## I.K. GUJRAL PUNJAB TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY JALANDHAR (REGISTRAR OFFICE)

IKGPTU/REG/NF/R&D/330

Dated: 16.07.2024

# NOTIFICATION

# Sub: To implement the UGC guidelines notified vide letter No. F.4-1(UGC-NET Review Committee)2024(NET)/140648 dated 28-03-2024, regarding the National Eligibility Test (NET) as an Entrance Test for admission to Ph.D.

With reference to UGC guidelines notified vide letter No. F.4-1 (UGC-NET Review Committee) 2024(NET)/140648 dated 28-03-2024 and with the approval of competent authority, the partial amendment to IKGPTU Ph.D. regulations 2022 notified vide Notification No. IKGPTU/REG/NF/R&D/ 1971 dated 19-09-2023, the clause 4(a) is as under:

#### Clause 4(a)

- (i) JRF qualified (Category 1) only, NET Score categories (Category 1: JRF qualified candidates, Category 2: Candidates qualified for Assistant Professorship without JRF and Category 3: Candidates neither qualified for JRF nor for Assistant Professorship but eligible for admission to Ph.D. only on the basis of NET score) as per UGC norms.
- (ii) Admission under JRF Category will be done as per existing norms However, candidates with valid JRF will be also eligible to apply under NET Score categories.
- (iii) The marks obtained by the candidates in the NET Examination conducted by UGC and CSIR will be valid for a period of one year for the purpose of admission to Ph.D. program or as decided by UGC from time to time. The validity of JRF will be as mentioned in the JRF award letter.
- (iv) Preference shall be provided to student with NET (Categories 1,2,3) in the admission process and their NET score shall be considered for 70% weightage to marks in entrance test for admission process.
- (v) Those having fellowships from national funding agencies for minimum two years duration and who qualified CSIR-UGC-NET, DBT-NET, ICAR-NET, GATE, GPAT, etc.
- (vi) The university shall conduct the entrance test in Engineering and other disciplines in which UGC does not conduct NET examination.

These changes shall effective from the date of notification.

This is issued with the approval of competent authority 18.06.2024 vide e-office File No. D-33/525/2024-R and D (Computer No. 122075).

## Endst. No.: IKGPTU/REG/N/F/R&D/331-335

A Copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action please.

- 1. All HODs (Teaching and Non-Teaching)
- 2. Directors: All Constituent Campuses, IKGPTU
- 3. Director/Principal of Affiliated/Autonomous Colleges
- 4. ITS Branch: for updation on University website and Ph.D. admission portal.
- 5. Secretary to Vice Chancellor: For kind information to Hon'ble Vice Chancellor.

(Dr. S. K Misra) Registrar

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