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Subject: Re: Seeking inputs on consideration of Demands for Grants (2023-24) of the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region by the Department related Parliamentary Star

Thu. February 2, 2023 3:08 pm Date:

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Sir/ Madam,

With reference to the subject cited above, please see the inputs in respect of Tezpur University attached herewith for your kind perusal and needful consideration.

भवदीय/ Yours faithfully,

बीरेन दास/ Biren Das कुलसचिव/ Registrar तेजपुर विश्वविद्यालय/ Tezpur University तेजपुर, असम, भारत/ Tezpur, ASSAM, INDIA फोन/ Phone - +91 3712-267004, 273101

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Please find attached herewith an OM dated 31.01.2023 on the subject mentioned above. It is requested to furnish inputs in this regard at the earliest.

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Tarar" <<u>management-edu@gov.in</u>>, "Poonam Goel" <<u>poonam.goel27@nic.in</u>> Sent: Tuesday, January 31, 2023 3:34:39 PM Subject: Seeking inputs on consideration of Demands for Grants (2023-24) of the Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region by the Department related Parliamentary Standing Committee (DrPSC) -reg. Sir/Madam. Kindly find the attachment on the above mentioned subject. With Regards NER Section [https://amritmahotsav.nic.in/] [https://www.g20.org/] [https://amritmahotsav.nic.in/] [https://www.g20.org/] Regards,

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TEZPUR UNIVERSITY

Consideration of Demand for Grants (2023-24) of the Ministry of Development of North <u>Eastern Region by the Department related Parliamentary Standing Committee (DrPSC)</u>

1. Do the NE States foresee educational tourism as a strategy for development and social change? If so, what steps have been taken by the Government to promote educational tourism in NER?

Reply:

Scope of educational tourism in NE India:

North east India houses many Universities (central and state), NITs and one IIT apart from one AIIMS, one sports University and other educational institutes. It is highly likely that the region could attract students and scholars from nearby regions and countries. This is more possible due to the fact that NE India shares boarders with as many as 4 countries, and in proximity to many other countries in South East Asia.

Tezpur University initiatives:

As a step towards educational tourism, Tezpur University has a policy to admit international students through sponsorship of government agencies or directly on application of interested students. This includes NRI and PIO students as well. The University has earmarked two (02) seats for each programme for such interested students in addition to applicants through entrance examinations conducted by Tezpur University or by designated agencies like NTA.

Being a Central University located adjacent to boarders of many South-East Asian countries, Tezpur University seems to be a preferred destination for interested students, specially from the countries of the region. To make the effort of the University for attracting more international students' success, it has established an International Office under the directorship of a Professor with necessary support staff. It is pertinent to mention that during last three academic years the International Office received applications from international students as given below:

Academic year	No. of applicants	Admissions
2019-20	50	19
2020-21	200	03
2021-22	271	08

Though the number of applicants are reasonable, but actual number of students who took admission is comparatively low as the University has no separate hostel for international students.

The University has also signed MoUs with some of the foreign Universities for academic collaboration which includes exchange of students and teachers making educational tourism more effective. However, some of the Universities have not deputed their students to Tezpur University, might be due to lack of an appropriate hostel.

The University submitted a proposal to MoE for HEFA funding for international hostel in 2019 which was not recommended. The effort of the University to implement educational tourism will be more successful if it can get funding for establishment of an International hostel of atleast 74 capacity with necessary facilities/ amenities at the earliest possible. For this, we are enclosing herewith a proposal for an international hostel to be funded from the Ministry of DoNER through the MoE with an estimated cost of Rs. 13.40 cr.

Detail	ing's of Proposed R.C.C 4-storied Foreign Students(Interna Tezpur University Campus, Napaam.	tional) Hoste	el Building at
Α	Ground Floor Area= 811.00 sqm	<u> </u>	
Sl. No.	Description	Area	No. of rooms
1	Rooms with attach toilet , balcony and small passages.	•	
1.1	Room area =4.3X3.65	4.3X3.65	14
1.2	Toilet area=2.1X1.6	2.1X1.6	14
1.3	Balcony area= 2.2X1.35	2.2X1.35	14
1.4	Small phases area= 1.55X1.6.	1.55X1.6	14
2	Common passages area	12.2X4.6	1
3	Kitchen	5.35X4.3	1
4	Dinning	9X4.3	1
5	Store room	3.65X4.3	1
6	Pantry Room	4.3X4.3	2
7	Common toilet	3X2.2	1
8	Porch	6X5	1
В	First floor area= 805.00 Sqm		
1	Rooms with attach toilet , balcony and small passages.		
1.1	Room area =4.3X3.65	4.3X3.65	20
1.2	Toilet area=2.1X1.6	2.1X1.6	20
1.3	Balcony area= 2.2X1.35	2.2X1.35	20
1.4	Small phases area= 1.55X1.6.	1.55X1.6	20
2	Pantry Room	4.3X5.9	2
С	Second floor area= 805.00 Sqm		
1	Rooms with attach toilet , balcony and small passages.		
1.1	Room area =4.3X3.65	4.3X3.65	20
1.2	Toilet area=2.1X1.6	2.1X1.6	20
1.3	Balcony area= 2.2X1.35	2.2X1.35	20
1.4	Small phases area= 1.55X1.6.	1.55X1.6	20
2	Pantry Room	4.3X5.9	2

D	Third floor area= 805.00 Sqm		
1	Rooms with attach toilet, balcony and small passages.		
1.1	Room area =4.3X3.65	4.3X3.65	20
1.2	Toilet area=2.1X1.6	2.1X1.6	20
1.3	Balcony area= 2.2X1.35	2.2X1.35	20
1.4	Small phases area= 1.55X1.6.	1.55X1.6	20
2	Pantry Room	4.3X5.9	2
	Total No. of Bedrooms= 74		

PLINTH AREA RATE AS ON 01-04-2021.(CPWD) Cost Index 127 as on Oct.,2021.

COST ESTIMATE FOR INTERNATIONAL HOSTEL (G+3)

Total Area= (GF811+SF,SF,Tf 3x805.00)=3226.00 Sq.M

	TOTAL C	TINITE	ADEA	PLINTH	AMOUNT
PAR NO.	ITEMS	UNIT	AREA	AREA RATE	(in Rs.)
1	RCC FRAMED STRUCTURE				
	RCC framed Structure up to six				
1.1	storeys				
01:01:02	Floor Height 3.00 Mtr	Sqm	3226	20685	66729810.00
1.2	EXTRA FOR				
01:03:02	0.3 mtrs additional height of floor above normal floor height of 3.00 mtrs i.e. 370/0.30X03 = 370.00	Sqm	3226	370	1193620.00
01:03:03	Every 0.30 mt higher plinth over normal plinth height of 0.60 metre(On G.F. Area Only)	Sq.m	811	370	300070.00
01:03:07	Pile foundation upto 15.0m(GF area)	Sqm	811	17100	13868100.00
1.5	FIRE FIGHTING				
01:05:02	With wet riser System	sqm	3226	800	2580800.00
1.6	FIRE ALARM SYSTEM				0.00
01:06:02	Automatic Fire Alarm System	sqm	3226	250	806500.00
2	SERVICES				
2.1	Internal Water Supply & Sanitary Installations		66729810	12.00%	8007577.20
02:02:01	External Service connection		66729810	3.75%	2502367.88
2.3	Internal Electric Installation		66729810	12.50%	8341226.25
2.4	Extra for		66729810		0.00
3.6.1	Power Wiring and Plug		66729810	0.00%	0.00
3.6.2	Central call bell system		66729810	0.00%	0.00
02:04:02	Lighting Conductor		66729810	0.25%	166824.53
3.6.4	Telephone Conduits		66729810	0.00%	0.00
02:04:03	Computer Conduits		66729810	0.25%	166824.53
02:04:04	Quality assurance		66729810	1.00%	667298.10
3	LIFTS				

03:01:03	Passenger lift 13 person speed 1.5m/Sec	Nos	1	90000	90000.00					
4	WATER TANK (RCC ONLY)									
4.1	Overhead tank without independent staging	ltr	8000	20	160000.00					
	Sub-Total				105581018.48					
	Add Cost Index 127 28506874.99									
	Grand Total= 134087893.46									
	Rupees 1340.88 Lakh									
			Cos	st per sq.m=	41564.75					
	Plinth Area Rate	es of DS	R-2021							

Sd/-

Registrar

Tezpur University



तेजपुर विश्वविद्यालय / TEZPUR UNIVERSITY

(संसद के अधिनियम द्वारा स्थापित केंद्रीय विश्वविद्यालय / A Central University established by an Act of Parliament)

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(सर्वोत्तम विश्वविद्यालय के लिए कुलाध्यक्ष पुरस्कार,2016 और भारत के 100श्रेष्ठ उच्च शिक्षण संस्थानों में पंचम स्थान प्राप्त विश्वविद्यालय) (Awardee of Visitor's Best University Award, 2016 and 5th among India's Top 100 Universities, MHRD-NIRF Ranking, 2016)

Through e-mail only

Ref. No. F.2.1/I(RC)

Date: 30.09.2022

To:

Shri V. Talreja

Under Secretary

University Grants Commission

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Sub: Parliamentary Committee on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes – "Role of Autonomous Bodies, Public Enterprises, Educational Institutions including Central Universities, Engineering Colleges, IIMs, IITs, Medical Institutes including AIIMS in socio-economic development of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes" with special reference o Central Universities – reg.

Ref.: Your letter No.F.2-3/2022 (CU) Computer No. 111612 Dt. 23.09.2022 (received through email)

Sir,

With reference to the above, please find the required information as per the questionnaire.

Yours faithfully,

(Biren Das) Registrar

Tezpur University

Encl. As stated above.

COMMITTEE ON THE WELFARE OF SCHEDULED CASTE AND SCHEDULED TRIBE

<u>LIST OF POINTS FOR MINISTRY OF EDUCATION (DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION) & UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION (UGC)</u>

1. Please provide the brief note on implementation of reservation policy in Central Universities / Colleges / Institutes under the Ministry of Education (Department of higher education) and University Grants Commission.

Reply: Tezpur University strictly follows the Reservation Policy of the Government of India in respect of recruitment for Teaching and Non-teaching positions. The reservation is post-based. For Non-teaching staff, grouping is done to avoid the small cadres. In respect of teaching staff, reservation is affected by taking the **whole University as a Unit** for each rosters of Professors, Associate Professors and Assistant Professors. The quantum of reservation is 15% for SCs, 7.5% for STs, 27% for OBCs and 10% for EWSs. The horizontal reservation for PWD (4%) category is also implemented. Further, the reservation rosters are updated as per rules.

2. Please provide the information Central University / Colleges / Institute wise. Please furnish the information relating to staff strength of teaching staff in the University as on 31.08.2022 as per the following proforma: **Furnished as below:**

Category of posts	Total no. of employees	No. of S appointed reserved	against	No. of So appointed own m	on their	Percentage of total		Shorti	alls
	in position	SCs	STs	SCs	STs	SCs	STs	SCs	STs
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Professor	37	4	2	1	1	13.5%	8%	1.5%	-
Associate Professor	68	7	4	1	1	12%	7%	3%	0.5%
Assistant Professor	172	23	11	3	4	15%	8.5%	-	-

- 3. What is the dropout rate of SC/ST students vis-à-vis general students in the University / College / Institutes? What are the effective steps taken / being taken by the Ministry / UGC in this regard?

 Reply: 02.24% for SC/ST and 02.55% for General students.
- 4. How many teaching and non-teaching employees / staff were sent on foreign training and also to attend seminars / symposia / conferences, etc., during the years 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022 (till date). If so, please provide the details of SCs/STs employees amongst them.

Reply: 43 employees (teaching and non-teaching) were sent for such foreign training / seminars / symposia / conferences, etc., during the years 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022 (till date) out of which 1 was SC and 1-ST. **Details enclosed at Annexure-I**

5. The steps taken / being taken by the Ministry of Education (Department of Higher Education) to provide proper representation to SC/ST in the vacancies being filled up by contractual appointment in various Central Universities / Colleges / Institutes.

Reply: Posts have been reserved as per requirement and vacant positions have been advertised.

6. The details of the mechanism adopted by the Ministry / UGC to check the status of reservation / representation for SC/ST and their other grievances in teaching and non-teaching staff in various Central Universities / Colleges / Institutes.

Reply: Reservation Rosters are prepared by the Recruitment Cell and verified by the concerned Liaison Officers. The Rosters are put on the website for information of public.

Registrar Tezpur University

Ann-I Details of Foreign Training / Seminar / Conference / Symposia, etc. of Teaching & Non-Teaching Staff during 2019, 2020, 2021 & 2022

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SI.	Name	Cate- gory	Emplo- yee ID	Designation	Department	Conference/Workshop/Refresher Course/etc Title	From	То	Place
1	Nandan Sit	Gen	409	409 Professor	FET	21st World Congress of Food Science and Technology	31-10-2022	03-11-2022 Singapore	Singapore
2	Debasish Mahapatra	Gen	172	172 Associate Professor	English	Conference EMI,ICHE and Englishization: Reflecting on the Changing University	18-10-2022	21-10-2022	Maastrich University, Nethrlands
3	D.C.Baruah	Gen	341	Professor	Energy	IEEE Power Africa Conference and IEEE Smart Village Meeting Series	t 22-08-2022	27-08-2022	Kigali, Rwanda
4	l Juri Gogoi Konwar	OBC	478	Assistant Professor	Cultural Studies	Inta'l Conf. on "Borderland Features: Technologies, Zones, Co-existence"	23-06-2022	25-06-2022	25-06-2022 Seoul, South Korea
5	Saona Seth	Gen	928	Asstt.Prof.	Applied Sc.	Materials-22	18-04-2022	22-04-2022	22-04-2022 Boston, USA
9	Sadhan Mahapatra	Gen	171	171 Assoc. Prof.	Energy	Inta'l Congress	25-10-2021	29-10-2021	29-10-2021 Germany (Online)
7	7 A.K.Mukherjee	Gen	157	Professor	MBBT	Venom Week 2010	04-03-2020	07-03-2020 USA	USA
∞	8 Nayan Moni Kakoty	Gen	398	Assoc.Prof.	ECE	Visit Universiti Teknologi	03-03-2020	12-03-2020 Malaysia	Malaysia
6	9 Shailen Deka	Gen	625	Asstt.Prof.	Civil Engg.	Workshop	20-01-2020	15-02-2020	15-02-2020 Italy, Greece, Ind.
10	10 Eeshan Kalita	Gen	395	Asstt.Prof.	MBBT	Workshop	20-01-2020	15-02-2020	15-02-2020 Italy, Greece, Ind.
11	Nirmali Gogoi	OBC	318	Asstt.Prof.	Env. Sc.	Workshop	20-01-2020	15-02-2020	15-02-2020 Italy, Greece, Ind.
12	2 Ratul Kumar Baruah	OBC	435	Asstt.Prof.	ECE	Workshop	20-01-2020	15-02-2020	15-02-2020 Italy, Greece, Ind.
13	Shailen Deka	Gen	625	Assistant Prof.	Civil Engg.	(AdaptNET Project)	20-01-2020	15-02-2020	15-02-2020 Italy, Greece, India
14	4 Nirmali Gogoi	OBC	318	Assistant Prof.	Env.Sc.	(AdaptNET Project)	20-01-2020	15-02-2020	15-02-2020 Italy, Greece, India
15	Eeshan Kalita	Gen	395	Assistant Prof.	MBBT	(AdaptNET Project)	20-01-2020	15-02-2020	15-02-2020 Italy, Greece, India
16	16 Ratul Kr. Baruah	OBC	435	Assistant Prof.	ECE	(AdaptNET Project)	20-01-2020	15-02-2020	15-02-2020 Italy, Greece, India
17	7 Bipul Ch.Saram	Gen	909	606 Assistant Prof.	Chemical Sc.	Inta'l Conference	15-12-2019	20-12-2019 Singapore	Singapore
18	8 Dibyakanta Seth	SC	508	Asst.Prof.	FET	Inta'l Conf.	12-11-2019	14-11-2019	14-11-2019 Netherlands
19	9 Arup Kumar Nath	OBC	567	Asst.Prof.	English	Inta'l Conf.	28-10-2019	29-10-2019 Belgium	Belgium
20	20 Nirmali Gogoi	OBC	318	318 Asstt.Prof.	Env.Sc	Inta'l Conf.	27-10-2019	29-10-2019 Spain	Spain
21	Sashi Baruah	Gen	295	295 Professor	MBBT	Inta'l Congress	19-10-2019	23-10-2019 Beijing	Beijing
22	2 Sashi Baruah	Gen	295	295 Professor	MBBT	Inta'l Conf.	19-10-2019	23-10-2019 Beijing	Beijing
23	Ramesh Ch. Deka	Gen	268	268 Professor	Chemical Sc.	Inta'l Conf.	01-10-2019	04-10-2019 Australia	Australia
24	4 Uttam Kumar Pegu	ST	311	Assoc. Prof.	MCJ	Inta'l Conf.	26-09-2019	28-09-2019 Germany	Germany
25	5 Ashish Kr. Mukherjee	Gen	157	Professor	MBBT	World Congress	08-09-2019	13-09-2019 Argentina	Argentina
26	26 Panchanan Puzari	Gen	355	Asstt.Prof.	Chemical Sc.	Inta'l Conf.	02-09-2019	06-09-2019 Greece	Greece
27	27 Panchanan Puzari	Gen	355	355 Asstt.Prof.	Chemical Sc.	Inta'l Conf.	02-09-2019	06-09-2019 Greece	Greece
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28	28 Amalesh Gope	Gen	789	789 Asstt.Prof.	English	Inta'l Conf.	05-08-2019	09-08-2019 Australia	Australia
29	29 Moon Moon Devi	Gen	845	845 Asstt.Prof.	Physics	Inta'l Conf.	24-07-2019	01-08-2019 USA	USA
30	30 Subhra Devi	Gen	556	556 Asstt. Curator	Cul. Studies	Workshop	22-07-2019	26-07-2019 China	China
31	31 Kali Pd. Sarma	Gen	314	314 Professor	Env.Sc	Inta'l Conf.	16-07-2019	19-07-2019 China	China
32	32 Subra Devi	Gen	556	556 Asstt. Curator	Cul. Studies	Inta'l Conf.	16-07-2019	19-07-2019	19-07-2019 Netherlands
33	33 Madhumita Borbora	Gen	38	38 Professor	English	Inta'l Conf.	24-06-2019	29-06-2019 Australia	Australia
34	34 S. Baruah	Gen	295	295 Professor	MBBT	Symposium	18-06-2019	21-06-2019 USA	USA
35	35 Deepjyoti Goswami	Gen	648	648 Asstt.Prof.	Mathel. Sc.	Inta'l Conf.	18-06-2019	21-06-2019 London	London
36	Sashi Baruah	Gen	295	295 Professor	MBBT	Symposium	18-06-2019	21-06-2019	21-06-2019 Boston, USA
37	Gazi Ameen Ahmed	Gen	226	226 Assoc. Prof.	Physics	Inta'l Conf.	10-06-2019	14-06-2019 China	China
38	38 Anushabda	OBC	602	602 Asstt.Prof.	Hindi	Inta'l Conf.	05-06-2019	07-06-2019 Portugal	Portugal
39	39 Debasish Mohapatra	Gen	172	172 Assoc. Prof.	English	Inta'l Conf.	02-05-2019	04-05-2019 Croatia	Croatia
40	40 Madhurima Goswami	Gen	118	118 Assoc. Prof.	w.Studies	Inta'l Conf.	17-04-2019	27-04-2019 Thailand	Thailand
41	41 Subhadeepta Roy	Gen	703	703 Asstt.Prof.	Sociology	Inta'l Conf.	05-04-2019	07-04-2019	07-04-2019 Pennsylvania Univ.
42	Tapas Medhi	Gen	358	358 Asstt.Prof.	MBBT	Inta'l Conf.	18-03-2019	19-03-2019 USA	USA
43	43 Rajesh Kalarivayil	Gen	733	733 Asstt.Prof.	Social Work	Inta'l Conf.	20-02-2019	22-02-2019 Germany	Germany



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Through e-mail only

Ref. No. F.2.1/I(RC)

Date: 17.03.2023

To:

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Presentation before the Parliamentary Committee on Welfare of Other Backward Classes

(OBCs) – information to be furnished by 17.03.2023 – reg.

Ref.: Your letter No.F.13-5/2022 (CU) Dt. 16.03.2023 (received through e-mail)

Madam,

With reference to the above, please find attached herewith the required information in the prescribed format.

Yours faithfully,

(Biren Das) Registrar

Encl. As stated above.

Presentation before the Parliamentary Committee on Welfare of Other Backward Classes (OBC) Information to be furnished by 17.03.2023

Name of the Central University: Tezpur University

Admission:

Year	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
Total Intake	1274	1455	1507	1528	1616	1758	1939	2062	1989
No. of OBC intake	334	382	390	394	417	471	501	527	522
% of OBC intake	26	26	26	26	26	27	26	26	26
OBC enrollment	942	967	1021	1012	984	1035	1112	1132	1089
Share of OBC students in total enrollment	29	28	27	26	25	25	25	25	24
OBC female enrollment	372	402	411	398	399	416	469	496	486

Teaching Posts:

	5	Sanctioned			In posit	tions as on 28.02.2023	
Post	Total	Number of earmarked posts for OBC as per roster	Total	Total OBC	Number of OBCs against earmarked roster points	Percentage of OBC representation based upon total OBC	Percentage of OBC representation based upon earmarked OBC roster points
Professor	53	4	36	5	0	13.88	0
Associate Professor	84	5	67	17	1	25.37	20
Assistant Professor	175	43	172	48	43	27.90	100
Total	312	52	275	70	44	25.45	84.61

Year	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
OBC Faculty	53	52	60	60	58	68	67	66	70
Female OBC	12	12	16	16	16	17	17	16	18

Non-Teaching Posts:

	9	Sanctioned	In positions as on 28.02.2023								
Post	Total	Number of earmarked posts for OBC as per roster	Total	Total OBC	Number of OBCs against earmarked roster points	Percentage of OBC representation based upon total OBC	Percentage of OBC representation based upon earmarked OBC roster points				
Gr-A	39	6	33	7	5	21.21	83.33				
Gr-B	59	7	57	19	7	33.33	100				
Gr-C	189	51	173	63	47	36.41	92.15				
Total	287	64	263	89	59	33.84	92.18				

Staff Position: Account of Backlog Vacancies

Sanctioned			n position at the encement of the year	Recruit	ment done during the year	Vacancy position at the end of the year		
Year	l ofal		Against posts earmarked for OBC	Total	Against posts earmarked for OBC	Total	OBC	
2018	564	93	152	89	26	3	52	3
2019	599	100	154	92	33	5	63	8
2020	599	104	163	95	20	5	61	9
2021	599	116	160	101	16	3	67	15
2022	599	116	161	102	17	3	60	13



Presentation before the Parliamentary Committee on Welfare of Other Backward Classes (OBC) Information to be furnished by 17.03.2023

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Status of functioning of OBC Association: There is no OBC Association in Tezpur University. However, to look after the issues of OBCs, an OBC Cell is there as below:

Prof. Debarshi Prasad Nath (OBC), Department of Cultural Studies

Liaison Officer

Prof. Abhijit Bora (Gen), Department of Mass Com. & Journalism

- Member - Member

Mr. Hridoy Saikia (OBC), Joint Registrar

- Member

Ms. Polly Rajbongshi (OBC), Lower Division Clerk

- Member

Section Officer, SCT Cell

- Ex-Officio Member Secretary

Status of appointment of Liaison Officer in all the institutions: Appointed as below -

Dr. Debarshi Prasad Nath (OBC), Professor, Department of Cultural Studies, for a period of three years w.e.f. 26.07.2021 to 25.07.2024

Welfare Schemes:

			2018-19 2019-2		9-20	20 2020-21		2021-22		2022-23	
S. No.	Name of the Scheme	No. of beneficia	Amount disbursed	No. of beneficiar ies	Amount disbursed						
1	Non NET	204	-	243		321		390		407	-
2	Scholarship	110		233	-	249	-	223	_	173	-

^{*} Amount could not be furnished as the same is transferred through DBT.

Other welfare measures: None

Success Stories (with pictures if possible): None

Registrar Tezpur University From: "Registrar, Tezpur University" < registrartu@tezu.ernet.in>

Subject: Re: Parliamentary Committee on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes- "Role of autonomous bodies, Public Enterprises, Educational Institutions including Central Universities, Engineering Colleges, IIMs, IITs, Medical Institutes including AIIMS in socio-economic, development of Scheduled Castes

and Scheduled Tribes" with special reference to Central Universities-reg.

Date: Wed, October 5, 2022 2:18 pm

To: socu.ugc@gmail.com

Cc: talreja.ugc@gmail.com,snarain.ugc@gmail.com

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Sir,
     please find enclosed herewith the inputs from Tezpur University. The
attachment of Annexure I are being sent in three different mails due
to limitation of file size of attachment
> *TOP PRIORITY*
> *No.F.2-3/2022 (CU) Computer No. 111612
              01st October, 2022 *
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  *Sir/Madam,*
>
> In continuation to this office letter of even number dated 23.09.2022 on
> the subject mentioned above and in reference to the DO letter No.
> 18-4/2022.CU-Cdn dated 30.09.2022 (copy enclosed) of Dr. Vineet Joshi,
> Additional Secretary (CU), Ministry of Education, the undersigned is
> directed to enclose the questionnaire on the subject mentioned above with
> a
> request to furnish the requisite information/ inputs on all 29 points by
> th October, 2022 along with soft copies in MS Word on mail at
 socu.ugc@gmail.com/ talreja.ugc@gmail.com/ snarain.ugc@gmail.com.
> This may be treated as *Most Urgent*.
> *Regards*
> *CU Section *
 *UGC, New Delhi*
सादर/With best regards,
भवदीय/ Yours faithfully,
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क्लसचिव/ Registrar
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TEZPUR UNIVERSITY

COMMITTEE ON WELFARE OF SCHEDULE CASTE AND SCHEDULE TRIBE LIST OF POINT FOR THE CONCERNED CENTRAL UNIVERSITIES

A. Organizational Set up

1. When was the Central University Set up? What are its objective, target set and achievements there in since its inception?

Ans: Tezpur university was established in 1994 by the Tezpur university Act. 1993 (Act no. 45 of 1993).

The objects as stated in the first Schedule of Tezpur University Act. Are:

The University shall endeavour through education. research. training and extension to play a positive role in the development of the North-Eastern Region. and. based on the rich heritage of the region, to promote and advance the culture of the people of the State of Assam and its human resources. Towards this end, it shall-

- (a) strive to offer employment oriented and inter-disciplinary courses. mostly at post-graduate level, to meet the local and regional aspirations and the development needs of the State of Assam;
- (b) offer courses and promote research in areas which are of special and direct relevance to the region and in emerging areas in Science and Technology;
- (c) promote national integration and the study of the rich cultural heritage of the region and in particular. the diverse ethnic, linguistic and tribal cultures of the State.
- (d) utilise distance education techniques and modern communication technologies to provide access to higher education for large segments of the population. and in particular, the disadvantaged groups such as those living in remote and rural areas: to upgrade the professional knowledge and skills of in-service personnel, in particular, school teachers, medical personnel and extension staff; and to provide opportunities for life-long learning for adults; and
- (e) provide an innovative system of university level education. flexible in regard to methods and pace of learning, combination of courses, eligibility for enrolment. age of entry. conduct examination and operation of the programmes with a view to promote learning and encourage excellence in new fields of knowledge.

The University prepared an approved profile and a vision document where the University aims to develop human excellence and inculcate leadership through hard work and creativity. The university has also defined its mission to render Tezpur University one of the most preferred destinations of students, faculty and scholars and employees. To be in the Top 50 Universities of the world.

The University has achieved its objectives to be in top 100 of the NIRF (5th NIRF ranking in 2016) and to be among the top 1000 of the World University rankings of THE and it has prepared strategies to improve its rankings – both in NIRF and World University Rankings.

2. Please provide the detailed information about the organizational set up of the University. Whether nature and mandate of the colleges and their governing authority are different? If so, please specify their mandate and administrative control over them.

Ans: The organizational set up as per the provision of Tezpur University Act is given in the Annexure I.

The nature and mandate of the University and its governing authority(Board of Management in case of Tezpur University) are the same as provided in the First Schedule of Tezpur University Act.

3. Please provide a brief background note on implementation of reservation policy of the University for teaching and non-teaching staff, college-wise and at University level.

Ans: The University is following the Government of India Reservation Policy for both teaching and non-teaching staff. Reservation Rosters are prepared as per the DoPT Model Rosters.

The University appoints Liaison Officers for various categories who verifies the Roasters and also ensure the compliance of the reservation rules.

B. Governing Body/Executive Council (EC)

4. (a)What is the composition and mandate of the Governing Body/Executive Council (EC) of the University and Colleges as the case may be?

Ans: Tezpur University has the Board of Management as the Principal Executive body of the University as per the Section 19 of Tezpur University Act. The composition of the Board of Management is defined by the Statute 49.

The composition of the Board of Management is :

1. Vice Chancellor Chairperson

2. Pro-Vice Chancellor Ex-Officio Member

3. One Dean of School by rotation on Member

seniority basis to be nominated by VC 4. One Professor who is not a Dean of School, by rotation on Member

seniority basis to be nominated by VC

5. One Associate Professor by rotation on Member seniority basis to be nominated by VC

6. One Assistant Professor by rotation on Member seniority basis to be nominated by VC

7. One Lady of Distinction of Academic and public Life Member

To be nominated by VC

8. 04(four) persons of distinction in academic and public Member life to be nominated by the Visitor

The mandates of the Board of Management as defined in statute 12 of Second

Schedule of Tezpur University Act are:

1. The Board of Management shall have the power of management and

administration of the revenue and property of the University and the

- conduct of all administrative affairs of the University not other-wise provided for.
- 2. Subject to the provisions of this Act., the Statutes and the Ordinances. the Board of Management shall. in addition to all other powers vested in it. have the following powers namely:-
- (i) to create teaching and academic posts, to determine the number and emoluments of such posts and to define the duties and conditions of service of Professors . Readers, Lecturers and other academic staff and Principals of Colleges and Institutions maintained by the University:

Provided that no action shall be taken by the Board of Management in respect of the number, qualifications and the emoluments of teachers and academic staff otherwise than after consideration of the recommendations of the Academic Council:

- (ii) to appoint such Professors, Readers. Lecturers and other academic staff as may be necessary, and Principals of Colleges and Institutions maintained by the University on the recommendation of the Selection Committee constituted for the purpose and fill up temporary vacancies therein.
- (iii) to create administrative, ministerial and other necessary posts and to make appointments thereto in the manner prescribed by the Ordinances.
- (iv) to grant leave of absence to any officer of the University other than the Chancellor and the Vice-Chancellor and to make necessary arrangements for the discharge of the functions of such officer during his absence.
- (v) to regulate and enforce discipline among employees in accordance with the Statutes and the Ordinances:
- (vi) to manage and regulate the finances. accounts, Investments. property, business and all other administrative affairs of the University: and for that purpose, to appoint such agents as it may think fit.
- (vii) to fix limits on the total recurring and the total non-recurring expenditure for a year on the recommendations of the Finance Committee:
- (viii) to invest any money belonging to the University, including any unapplied income. in such stocks, funds. share or securities. from time to time, as It may think fit or in the purchase of immovable property in India with the like powers of varying such investment from time to time.
- (ix) to transfer or accept transfers of any movable or immovable property on behalf of the University.
- (x) to provide buildings. premises, furniture and apparatus and other means needed for carrying on the work of the University.
- (xi) to enter into, vary, carry out and cancel contracts on behalf of the University.
- (xii) to entertain, adjudicate upon, and, if thought fit, to redress any grievances of

the employees and students of the University who may, for any reason, feel aggrieved,

- (xiii) to appoint examiners and moderators and, if necessary, to remove them, and to fix their fees, emoluments and travelling and other allowances. after consulting the Academic Council.
- (xiv) to select a common seal for the University and provide for the custody and use of such seal.
- (xv) to make such special arrangements as may be necessary for the residence and discipline of women students.
- (xvi) to delegate any of its powers of the Vice-Chancellor, the Pro-Vice-Chancellor, the Deans. the Registrar or the Finance Officer or such other employee or authority of the University or to a committee appointed by it as it may deem fit.
- (xvii) to institute fellowship, scholarships. studentships, medals and prizes.
- (xviii) to provide for the appointment of Visiting Professors, Emeritus Professors. Consultants and Scholars and determine the terms and conditions of such appointments: and
- (xix) to exercise such other powers and perform such other duties as may be conferred or imposed on it by the Act, or the Statutes.
 - (b) What is the procedure for selection/appointment of Director/Members in the Governing Body and Executive Council?

Ans: As per the Statute 2 of Tezpur University Act, the Vice Chancellor is appointed by the Visitor from a panel of not less than three persons who shall be recommended by a Committee as constituted under Statute 2(2).

The Tezpur University Act has made the provision of Board of Management as its Principal Executive body and its composition is as given below:

1.	Vice Chancellor	Chairperson
2.	Pro-Vice Chancellor	Ex-Officio Member
3.	One Dean of School by rotation on	Member
	seniority basis to be nominated by VC	
4.	One Professor who is not a Dean of School, by rotation on	Member
	seniority basis to be nominated by VC	
5.	One Associate Professor by rotation on	Member
	seniority basis to be nominated by VC	
6.	One Assistant Professor by rotation on	Member
	seniority basis to be nominated by VC	
7.	One Lady of Distinction of Academic and public Life	Member
	To be nominated by VC	

8. 04(four) persons of distinction in academic and public Member life to be nominated by the Visitor

(c) Whether any official from the SC/ST community has ever been appointed as member/Chairperson in the Executive Council of the University? If so, the details thereof during the last 10 years. If not, cogent reasons therefore?

Ans: As the Vice Chancellor is the Ex-Officio Chairperson of the Board, and till date no SC/ ST personal has been appointed as the Vice Chancellor of Tezpur University. As a result, no SC/ ST person has been appointed as the Chairperson of the Board of Management.

Following SC/ST personals have been appointed as Member of Board of Management during last 10 years:

- 1. Dr. P Anbarsan (SC) as nominated by VC from the Constituency of Associate Professor. Duration-2013-2016
- 2. Shri O R Shallam (ST), nominated by the Visitor. Duration-2017- 2022
- 3. Dr Milan Rani Jamatia (ST), nominated by the Visitor. Duration-2022-2025
- 4. Prof. Pradip Lingfa (ST), nominated by the Visitor. Duration-2022-2025
- (d) Also inform whether there is reservation of SCs and STs in the Governing Body? If not, reason thereof. What are the views of the Ministry of Education & UGC in this regard? In the absence of SC/ST Member in the Governing Body how the interest of SCs/STs are protected?

Ans: The Statute 49 of Tezpur University Act has defined the composition of the Board of Management where the provision for reservation for SC/ ST is not made. Ministry is taking care for representation of SC/ ST on the BoM while giving the Visitor's Nominee. However, Statutes may be amended to make the provision for ensuring representation for SC/ STs on BoM as a permanent solution.

(e) Whether decision of the Governing Body and Executive Council are final, if not to whom they are accountable? What is the Parliamentary/Ministry of education control over Governing Body/Executive Council.

Ans: As per Section 19 of Tezpur University Act, the Board of Management is the Principal Executive body of the University. The decisions of BoM are subject to any observation of Visitor as per Section 9 of Tezpur university Act. The Act provides that the Visitor may, by order in writing, annul any proceeding of the University which is not in conformity with the Act, Statutes or the Ordinances.

(f) Whether principal of respective college or Vice-Chancellor of the University can revoke the decision of Governing Body or Executive Council as the case may be? If not, reason therefor.

Ans: As per Section 12(4) of Tezpur University Act, the Vice Chancellor, if he is of the opinion that any decision of any authority of the University is beyond the power of the authority conferred by the provisions of this Act, the Statutes or the Ordinances or that any decision taken is not in the interest of the University, may ask the authority concerned to review its decision within sixty days of such decision and if the authority refuses to review the decision either in whole or in part or no decision is taken by it

within the said period of sixty days, the matter shall be referred to the Visitor whose decision thereon shall be the final.

C. Colleges and Strength of SC/ST Principals

5. How many colleges come under the University? What are the strength of SC and ST Principals in those colleges? Reasons for none/negligible strength of SC/ST Principal in the Colleges? What are your suggestion if Principals are appointed in different colleges in rotational/roaster basis for providing due reservation/representation to SCs/STs.

Ans: Tezpur University does not have any affiliated or constituent college; so the para does not refer to it.

D. RESERVATION IN SERVICES/ADMISSIONS

6. Please state the categories/posts in college/University to which reservation orders do not apply and the reasons thereof?

Ans: As Tezpur University follows the Gol reservation policies, the para does not refer to it.

7. What are the various efforts made/being made by the University to ensure reservation of SC/ST as per policy framed by the DoPT?

Ans: The University follows the GoI reservation policies and prepares the Roster as per DoPT Model Roster. Reservation Rosters are put in the University website for accessibility of all stakeholders/ public.

Liaison Officers are appointed to monitor the whole exercise of reservation for various categories.

8. What is the policy for admission of students in the University? Whether SC/ST students are provided any relaxation/concessions in admission in the University. If so, the details thereof along with the extent of enrolment of SC/ST Students in the University during last three years?

Ans: Tezpur university follows reservation policies of GoI in admission of students to various programmes of studies.

Relaxation in marks and application fee are provided in admission as per Gol guidelines.

Reservations in admission during last three years are as given below:	

9. What is the dropout rate of SC/ST students vis-a-vis general students in the University/Colleges? What are the affective steps taken/being taken by the University in this regard?

Ans: Drop-out rates for SC/ ST students:02.24% Drop-out rates for General students: 02.55%

10. Please state whether there is any reservation in hostel facilities for SC/ST students in the University. Since SC/St students are mostly from poor backgrounds whether there is any relaxation for such students with respect to hostel and mess fees etc. if not, reason therefor.

Ans: As per Tezpur university Act, it is a residential University. All students admitted to the University are provided with hostels. However, on introduction of new programmes, sometimes we are shortage of hostel seats and in that case, we maintain the reservation of seats for reserved category students as per Gol guidelines.

In regard to hostel fee and mess fee, it is to submit that The students belonging to SC/ ST categories are given Hostel fee concession where seat rent is waived on 100%; however, the Mess is run by students' Committee and there is no mess-fee concession for any student.

11. What are the schemes taken up by University/Colleges to provide good quality hostels for SC/ST students?

Ans: Tezpur University is a residential University and it strives to provide hostel seats to all admitted students. The University applied to the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment for funding for SC, ST and OBC hostels for boys and girls. It has got 01 SC Girls' hostel, 01 OBC boys' hostel and 01 OBC girls' hostel. A proposal for ST boys' hostel is submitted to the MSJE.

- E. Provision for Concession and Scholarships to SC/ST students in the University.
- 12. please furnish the details of post admission schemes/Scholarship schemes to provide financial assistance. If any, and the number of students belonging to SC/ST benefited from such schemes during the last 05 years scheme wise, year-wise.

Ans: Students belonging to SC/ST categories get Scholarships given by Govt of India for which the University facilitate them. Details of scholarship beneficiaries are given below

Year	Name of Scholarship Scheme	No. of Awardees
2017-18	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST) Assam	81
2027 20	Post -Matric Scholarship (SC) Assam	74
	Total	155
2018-19	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST) Assam	No record
	Post -Matric Scholarship (SC) Assam	129
	Total	129
	Ishan Uday Special Scholarship Scheme for NER (ST)	24
	Ishan Uday Special Scholarship Scheme for NER (SC)	38
	Total	62
	Grand Total -2018-19 (129 +62)	= 191
	PG Scholarship Scheme for SC ST Students for persuing	
2019-21	Professional Course	19
	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST) Assam	56
	Post -Matric Scholarship (SC) Assam	47
	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST) Arunachal Pradesh	12
	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST) Meghalaya	3
	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST) Tripura	2
	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST)Manipur	2
	Grand Total	141
2020.21	PG Scholarship Scheme for SC ST Students for persuing Professional Course	42
2020-21		43
	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST) Assam	13
	Post -Matric Scholarship (SC) Assam	44
	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST) Arunachal Pradesh	14
	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST) Meghalaya	1
	Grand Total	115
	PG Scholarship Scheme for SC ST Students for persuing	
2021-22	Professional Course	37
	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST) Assam	0
	Post -Matric Scholarship (SC) Assam	33
	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST) Arunachal Pradesh	16
	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST) Tripura	1
	Post -Matric Scholarship (ST)Manipur	1
	Grand Total	88

NB: No data included of Ishan Uday Special Scholarship Scheme for NER and others from 2018-19 onwards due to not possible to recognize the category from their application id and others available from the NSP list.

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13. Whether there is any concession of fees for student belonging to SC/STs in the University and if so, the details of percentage of concession may be provided.

Ans: There is no fee concession in admission for any category students. However, the students belonging to SC & St categories get concession in Hostel fee in the form of full(100%) waiver of seat rent.

14. Whether there are any schemes being implemented for sponsoring SC/ST students to study for higher studies. If so, the details thereof.

Ans: Tezpur University does not have any scheme being implemented for sponsoring SC/ST students to study for higher studies.

F. Recruitment

15. What is the total sanction strength of various teaching and non-teaching post (categorywise) and number of vacant posts reserved for SC & ST.

Ans: A. Sanctioned strength and vacancies of Teaching positions as on date

Posts	Sanctioned strength	Filled in	Vacancies(SC/ST)
Professor	53	37	16 (SC 4/ST 2)
Associate Professor	84	68	16 (SC 6/ST 1)
Assistant Professor	175	172	03 (SC 0/ST 1)
Total	312	277	35 (SC 10/ST 4)

B. Sanctioned strength and vacancies of non-Teaching positions as on date

Posts	Sanctioned strength	Filled in	Vacancies(SC/ST)
Group A	39	35#	04 (+1 from#)
Group B	59	58	01
Group C	115+1*	102	13 (SC-1/ ST 1)
MTS	73	72	01
Total	286+1*	266	19 (+1 from#)

• To be out sourced, # 01 position is vacant now due to retirement of the incumbent.

16 Please furnish the information relating to staff strength, Grade A, B, C posts in the University with regard to non-teaching staff as on date as per following proforma:

Category of Post	Total No. of employee in position	SC, appo aga rese	per of /ST inted inst rved	Numb SC appo on t own	/St inted heir	Percentage of Total		Shortfalls	
		SCs	STs	SCs	STs	SCs	STs	SCs	STs
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Gr. A	35(# 01 due to retire)	5	3	1	1	17.1%	11.4%	-	-
В	58	7	3	2	0	15.5%	5.2%	-	2.3%
C+MTS	174	27	8	4	5	17.8%	7.5%	-	-

01 position is vacant now due to retirement of the incumbent

17. Please furnish a brief note on introduction of reservation policy in Assistant Professor, Associate Professor and Professor in the university and in college if applicable. Please also furnish the information relating to staff strength of teaching staff in the University as on 31.08.2022 as per following proforma:

Ans: Tezpur University strictly follows the Reservation Policy of the Government of India in respect of recruitment for Teaching and Non-teaching positions. The reservation is post-based. For Non-teaching staff. Grouping is done to avoid the small cadres. In respect of teaching staff, reservation is affected by taking the whole University as a Unit for each roster of Professors, Associate Professors and Assistant Professors. The quantum of reservation is 15% for SCs, 7.5%for STs, 27% for OBCs and 10% for EWSs. The horizontal reservation for PWD (4%) category is also implemented. Further, the reservation rosters are updated as per rules with endorsement of Liaison Officers of concerned categories.

Category of Post	Total No. of employee in position	So app ag	nber of c/ST ointed ainst ved post	appoin their	/St ited on	St ed on own		Shortfalls	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Principal	N/A								
Professor	37	4	2	1	1	13.5%	8%	1.5%	-
Associate Professor	68	7	4	1	1	12%	7%	3%	0.5%
Assistant professor	172	23	11	3	4	15%	8.5%	-	-

18. State the procedure of selection Committee for selecting candidates for teaching and non-teaching cadre and copy of the proceedings/minutes and approval thereof of the Competent Authority for last 03 years. Recorded reasons of the Selection Committee may also be furnished for not selecting Sc/ST candidates, if any.

Ans: A. For Teaching Positions:

Tezpur University follows the procedure for Selection Committees for teaching positions as per UGC Regulations and provisions in Tezpur University Act, Statutes and Ordinances. Composition of Selection Committees are as defined in Statute 20 of Tezpur university Act and Ordinance 15 gives the procedure for conduct of Selection Committee meetings. The selection committees are chaired by the vice chancellor. A visitor's nominee and three external subject experts, dean of the school, head of the department and representatives of SCs, STs, OBCs, minority ,PWDs are included as per rule. The selection committee records its recommendations in the form of a Selection Committee Report and same is submitted to the board of management of consideration of approval.

B. For Non-Teaching Positions:

Tezpur University follows the procedure for Selection Committees for Non- teaching positions as per UGC Regulations and provisions in Tezpur University Act, Statutes and Ordinances. Composition of Selection Committees are as defined in Statutes and Ordinance 15 gives the procedure for conduct of Selection Committee meetings. The selection committees are chaired by the vice chancellor. External subject experts, head of the department and representatives of SCs, STs, OBCs, minority ,PWDs are included as per rule. The selection committee records its recommendations in the form of a Selection Committee Report and same is submitted to the appointing authority for consideration of approval.

- 19. (i) Please provide brief background along with details of number of SC/ST lecturers/professors selected working on ad-hoc/contractual basis in the University. Whether reservation is provided while appointing these lecturers/professors, if not, the reasons therefore?
- **Ans**: Tezpur University is not recruiting any faculty on contract/ad-hoc basis in any department for last three years. However ad-hoc appointments are made in few scheme post where reservation is maintained as per rules.
- (ii) What are the concession/relaxation provided to SC/ST candidate to facilitate their selection for Assistant professor i.e. entry level of teaching.

Ans: Relaxation in qualifying marks for appointment as Assistant Professors are allowed as per UGC Regulations for reserved category candidates.

(iii) What are the schemes for regularization of ad-hoc Lecturer/Assistant Professor?

Ans: As stated in 19(i) above, there is no ad-hoc/contractual appointment in any department at Tezpur University and hence there is no provision for regularization of ad-hoc/contractual appointment.

G. PROMOTION

20. Please state the percentage of reservations made in favour of SCs/STs separately mentioning inter-alia the posts filled by direct recruitment and by promotion.

Ans : A. for teaching positions

For direct recruitment of teaching positions reservations of post for Assistant Professors, Associate Professors and Professors are followed at 15% for SCs and 7.5% for STs. In case of teachers, promotion is under carrier advancement scheme of UGC where the promotion becomes personal and no reservation is applicable.

B. for Non-Teaching positions

In recruitment for Non-Teaching positions, reservation policy of Govt. of India is followed for direct and promotional recruitment where separate rosters are maintained with 15% reservation for SCs and 7.5% reservation for STs.

- 21. (a) What is the procedure followed for promotion of employees to various categories of posts (Teaching and non-Teaching Staff) in the University/College? Upto which level of post, reservation is applicable in promotion?
- **Ans**: **A. In case of teachers**, promotion is under carrier advancement scheme of UGC where the promotion becomes personal and no reservation is applicable.

B. for Non-Teaching positions

For promotion of Non-Teaching employees, CRRs approved by MoE/UGC are followed.

(b) what concession/relaxation are given to SC/St employees while considering them for promotion?

Ans: Concessions as per DoPT guidelines are provided to SC/ST candidates while considering them for promotion.

(c) Please furnish a statement showing the total number of employees promoted (teaching and non-Teaching staff) during the years 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022 (till date) in various categories of post and the number and percentage of SC/St employees out of them as per following proforma:-

Ans:

Year	Category	Total no.	No.	of	No.	of	Percer	ntage	No.	of	remarks
	of Post	of	SC/S	T	SC/S	ST	of SCs	/STs	backlog		
		employees	prom	oted	pron	noted				ncies/	
		promoted			on	their			short	fall	
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			SC	ST	SC	ST	SC	ST	SC	ST	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2019	Gr. C	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
2020	Gr. B	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
2021	NIL	-	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
2022	Gr. B	4	0	0	-	1	0	0	0	0	

(d) What are the causes of shortfall in promotion, if any?

Ans. NIL

H. Backlog vacancies

22. (i) The total number of backlog vacancies in teaching and non-teaching posts may be provided along with the set timeline to clear them. What are the reasons for treating backlog vacancies as shortfall? What is the reason for changing the terminology?

Ans. Teaching Position: SC: 09, ST: 04, OBC: 08, PWD: 03

Non-Teaching Position: NIL

(ii) What target has been fixed to clear backlog vacancies in teaching and non-teaching posts?

Ans: Not applicable

I. Roster

23. (a) What procedure has been adopted by the University/Colleges in the preparation of the roster? Is the system compliant to the government directives issued in the matter? If not, the reasons for the deviation.

Ans: The University strictly follows the reservation policy of Govt. of India. Rosters are prepared following DoPT model rosters. As such, the reservation system is compliant to the government directives.

(b) What are the post/groups of posts for which rosters regarding reserved vacancies for SCs/STs are maintained by the University/Colleges?

Ans: The University prepares and maintains post based reservation rosters for all positions sanctioned by UGC as per DoPT model rosters.

(c) Are the rosters inspected by the Liaison Officers regularly?

Ans: Yes, rosters are inspected/endorsed by the liaison officer.

(d) Do the representatives of the Ministry of education/UGC/DoPT also visit the University to check the rosters? If so, what type of discrepancies have been noted during such inspections and corrective measures suggested to rectify them and implemented by the university/Colleges accordingly.

Ans: May refer to MoE/UGC.

(e) Whether a roster in the university/Colleges are prepared particularly for teaching staff based on seniority and is department wise in alphabetical order. If so, details thereof and if not, how can this system ensure seniority in a post in the University? Please Comment.

Ans: As per UGC guidelines university prepares rosters considering all positions of a category, say Assistant Professors, as one unit for the university maintaining the seniority on the basis of date of appointment.

J. TRAINING ABROAD

24. How many teaching and non-teaching employees/staff were sent on foreign training and also to attend seminars/symposia/conference etc. during the years 2019,2020,2021 and 2022 (till date. If so, please provide the details of SCs/STs employees amongst them.

Ans: Details of deputation for training of teaching and non-teaching staff are as given in

Annexure II

K. SC/ST CELL/LIASON OFFICERS

25. (a) Has any SC/ST Cell been set up in the university to took look after the interest of SC/ST Employees/Students? If so, please state the main functions of the SC/ST Cell. Along with composition and staff strength.

Ans: Tezpur University has established an SC/ST Cell in 2007. The Cell comprises as follows:

I. SC Cell-

- 1. Prof Mrinal Kumar das
- 2. Dr. Sarmistha Das
- 3. Mr. Samaresh Barman
- 4. Mr. Bitopan Mazumder
- 5. SO(SCT)

II. ST Cell-

- 1. Dr. Rajeev Kumar Doley
- 2. Prof. Robin Doley
- 3. Dr. Reetamoni Narzary
- 4. Ms. Pranati Boro
- 5. SO (SCT)

The functions of SCT Cell are as follows:

To oversee the effective implementation of policies and programmes of Govt. of India as directed from time to time for disadvantaged groups, to provide guidance and counselling with respect to academic, financial, social and other matters. Some of the specific main objectives of the Cell are:

- 1. To ensure implementation of the reservation policy for SCs/STs.
- 2. Collect data regarding the implementation of the policies in respect of admissions, appointments to teaching and non-teaching positions in the University, and analysis of the data showing the trends and changes towards fulfilling the required guota;
- 3. To make aware the SC/ST students regarding various scholarships program of State Govt. and UGC;
- 4. To provide a mechanism to redress the grievance of SC/ST students, if any;
- 5. To take such follow up measures for achieving the objectives and targets laid down for the purpose by the Government of India, MoE.
- (b) Whether Liaison Officer has been appointed who belongs to SC/ST category? If so, the details thereof along with the composition and staff strength of SC/ST Cell.

Ans: Yes; the University has appointed Liaison Officer as follows:

- 1. Liaison officer for SCs Prof Mrinal Kumar Das
- 2. Liaison officer for STs Dr R K Doley
- 3. Liaison officer for OBCs- Prof D P Nath
- 4. Liaison officer for PWDs Prof D K Basnet
- 5. Liaison officer for Minorities -Prof. R R Haque
- 6. Liaison officer for EWSs Dr. Dhritabrata Bhardwaz

The composition and staff strength of the SCT Cell is as follows:

- 1. The Registrar
- 2. Liaison officer for SCs
- 3. Liaison officer for STs
- 4. Liaison officer for OBCs
- 5. Liaison officer for PWDs
- 6. Liaison officer for Minorities
- 7. Liaison officer for EWSs
- 8. Section Officer/ Asstt Registrar, SCT Cell
- 9. Office Asstt.
- 10. Peon
- (c) Please provide the details of the recommendation/suggestions made by SC/ST Cell/LO during last 5 years. Along with action taken by the University on the said suggestions/recommendations.

Ans: The minutes of the meeting of the advisory committee are attached herewith as Annexure III.

L. COMPLAINTS/GRIEVANCES OF SC/ST EMPLOYEES

26. (a) Please Provide the details of the mechanism adopted by the University/Colleges for the redressal of grievances of their SC/ST students/employees?

Ans: There is an On-line Grievance Redressal portal where anybody can put his/ her grievance. The Nodal Officer of the Grievance Redressal Cell refers the grievance to the concerned section for its redressal/ needful action.

(b) The total number complains received from SC/ST students/employees during the years the last 5 years along with the nature of these complaints and the number of complaints disposed of and the time taken for disposal of each complaint?

Ans: Total number of compliance received during last five years is 36 out of which 01 from an ST student and 05 from SC student/other people, details are as given below.

Registration Number	Name	Received Date	State	Dispose Date	Subject	
DSEHE/E/2017/02976	Amir Basumatary (ST)	2017-04- 10	Assam	2017- 04-20	Scholarship	
PMOPG/D/2017/0390392	Bikash Bania (SC)	2017-08- 29	Assam	2017- 09-04	Admission	
DSEHE/E/2019/06908	Shekha Rai (SC)	2019-12- 19	Assam	2020- 01-02	Scholarship	
DSEHE/E/2019/04375	Anu Singh(SC)	2019-07- 23	Assam	2019- 08-14	Refund of access payment	
DARPG/P/2019/03661	Anu Singh(SC)	2019-09- 03	Assam	2019- 10-14	Refund of access payment	
PMOPG/D/2021/0283651	Ravi Kumar Basfor (SC)	2021-11- 29	Assam	2021- 12-12	Reply on petition	

(c) Please state the number of pending complaints as on date and also the period of pendency of such complaints with reasons thereof. Also state the period within which pending complaint will be redressed.

Ans: NIL

M. Verification of Certificates

27. (a) Whether cases of security Employment/Admission on the basis of false caste certificates have come to the notice of the Management? If so, details of such cases during each of the last three years along with the action taken thereon.

Ans: On scrutiny, no admission/appointment on the basis of false caste certificate has been found.

N. Employees Welfare Associations

28. (a) Kindly furnish the details of the SCs/STs Employee's Welfare Association(s) in the University.

Ans: There is no Employees Welfare Association in the University. It has an SCT Cell as per UGC Guideline.

In addition, there is an Advisory Committee of SCT Cell who looks in the welfare of students and employees of SCs, STs, OBCs communities.

(b) Do you hold periodic meetings with Schedule Caste/Schedule Tribe employees' association to sort out their problems/grievances? If so, whether minutes of such meetings are prepared and circulated to the SC/ST Employees' Association? What is the composition of the Association? Are there any retired employees in it? Please provide the minutes of the said meetings hold during last 03 years.

Ans: The Advisory Committee of SCT Cell hold meetings with SC and ST Community members(Teachers, employees and Students) to look in to their issues and grievances.

Minutes of this Advisory Committee are circulated amongst the members.

There is an on-line Grievance Portal where any one can put his/ her grievance and the Committee looks in to those grievances for taking care of.

The Composition of the SCT Advisory Committee is as follows:

1. Vice Chancellor Ex-Officio Chairperson 2. Pro-Vice Chancellor Ex-Officio Member 3. Registrar Ex-Officio Member 4. Liaison Officer, SCs Ex-Officio Member 5. Liaison Officer, STs Ex-Officio Member 6. Liaison Officer, OBCs Ex-Officio Member 7. Liaison Officer, PWDs Ex-Officio Member 8. Liaison Officer, EWSs Ex-Officio Member

Representative of SCs nominated by VC
 Representative of STs nominated by VC
 Representative of OBCs nominated by VC
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14. President, TUSC Ex-Officio Member

15. Section Officer/ Asstt. Registrar, SCT Cell Ex-Officio Member Secretary

There is no retired employee in the aforesaid committee

Minutes of meeting of SCT Cell Advisory Committee are attached as Annexure -III.

O. Contractual Employees

29. (a) Kindly furnish post-wise of total employees and years of working on contract basis in the University;

Ans: Following are the employees of the university under contractual appointment:

- **1.** 01 Security Officer (for 03 years term)
- 2. 01 Medical officer (normally for 03 years)
- **3.** 01 Clinical Psychologist (normally for 02 years)
- **4.** 01 Security Supervisor (normally for 03 years)
- **5.** 01 Coach (for 03 months event wise)

(b) Whether the employees of such agencies are provided adequate salary as per Minimum Wages Act. Medical and PPF facilities etc. Kindly enumerate the existing mechanism to ensure payment of minimum wages to such employees as per the Minimum Wages Act.

Ans: The contractual employees are paid wages on lump sum basis decided by the board of management keeping in mind the Govt. Minimum Wages Act. Health care is provided at the university health centre.

The payment of wages is confirmed as the same is paid through DBT mode.

(c) Whether the interest of servicing employees, especially the SCs/STs employees are being adversely affected as a result of such contractual appointments. If so, the remedial measures being taken by the University.

Ans: It is assumed that no employee is affected in any contract service.

(d) Whether there are any case of contractual employee(s) working for more than 10 years in the University? If so, details thereof with reasons for not to regularize them.

Ans: NIL

(e) Whether the University is aware that there is provision to provide reservation on contractual engagement as per DoPT OM issued on 24.09.1968 and reiterated on 15.05.2018? If so, what is the status of implementation of above DoPT orders?

Ans: Yes, the University is aware about the DoPT OM issued on 24.09.1968 and university will make the reservations for SC/ST candidates as per rule.

Sd/-

Registrar

Tezpur university

Annexure I

Attachments for Annexure I are being sent separately in three separate mail due to large capacity of the files which can not be sent in the same mail as there is limitation of attachment file size.

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2	28 Amalesh Gope	Gen	789	789 Asstt.Prof.	English	Inta'l Conf.	05-08-2019	09-08-2019 Australia	Australia
2	29 Moon Moon Devi	Gen	845	845 Asstt.Prof.	Physics	Inta'l Conf.	24-07-2019	01-08-2019 USA	USA
3	30 Subhra Devi	Gen	556	556 Asstt. Curator	Cul. Studies	Workshop	22-07-2019	26-07-2019 China	China
3	31 Kali Pd. Sarma	Gen	314	314 Professor	Env.Sc	Inta'l Conf.	16-07-2019	19-07-2019 China	China
3	32 Subra Devi	Gen	556	556 Asstt. Curator	Cul. Studies	Inta'l Conf.	16-07-2019	19-07-2019	19-07-2019 Netherlands
3	33 Madhumita Borbora	Gen	38	38 Professor	English	Inta'l Conf.	24-06-2019	29-06-2019 Australia	Australia
3	34 S. Baruah	Gen	295	295 Professor	MBBT	Symposium	18-06-2019	21-06-2019 USA	USA
3	35 Deepjyoti Goswami	Gen	648	648 Asstt.Prof.	Mathel. Sc.	Inta'l Conf.	18-06-2019	21-06-2019 London	London
3	36 Sashi Baruah	Gen	295	295 Professor	MBBT	Symposium	18-06-2019	21-06-2019	21-06-2019 Boston, USA
3	37 Gazi Ameen Ahmed	Gen	226	226 Assoc. Prof.	Physics	Inta'l Conf.	10-06-2019	14-06-2019 China	China
3	38 Anushabda	OBC	602	602 Asstt.Prof.	Hindi	Inta'l Conf.	05-06-2019	07-06-2019 Portugal	Portugal
8	39 Debasish Mohapatra	Gen	172	172 Assoc. Prof.	English	Inta'l Conf.	02-02-2019	04-05-2019 Croatia	Croatia
4	40 Madhurima Goswami	Gen	118	118 Assoc. Prof.	w.Studies	Inta'l Conf.	17-04-2019	27-04-2019 Thailand	Thailand
4	41 Subhadeepta Roy	Gen	703	703 Asstt.Prof.	Sociology	Inta'l Conf.	05-04-2019	07-04-2019	07-04-2019 Pennsylvania Univ.
4	42 Tapas Medhi	Gen	358	358 Asstt.Prof.	MBBT	Inta'l Conf.	18-03-2019	19-03-2019 USA	USA
4	43 Rajesh Kalarivayil	Gen	733	733 Asstt.Prof.	Social Work	Inta'l Conf.	20-02-2019	22-02-2019 Germany	Germany

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Advisory Committee for SC/ST Cell

Minutes of the 5th Advisory Committee Meeting held on 11-04-2018 in the Office of the Vice Chancellor

Members Present:

1.	Prof. V. K. Jain, Vice Chancellor	-Chairman
2.	Prof. Dhanapati Deka, DSW	-Special Invitee
3.	Prof. Debabrata Das, Director, CODL	-Member
4.	Prof. K. Kikhi, Chair Professor, Dr. BR Ambedkar	-Special Invitee
5.	Dr. Lakhi Boral, Controller of Examinations	-Member
6.	Dr. Reetamoni Narzary, Dept. of EFL	-Member
7.	Dr. Bhanu Panging, Asstt. Education Officer	-Special Invitee
8.	Mr. Raj Kiran Doley, UDC	-Special Invitee
9.	Mr. Lankeshwar Boro, AR(SCT)	-Convenor

The meeting began with an introduction of the members present as this was the first meeting of the present Vice Chancellor.

After deliberations amongst the members, the following resolutions were adopted:

- a) Advisory Committee meeting will be held at least twice a year.
- b) To find out if the SC/ST Cell is rechristened as Equal Opportunity Cell by UGC/MHRD or it still is a standalone Cell, though as per Government of India notification, every University should have a Cell called SCT cell for welfare of the members of these communities.
- c) The reservation rosters in case of recruitment and admission should be ensured/vetted by the SC/ST Cell.
- d) In admission, the reservation of seats for SC/ST and other categories shall be strictly ensured. Proper option shall be given to the deserving candidates to choose their seats against reservation or unreserved category.
- e) If any anomaly in admissions had taken place in previous years, such case(s) are to be brought into the immediate attention/notice of the Chairman.
- f) In line with the Govt. of India notification, the SC/ST and other reserved category candidates will be interviewed first in the recruitment process.
- g) In case of advertisement for vacant posts, Rolling Advertisements will no longer be practiced in the University to ensure earmarking of posts for SC/ST and other reserved categories. Vacancies will be viewed subject-wise and level-wise.

- h) Remedial classes will be arranged for the weaker students as and when required which will be worked out by the HoDs. The Vice Chancellor will issue an advisory to all Deans and Heads of the Departments/Centres to identify students who may need counseling.
- i) A Language Lab/Cell will be created wherein counseling sessions shall be arranged to ensure development of self-esteem and communication skills for SC/ST and other students. Some interested Research Scholars will be hired on honorarium basis in the Lab/Cell for imparting training and counseling to the students. The Lab/Cell will also conduct sessions on drafting/preparing proposals, applications, resume writing, etc. for needy students.
- j) A separate language lab will also be set up exclusively for the B. Tech students and other students of the School of Engineering. Dr. Reetamoni Narzary is requested to submit the detailed proposal in this regard.
- k) Coaching classes for NET/SLET/GATE shall be revived and continued from now onwards on a regular basis.
- 1) If any SC/ST student(s) is/are found requiring financial assistance, it should be brought to the immediate attention of the SC/ST Cell.
- m) Regular training programmes for the employees of the University irrespective of categories will be conducted to develop the skill and self-esteem of the employees.
- n) The SC/ST students shall be addressed by the Cell once in a semester to give them awareness and discuss their problems, if any. This will be worked out by Dr. Reetamoni Narzary and Dr. Bhanu Panging.

The meeting concluded with vote of thanks to and from the Chair.

24.4.18 Convenor Sd/-**Chairman**

TEZPUR UNIVERSITY

REPLY TO PROVISIONALY ADMITTED QUESTION FOR THE RAJYA SABHA STARRED/UNSTARRED DIARY NO.- \$2623 TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.03.2020

(a) Whether it is a fact that students agitations are taking place in most of the Central Universities for quite some time.

Answer-It is a fact that a Sit In Demonstration Programme against passing of Citizenship Amendment act was conducted by the members of Students Union of Tezpur University during 11/12/2019 to 17/12/2019.

(b) If So, the details thereof for the last two years, year-wise and University wise.

Answer-As stated in (a) above

(c) What are the primary reasons behind these agitations:

Answer-Primary reason for the said agitational programme was to protest the passing of Citizenship Amendment Act.

(d) What remedial measures Government has taken or proposes to take in the matter?

Answer-Tezpur University Authority counselled the members of the Students Council against such agitation and convinced the Students Council to call-off the agitational programme.

Sd/-Registrar Tezpur University



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Ref.: Your letter No.F.65-67/2020(CU) dated 2nd March, 2020.

Sub.: Rajya Sabha Parliament Question No. 1660 on 05.03.2020 regarding "Maternity, Paternity and Child

Care benefits in Higher Educational Institutes.

Sir,

In continuation to our letter No.F.11-97/I(E) dated 04.03.2020, I am forwarding herewith the reply on point **Qn.(d)** i.r.o the students of the University as follows:

Reply: Tezpur University has received and granted following nos. of application submitted Students of the

University for Maternity Leave during last three years.:

Kind of leave	2017	2018	2019
Maternity Leave	0	1	2

N.B.: Child Care Leave and Paternity Leave is not admissible for students.

With regards,

Yours faithfully Sd/-Biren Das Registrar



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Reply to Rajya Sabha Starred/Unstarred Parliament Question No. 2140 to be answered on 12.03.2020 regarding "Reservation for local students and teachers in Central Universities".

Sl No.	Question	Reply
a)	Whether any reservation policy for local student's admission is in operation in the Central Universities in the country;	Tezpur University does not have provision for reservation in admission for fringe villagers. The University reserves seats for admission of students of North Eastern (NE) states to the MSc in Molecular Biology and Biotechnology and B.Tech programmes as approved by concerned agency of Govt. of India (GoI), as follows: (i) M.Sc in Molecular Biology and Biotechnology programme: Out of 30 seats, 10 seats are reserved for the students of NE states. (ii) B.Tech programme: 60% of the total seats (319 seats in the Academic year 2019-20) are reserved for the students of NE states. Reservation policy of Govt. of India (GoI) is also followed in seats of NE states.
b)	What is the reservation policy for recruitment of teaching faculties;	Tezpur University follows reservation policy of Govt. of India (GoI) for various categories like SCs, STs, OBCs, EWSs, PWDs in recruitment of faculties.



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Reply to Rajya Sabha Starred Question No. 273 to be answered on 19.03.2020 regarding "Equality in access to higher education for transgender persons".

Sl	Question	Reply
No. a) b)	The number of transgender students, teaching and non-teaching staff in various Central Universities across the country, University-wise; Whether the Ministry has taken/ proposes to take any steps to treat transgender persons as Socially and Educationally Backward Classes of citizens and extend reservation in admissions in educational institutions, as directed by the Supreme Court in National Legal Services Authority vs. Union of India	NIL Tezpur University follows reservation policy of Govt. of India (GoI). Any such direction from MHRD, Govt. of India (GoI) will
c)	<pre>(2014); If so, details thereof and if not, reasons therefor; and</pre>	As in (b) above.
d)	Details of any other measures taken/ proposed by the Ministry to ensure equity in access to higher education for transgender students in past three years?	admission from transgender student is being



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Sl No	Question								
a	Whether the Government has taken note of incidents of students arrest/suicide and deaths in the central institutions of higher Education as well as in professional colleges across the country particularly in JNU in new Delhi and Aligarh Muslim university								
Reply		Yes							
b		If so, the number of such cases reported during the last three years including current year, year-wise/institution-wise/death/suicide seperately;and							
	2019	Number of Suicides Nil	Number of deaths Nil						
	2019	Nil	1 (Accident)						
	2018	Nil	1 (Accident)						
С	The	The Steps taken by the government to curb the serious situations in such educational institutions							
Reply	2.Clini	1. 24x7 Emer cal Psychologist is availab lty members are appointed	following measures to curb such incidents: rgency Medical facility. le to counsel the students as per their needs. as mentors at Departmental level to address sues of students						

Lok Sabha Unstarred question No. 4642 Reply from Tezpur University



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Lok Sabha Starred/Unstarred Parliament Question No 158 to be answered on 18.11.2019 regarding "Institute of Telugu Language"

Sl. No	Question	Reply
a)	The list of higher education institutions that provide	Tezpur University does not
	Telugu Language education in the country;	offer any programme in Telugu
		Language
b)	The student-teacher ratio of Telugu Language	N/A
	department in each such institution;	
c)	The number of teachers of Telugu Language department	N/A
	working on contractual basis in each such institution;	
d)	The steps taken by the Government for publishing of	N/A
	University level Text-books in Telugu Language;	
e)	Whether the Government has taken any steps for	N/A
	providing Telugu Language education outside the	
	Telugu speaking region of the country; and	
f)	If so, the details thereof	N/A

Sd/-

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Tezpur University REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 142 TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.03.2020

(a) whether it is a fact that there is an acute shortage of Lecturers/Professors in various Universities of the country and if so, the details thereof, university-wise along with the action taken or proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard; and

Answer- Yes. Tezpur University has shortage of teachers to maintain smooth academic activities (Teaching and Research) keeping in mind the workload of teachers. The additional requirement of teachers of the university is as follow:

Name of the Department	Existing number of	Additional requirement of teachers
	teachers	
Civil Engineering	11	Assistant Professor- 02
Computer Science and engineering	21	Assistant Professor- 01
		Associate Professor-01
Electronics and communication	19	Assistant Professor- 01
engineering		Associate Professor-01
Energy	08	Associate Professor-01
Food Engineering and Technology	12	Associate Professor-01
Mechanical Engineering	17	Associate Professor-01
Electrical engineering	05	Assistant Professor- 01
		Associate Professor-01
Physics	18	Assistant Professor- 02
Chemical sciences	19	Associate Professor-01
Mathematical Sciences	18	Assistant Professor- 02
Environmental Science	12	Associate Professor-01
Molecular Biology and Biotechnology	19	Associate Professor-01
English	20	Assistant Professor- 02
		Associate Professor-01
Cultural Studies	08	Associate Professor-01
Law	05	Assistant Professor- 01
Business Administration	16	Assistant Professor- 01
		Associate Professor-01
Commerce	07	Assistant Professor- 01
Total	_	26

(b) whether the Government is planning to make changes in the appointment of Ad-hoc Lecturers/ Professors in various universities of the country and if so, the details thereof?

Answer- Tezpur University has discontinued Ad-hoc appointment of teachers. The university has submitted proposal for 26 additional teaching positions to UGC as stated in (a) above.



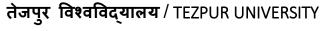
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NAME OF THE MINISTRY/DEPARTMENT : Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD)

No of the organisation(s) under the Ministry/ Department	Names of all the organisation (s) (Govt. /Public / Private /Autonomous / NGOs / (others) Schemes/ programmes receiving grants/ funds (Both recurring and non-recurring) from the Ministries/ Departments	Since when the grants/ funds are being released (Year wise details for the last year 10 years may be provided)	Purpose/ Objectives of the grants/ funds given to organizations/ Govt. / Public/ Private/ autonomous/ NGOs/ others	Quantum of the grants/ funds given to organisations Govt/ Public/ Private / autonomous/ NGOs/ others	Rules of Provisions under which grants/ funds have been given	Whether the purpose have been achieved or it is still to be realized	Whether AR/AAs have been prepared and laid	If the answer to the query in Col. 8 is 'Yes' details thereof and if 'NO', the reasons for not doing so may be informed		
								AR/AA laid in the RAJYASABHA		
								0047.40	as shown below	
								2017-18 2016-17	13.02.2019 (AA), 03.01.2019 (AR) 15.03.2018	
								2015-17	15.12.2016	
1	TEZPUR UNIVERSITY						YES	2013-10	23.12.2015	
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								2011-12	14.12.2012	
								2010-11	02.12.2011 (AA)	
								2009-10	10.12.2010	
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- 1. *AR/AAs mean Annual Report and Audited Accounts.
- 2. Data of last 10 years may be provided.
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Sub.: Rajya Sabha Parliament Question No. 1660 on 05.03.2020 regarding "Maternity, Paternity and Child

Care benefits in Higher Educational Institutes.

Sir.

With reference to the above, please find the replies as under:

Qn.(a): The rules regulations, guidelines, instruction manuals applicable regarding maternity, paternity and

childcare benefits in Higher Educational Institutes (HEIs).

Reply: Tezpur University follows CCS (Leave) Rules for grant of maternity, paternity an childcare benefits.

Qn.(b): Which workers HEIs employed or by third parties are excluded from these benefits.

Reply: Out sourcing employees are not covered under the benefits.

Qn.(c): Whether Ministry has conducted or commissioned and study of implementation of Maternity benefits Act 1961 in HEIs in India.

Reply: Tezpur University has granted the benefits of maternity benefits in pursuance of relevant CCS rules. No study has however been conducted on implementation by the University.

Qn(d): Year-wise details of male and female, permanent temporary teachers and non-teaching staff (Group A, B, C and D) as well as students whose applications were received, approved or rejected, details of leave availed.

Reply: Tezpur University has received and granted following nos. of child care, maternity and paternity leave during last three years.:

during last tinee	2017					2018				2019			
Kind of leave	Gro	up-	Group-	Group-	Gro	up-	Group-	Group-	Gro	oup-	Group-	Group-	
	A		В	C	A	1	В	C	1	4	В	C	
	T	NT	NT	NT	T	NT	NT	NT	T	NT	NT	NT	
Child Care Leave (Female)	4	1	5	2	6	3	5	2	7	2	7	2	
Maternity Leave (Female)	1	Nil	Nil	Nil	3*	Nil	1	1	5	Nil	Nil	1*	
Paternity Leave (Male)	8	1	Nil	2	4	1	2	4	14	1	3	3	
TOTAL	13	2	5	4	13*	4	8	7	26	3	10	6	

T = Teaching, NT = Non-Teaching, * including one (1) temporary faculty, # including one (1) temporary staff

Qn.(e): Amount paid as benefits during last three years.

Reply.: 2017 : $\stackrel{?}{=}$ 29,34,554.00 2018 : $\stackrel{?}{=}$ 30,43,848.00 2019 : $\stackrel{?}{=}$ 38,03,214.00

With regards,

Yours faithfully Sd/-Biren Das Registrar



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Ref.: Your letter No.F.65-67/2020(CU) dated 2nd March, 2020.

Sub.: Rajya Sabha Parliament Question No. 1660 on 05.03.2020 regarding "Maternity, Paternity and Child

Care benefits in Higher Educational Institutes.

Sir,

With reference to the above, please find the replies as under:

Qn.(a): The rules regulations, guidelines, instruction manuals applicable regarding maternity, paternity and

childcare benefits in Higher Educational Institutes (HEIs).

Reply: Tezpur University follows CCS (Leave) Rules for grant of maternity, paternity an childcare benefits.

Qn.(b): Which workers HEIs employed or by third parties are excluded from these benefits.

Reply: Out sourcing employees are not covered under the benefits.

Qn.(c): Whether Ministry has conducted or commissioned and study of implementation of Maternity benefits Act 1961 in HEIs in India.

Reply: Tezpur University has granted the benefits of maternity benefits in pursuance of relevant CCS rules. No study has however been conducted on implementation by the University.

Qn(d): Year-wise details of male and female, permanent temporary teachers and non-teaching staff (Group A, B, C and D) as well as students whose applications were received, approved or rejected, details of leave availed.

Reply: Tezpur University has received and granted following nos. of child care, maternity and paternity leave during last three years.:

201			017			2018				2019			
Kind of leave	Gro	up-	Group-	Group-	Gro	up-	Group-	Group-	Gro	oup-	Group-	Group-	
	A		В	C	A	1	В	C	A	4	В	C	
	T	NT	NT	NT	T	NT	NT	NT	T	NT	NT	NT	
Child Care Leave (Female)	4	1	5	2	6	3	5	2	7	2	7	2	
Maternity Leave (Female)	1	Nil	Nil	Nil	3*	Nil	1	1	5	Nil	Nil	1*	
Paternity Leave (<i>Male</i>)	8	1	Nil	2	4	1	2	4	14	1	3	3	
TOTAL	13	2	5	4	13*	4	8	7	26	3	10	6	

T = Teaching, NT = Non-Teaching, * including one (1) temporary faculty, # including one (1) temporary staff

Qn.(e): Amount paid as benefits during last three years.

Reply.: 2017 : $\stackrel{?}{=}$ 29,34,554.00 2018 : $\stackrel{?}{=}$ 30,43,848.00 2019 : $\stackrel{?}{=}$ 38,03,214.00

With regards,

Yours faithfully Sd/-Biren Das Registrar



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Rajya Sabha Provisionally Admitted Starred Question Dy. No 1021 for 21.11.2019 regarding "Equal Opportunity Cells in Colleges"

Sl.	Question	Reply
a)	The number of Central universities & other centrally funded higher education institutions that have established Equal Opportunity Cells, as mandated by the University Grants Commission;	Tezpur University has established Equal opportunity Cell.
b)	The State-wise details thereof;	The Equal Opportunities Cell is under the Centre for Inclusive Development headed by a Director (Professor Level) and one Education Officer
c)	Whether any action has been taken by the Ministry against universities that have not yet established Equal Opportunity Cells and if so, the details thereof; and	Does not refer to Tezpur University
d)	The details of the steps taken or proposed by the Ministry to address caste-based discrimination against students, teaching and non-teaching staff in higher education institutions?	The Equal Opportunity Cell of Tezpur University is carrying out various activities under the broader umbrella of Centre for Inclusive Development to address caste-based discrimination against students, teaching and nonteaching staff on the campus. Such activities include awareness/sensitization against community/caste-based discrimination, addressing grievances when/if received, with counselling and creating a conducive working and living environment in the University Campus.



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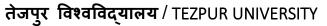
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Informa	Information required in respect of Lok Sabha Starred Question No. 212 for answer on 08th July, 2019.					
Sl.No.	Name of Central	No. of teaching	Whether	Whether		
	University	posts advertised	advertisement has	advertisement has		
			been done for	been done for		
			Professor &	Professor &		
			Associate	Associate		
			Professor under	Professor under		
			EWS category	OBC category		
1.	Tezpur University	51(Advt. No.05/2019)	Yes. Reservation for EWS has been implemented for Professor and Associate Professor also. However, EWS roster points did not fall on any of the vacant positions advertised now (Advt. No. 05/ 2019)	No. As per UGC circular dated 24 January,2007, reservation for OBC has been implemented for Assistant Professor only.		



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Re: Lok Sabha Starred Parliament Question 132 due for reply 01.07.2019 "Challenges of Tribal Communities of North-East"

Question (a) Whether the University has conducted any assessment of the challenges being faced by the Tribal communities in North-East part of India;

Reply: Tezpur University (TU) has been over the years making efforts to identify the challenges of the tribal communities of Assam and to make meaningful contributions towards meeting them. One of such challenges was found to be the absence of higher educational institutions in tribal areas, particularly, in remote locations. While exploring the possibilities of intervention, the University received a written request from a tribal literary body to set up a campus of TU at Jonai, a largely tribal inhabited area in the district of Dhemaji, Assam, bordering Arunachal Pradesh.

b) if so, the details thereof alongwith the steps being taken by the Government to address these challenges;

Steps Taken: Following a feasibility survey, the University considered setting up of a campus at Jonai keeping in mind the necessity of the University's support in the socio-economic development of the tribal people of the area. Welcoming the move, the local people donated a plot of 131 Bighas (42 acres) of land at Laimekuri locality of Jonai through the state government which was received by the University in 2013. Following this, the University completed all formalities and sent a proposal to the University Grants Commission (UGC) and the Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD) for funding to which the UGC/MHRD replied that the University may develop the campus from its own resources. This has not been possible for the University as the funds it has received have been clearly earmarked for its main campus. The proposed campus at Jonai is still under active consideration of the University.

c) if not, the reasons therefor? : N/A



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With reference to Starred Question No. 302 (2nd position) in Lok Sabha on 15.7.2019, the point wise reply from Tezpur University is furnished below:

1. No. of engineering colleges in the country and No. of students in them

Tezpur University doesn't have any affiliated engineering college, but has a School of Engineering.

Information	No. of colleges	No. of students
No. of AICTE approved engineering Colleges	No. of State funded	
Chameering coneges	No. of private colleges	
	Total no. of colleges	
No. of Centrally funded	IITs	
engineering colleges (CFTIs)	NITs	
IITs, NITs, IIITs etc.	ШТа	
	IIITs	
	Central Universities (School of Engg.)	<mark>782</mark>
	Total	782

2. Placement data 2009-2014 vs. 2014-19

		AICTE approved institutions			IITS, NITs, III	Гѕ	
Period	Year	No. of students graduated from engineering colleges	No. of students placed	% of students placed	No. of students graduated from IITs, NITs, IIITs,	No. of students placed	% of students placed
2009-14	2009-10 2010-11 2011-12	Conteges			83 77 87	63 55 51	75.9 71.4 58.6



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		<u> </u>				
	2012-13		1 <mark>1</mark> 4	<mark>6</mark>	6	<mark>45.8</mark>
	2013-14		15	<mark>6</mark>	1	<mark>39.6</mark>
	Total		54	<mark>15</mark> 2	<mark>96</mark>	<mark>54.3</mark>
2014-19	2014-15		22	20 1	<mark>16</mark>	<mark>52.7</mark>
	2015-16		22	25 1	<mark>25</mark>	<mark>55.5</mark>
	2016-17		20	08 1	30	<mark>62.5</mark>
	2017-18		24	18 1	32	<mark>53.5</mark>
	2018-19		25	50 1	54	<mark>61.6</mark>
	Total		11	<mark>151</mark> 6	<mark>57</mark>	<mark>57.1</mark>

IITs, NITs and IIITs data may be given consolidated for all IITs, NITs and all IIITs respectively. For each year and total for the period 2009-2014 and 2014-2019.

3. No. of students who have been absorbed by foreign companies during last three years:

Information	No. of students absorbed by foreign companies during 2016-17, 2017-18, 201819	
No. of students of AICTE approved colleges absorbed by foreign companies during 2018-19	State funded Private colleges	
2010 13	Total students	
No. of students of Centrally funded engineering colleges	NITs	
(CFTIs) IITs, NITs, IIITs etc. absorbed	IIITs	
by foreign companies	Central Universities (School of Engg.)	20
	Total	20



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4. How many Indian Engineers are working in top 15 global companies like Google, Apple, Microsoft etc.? name some top Executives of these companies, who are engineering graduates from India.

6 (six)

5. How many engineering colleges are there in USA, UK, France, Japan, Germany etc. and what is the percentage of employment of engineering graduates in these countries.

Reply doesn't pertain to Tezpur University

6. Any data regarding engineering graduates absorbed in Govt. Of India flagship schemes like Digital India, Startup India, Make in India, Mudra Yojna etc.

NIL

7. Information as mentioned in Points above in respect of Central Govt. funded other engineering colleges (Information may be available with JS(A)for engineering colleges like NITIE Mumbai) or Engineering Colleges in Central Universities (JS(CU)),.



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However, following projects/programmes are received:

- 1. One OBC Boys hostel, one OBC Girls hostel and one SC Girls hostel from the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment
- 2. Following special programmes have been approved for Tezpur University:

UGC- Special Assistance Programme (SAP) DRS-II:

Sl. No.	Programmes	Grants-in-aid sanctioned
1	Chem.Sc. UGC-SAP (DRS-II) 1/4/15 to 31/3/2020	Rs.15000000/-
	Thrust Area: Catalysis, Functional Polymers & Medicinal/Structural Chemistry	
2	MBBT UGC-SAP (DRS-II) 1/4/15 to 31/3/20 Thrust Area: Microbial Biotechnology	Rs. 8025000/-
3	CSE UGC-SAP (DRS-II) 1/4/15 to 31/3/20 Thrust Area: Big Data Analytics - Bioinformatics - Network Security - Robotics	Rs.7700000/-
4	 EFL UGC-SAP (DRS-II) 1/4/15 to 31/3/20 Thrust Area: Understanding Colonial and Alternative Modernities as Reflected in Travel and Life Writing in Assam Examining Asian and Indian influences on Modern Assamese 	Rs.98,00,000/-
5	Physics UGC-SAP (DRS-II) 01/04/2016 to 21/3/2021 Thrust Area: Condensed Matter Physics	Rs.8950000/-
6	Math. Sc. UGC-SAP (DRS-II) 01/04/2018 to 31/03/2023 Thrust Area: - Number Theory - Computational Fluid Dynamics	Rs.7975000/-
7	Cultural Studies UGC-SAP (DRS-II) 01/04/2018 to 31/03/2023 Thrust Area: Sacred Spaces on the Banks of the River Brahmaputra of Assam	Rs. 7600000/-



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8	Business	Admini	istration	UG	C-SAP	Rs.3910000/-
	(DRS-II) 01/	04/2018	to 31/03/20	023		
	Thrust	Area:	Communit	ty	based	
	organization	ns, livelih	ood develo	pmei	nts and	
	tourism			•		

UGC- Special Assistance Programme (SAP) DRS-I:

Sl. No.	Programmes	Grants-in-aid sanctioned
1	Sociology UGC-SAP (DRS-I) 01/04/2016 to	Rs.4000000/-
	21/3/2021	
	Thrust Area:	
	 Migration and the Politics of Identity 	
	 Sociology of North East India 	
	 Tribal Studies/Studies on Health and 	
	Education	
2	Env.Sc. UGC-SAP (DRS-I) 1/4/16 to	Rs.13500000/-
	31/3/21	
	Thrust Area: Addressing multi-sectoral	
	climate change issue in Assam; North	
	Eastern India through an interdisciplinary	
	approach	
3	FET UGC-SAP (DRS-I) 1/4/16 to 31/4/21	Rs.11650000/-
	Thrust Area:	
	 Rice Based Value added Products 	
	 Processing and value addition to 	
	herbs & fruits of North Eastern	
	region	

UGC-Centre with Potential for Excellence in Particular Areas (CPEPA)

Sl. No.	Programmes	Grants-in-aid sanctioned
1	Cultural Studies Cultural memory in	Rs.23000000/-
	North-East India: A Research and	
	Documentation Programme on Textual and	
	Visual Narratives 5 years	
	Date of sanction: 29/9/2016	



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MHRD-Establishment of Centre of Excellence under the scheme of 'FAST'

Sl. No.	Programmes		Grants-in-aid sanctioned
1	Centre	of	Rs.2,50,00,000/-
	Excellence "Machine learning re		
	big data	analysis	
	(MLRBDA)" 5 years	_	

Projects approved under HEFA funding:

SI. No.	Projects/ Activities	Area (In Sqm.)	Amount sanctioned
110.		(iii oqiiii)	(In Crore)
1	Lecture Hall Complex-II for School of	5495.00	20.99
	Humanities & Social Sciences, School of		
	Education and School of Sciences		
2	Academic Building for the Department of Physics	4673.00	16.62
3	Academic Building for the Department of Commerce	2730.00	9.79
4	Academic Building for the School of Law	3765	13.52
5	500 capacity Boy's Hostel	9762.55	35.07
6	500 capacity Girl's Hostel	9762.55	35.07
7	Type-C Residential Building -	3100	9.36
	2 blocks (1550 Sqm each with 12 Units)		
8	Type-D Residential Building -	2800	8.46
	2 blocks (1400 Sqm. each with 12 Units)		
9	Animal House	1764	4.83
	Total	43852.1	153.71



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Reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.130 for 03.02.2020 regarding NRC

Sl.	Question	Reply in respect of Tezpur
No		university
(a)	Whether the students of various universities of the country including Jawahar Lal Nehru University and Jamia Milia Islamic University have recently carried out/carrying out protest against National Register of Citizens (NRC), National Population Register (NPR) and Citizenship Amendment Act (CAA).	Yes, Symbolic protest was carried out in front of University gate against CAA by a group of students during 16-20 December, 2019. The normal academic and administrative activities of the University were not affected by this activity. No protest on NRC and NPR was observed.
(b)	to the students of the	Yes, University authority called the students for discussion, convinced the students to withdraw the protest from the campus, which they agreed to.
(c)	If so, the details thereof, and	As stated at (b) above.
(d)	The steps taken/being taken by the Government to check the recurrence of such incidents in the universities?	As stated at (b) above.

Sd/-Registrar Tezpur University



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REPLY TO PROVISIONALY ADMITTED QUESTION FOR THE RAJYA SABHA STARRED/UNSTARRED DIARY NO. - S2623 TO BE ANSWERED ON 05.03.2020

(a) Whether it is a fact that students agitations are taking place in most of the Central Universities for quite some time.

Answer-It is a fact that a Sit In Demonstration Programme against passing of Citizenship Amendment act was conducted by the members of Students Union of Tezpur University during 11/12/2019 to 17/12/2019.

(b) If So, the details thereof for the last two years, year-wise and University wise.

Answer-As stated in (a) above

(c) What are the primary reasons behind these agitations:

Answer-Primary reason for the said agitational programme was to protest the passing of Citizenship Amendment Act.

(d) What remedial measures Government has taken or proposes to take in the matter?

Answer-Tezpur University Authority counselled the members of the Students Council against such agitation and convinced the Students Council to call-off the agitational programme.

Sd/-Registrar Tezpur University