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Subject:

Revision in fee, disbursement of scholarship/stipend and travel support for **PhD students** (applicable for PhD students admitted on or after 01.05.2025 through Direct and Entrance Test modes except Executive PhD program) – reg.

The Hon'ble President, in exercise of the powers vested in him, is pleased to approve the following:

A. For students admitted through SAU entrance test:

- 1. Each PhD student admitted through SAU entrance test will pay the applicable fee.
- 2. The fee will be collected on monthly basis.
- 3. Students admitted through SAU entrance test will receive monthly stipend as follows:

Science Streams: INR. 39,000/-Other Streams: INR. 36,000/-

4. After paying the applicable fee, the students will be left with them an amount of at least INR.25,000/- p.m.

B. For students admitted through Direct Mode:

1. Each PhD student admitted through Direct Mode will receive a concession of 75% in the Semester Fee and accordingly, the concessional fee is as follows:

Science Streams: USD 200 per semester
Other Streams: USD 150 per semester

- 2. The fee will be collected in the beginning of each semester.
- 3. The concession is applicable only during the five-year tenure of the PhD programme excluding the period of extension, if any.

C. For all students admitted on or after 01.05.2025:

- 1. Students who initially are admitted through SAU entrance test and later clear JRF (or any other equivalent Fellowship test) or take up a job will also be governed by the clauses under B above.
- Students admitted through SAU entrance test or through direct mode will be entitled to the Travel Support of INR 80,000 during the total tenure of the PhD programme (excluding the period of extension, if any).

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D. For continuing students:

All continuing students (admitted through entrance as well as direct mode) will continue receiving fee waivers during the five-year tenure of PhD programme.

Note: Dollar exchange rate followed by the University will be applicable.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

(B. Mallesha)

Assistant Registrar (SG)
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