GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT (INTEGRATED LAW CELL) BIKASH BHABAN, SALT LAKE KOLKATA-700091

No. 380-L/OM-60L/2015

Date: 25/11/2019

ORDER

Subject:

Renewal of minority Status of the North Bengal St. Xavier's College,

Rajganj, Jalpaiguri

WHEREAS, vide this Department's order No. 559-Edn (CS) dated 24.06.2015 the Darjeeling Jesuits of North Bengal, an educational and charitable society registered under the West Bengal Societies Registration Act, 1961, vide registration certificate no. S/15552 of 1974-1975, was granted Christian minority status to their college, viz. the North Bengal St. Xavier's College, for a period of three years which expired on 23.06.2018, and

WHEREAS, the said college has now applied for renewal of minority status from the date of expiry of the pervious order along with all relevant documents in support of their application,

and

WHEREAS, the application and other relevant documents submitted by the college are found satisfactory to the competent authority and the State Government considers that the minority status of the college may be renewed for a further period of 3 years with effect from 24.06.2018 to 23.06.2021,

and

THEREFORE, considering all the above, the Governor is pleased to hereby allow renewal of minority status of the the North Bengal St. Xavier's College situated at Rajganj in the district of Jalpaiguri, presently running under the sponsorship of the Darjeeling Jesuits of North Bengal, an educational and charitable Society registered under the West Bengal Societies Registration Act, 1961, w.e.f. 24.06.2018 to 23.06.2021 and the college shall continue to enjoy such minority status up to 23.06.2021 subject to fulfillment of the following terms and conditions:—

 The college concerned shall continue to be maintained and administered by the Christian minorities and with the view to serve the education purposes of the Christian minority community;

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- 2. That all the members (except ex-officio and University nominated members) of the Governing Body as well as the Sponsoring Society shall remain belonging from the Christian community;
- 3. That the aims and objectives of the college shall primarily mean to protect and serve the educational interest of the Christian community;
- 4. That the eligible students belonging to Christian minority community shall have priority in admission in the college;
- 5. Any change in the members of the Governing Body or the Sponsoring Society shall immediately be reported to this Department.

The applicant college shall be at liberty to apply for renewal after expiry of the aforesaid period.

By order of the Governor,

Special Sécretary

Date: 25/11/2019

No. 380/1(8)-L/OM-60L/2015

Copy forwarded for information and/or for taking necessary action to:-

- 1. Principal Secretary, Minority Affairs and Madrasha Education Department, Nabanna, 325, Sarat Chatterjee Street, Howrah, PIN-711102,
- 2. The Vice Chancellor, North Bengal University, P.O. Raja Rammohanpur, Dist: Darjeeling, PIN-734430,
- 3. Fr Wilfred Lobo, S.J. Secretary, Darjeeling Jesuits of North Bengal, Prabhu Jisu Residence, P.B. No. 03, P.O. Matigara, Dist: Darjeeling, PIN-734010,
- 4. The Principal, North Bengal St. Xavier's College, P.O. Box No.1, Rajganj, Dist: Jalpaiguri, PIN-735134,
- 5. The Vice-Chairman, WBSCHE, 147-A Rashbehari Avenue, Kolkata-700029,
- 6. The Director of Public Instruction, Bikash Bhaban, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091,
- 7. P.S to Hon'ble MIC, H. E. Deptt. Bikash Bhaban, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091,
- 8. P.A to Principal Secretary, H. E. Deptt. Bikash Bhaban, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091.

Special Secretary

(Annexure - I)

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

ACCREDITED BY NAAC WITH GRADE "A"



ENLIGHTENMENT TO PERFECTION

Guidelines for Admission

It is notified to the Principals, of all Degree Colleges, affiliated to the University of North Bengal that the following dates have been decided for admission to and commencement of 1st year B.A., B.Sc. B.Com., BCA & BBA Honours Program & Program Course (under mandatory CBCS) for the Academic Session of 2018-19.

- 1. *Commencement of issuance of Online Applications for Admissions
 Within 3(three) days from the publication of the Results of West Bengal Council of Higher
 Secondary Education, 2018.
- 2. *Closing date of receiving of Online Application for Admissions
 Within 8 (eight) days from the commencement of issuance of Online Applications
- 3. *Last date of Admissions in All Courses:
 30 working days (including Saturdays) from the date of commencement of issuance of Online Applications
- 4. *Commencement of Classes: Within Ist week of July, 2018
- 5. Last date of change of Subject(S)/Course/Stream: 13th July, 2018
- 6. Last date of submission of Registration Form:
 6th August, 2018 (Without Late Fine) [To College by the Student: 31.07.2018]
 16th August, 2018 (With Late Fine) [To College by the Student: 10.08.2018]
- 7. Colleges are requested to keep the students' strength for each subject within the intake capacity sanctioned by the University and follow the reservation policy of Government of West Bengal Strictly.

- 8. Intake in the number of students in Honours Program & Program Courses shall not exceed the specified number as approved by the University of North Bengal from time to time. In this context the provisions of clause 7 ii (b) of the Statues relating to affiliation of Colleges shall be strictly adhered to. In case of any violation, the University shall take appropriate action as deemed fit. Registrations, of all students who have been admitted, exceeding the approved intake of the University shall be automatically cancelled in order of their dates of admission in the respective Colleges.
- 9. No Online Admission shall take place after expiry of the last date of Admission as per this Notification. Registration of any candidate who has been admitted after expiry of the last date of admission shall be automatically cancelled. Requests for extension of the last date of Admission after the expiry date shall not be entertained by the University under any circumstances.
- 10. A student may be admitted to B.A./B.Sc./B.Com/ BCA & BBA Honours Program & Program Course after passing the Higher Secondary Examination conducted by the West Bengal Council of Higher Secondary Education or examinations conducted by Indian School Certificate (ISC) or Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) or any Other Board recognized as equivalent provided he/she has passed in at least four subjects with English as Compulsory Subject, excluding Environmental Studies / Environmental Science / Environmental Education.
- 11. Reservation of Seats for Online admission into B.A. / B.Sc. / B.Com./ BCA & BBA Honours Program & Program Course for SC / ST / OBC-A / OBC-B and persons with disabilities are to be maintained as per the relevant G.O.'s. (3% Reservation of Seats for persons with disabilities vide G.O. No. ED-340/2012 Dt. Kolkata, the 4th July, 2012) and also considering the amendments as proposed in notification No. : 621-Edn(U)/EH/1U-89/13, dated 25.06.2015 issued by the Higher Education Department Government of West Bengal (Photocopy of the notification attached)
- 12. Colleges shall fix-up year wise target of increase of intake of OBC "A" OBC "B" in such a manner that the total mandatory increase of seats is achieved within a maximum period of six years beginning with the academic session 2014-15 and then shall continue in the same manner.

 The provisions of this Act (Reservation in Admission) shall not apply to:
- (i) OBC-A and OBC-B students to creamy layer of the Society,
- (ii) A minority Educational Institution based on religion or language,

Sd/-Secretary Under-Graduate Council University of North Bengal

Copy for information to:

- 1. The Honourable Vice-Chancellor, University of North Bengal.
- 2. The Registrar, University of North Bengal.
- 3. The Inspector of Colleges, University of North Bengal.
- 4. The Controller of Examinations (Officiating), University of North Bengal.

Sd/-Secretary Under-Graduate Council University of North Bengal