



FEES REGULATING AUTHORITY

Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions
(Regulation of Admissions and Fees)

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Minutes of Meeting of Authority

Dt. 28/03/2023

The Meeting of the Fees Regulating Authority (constituted under section 11(2)(3)(4) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 held on **28th March 2023** in the Conference Hall, Room No. 305, Government Polytechnic Building, 49 Kherwadi, Ali Yawar Jung Marg, Bandra (E), Mumbai - 400 051.

The following were present/absent:

1.	Hon'ble Justice V. L. Achliya (Retd.), Chairperson of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Present.
2.	Dr. Vijay Vasant Khole, Ex-Vice Chancellor, Mumbai University, Member of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Presence is dispensed for a day.
3.	Shri. Manoj Damodar Chandak, Chartered Accountant, Member of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Present.
4.	Shri. Ratnakar (Shirish) Phadtare, Cost Accountant, Member of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Present.
5.	Shri. Dharmendra Dilip Mishra, Professional Educationist, Member of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Present.
6.	Registrar, Maharashtra University of Health Science, Nashik, Ex-Officio Member of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Absent.
7.	Director, Directorate of Technical Education, Mumbai, Ex-Officio Member of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Absent.
8.	Director, Directorate of Higher Education, Pune, Ex-Officio Member of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Absent.
9.	Member Secretary of Maharashtra Council of Agricultural Education of Research, Pune, Ex-Officio Member of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Absent.
10.	Shri. L. S. Mali, I.A.S., Secretary of Fees Regulating Authority	:	Present.

Item No.1: To consider the proposals for approval of fees for the academic year 2022-2023.

"Discussed.

The Authority has examined the proposals received from the Institutes/Colleges mentioned below seeking approval of fees for the academic year 2022-2023. After due consideration of the proposals, it was decided to approve the fee structure of the respective Institutes/Colleges as under:

Part-I
Physiotherapy Courses

Sr. No.	Code No.	Institute Name	Total Fee Approved For A.Y. 2022-2023
1	PT0015	Deep Paramedical Organisation's Nett. College of Physiotherapy, Thane	B.PTH. 1,18,000/-
			M.PTH. 61,500/-

D.Pharmacy Course

Sr. No.	Code No.	Institute Name	Total Fee Approved For A.Y. 2022-2023
1	DPH5282	Jamia Isalamia Isha-atul Uloom's Ali-Allana College of Pharmacy, Akkalkuwa, Nandurbar	D.Pharm
			2020-21 54,000/- Confirmed
			2021-22 50,000/- Adhoc Confirmed
			2022-23 54,000/-

Part-II

- (i) **To consider the proposal for approval of fees in respect of Diploma course run by Unaided Institutions for the academic year 2022-2023.**

Discussed.

The Institutions mentioned below though submitted the proposal for upward revision of fees for the academic year 2022-2023 but submitted applications dated 28/03/2023 to withdraw their respective proposal and

continue to apply the fees approved for the academic year 2021-2022 or prior to that for the academic year 2022-2023.

Diploma in Engineering & Technology (Polytechnic) Courses

Sr. No.	Code No.	Institute Name
1	PL6810	Maulana Azad Polytechnic, Solapur
2	PL6467	Swami Vivekanand Pratishthan`s Swami Vivekanand Institute Of Technology (Polytechnic), Solapur.
3	PL6471	Ramkrishna Technical Education Society, Shivaji Polytechnic College, Sangola, Solapur
4	PL6644	Shri. Ambabai Talim Sanstha's Sanjay Bhokare Group of Institutes, Miraj, Sangli
5	PL6716	Barshi Shikshan Prasarak Mandal, Shriman Bhausaheb Zadbuke Institute of Polytechnic, A/P Puri, Tal-Barshi, Solapur
6	PL2280	Shree Vetaleshwar Shikshan Sanstha's Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Polytechnic, Hasegaon Tq Ausa Dist Latur

Diploma in Pharmacy Courses

Sr. No.	Code No.	Institute Name
1	DPH5267	Kisan Vidya Prasarak Sanstha's, Maharani Ahilyabai Holkar College of Pharmacy, Boradi
2	DPH2565	Usha Dwarkadas Pathrikar Institute Of Pharmacy, Dongargaon(Kawad), Aurangabad

In brief, it is submitted that while submitting the online proposal the no option available to opt for no upward revision of fees and therefore they have submitted the proposal for upward revision of fees. It is submitted that while submitting the proposal their institutions were unaware of the notice dated 04/01/2023 published by the Fees Regulating Authority clarifying that the proposal for Diploma course to be submitted for the academic year 2022-2023 if the institution/college are seeking upward revision of fees. It is submitted that their Management has decided not to seek upward revision of fees for the academic year 2022-2023 and continue to apply the fees approved by the Authority for the academic year 2021-2022 or prior to that for the academic year 2022-2023.

In view of the above, the institutions are allowed to withdraw their respective proposals for upward revision of fees submitted for the academic year 2022-2023. The proposals are disposed of withdrawn in terms of their respective letters dated 28/03/2023.

Follow-up action be taken accordingly.

ii) **To consider the Proposal of Bapusaheb Shivajirao Deore Polytechnic, Dhule, run by Shri Shivaji Vidhya Prasarak Sanstha's seeking approval of fees in respect of D.Engg. course (PL5228) for the academic year 2022-2023.**

The following were present:

1. Mr. Jijabrao S. Patil, the Registrar of the Institute.
2. Mr. Hemant B. Patil, the Lecturer of the Institute.
3. Mr. Suresh Narayan Jagtap, the Accountant of the Institute.

Heard.

After hearing the Officials present & examined the proposal seeking approval of fees for the academic year 2022-2023 in respect of D.Engg. course run by the Institute the Authority has decided to approve the fees as under:

Sr. No.	Code No.	Institute Name		Total Fee Approved For A.Y. 2022-2023
20	PL5228	Shri Shivaji Vidhya Prasarak Sanstha's Bapusaheb Shivajirao Deore Polytechnic, Dhule	D.Engg.	48,000/-

iii) **To consider the Proposal of Vishwabharati Polytechnic Institute, Vishnupuri, run by Matoshri Pratishthan, Nanded seeking approval of fees in respect of D.Engg. course (PL2194) for the academic year 2022-2023.**

None present.

The Principal of the Institute has sent an email dated 28/03/2023 mentioning therein that due to some medical emergency, he is unable to appear before the Authority and requested for adjournment.

On due consideration of the request made it was decided to adjourn the hearing to 06/04/2023. Inform to the Principal of the College.

List on 06/04/2023.

- iv) **To consider the Proposal of Shri Gulabrao Deokar Institute of Pharmacy & Research Centre, Jalgaon run by Shrikrishna Educational and Cultural Mandal's seeking approval of fees in respect of D.Pharm course (DPH5301) for the academic year 2022-2023.**

Discussed.

In spite of notice dated 24/03/2023 directing the Principal of the college to personally appear for the hearing, neither the Principal nor any person representing the Institute appeared.

Issue fresh notice calling upon the Principal of the college to appear in person with the record of the Institute on 06/04/2023.

List on 06/04/2023.

- v) **To consider the proposal of Rajeev Business School, Tathawade, Pune run by Gramodaya Trust seeking approval of fees in respect of the M.B.A. course (MB6196) for the academic year 2022-2023.**

Discussed.

In spite of notice dated 24/03/2023 directing the Principal of the college appear for the hearing, neither the Principal nor any person representing the Institute appeared.

Issue fresh notice calling upon the Principal of the college to appear for hearing on 06/04/2023.

List on 06/04/2023.

- vi) **To consider the proposal of Gurusvarya R G Shinde Law College, Osmanabad seeking approval of fees in respect of the LLB 5 years course (LLB512003) for the academic year 2022-2023.**

Discussed.

The proposal be kept for hearing in next meeting schedule on 06/04/2023.

The Principal of the Institute be directed to bring the entire record including Financial Statements for the financial years 2020-2021 & 2021-2022, the proof of payment of salary to teaching & non teaching staff. Also furnish the list of teaching and non-teaching staff with particulars such as the name of the staff, joining date, designation, mode of payment and proof of the payment.

List on 06/04/2023.

vii) To consider the proposal of IBSR School of law, Karjat seeking approval of fees in respect of the LLB 5 years course (LLB5031) for the academic year 2022-2023.

Discussed.

It is brought to notice that though the Institution has paid the processing fee but not deposited the penalty. So also not submitted the hard copy of the Proposal.

It was decided to provide one more opportunity to the Institution to deposit the penalty & submit hard copy of the proposal.

Inform to Principal of the college to deposit the penalty & submit hard copy of proposal within one week from receipt of intimation and failure to comply the proposal may be rejected for want of compliance as well as payment of penalty .

Put up after compliance.

viii) To consider the proposals received after due date for approval of fees for the academic year 2022-2023.

Discussed.

It is brought to notice that the institutions mentioned below have deposited the penalty and submitted proposals for approval of fees for the academic year 2022-2023.

Sr. No.	Code No.	Institute Name
1	MBBS0011	Godavari Foundation's Dr. Ulhas Patil Medical College Jalgaon
2	PT0025	ST. Andrews College Of Physiotherapy, Pune
3	PT0021	Late Shree Fakirbhai Pansare Education Foundation's College of Physiotherapy, Nigdi Pune
4	BHMS0010	LMF's Homoeopathic Medical College, Chinchwad, Pune
5	BSCN0009	St. Andrews College of Nursing, Pune
6	BSCN09238	Mahatma Phule Institute of Nursing Akola

It was decided to call the Principal and the Chartered Account of the Institute for hearing.

The Principal of the Institute be directed to bring the Bank statements, Bills and Vouchers , Form Nos. 16, 16 (A) & 24 Q with annexure of all quarters.

List the proposal at serial numbers 2 to 6 for hearing on 05/04/2023 at 11:00 a.m.

List the proposals at serial number 1 for hearing on 06/04/2023 at 11:00 a.m.

Follow-up action be taken accordingly".

Item No.2: **To consider the Review Applications received after Statutory period prescribed u/s. 14 (1)(e) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 seeking condonation of delay for the academic year 2022-2023.**

"Discussed.

The Institutions mentioned below have submitted the Review Application beyond the statutory period of limitation as prescribed u/s. 14(1)(e) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015.

Sr.No	Review Application No.	Code	Name of Institute	Course
1	65/2022	MB6120	Shri Khanderao Pratishthan's Dnyansagar Institute Of Management And Research, Balewadi, Pune	M.B.A
2	49/2022	LLB324821019	Jeevandeep Shaikshanik Sanstha's Jeevandeep Law College Goveli	L.L.B.3
3	132/2022	PH3241	Vighnahaarata Trust, Shivajirao S Jondhle College of Pharmacy, Shahapur	B.Pharm
4	146/2022	PH6383	Kasturi Shikshan Sansthas College of Pharmacy, Shikrapur, Pune	B.Pharm
5	153/2022	LLB526821021	Kasturi Shikshan Sanstha School Of Law	L.L.B.5

In the meeting of the Authority held on 28/02/2023, it was decided to inform the above-mentioned Institutions the delay in filing the Review Application by their respective Institutions.

After the Institutions were informed the delay in filing Review Application, the Institutions mentioned at Serial Nos. 1 to 5 submitted applications for condonation of delay in filing the Review Application.

Considering the cause assigned in the individual application the delay cause in filing the Review Application is condoned.

List the review application for hearing on 05/04/2023. Inform the Principal of the Institute to appear for hearing on 05/04/2023".

Item No.2(i): To consider the letters of request received from the Institutions mentioned below-seeking withdrawal of the Review Applications for the academic year 2022-2023.

"Discussed.

The Institutions mentioned below have submitted Review Applications after the expiry of statutory period of limitation.

Sr.No	Review Application No.	Code	Name of Institute	Course
1	29/2022.	EN6781	Bhagwant Institute Of Technology, Barshi, Solapur	Engg.
2	116/2022	PT0009	VSPM'S College Of Physiotherapy, Hingana Road, Nagpur	M.PTH., B.PTH

After the individual Institutions were informed that their applications were filed beyond the statutory period of limitation prescribed u/s. 14 (1)(e) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015, they have sent letters seeking withdrawal of the Review Application.

In view of the letters of request received from the respective Institutions, the Review Applications are disposed of as withdrawn".

Item No.3: To consider the Review Application No. MB-22/12 filed by Mumbai Institue of Management & Research Mumbai (MB3219)as against the fees approved by the Authority for the academic year 2021-2022.

"Deferred to 29/03/2023".

Item No.4: To consider the proposal for approval of fees received from Balaji Law College , Pune for the academic year 2019-2020 & 2020-2021.

"Discussed.

Since the institution has not submitted the proposal for approval of fees as provided u/s. 14(1) (a) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 (hereinafter referred to as 'the said Act'). The notice was issued to the Principal of the Institution seeking explanation as to why the proceedings be not initiated u/s. 20 of the said Act of 2015.

After notice, the Officials of the institution appeared before the Authority on 25/08/2022 and admitted the default in submitting the proposal and requested to take a lenient view and permit them to submit the proposal for the academic year 2019-2020 & the institute shall not opt for no upward revision of fees for the academic year 2020-2021 and apply the fees as approved for the academic year 2019-2020 for the next academic year 2020-2021.

In view of contravention of section 14(1)(a) of the said act 2015 committed on the part of the Management running the Institute it was decided to impose the penalty of Rs. 1 Lakh subject to payment of penalty & allow the Institute to submit the proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2019-2020.

The Institute has paid the penalty and submitted the proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2019-2020 & no upward revision of fees for the academic year 2020-2021.

On due consideration of the proposal submitted for approval of fees for the academic year 2019-2020 and the statement made that institute shall opt for no upward revision of fees for the academic year 2020-2021, it was decided to approve the fees of said institute as under:

Bachelor of Law Course

Sr. No.	Code No.	Institute Name		Total Fee Approved For A.Y. 2019-2020
1	LLB5009	Balaji Law College , Pune	L.L.B.3	19,000/-
			L.L.B. 5	20,000/-

Bachelor of Law Course

Sr. No.	Code No.	Institute Name		Total Fee For A.Y. 2020-2021
1	LLB5009	Balaji Law College, Pune	L.L.B.3	No Upward Revision
			L.L.B. 5	No Upward Revision

Item No.5: To consider the proposal for approval of fees received from Balaji Law College , Pune for the academic year 2021-2022.

"Discussed.

The institution has not submitted the proposal for approval of fees as provided u/s. 14(1) (a) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 (hereinafter referred to as 'the said Act'). Therefore the notice was issued to the institution to initiate the proceedings u/s. 20 of the said Act of 2015. The Officials of institution appeared before the Authority on 25/08/2022 and admitted the default in submitting the proposal and further requested to take a lenient view and requested to allow them to submit the proposal for academic year 2021-2022.

In view of contravention of section 14(1)(a) of the said act 2015 committed on the part of the Institute to submit the proposal for the academic year 2021-2022. The Authority has decided to allow the institute to submit proposal for the academic year 2021-2022 subject to penalty of Rs. 2 lakhs .

The Institute has deposited the penalty of Rs. 2 lakhs and submitted the proposal for approval of fees for academic year 2019-2020.

On due consideration of the proposal submitted, it was decided to approve the fees of said institute for the academic year 2021-2022 as under:

Bachelor of Law Course

Sr. No.	Code No.	Institute Name	Total Fee Approved For A.Y. 2021-2022
1	LLB5009	Balaji Law College , Pune	L.L.B.3 20,500/-
			L.L.B.5 20,000/-

Item No.5(i): To consider the proposal for approval of fees of Rajarshi Shahu College of Law, Vikroli, Mumbai run by Abhay Shikshan Kandra's, (LLB3050) for approval of fees for the academic year 2021-2022 & 2022-2023.

"Discussed.

On the previous date, the Institute has submitted report in respect of refund and adjustment of fees made by the Institution to students who are studying in the college.

Inspite of directions the Institute has not submitted Form nos. A1, A2 to enable the Authority to decide the fees proposal pending for the academic year 2021-2022 & 2022-2023.

In order to decide the proposal it was decided to call the Principal , the Office bearers and the Chartered Accountant of the Institute for hearing.

Inform to concern Official.

List on 12/04/2023".

Item No.6: To consider the proposal for approval of fees for the academic year 2023-2024.

"Discussed.

Deferred."

Date: 28th March 2023

Place: Mumbai


Justice Vijay L. Achliya (Retd.)
Chairperson
Fees Regulating Authority
State of Maharashtra