



SAVITRIBAI PHULE PUNE UNIVERSITY

(Formerly University of Pune)

CIRCULAR NO. 111 /2019

ORDER

WHEREAS the Board of the Deans of the University, in its meeting held on 13th April, 2019 has approved the Amendments in Ordinance 181-A and has recommended to make the same applicable from the academic year 2019-20;

AND WHEREAS it will take some time to revise the Ordinance in this respect and submit the same to the Hon'ble Chancellor under Section 74(4) of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016;

AND WHEREAS in exercise of the powers vested under sub Section (8) of Section 12 of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016, an Order No. PGS/1224 dated 12/04/2019 has been issued in respect of admission of students to the Post-Graduate/Integrated & Interdisciplinary courses in Departments/Institutions of Savitribai Phule Pune University by amending Ordinance 181 - A;

AND WHEREAS some more amendments are required to be made in the said Ordinance 181 - A;

THEREFORE, I, Dr. Nitin R. Karmalkar, Vice-Chancellor of the Savitribai Phule Pune University, by and under the powers vested in me under Sub-Section (8) of Section 12 of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016, hereby issue the following directives:

1. This Order for admission of students to the Post-Graduate/Integrated & Interdisciplinary courses in Departments/Institutions of Savitribai Phule Pune University shall be applicable to the students seeking admission to the first year of the courses.
2. The amended Ordinance 181-A as mentioned in the Annexure shall be made applicable from academic year 2019-20 and onwards.
3. This Order is issued in supersession of the Order No. PGS/1224 dated 12/04/2019 issued vide Circular No. 73/2019 in this regard.

This Order shall remain in force till the Ordinance in this regard comes into force.

Ref. No.: PGS/1821
Date : 14/06/2019


(Dr. Nitin R. Karmalkar)
Vice-Chancellor

Savitribai Phule Pune University
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AMENDED ORDINANCE 181-A

In pursuance of provisions of Section 73 (i) and Section 86 of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016, Savitribai Phule Pune University hereby makes following Ordinance for admissions of students to Post-Graduate/Integrated and Interdisciplinary Courses in the Faculties: (1) Science and Technology (2) Commerce and Management (3) Humanities (4) Interdisciplinary conducted in the Departments/ Institutions of Savitribai Phule Pune University.

1. Short Title and Commencement:

- (1) This Ordinance may be called 'Ordinance for admissions of students to the Post-Graduate/Integrated and Interdisciplinary courses in Departments/Institutions of Savitribai Phule Pune University;
- (2) This Ordinance shall be applicable for admissions from the academic year 2019-2020 and onwards.

2. Applicability:

This Ordinance shall be applicable to the admissions of the students to the Post-Graduate/Integrated and Interdisciplinary Courses in the Faculties of Science and Technology, Social Sciences and Humanities Commerce and Management and Interdisciplinary conducted in the Departments/ Institutions of Savitribai Phule Pune University.

3. Definitions:

In this Ordinance unless the context otherwise requires,

- (1) "Director" means a Head of an Institution including Centre, or School of the University as designated by the Vice-Chancellor.
- (2) "Head of the Department" means the Head of the Department of the University.
- (3) "Institution" means a centre, a school or an institute established and maintained by the University.
- (4) "Integrated Course" means a course after passing Higher Secondary Examination (H.S.C.) (10+2).
- (5) "Post-Graduate Course" means a regular Post-Graduate course excluding the courses conducted partly by papers and partly by research.
- (6) "University" means Savitribai Phule Pune University
- (7) "Vice Chancellor" means the Vice-Chancellor of the University.

4. Admissions:

- (1) Advertisement for the purpose of giving admissions to all Post-Graduate/Integrated and Interdisciplinary courses shall be duly published every year by the competent authorities conducting the courses.
- (2) Directives issued by the Government of Maharashtra, from time to time, regarding reservation, shall be followed by the University.
- (3) Admissions of all students to all Post-Graduate / Integrated and Interdisciplinary courses shall be made in accordance with provisions of this Ordinance.

Provided, the model rules regarding admissions to the courses covered under this Ordinance, as may be made from time to time, by the Government of Maharashtra and adopted by the University, shall prevail over this Ordinance.

- (4) The conditions of the eligibility for admissions to various Post-Graduate /Integrated and Interdisciplinary courses shall be as prescribed by the University, from time to time.

5. Reservation:

Reservation in admission of students to various Post-Graduate/Integrated and Interdisciplinary courses shall be as per the norms laid down by the Government of Maharashtra from time to time including reservation for the person with disabilities.

6. Basis of Admission:

- (1) Admissions to all Post-Graduate/Integrated and Interdisciplinary degree courses shall be made only on the basis of merit of the entrance test.
- (2) Admission to all Post-Graduate certificate and Post-Graduate diploma courses shall be made on the basis of merit of the entrance test conducted by the respective Department/Institution.
- (3) While admitting students to Post-Graduate degree, diploma or certificate courses as mentioned in clauses (1) and (2) above, minimum 70 % seats shall be filled in by the students passing qualifying examination from Savitribai Phule Pune University.

7. Eligibility Criteria:

- (1) He shall have passed the qualifying examination of the University and,
- (2) Candidate belonging to reserved category shall be domicile of the State of Maharashtra or shall have completed Maharashtra State Board of Secondary / Higher Secondary School Certificate Education (S.S.C / H.S.C.) and Higher Education thereafter, from the State of Maharashtra and, shall have caste certificate issued by Government of Maharashtra.

8. Supernumerary Quota:

- (1) The seats for foreign students/foreign nationals, People of Indian Origin shall be filled in as Supernumerary Seats (i.e. over and above the sanctioned intake capacity) up to 15% of the total approved intake capacity on the basis of guidelines/criteria laid down by the UGC/AICTE/Government of India, as the case may be.

- (2) Subject to the availability, 3% of the seats over and above the approved intake capacity shall be reserved for the students participating at the National level/State level/Inter-University level in Sports and Cultural competitions. Students must have participated in these activities at his/her under or post-graduate level.
- (3) Notwithstanding anything contained hereinabove, in case of the University Departments /Institutions receiving special assistance from national schemes of Government of India shall be as per directions issued from time to time. Before effecting the provisions of this clause, the prior sanction of the Vice-Chancellor for the same, shall be obtained.
- (4) Notwithstanding anything contained hereinabove, in this ordinance wherever specific Memoranda of Understanding (MOU) have been signed by the University with national/ Institutions/Organizations with special provisions of admitting candidates nominated by them to specific courses and / or exchange students for specific period, all such admission shall be carried out in adherence to the provisions of respective MOU.

9. Vacancy in the Seats of Candidates:

If the seats reserved for the students belonging to the reserved categories remain vacant, the same shall be filled in by applying the rules/norms of inter-changeability of categories as laid down by the State of Maharashtra.

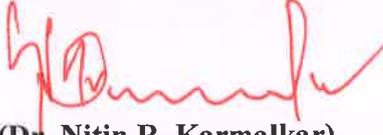
10. Central Admission Committee:

- (1) There shall be Central Admission Committee to make admissions to the various Post-Graduate/Integrated and Interdisciplinary courses in the University Department/ Institutions.
- (2) Constitution of the Central Admission Committee shall be as under:
 - i. Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Chairperson
 - ii. Dean of concerned Faculties
 - iii. Head of the Department
 - iv. One Member of Professor Grade
 - v. Deputy Registrar, P. G. Admission Section
 - vi. Deputy Registrar, Reservation Cell

11. Removal of Difficulties:

If any difficulty arises in giving effect to provisions of this Ordinance, the Vice-Chancellor shall take decision for removing difficulty in the matter which shall not be inconsistent with the objects and purposes of this Ordinance and his decision shall be final.

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