gulshan Narang	HoD, VPP, LUVAS	Member Secretary

At the outset, the Chairman, welcomed all the Hon'ble members of RIC and special invitees in the 44th meeting of Resident Instruction Committee and wished that the contribution of members in the meeting will be constructive and useful.

Thereafter, the following agenda items were discussed and the following decisions were taken thereof:

Agenda item No.44RIC-1: Confirmation of the proceedings of 43rd meeting of the RIC held on 17.03.2022.

Confirmed.

Agenda item No.44RIC-2: Action taken report on the proceedings of 43rd meeting of RIC held on 17.03.2022.

Noted and approved.

Agenda Item No.44 RIC-3: Adoption of BSMA syllabus for Master's and Ph.D programmes in the university from the Academic Year 2022-23.

As per information received vide Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) letter F. No. 7/6/2017-EQR/Edn. Dated 5th, January, 2022(copy attached at 'A') regarding adoption of restructured & revised syllabus for the Post Graduate and Ph.D. Programmes, a National Core Group was constituted for development of Academic Regulations for Master's and Ph.D. programmes for defining names and curricula of Masters' and Ph.D. disciplines. The syllabi developed by the 19 broad subject matter area (BSMA) committees for 79 disciplines were reviewed by the

National Core Group which was duly approved by ICAR and six volumes of reports were released on the 3rd December, 2021 on Agriculture Education Day.

The Board of Studies, COVS, LUVAS in the 293rd meeting held on 11.03.2022 recommended the proposal of adoption of BSMA syllabus in the University and further recommended to place the same before RIC and Academic Council.

Therefore, the agenda item was placed before the RIC for kind consideration and discussion.

The RIC considered and discussed the above matter and recommended to place the same before the Worthy Vice-Chancellor for kind consideration and approval to place the same before the ensuing meeting of Academic Council.

Agenda Item No.44 RIC-4: Conversion of vacant seats of ICAR quota for admission in M.V.Sc. and Ph.D Programme to State quota seats.

The first counseling for admission to M.V.Sc. & Ph.D programmes for filling up Eighteen (18) and Seventeen (17) ICAR quota seats respectively in various disciplines in 2nd semester of Academic Year 2021-22 was held on 21.03.2022. During the counseling, only 7 ICAR quota seats of M.V.Sc and 9 ICAR quota seats of Ph.D were filled up by the candidates recommended by the ICAR and remaining seats fell vacant due to non-availability of candidates.

Now, this office has received many requests from candidates seeking admission in M.V.Sc. & Ph.D Programmes for converting these vacant ICAR quota seats to State quota seats.

Therefore, it is proposed that the vacant ICAR quota seats of M.V.Sc Programme in the disciplines of ABT, AGB, LPT, VAN, VBC, VGO, VMC, VPTX, VPY, VPHE and VSR; and vacant ICAR quota seats of Ph.D Programme in the disciplines of ABT, ANN, VBC, VMC, VMD, VPTX, and VSR may be converted to State quota seats for M.V.Sc. & Ph.D Programmes, respectively.

Therefore, the above Agenda Item was placed before the RIC for kind consideration and discussion.

The RIC considered and discussed the above matter in its meeting and recommended to place the same before the Worthy Vice-Chancellor for kind consideration and approval subject to ratification by the Academic Council in its ensuing meeting, please.

Agenda Item No.44 RIC-5: Permission for special counseling (i.e.3rd counseling) and registration to fill seats converted from ICAR to State quota.

In the above mentioned agenda item 44RIC-4, it was proposed to convert the vacant ICAR quota seats in to State quota seats for admission in M.V.Sc. and Ph.D Programme.

As, the above proposal is considered and recommended by the RIC, therefore there was a need to conduct special counseling and registration to fill these

converted seats. Therefore, it was proposed that the special **counseling** and **registration** may be conducted on **30th March, 2022** and **31st March, 2022** respectively.

Therefore, the above Agenda Item was placed before the RIC for kind consideration and discussion.

The RIC considered and discussed the above matter in its meeting and recommended to place the same before the Worthy Vice-Chancellor for kind consideration and approval subject to ratification by the Academic Council in its ensuing meeting, please.

Agenda Item No.44 RIC-6: Special permission to Ms. Sonali Padha (ICAR nominee) for attending special counseling (i.e. 3rd counseling) for admission to Ph.D programme in the 2nd semester of Academic Year 2021-22 on medical ground.

The name of Ms. Sonali Padha was nominated by the ICAR for admission to Ph.D programme. The Counseling of ICAR nominees for admission to M.V.Sc and Ph.D programmes was held on 21st March, 2022. She could not attend the counselling due to medical reasons and requested to give her permission to register herself after one week on medical ground on basis of medical certificate (copy attached at 'B') issued by Emergency Wing of Govt. Medical College Hospital, Jammu.

Further, in view of the position explained above, the matter was placed before the RIC for consideration and discussion on sympathetic ground.

Therefore, the matter of above Agenda Item was placed before the RIC for consideration and discussion and RIC recommended that special permission to Ms. Sonali Padha (ICAR nominee) for attending special counseling (i.e. 3rd counseling) for admission to Ph.D programme in the 2nd semester of Academic Year 2021-22 may be given on medical ground.

The RIC considered and discussed the above matter in its meeting and recommended to place the same before the Worthy Vice-Chancellor for kind consideration and approval subject to ratification by the Academic Council in its ensuing meeting, please.

Agenda Item No.44 RIC-7: Refund of fee to Ph.D students who were admitted in Academic Year (2021-22) in LUVAS & later on got admission in other institutes through AICE JRF/SRF (Ph.D) 2021 examination.

This office has received requests from Ph.D. students of LUVAS who got admission during first semester of academic year 2021-22 in October 2021. In this regard they have stated that the counselling and registration in Ph.D. programme in LUVAS were done in October 2021 before the counselling of ICAR for admissions

in Ph.D. programmes throughout India through ICAR's AICE JRF/SRF examination which started in December 2021. Now some students have been admitted to other institutes through ICAR and their admission in LUVAS has been cancelled as per university rules. This mismatch between counselling schedules of the LUVAS and ICAR has been due to COVID-19 circumstances, which is beyond the control of students, the University and the ICAR. Therefore, they have requested for complete refunding of their admission fees.

The refund policy as mentioned in the PG prospectus for the academic year 2021-22 at page number 31 is as under:

REFUND POLICY

The fees paid at the time of counselling i.e. at the time of fresh admission shall be refunded according to the following table:

Sr. No.	Situation	Refund
1.	Request of the candidate received up to one day before the last counselling and if seat is filled up by the university. (The first seat to be filled up in subsequent counselling will be considered against the seat vacated by the candidate who is higher in merit in same category and so on)	Entire fees less Rs.6000/-.
2.	Request of the candidate received after the last counselling	No refund (except refundable security deposits).
3.	If the candidate has deposited the fee in advance but could not get admission on the day of counselling due to any reason	Entire Fees.
4.	If any candidate changes the discipline during second or last counselling, the difference of fee between the disciplines shall be recovered/refunded accordingly.	Difference if any, will be refunded only if vacant seat is filled up during 2nd or last Counseling.

The above matter was placed before the 40th meeting of RIC held on 21.12.2021 for kind consideration and discussion and RIC recommended to place the same before the Worthy Vice-Chancellor for according kind approval to place the matter of Agenda Item before the 58th meeting of Academic Council for further discussion.

Accordingly, the above Agenda Item was attempted before the Academic Council in its 58th meeting held on 22.02.2022 vide Agenda Item No. 58A-10. The Academic Council deferred the same and it was decided in 58th meeting of Academic Council that the RIC will re-examine the issue and give its clear recommendation to the Academic Council.

Therefore, the above Agenda Item is placed before the RIC for re-examination, consideration and discussion.

The RIC discussed the above matter at length and unanimously rejected the request.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Submitted for approval, please.

Sd/-

Member Secretary, RIC

Approved

Sd/-

(Dr. J.B.Phogat)

Chairman, R.I.C.

O/o Chairman, RIC –cum- Dean, Post Graduate Studies, LUVAS,Hisar

Endst. No. RIC/ PGS/2022/1147-60

Dated:26.03.2022

A copy is forwarded to the following:

- 1) All members of RIC for information and further necessary action.
- 2) Secretary to VC for kind information of worthy Vice -Chancellor.

Sd/-

Member Secretary, RIC