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To

The Director /Principal
North Eastern Regional Institute of Science & Technology,
Nirjuli, Itanagar,
Arunachal Pradesh-791 109

Registrar's Cell, NERIST
Diary No. 2359
Date 27/12/16

Office of the Dean (Acad.)
Received on 28/12/16
Diary No. 2359 Date

Subject: Decision on appeal against non accreditation for UG Mechanical Engineering program of North Eastern Regional Institute of Science & Technology, Nirjuli, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh-791 109.

Sir,

This has reference to Appeal dated 26-08-2016 filed by you against the decision of NBA for not granting accreditation to UG Mechanical Engineering program of your Institute, communicated vide NBA's letter of even number dated 28-07-2016.

2. The Appeal was considered by the Appellate Committee of NBA in its meeting held on 18-11-2016. The recommendation of the Appellate Committee was considered by the Competent Authority in NBA. Based on the decision taken, accreditation status of the program is given in the table below:

| S. No | Name of the Program (UG) | Basis of Evaluation | Accreditation Status | Period of validity | Remarks |
|-------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|--|--|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| 1. | Mechanical Engineering | Tier I Document | Provisional Accreditation | Academic years 2016-2017 and 2017-18 i.e., upto 30-06-2018 | Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col.5 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier. |

3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.

4. The program has been granted provisional accreditation. **North Eastern Regional Institute of Science & Technology, Nirjuli, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh-791 109** should submit the Compliance report at least six months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above. It may require submission of pre-qualifier before sending the compliance report for granting further Accreditation.

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5. The accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted **North Eastern Regional Institute of Science & Technology, Nirjuli, Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh-791 109 as a whole**. As such the Institution should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc., write that it is accredited by NBA because it is program accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name and level of the program accredited and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the date from which the accreditation is effective, should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

6. The accreditation status of the above program is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited program as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of your Institute.

7. The accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa)
Member Secretary

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