



FEES REGULATING AUTHORITY

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

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Minutes of Meeting of Authority

Dt. 25/08/2022

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 **25th August 2022** 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:

1.	Hon'ble Justice V. L. Achliya (Retd.)	:	Chairperson
2.	Dr. Vijay Vasant Khole, Ex-Vice Chancellor, Mumbai University	:	Member
3.	Shri. Manoj Damodar Chandak, Chartered Accountant	:	Member
4.	Shri. Ratnakar (Shirish) Phadtare, Cost Accountant	:	Member
5.	Shri. Dharmendra Dilip Mishra, Professional Educationist (through Video Conferencing)	:	Member
6.	Director, Directorate of Higher Education, Pune. Representative Present	:	Ex-Officio Member
7.	Shri. L. S. Mali, IAS	:	Secretary

PART – III

Item No.7: Any other subject with the permission of the chair.

- i) **To consider the request letters received from the institute/college mentioned in the list Annexure 'A' seeking No Upward Revision of fees for the academic year 2020-2021.**

"Discussed.

The Management of the Unaided Private Professional Educational Institution mentioned in the list **Annexure 'A'** have intimated that for the academic year 2020-2021 they are not seeking upward revision of fees and would like to apply the fee structure approved by the Authority for the previous academic year 2019-2020 for the academic year 2020-2021.



As per section 14(1)(b) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions & Fees) Act, 2015 in the event of non-submission of the proposal for upward revision of fee by the Management within the period prescribed u/s. 14(1)(a) of the said Act, the fee structure approved by the Authority & applicable during the previous academic year shall continue to apply to such institution for the immediate next academic year. Section 14(1) a & b of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 read as under;

"14. (1) In determining the reasonableness of fee structure, the following provisions shall apply:-

"(a) the Management of the Unaided Institution shall submit the details of the proposed fee alongwith the audited accounts of the preceding financial year, the proposed budget in respect of the current financial year and the relevant record and evidence to the Fees Regulating Authority for its approval not later than 31st October of previous academic year ;

(b) in the event of non-submission of the proposal for upward revision of fees to the Fees Regulating Authority within the time-limit specified by the Authority, the fees structure as approved by the Authority and applicable during the previous academic year shall continue to apply".

In view of the above, no specific order of the Authority is required to apply the fee structure approved by the Authority for the previous academic year for the immediate next academic year. Therefore, the Management has to act in accordance with Law.

The list **Annexure 'A'** shall form the part & parcel of the minutes of the meeting.

Let the follow-up action be taken".

- ii) **To consider the request letters received from the institutes/colleges mentioned in the list Annexure 'B' seeking No Upward Revision of fees for the academic year 2021-2022.**

"Discussed.

The Management of the Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions mentioned in the list **Annexure 'B'** have intimated that for the academic year 2021-2022 they are not seeking upward revision of fees and

would like to apply the fee structure approved by the Authority for the previous academic year 2020-2021 for the academic year 2021-2022.

As per section 14(1)(b) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions & Fees) Act, 2015 in the event of non-submission of the proposal for upward revision of fee by the Management within the period prescribed u/s. 14(1)(a) of the said Act, the fee structure approved by the Authority & applicable during the previous academic year shall continue to apply to such institution for the immediate next academic year. Section 14(1) a & b of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 read as under;

"14. (1) In determining the reasonableness of fee structure, the following provisions shall apply:-

"(a) the Management of the Unaided Institution shall submit the details of the proposed fee alongwith the audited accounts of the preceding financial year, the proposed budget in respect of the current financial year and the relevant record and evidence to the Fees Regulating Authority for its approval not later than 31st October of previous academic year ;

(b) in the event of non-submission of the proposal for upward revision of fees to the Fees Regulating Authority within the time-limit specified by the Authority, the fees structure as approved by the Authority and applicable during the previous academic year shall continue to apply".

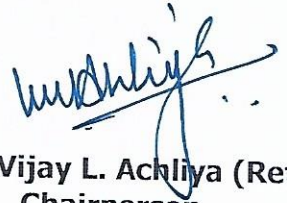
In view of the above, no specific order of the Authority is required to apply the fee structure approved by the Authority for the previous academic year for the immediate next academic year. Therefore, the Management has to act in accordance with Law.

The list **Annexure 'B'** shall form the part & parcel of the minutes of the meeting.

Let the follow-up action be taken".

Date : 25th August 2022

Place: Mumbai


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