UNIVERSITY OF MUMBAI

Press Note

Date- 26th February, 2015

The issue of demand of 2500 students to permit them for admission in academic year 2014-15 and complete term work of both semesters VII and VIII now and appear for examination of semester VII and VIII as and when they become eligible for it as per existing ordinances was discussed in the Academic Council.

Most of the members were of the opinion not to consider it in view of –

- Violation of existing ordinance/s of admission
- Matter is subjudice and Hon'ble High Court in its order dated 15th November, 2014 vacated the interim relief given on 27th October, 2014 by cancelling the performance in the oral and practical test.

(Today's hearing in court is postponed and the next hearing is on 10th March, 2015.)

After a thorough discussion and deliberation and after taking into consideration the technicalities and modalities in the matter the Academic Council today resolved as follows,

The students those who will pass First year (F.E.) second year (S.E.),and Third Year (T.E.) as per revised- 2007 and previous syllabus will be allowed to enter upon B.E.(Sem VII and Sem VIII) in academic year 2015-16 only as per revised – 2007 syllabus scheme as a special case.

However the students will have option to choose either of the schemes.

The classes for B.E student of Rev- 2007 scheme and Rev- 2012 scheme (i.e. CBGS) need to be conducted separately by each college. If there is demand from colleges to form clusters to conduct theory and practical's it will be permitted and it will be decided in common meeting of principals depending upon the number of students in each branch.

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