

**DIRECTION**

No. 41/2021

Dated :- 9/08/2021

**Subject :- Examination in Environmental Studies leading to Bachelor Degree .**

Whereas, an Ordinance No. 42/2005 regarding the examination in Environmental Studies leading to Bachelor Degree in is in existence in the University,

AND

Whereas, the compulsory subject Environmental Studies has been implemented for the Courses B.F.D.(3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sem.), Pharm.D. (Six Years Annual Pattern) (3<sup>rd</sup> Year) and for all B.Voc. Courses (2<sup>nd</sup> Year) vide various Notification Nos. 103/2012, 27/2013 and 38/2017 respectively implemented from various academic sessions,

AND

Whereas the Ad-hoc Committee constituted for Environmental Studies & B.Voc Courses in its meetings dated 11.10.2018 and 23.10.2018 vide Item No. 4 has recommended that the examination of the compulsory subject Environmental Studies shall be held in the fourth semester of all the degree Courses of Three & Five Years in Semester Pattern where there is no provision mentioned in the Ordinance / Direction ,

AND

Whereas, the Honøble Vice-Chancellor has approved the above recommendations of the Ad-hoc Committee in Environmental Studies & B.Voc. Courses on behalf of the Faculty of Interdisciplinary Studies under Sub-Section 12 (7) of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016,

AND

Whereas, the Academic Council in its meeting held on 15/11/2018 vide Item No. 48 has approved the recommendations of the Ad-hoc Committee,

AND

Whereas, these recommendations are being implemented from the academic session 2018-2019 vide Direction No. 10 / 2019,

AND

Whereas, Direction No. 10/2019 has been automatically lapsed as provided in the proviso of Sub section (8) of Section 12 of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016,

AND

Whereas, the matter is required to be regulated by amending Ordinance No.42/2005,

AND

Whereas, at the time of considering the directions issued under Section 12 (8) of 12 of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016, the Academic Council in its meeting held on 13.1.2020 vide item No. 04 has resoved as under :

Hereinafter, afresh Direction shall be issued by superceding earlier Direction if the relative legislation not be made in a stipulated period.

And

Whereas, earlier Direction No. 10/2019 issued in this regard has already been lapsed,

And

Whereas, the existing direction No. 7/2020 regarding Examination in Environmental Studies leading to Bachelor Degree lapsed as per sub Section (8) of Section 12 of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016 and could not be converted into Ordinance / Regulation. Hence, now it is imperative to issue a fresh direction,

And

Whereas the process of amending an Ordinance may take some time,

Now, therefore, I Dr. Vilas M. Bhale, Vice-Chancellor (Acting) of Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati in excercise of powers conferred upon me under sub Section (8) of Section 12 of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016, do hereby direct as under :

- i) This Direction may be called öExamination in Environmental Studies leading to the Bachelor Degree, Direction, 2021.ö
- ii) This Direction shall come into force w.e.f. from the date of its issuance.
- iii) After sub Para iv) of Para No. 6 and before Para No. 7 of Ordinance No. 42/2005, following sub para be inserted:  
öThe Examination of the compulsory subject Environmental Studies shall be held in the fourth semester of all the degree Courses of Three & Five Years in Semester Pattern where there is no provision mentioned in this Ordinance.ö

Date : 08 /08/2021

Sd/-  
(Dr.Vilas M. Bhale)  
Vice-Chancellor (Acting)