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The Vice Chancellor,  
Maharaja Bir Bikram University,  
Agartala, Tripura,

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[Signature]

Subject: - Establishment of **Maharaja Bir Bikram University, Agartala, Tripura,**

Sir,

With reference to letter No. F.2(450-104)-DHE/UDCA/2015/4012 dated 18.02.2016 received through Govt. of Tripura, Education (Higher) Dept. on the above subject, I am directed to say that **Maharaja Bir Bikram University, Agartala, Tripura,** has been established by an **Act No. 6 of 2015** of State Legislature of Tripura as a **State University** vide Notification **No. F. 8(1)-Law/Leg-1/2015 dated 16.9.2015** and is empowered to award degrees as specified by the UGC under section 22 of the UGC Act 1956 through its own departments, its constituent colleges and/or through its affiliated colleges in regular mode with the approval of its statutory bodies/councils, wherever required.

The University is not allowed to start any off-campus centre beyond the territorial jurisdiction of the State as per Hon' ble Supreme Court Judgment in Prof. Yash Pal vs State of Chhattisgarh case.

The University may note and adhere to the following: -

- To ensure that no off campus centre(s)/study centre and the centres operating through franchises is opened by the University outside the territorial jurisdiction of the State in view of the judgment of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in case of Prof. Yashpal vs. Government of Chhattisgarh.
- In case the university has already started any off-campus/study centre and the centre operating through franchises outside the State, it must be closed immediately.
- No distance education programmes shall be started without the prior approval of UGC.
- M. Phil/ Ph. D programmes can be conducted as per the provisions of UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Awards of M. Phil/Ph.D. Degree) Regulations, 2009.
- The University is required to follow the Rules/ Regulation/ directions notified / issued by the UGC from time to time.

I am enclosing a copy of UGC Fitness of Certain Universities for Grants) Rules, 1974. The detailed information in the prescribed format (attached) may please be sent to this office for considering the proposal to declare University fit to receive Central assistance under Section 12B of UGC Act, 1956.

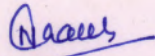
Yours faithfully,

(Nirmal Kaur)  
Under Secretary

Encl: As above.

Copy to: -

1. The Secretary, Govt. of India, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of Higher Education, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.
2. The Secretary (Higher Education) Directorate of Higher Education, Old Secretariate Building, P.O. Agartala, Tripura West-799001.
3. Publication Officer, UGC- For inclusion of the name of the University in the UGC list on website..
4. Guard File.



(Nirmal Kaur)  
Under Secretary