

# SANT GADGE BABA AMRAVATI UNIVERSITY GAZEETE



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PART ONE

(Extra-Ordinary)

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## DIRECTION

No. 12 / 2020.

Dated : 4 Aug. 2020

**Sub : Admission of students to all Undergraduate and Post Graduate 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Semester and Final year Degree / Diploma Courses and in all Faculties (Semester/Annual Pattern) in University Teaching Departments, Affiliated and Model Colleges of the University exclusively and only for the Academic Session – 2020-2021 (excluding the Courses to which Govt. makes the admission centrally) Direction – 2020.**

Whereas, the Section 5(18) of Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016 (hereinafter referred to as the “Act”) provides Powers & Duties of the University to supervise, control and regulate admissions of students for various courses of study in the affiliated Colleges, P.G. Teaching Departments of the University,

AND

Whereas, Section – 86 of the Act, provides that subject to reservation policy of the State Govt. for weaker sections of society, admissions to all courses in the affiliated Colleges shall be made based on competitive merit in accordance with the rules, if any, made by State Government or Ordinances made by the University,

AND

Whereas, the University has prescribed the Original Ordinance No.2 for Admission of Students, in which vide Para-3, the last date of admission in Colleges and Post Graduate Teaching Departments is upto 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of August of the academic year with extension upto one Month after the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday in August with the permission of the Vice-Chancellor,

AND

Whereas, due to COVID-19 pandemic, in the State and the Country, the Govt. has imposed lockdown to save the human-lives since March, 2020. The situation is resulting in no-good impact on each & every part of normal life including the Education sector, affected the conduct of examinations, assessment, declaration of results of Summer – 2020 Exams of the University so also of Higher Secondary Boards, in respect of students of 2019-20 academic year. Further, due to this, the commencement of academic year- 2020-21 is also affected resulting in delay in it.

AND

Whereas, as a result of above mentioned facts of COVID-19 pandemic, the Govt. of Maharashtra constituted a state level Committee to make recommendations to the Government on conduct of Summer - 2020 Examinations of the Universities and to revise the Academic Calendar for 2020-21 in the light of guidelines issued by the University Grants Commission,

Whereas, the said Committee has submitted recommendations, which have been accepted by the Govt. vide its letter No. संकीर्ण /२०२०/प्र.क्र.१२३/विशि-३, dated 8<sup>th</sup> May, 2020 upon which the Director of Higher Education, Maharashtra State, Pune vide letter No. युएनआय-२०२०/बैठक/विशि-१/४१३१/A Dated 8<sup>th</sup> May, 2020 has informed to take suitable action with reference to the recommendations of the Committee, hence, the present Academic Calendar of 2020-21 session is to be revised, which have been noted by the Academic Council in its meeting held on 26 May, 2020.

AND

Whereas, in view of above, the Academic Council in its meeting held on 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2020 :-

- (1) Vide Item No.45 has revised the present Academic Calendar of 2020-21 Academic Year as the schedule of Admissions prescribed in the Ordinance No.2 is found difficult to be followed.
- (2) Vide Item No.44 accepted the criteria of assessment of students admitted to Summer -2020 examinations of the University and granted that their term of higher class in 2020-2021 session be carried-forward. Therefore, the eligibility criteria for admission to higher class in respect of failure examinees is required to be relaxed, thereby the rules regarding Allowed To Keep Term (ATKT) prescribed in Original Ordinance No.10 as amended vide Ordinance No. 3 of 2008 or in Ordinances / Directions for respective courses, are to be relaxed,

AND

Whereas, it is the subject matter of the Ordinance, prescribing of which is a time-consuming process,

Now, I, therefore, Dr. Murlidhar Chandekar, Vice-Chancellor, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, in exercise of powers conferred upon me under Sub-section (8) of Section-12 of the Act, do hereby direct as under :-

1. This Direction may be called 'Admission of students to all Undergraduate and Post Graduate 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Semester and Final Year Degree / Diploma Courses and in all Faculties (Semester/Annual Pattern) in University Teaching Departments, Affiliated and Model Colleges of the University exclusively and only for the Academic Session – 2020-2021 (excluding the courses for which admissions are made centrally by Govt.) Direction – 2020.'
2. This Direction shall come into force with effect from its date of issuance, and be operative exclusively only for 2020-21 session.
3. (i) As per decision of the Academic Council, the year of Academic Calendar for 2020-21 has been revised and commences from 4<sup>th</sup> August 2020 vide Notification No. 52/2020, and the Academic Calendar published earlier vide Notification No. 151/2019 stands repealed.  
(ii) The last date for admission of students to all UNDERGRADUATE in First, Third, Fifth, Seventh and Ninth Semester or Second Year, Final Year (Annual - Pattern) and POST-GRADUATE Third and Fifth Semester or Final Year (Annual Pattern) Degree / Diploma courses in all Faculties (excluding the courses to which admissions are made centrally by Govt.) in the University Teaching Departments, Model College and affiliated colleges shall be 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2020 and the last date for late admission with the permission of the Vice-Chancellor shall be upto 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2020.  
(iii) Subject to sanctioned intake capacity, no student shall be denied for admission to higher class in the session 2020-21, on the basis of ineligible performance in Summer-2020 examination i.e. non-fulfilment of criteria of ATKT prescribed in Original Ordinance No.10 r/w Ordinance No.3/2008 or in Ordinances/ Directions of respective courses.  
(iv) No student of Summer-2020 examinations, be detained for admission to further course of studies in higher class in 2020-21 session, on the basis that he/she is found ineligible i.e. of not fulfilling the criteria of passing the previous examinations as laid down for ATKT in Original Ordinance No. 10 r/w Ordinance No.3/2008 or in Ordinances/Directions of respective courses.  
(v) All admissions to First Year Undergraduate courses shall be made on merit as provided u/s 86 of the Act.  
(vi) The University shall direct regarding admissions to the First Semester /First Year (Annual Pattern) Post-Graduate Degree/ Diploma Courses, in due course of time, till then the students should not be admitted.
4. All Precautions as per guidelines as directed by the Govt. and University towards COVID-19 shall be strictly followed by the Colleges / Departments while making admissions to the courses.

Sd/-

**(Dr. Murlidhar Chandekar)**

Vice-Chancellor,

Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University.

Dated : 4th August, 2020