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EXTENSION OF APPROVAL

Ref: CA/5/Academic-TN07 June 25, 2020

The Principal School of Architecture Bharat University Institute of Higher Education and Research 173, Agraharam Road, Selaiyur, Tambaram CHENNAI-600 073 (Tamil Nadu) Email: hodarch@bharathuniv.ac.in, directorarch@bharathuniv.ac.in



Sub: Extension of Approval for imparting 5-year Full-time Bachelor of Architecture Degree Course for the academic session 2020-2021- reg.

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the application form submitted by your institution for extension of approval of **5-year** *full-time Bachelor of Architecture (B.Arch.) degree course* and to state that since the Council could not undertake physical inspections of institutions this year owing to complete nationwide lockdown imposed by the Central Government for containment of pandemic Corona Virus (COVID-19), the Executive Committee of the Council of Architecture (COA), based on the application form submitted by your institution, decided to accord approval to the course as under:

DETAILS OF THE COURSE	INTAKE	PERIOD OF APPROVAL
5-year Full-Time Bachelor of Architecture	40	2020-2021

It is further stated that the Council shall be assessing the institutions based on the Council of Architecture (Minimum Standards of Architectural Education) Regulations, 1983, as necessitated in view of the Order dated 04.06.2019 by Hon'ble High Court of Madras in W.P.No.34676 of 2018. The approval accorded by the Council to your institution is, therefore, subject to compliance of Minimum Standards of Architectural Education) Regulations, 1983 or as may be prescribed by the Council from time to time. The Council Norms & instructions are also attached herewith as **Annexure-A** for reference and compliance.

The institution shall be required to appoint adequate cadre-wise Faculty of Architecture by October 15, 2020 and also maintain Physical & Academic infrastructure & facilities, as per the Council Norms for the academic session 2020-2021. A compliance from your institution along with relevant documents should also be submitted to the Council. The institution shall also appoint faculty to fill up any vacancy, as may occur, within 15 days of such vacancy.

The Council reserves the right to carry out surprise inspection of institution at any point of time in order to verify the compliance made by the institution and to ascertain that the institution is imparting architectural course as per the Norms prescribed by the Council. In case any discrepancy in regard to the information supplied by the institution or non-compliance of the Council Norms is found at any stage, strict penal action shall be initiated by the Council against the institution including withdrawal of approval and/or transfer of existing students to other institutions.

Yours faithfully,

R. K. Oberoi Registrar

Encl. : as above.

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NORMS & INSTRUCTIONS OF COUNCIL OF ARCHITECTURE FOR IMPARTING B. ARCH. COURSE

1. **5-year full-time Bachelor of Architecture (B.Arch.)** degree course is to be imparted by an architectural institution in an independent building and land having its own infrastructure and budgetary provisions.

The Institution of Architecture should be located in a building having a floor area of about 15 sq.meter per student. The building should include class rooms and at least 5 studios, adequate space for faculty members, library, workshop, materials museum, laboratories, exhibition/conference room, office accommodation and common area for students and staff. The space requirements per student for architectural education whether in the Institution or in the Hostel are apt to be more than for most other types of professional courses like engineering and medicine because of the large space required for preparation of drawings. This factor should be borne in mind in the design of Hostels and Studios.

The Institution shall ensure that its building and premises and other spaces must be barrier free (i.e. disabled friendly).

- 2. The Institution must have valid affiliation with a University established by an Act of the Central or State Legislature or conferred authority by Law to award Degree Course in Architecture. No admission shall be made by the Institution without valid affiliation with a University.
- 3. The Institution having intake of more than 40 students shall be required to conduct classes concurrently in separate batches of 40 students each.
- 4. The Institution shall recruit and always maintain the Architecture Teaching Faculty as per the Minimum Qualifications, Experience and Structure for Teaching Posts in a Degree Level Architectural institution, prescribed in Appendix-B of the Regulations of 1983 of the Council. The Standards are available at the website of the Council.
- 5. The institutions shall maintain a teacher/student ratio of 1:8. The institution with the maximum intake of 40 in a class may have the faculty pattern as prescribed in Appendix-B of said Regulations. Approx. 25% of the teaching load should be allotted to the visiting faculty so that the students are brought in closer contact with the persons actively engaged in practice.

Each institution may have a staff structure consisting of the following: Principal or Head of Department and Professors, Asstt. Professors/Readers and Lecturers in the ratio of 1:2:4.

The Institutions may recruit qualified persons in the field of Engineering/ Qty. Surveying/Art/Humanities depending on the actual requirements against the total sanctioned strength.

The eligibility criteria for admission to 1st of 5-year B.Arch. degree course is as under:

"No candidate shall be admitted to architecture course unless she/ he has passed an examination at the end of the 10+2 scheme of examination with at least 50% aggregate marks in Physics, Chemistry & Mathematics and also at least 50% marks in aggregate of the 10+2 level examination or passed 10+3 Diploma Examination with Mathematics as compulsory subject with at least 50% marks in aggregate."

- 7. The institution shall admit only such students who fulfill the eligibility criteria prescribed by the Council and have passed an Aptitude Test in Architecture conducted by a competent authority. No direct lateral admission of any student into any year/stage of the B.Arch. course is allowed as per Council Norms.
- 8. All admissions made by the institution under various quotas/categories must be strictly within the intake sanctioned by the Council for an academic session. The students belonging to NRI, Foreign National, PIO etc. are also required to be admitted within the sanctioned intake, subject to passing an aptitude test. Further, reservation of students/relaxation of marks in qualifying examination for admission to the B.Arch. course for reserved categories shall be as per the policy of the Central/ respective State Government.

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Sub: Extension of Approval for imparting Master of Architecture Degree Course from the academic session 2020-2021 onwards - reg.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to state that the Executive Committee of the Council of Architecture (COA) considered the application form submitted by your institution, together with the information provided, for extension of approval of Master of Architecture (M.Arch.) degree course.

The Executive Committee, after considering the same, has decided to grant extension of approval to Master of Architecture (M.Arch.) degree course as under:

DETAILS OF THE COURSE	INTAKE	PERIOD OF APPROVAL
2-year Full-time M.Arch.	20	2020-2021

The approval accorded by the Council to your institution is subject to compliance of the Council Norms attached herewith as **Annexure-A**. The approval accorded to your institution shall be subject to appointment of adequate Faculty of Architecture at your institution as per Council Norms, prior to commencement of academic session 2020-2021. The institution shall be required to appoint faculty to fill up any vacancy, as may be equired, within 15 days in case of any faculty leaving the institution.

The following observation of the Executive Committee are mentioned below for your information and compliance:

- The institution must recruit 2 Associate Professors to fill up the vacancies.

The institution shall be required to submit its compliance to the Council before making any admissions in the course.

The Council shall be at liberty to inspect the Institution at any point of time to assess the Minimum Standards of Architectural Education prescribed by the Council and to ascertain that the institution is imparting architectural course as per the Norms prescribed by the Council, from time to time. In case the institution is found to be imparting deficient education during 2020-2021, the appropriate action shall be initiated against it.

Yours faithfully,

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The Executive Committee, after considering the same, has decided to grant extension of approval to Master of Architecture (M.Arch.) degree course as under:

DETAILS OF THE COURSE	INTAKE	PERIOD OF APPROVAL
2-year Full-time M.Arch. (Landscape Architecture)	20	2020-2021

The approval accorded by the Council to your institution is subject to compliance of the Council Norms attached herewith as **Annexure-A**. The approval accorded to your institution shall be subject to appointment of adequate Faculty of Architecture at your institution as per Council Norms, prior to commencement of academic session 2020-2021. The institution shall be required to appoint faculty to fill up any vacancy, as may be required, within 15 days in case of any faculty leaving the institution.

The following observation of the Executive Committee are mentioned below for your information and compliance:

- The institution must recruit 1 Associate Professor and 1 Assistant Professor to fill up the vacancies.

The institution shall be required to submit its compliance to the Council before making any admissions in the course.

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