Sub :-Public Notice on Fake Universities

The University Grants Commission Act, 1956 under section 22(1) provides that a degree can be awarded, only by a University established under a central, State/Provincial Act or an institution deemed to be university under section 3 of the UGC Act or an Institution especially empowered by an Act of Parliament to confer the degree.

Further, Section 23 of the UGC Act prohibits the use of word “University” by any institution other than a university established as stated above. Students and public at large are hereby informed that at present following 22 self-styled, unrecognized institution are functioning in contravention of the UGC Act in various parts of the country.

1. Maithili University/Vishwavidyalaya, Darbhanga, Bihar.
2. Varanaseya Sanskrit Vishwavidyalaya, Varanasi, UP/Jagatpuri, Delhi.
3. Commercial University Ltd., Daryaganj, Delhi.
4. United Nations University, Delhi.
5. Vocational University, Delhi.
6. ADR-Centric Juridical University, ADR House, 8J, Gopala Tower, 25 Rajendra Place, New Delhi – 110 008.
8. Badaganvi Sarkar World Open University Education Society, Gokak, Belgaum (Karnataka)
9  St. John’s University, Kishanattam, Kerala
10  Raja Arabic University, Nagpur
11  D.D.B. Sanskrit University, Putur, Trichi, Tamil Nadu.
12  Indian Institute of Alternative Medicine, 80, Chowringhee Road, Kolkata- 20.
13  Institute of Alternative Medicine an Research, 8-A, Diamond Harbor Road, Buittech inn,
2nd Floor, Thakurpukur, Kolkata- 700063.
14  Mahila Gram Vidyapith/Vishwavidyalaya, (Women’s University) Prayag, Allahabad(UP )
15  Gandhi Hindi Vidyapith, Prayag, Allahabad (UP)
16  National University of Electro Complex Homeopathy, Kanpur.
17  Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose University (Open University), Achaialal, Aligarh (UP).
18  Uttar Pradesh Vishwavidyalaya, KosiKalan, Mathura (UP).
19  Maharana Partap Shiksha Niketan Vishwavidyalaya, Pratapgarh (UP).
20  Indraprastha Shiksha Parishad, Institutional Area, Khoda, Makanpur, Noida Phase-II, (UP)
21  Gurukul Vishwavidyalaya Vrindavan, Mathura, (UP).
22  Nababharat Shiksha Parishad, Anuporna Bhawan, Plot No. 242, Pani Tanki Road,
Shaktinagar, Rourkela-769014.

* Bhartiya Shiksha Parishad, Lucknow, UP - the matter is subjudice before the District
Judge –Lucknow

These institutions have been declared as Fake Universities and they are not entitled
to confer any degree. The detailed list is also available at UGC website www.ugc.ac.in

The public at large is cautioned not to take admission in these Fake universities.

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