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To

The Registrar,  
All State Universities (List attached)

Sub: Recognition of Colleges under Section 2(f) & 12B of UGC Act, 1956

Sir,

I am directed to say that the Commission at its meeting held on 4<sup>th</sup> May, 2010 (Item No. 2.01) considered the issue of providing 12B status to unaided, self-financing colleges under section 12(B) of UGC Act, 1956 and resolved as under:

The Commission noted that self-financing colleges with 12(B) status were receiving all kinds of grants from UGC till the IX Plan and that grants were discontinued to such colleges in the X Plan due to paucity of funds. It was also noted that self-financing colleges were also being given 12(B) status earlier.

The Commission deliberated upon various related issues and decided as under:

1. Government colleges, included under 12(B), shall continue to receive grants from UGC.
2. All private colleges, included under 12(B) and receiving salary grant from the State Government, shall continue to receive grants from UGC.
3. Partly self-financing private colleges i.e. colleges which may not be receiving grants for salary purpose from the Government but are receiving some kind of grant for any other purpose from the State Government or from any Central Government sources, may be awarded 12(B) status if they fulfill the eligibility criteria and may be considered for financial assistance from UGC subject to availability of funds.
4. Private colleges, which are fully self-financing, may be awarded 12(B) status if they fulfill the eligibility criteria, so that they become eligible to receive Central Government grants from other sources, even if they do not receive grants from UGC due to paucity of funds.

This may also be brought to the notice of all the affiliated Colleges of your University.

Yours faithfully,

(V.K. Jaiswal)  
Deputy Secretary

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