





HARYANA STATE HIGHER EDUCATION COUNCIL

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To,

The Vice Chancellors **Private Universities** in Haryana

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Regarding Implementation of UGC's 'Guidelines for Introduction of Courses Based on Indian Heritage and Culture'

Respected Vice Chancellors, Namaste **Greetings from Haryana State Higher Education Council!**

Haryana Govt. while launching implementation of NEP-2020 in the state on 31.07.2021 committed that it would achieve most of the targets as envisioned in the policy by 2025 as against National Target of 2030. The then Hon'ble CM desired that he would like to know the status of what has been done on this count and what is proposed to be done. For this State Govt. has constituted 03 committees and HSHEC has been designated as a nodal agency to ponder over, monitor, handhold and mentor the progress regarding implementation of NEP as a whole encompassing Department/Stakeholders.

It is believed that the Private Universities are also taking initiatives to implement various parameters envisioned in NEP. Council from time to time shares the various guidelines notified by UGC for NEP implementation with State Funded and Private Universities. Hence, your kind attention is invited to one of the UGC's guidelines i.e. 'Guidelines for Introduction of Courses Based on Indian Heritage and Culture'.

The guidelines aim to make people familiar with the rich cultural and intellectual heritage of India in the backdrop of a comprehensive perspective of NEP-2020 and on the occasion of the celebration of Amrit Mahotsava of Indian Independence, an initiative namely "Let's know India" (Aao Bharat ko Jane) has been launched.

The guidelines focus on short term multi-tier credit based modular programme with multiple entry and exit based on Indian heritage and culture to promote the interest of people from abroad to visit India. This includes dissemination and imparting of knowledge of various dimensions of learning in the spheres of Universal human values, Vedic Maths, Yoga, Ayurveda, Sanskrit, Indian Languages, sacrosanct religious regions located in the Indian subcontinent, Archaeological sites and monuments, Heritage of India, Indian Literature, Indian Sculpture, Indian Music and dance forms, Drama, Visual Arts, Performing Arts, Crafts and Craftsmanship, Inscription, rituals, cultural heritage and Indian Knowledge system, etc.

Soft copy of the above guidelines is enclosed for reference.

It is hoped that the Universities might have initiated action on the above guidelines by now. Hence a request to share an updated status for record.

Regards

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