

## TEZPUR UNIVERSITY

### MINUTES OF THE EIGHTY FOURTH (84<sup>TH</sup>) MEETING OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT( B.84/2017/4) HELD ON 10/11/2017 AT TEZPUR UNIVERSITY

Members present:

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| 1. Prof. Madan M. Sarma    | : Chairperson                |
| 2. Dr. Abhijit Nath        | : Member (Visitor's Nominee) |
| 3. Dr. Thiyan David Singh  | : Member (Visitor's Nominee) |
| 4. Shri O. R. Shallam      | : Member (Visitor's Nominee) |
| 5. Shri Bimal Sankar Nanda | : Member (Visitor's Nominee) |
| 6. Ms. Gita Upadhyay       | : Member                     |
| 7. Prof. C. L. Mahanta     | : Member                     |
| 8. Prof. N. S. Islam       | : Member                     |
| 9. Dr. G. A. Ahmed         | : Member                     |
| 10. Shri S. Ibotombi Singh | : Member                     |
| 11. Dr. Biren Das          | : Secretary                  |
| 12. Dr. L. Boral           | : Special Invitee            |
| 13. Shri Kumarjit Dutta    | : Special Invitee            |
| 14. Mr. Muktikam Hazarika  | : Special Invitee            |

At the outset the Registrar introduced Visitor's Nominees to the other members of the Board of Management and requested the Chairperson to felicitate the new members.

The Chairperson welcomed the members present and gave a brief account of the functioning of the University since the last meeting of the Board.

Then the Chairperson called the meeting in order and invited the Registrar, Secretary of the Board of Management to present the Agenda items.

The Registrar presented the agenda accordingly.

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### Routine Items (B.84/2017/4/1)

Item No.	Agenda
B.84/2017/4/1.1	<b>Confirmation of minutes of the 83<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the Board of Management held on 15.05.2017</b>
<b>Note</b>	<p>The minutes of the 83<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the Board of Management have been circulated to all members for perusal and comments, if any.</p> <p>No comment was received from any of the members.</p> <p>The minutes are placed before the Board for consideration.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>The minutes were confirmed.</i></b>
B.84/2017/4/1.2	<b>To consider for acceptance of the Action Taken Report on the minutes of the 83<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the Board of Management</b>
<b>Note</b>	<p>The Action Taken Report on the minutes of the 83<sup>rd</sup> meeting of the Board of Management are placed for consideration of acceptance by the Board.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b>The Action Taken Report was accepted.</b>

### Items for Approval (B.84/2017/4/2)

B.84/2017/4/2.1	<b>To consider for approval the reports of the Board of Examiners of viva-voce examinations for award of degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D)</b>										
<b>Note</b>	<p>Viva-voce examinations of the enlisted candidates for the degree of Ph.D were held as per requirements of the Ph.D Regulations. Reports of the Board of Examiners are placed for consideration of approval of the Board of Management.</p>										
	<table><tr><th>Name &amp; Address</th><th>Department &amp; School</th><th>Title of the Thesis</th><th>Supervisor(s)</th><th>Thesis Examiners</th></tr><tr><td>1. Mr. Prasanta Baishya, S/o Jiten Baishya, Vill-Kakaya, P.O.-Kakaya, Dist-Nalbari, Assam</td><td>Department of Chemical Sciences  School of Sciences</td><td>Development of Natural Polymer Based Wood Nanocomposites</td><td>Prof. T.K.Maji, Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University</td><td>1. Dr. Young-Bin Park, School of Mechanical and Nuclear Engineering, Ulsan National Institute of Science and Technology (UNIST), UNIST-gil 50, Eonyang-eup, Ulju-gun, Ulsan 44919 Republic of Korea</td></tr></table>	Name & Address	Department & School	Title of the Thesis	Supervisor(s)	Thesis Examiners	1. Mr. Prasanta Baishya, S/o Jiten Baishya, Vill-Kakaya, P.O.-Kakaya, Dist-Nalbari, Assam	Department of Chemical Sciences  School of Sciences	Development of Natural Polymer Based Wood Nanocomposites	Prof. T.K.Maji, Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University	1. Dr. Young-Bin Park, School of Mechanical and Nuclear Engineering, Ulsan National Institute of Science and Technology (UNIST), UNIST-gil 50, Eonyang-eup, Ulju-gun, Ulsan 44919 Republic of Korea
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					<p>2. Dr. Krishna Kumar Pandey, Institute of Wood Science and Technology, 18<sup>th</sup> Cross Malleswaram, Bengaluru-560003, India</p> <p>3. Prof. T.K.Maji, Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University</p>
2. Ms. Piyashi Dutta, D/o Arup Dutta, Temple Road, Lower Lachumiere, Shillong, Meghalaya	<p>Department of Sociology</p> <p>School of Humanities and Social Sciences</p>	Matriliny and Folk Media: A Study of the Khasis of Meghalaya	Prof. K.Kikhi, Department of Sociology, Tezpur University	<p>1. Dr. Peter Birkelund Andersen, Associate Professor, Department of Cross Cultural and Regional Studies, University of Copenhagen, Karen Blixensvej 4, DK 2300 Copenhagen S, KUA2, Building : 10-1-47, Denmark</p> <p>2. Prof. Bhupen Sarmah, Professor and Director, OKD Institute of Social Change and Development, VIP Road, Upper Hengerabari, Guwahati-781036, Assam</p> <p>3. Prof. K.Kikhi, Department. of Sociology, Tezpur University</p>	
3. Ms. Anushree Baruah, D/o Bimola Prasad Baruah, Chirotia Gaon, Bye Lane-1, Opp. Megha Bibah Bhaban, Jorhat, Assam	<p>Department of Environmental Science</p> <p>School of Sciences</p>	Mitigation of Nitrous Oxide Emission from Rice-Wheat Ecosystems of Assam with Reference to Soil Management	Prof. K. K. Baruah, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University	<p>1. Dr. Surinder Saggat, New Zealand Climate Change Centre, Landcare Research Riddet Road, Massey University Campus, Palmertson North 4474, New Zealand</p> <p>2. Prof. Altaf Ahmad, Department of Botany, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh-202002, India</p> <p>3. Prof. K.K.Baruah, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University</p>	
4. Ms. Pangkita Deka, D/o Jogesh Chandra Deka, Vill-Barhata, PO-Dagaon, Dist.-Kamrup, Assam.	<p>Department of Chemical Sciences</p> <p>School of Sciences</p>	Synthesis of Transition Metal Oxide-based Nanostructures and Their Catalytic Activity	Prof. R.C.Deka Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University	<p>1. Dr. M.A. Kerzhentsev, Laboratory of Environmental Catalysis, Borekov Institute of Catalysis, Pr.Ak.Lavrentieva 5, Novosibirsk-630090, Russia</p>	

					<p>2. Dr. N.Lingaiah, Principal Scientist, Catalysis Laboratory, I and P C Division, Indian Institute of Chemical Technology, Hyderabad-500007, Telengana, India</p> <p>3. Prof. R.C.Deka, Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University</p>
5. Mr. Debojit Boro, S/o Dipak Boro, Gadhuli Path, Rupnagar, PO-Indrapur, Guwahati, Assam	<p>Department of Computer Science &amp; Engineering</p> <p>School of Engineering</p>	Mitigating High-Rate and Low-Rate DDoS Attacks Using Machine Learning Approaches	Prof. D. K. Bhattacharyya, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Tezpur University	<p>1. Dr. D.P. Agrawal, Ohio Board of Regents Distinguished Professor, Computer Science and Computer Engineering, University of Cincinnati, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering and Computer Science, University of Cincinnati, PO Box 210030, Cincinnati, OH 45221-0030, USA</p> <p>2. Dr. Nabendu Chaki, Professor, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, University of Calcutta, Technology Campus, JD-2, Sector-III, Saltlake City, Kolkata-700106</p> <p>3. Prof. D.K.Bhattacharyya, Department of Computer Science &amp; Engineering, Tezpur University</p>	
6. Ms. Aparna Das, D/o Lalmohan Das, C/o Kalyani Das, Diphu Civil Hospital, Karbi-Anglong, Assam	<p>Department of Environmental Science</p> <p>School of Sciences</p>	Coupled Application of Geochemistry, Isotope and Swat Modeling to Understand Nutrient Dynamics in the Brahmaputra River System	Dr. Manish Kumar, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University	<p>1. Prof. Prosun Bhattacharyya, Professor of Groundwater Chemistry, KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Department of Sustainable Development, Environmental Science &amp; Engineering, KTH-International Groundwater Arsenic Research Group, Teknikringen 76, SE-10044 Stockholm, Sweden</p>	



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	<p>7. Mr. Kuldeep Gupta, S/o Ram Kumar Gupta, Vill-Jhakarsi, PO-Kuchariya, Dist.-Raebareli, UP</p>	<p>Department of Molecular Biology &amp; Biotechnology</p> <p>School of Sciences</p>	<p>Effect of Plant Extracts, Essential Oils and Their Nano-formulations on Inhibition of Pseudomonas aeruginosa and Candida albicans Biofilm Formation</p>	<p>Prof. M.Mandal, Department of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology, Tezpur University</p>	<p>1. Prof. Beom Soo Kim, Lab# 714, Department of Chemical Engineering, Chungbuk National University, Cheongju, Republic of Korea</p> <p>2. Prof. Yogendra Singh, FASc, FNA, FNASc, Lab 112, Department of Zoology, University of Delhi, Delhi-110007</p> <p>3. Prof. M.Mandal, Department of Molecular Biology &amp; Biotechnology, Tezpur University</p>
	<p>8. Ms. Mahmuda Begum, D/o Md. Abdul Wahab, C/o Md. Khairuddin Ahmed, Ward No.14, Pub-Chandmari, PO-Khelmati, Dist.- Lakhimpur (Assam)</p>	<p>Department of Physics</p> <p>School of Sciences</p>	<p>Transport and Thermodynamic Properties of Dusty Plasma in the Strongly Coupled Regime</p>	<p>Prof. N.Das, Department of Physics, Tezpur University</p>	<p>1. Prof. Lin I, Chair Professor, Department of Physics, National Central University, Zhongli, Taiwan-32001</p> <p>2. Prof. K.S. Goswami, Centre for Plasma Physics-Institute for Plasma Research, Tepesia, Sonapur-782402, Guwahati, Assam</p> <p>3. Prof. Nilakshi Das, Department of Physics, Tezpur University</p>
	<p>9. Ms. Rumia Begum, D/o Md. Amizul Hoque, Islam Patty, Darji Road, Haiborgaon, Nagaon, Assam</p>	<p>Department of Business Administration</p> <p>School of Management Sciences</p>	<p>Socio-Economic Dynamics of Urban Informal Enterprises: A Study of Street Vendors and Home Based Enterprises in Assam</p>	<p>Prof. Chandana Goswami, Department of Business Administration, Tezpur University</p>	<p>1. Prof. Kyko Kusakabe, Professor, Gender and Development Studies, School of Environment, Resources and Development, Asian Institute of Technology (AIT), Pathumthani, Thailand</p> <p>2. Dr. Anjula Gurtoo, Room 304, Department of Management</p>

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	10. Mr. Perosh Jimmy Daimari, S/o Hareson Daimari, Baligaon, P.O-Nalkhamara, District-Udalguri (Assam)	Department of Mass Communication and Journalism  School of Humanities and Social Sciences	Nationalism and Gender: A Study of Select Bollywood Sports Films	Prof. Abhijit Bora, Department of Mass Communication and Journalism, Tezpur University	1. Prof. David H.Mould, Emeritus Professor, Media Arts and Studies, Ohio University (USA), 1568 Quarrier Street, Charleston, WV 25311 (USA) 2. Prof. Bobby B Bardhan, Department of Mass Communication, Andhra University, Visakhapatnam-530003, Andhra Pradesh 3. Prof. Abhijit Bora, Department of Mass Communication and Journalism, Tezpur University
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	12. Mr. Githartha Goswami, S/o Sri Bipin Chandra Goswami, Seuj Nagar, Kacho Goral, Jorhat, Assam	Department of English & Foreign Languages  School of Humanities & Social Sciences	T.S.Eliot: From Crisis to Contemplation	Prof. Farheena Danta, Department of English & Foreign Languages, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Anthony Cuda, Department of English, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, 3143 MHRA Building, 1111 Spring Garden St. Greensboro, NC 27412, USA 2. Prof. Sarangadhar Baral, Head,



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13. Mr. Kailash Sarma, S/o Hari Nath Sarma, Bali, Tihu, Nalbari, Assam	Department of English & Foreign Languages  School of Humanities & Social Sciences	Time and Temporal Structure of Situations: The Case of Assamese	Prof. Gautam Kumar Borah, Department of English & Foreign Languages, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Anju Saxena, Department of Linguistics and Philosophy, Uppsala University, Sweden Box 635, 751 26 UPPSALA, Sweden  2. Prof. K.V. Subbarao, Formerly Professor, Department of Linguistics, University of Delhi and Radhakrishnan Chair Professor, University of Hyderabad, 13/704 East End Apartments, Mayur Vihar Phase I Extension, Delhi 110096  3. Prof. Gautam Kumar Borah, Department of English & Foreign Languages, Tezpur University	
14. Ms. Pakiza Begum, D/o Abdul Goffur, Ward No.3, Vill-Tenpur, Golaghat, Assam	Department of Chemical Sciences  School of Sciences	Electronic Structure and Reactivity of Size-Selected Clusters Towards Quantum Controlled Catalysis	Prof. R.C. Deka, Department of Chemical Sciences Tezpur University	1. Prof. Lyudmila Moskaleva, University of Bremen, Fachbereich 2, IAPC, AG Baumer, Leobenerstr. 6, UFT, 28359 Bremen, Germany  2. Prof. Ram Kinkar Roy, Birla Institute of Technology and Sciences, Pilani 333031. Rajasthan, India  3. Prof. R.C.Deka, Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University	
15. Ms. Anjuman Borah, D/o Madan Ch. Borah, J.P.Rajkhowa Sanjog Path, Tezpur (Assam)	Department of Mass Communication & Journalism  School of Humanities & Social Sciences	Advocating Children's Participation: Case Study of Children's Media Initiatives in India	Dr. Joya Chakraborty, Department of Mass communication & Journalism, Tezpur University	1. Prof. David H.Mould, Emeritus Professor, Media Arts and Studies, Ohio University (USA), 1568 Quarrier Street, Charleston, WV 25311 (USA)	

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	<p>16. Ms. Nirmali Bordoloi, D/o Jatindra Nath Bordoloi, Vill &amp; PO: Borchila, Dist.-Morigaon, Assam</p>	<p>Department of Environmental Science</p> <p>School of Sciences</p>	<p>Development of Strategies for Mitigation of Greenhouse Gas- Nitrous Oxide (N<sub>2</sub>O) Emission from Field Grown Rice (Oryza sativa) and wheat (Triticum aestivum)</p>	<p>Prof. K.K.Baruah, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University</p>	<p>1. Prof. Jianwen Zou, Director- Jiangsu Key Laboratory of Low Carbon and GHGs Mitigation (JKL- LCGM), Vice Dean, College of Resources and Environmental Science, Nanjing Agricultural University, Nanjing 210095, China</p> <p>2. Prof. T.K.Adhya, FNA, School of Biotechnology, Kalina Institute of Industrial Technology (KIIT University), Bhubaneswar, Odisha, India-751024</p> <p>3. Prof. K.K.Baruah, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University</p>
	<p>17. Ms. Sikhamoni Gogoi, D/o Tulshi Gogoi, No.1 Khumtai, Sarupathar, Amguri, Moranhat, Assam</p>	<p>Department of English &amp; Foreign Languages</p> <p>Tezpur University</p>	<p>Modernity and Its Discontents: A Study Through Mark Tully's Writings on India</p>	<p>Prof. F.Danta, Department of English &amp; Foreign Languages, Tezpur University</p>	<p>1. Prof. Stig Toft Madsen, Senior Research Fellow, NIAS-Nordic Institute of Asian Studies, CSS, Oster Farimagsgade, 5, DK-1353 Copenhagen K, Denmark</p> <p>2. Prof. Chanchala K Naik, Department of ESI Studies, School of ELE, EFL University, Hyderabad-500007</p> <p>3. Prof. F.Danta, Department of English and Foreign Languages , Tezpur University</p>



	<p>18. Mr. Manash Deep Dey, S/o H. R. Dey, C/o Milon Dev, M/s Dev Brothersjail Road Bazar, East Khasi Hills Dist.- Shillong, Meghalaya</p>	<p>Department of Molecular Biology &amp; Biotechnology</p> <p>Tezpur University</p>	<p>Studies on Some Efficient Processes for the Removal of Synthetic Dyes</p>	<p>Dr. Rupak Mukhopadhyaya, Department of Molecular Biology &amp; Biotechnology, Tezpur University</p>	<p>1. Prof. Barsanjit Mazumder, Centre for Gene Regulation in Health and Disease, Department: BGES, Cleveland State University, 2399 Euclid Avenue, Cleaveland, OH 44115, USA</p> <p>2. Prof. Sanjay Ghosh, Department of Biochemistry, Calcutta University, 35, Ballygunge Cicular Road, Kolkata-700019</p> <p>3. Dr. Rupak Mukhopadhyaya, Department of Molecular Biology &amp; Biotechnology, Tezpur University</p>
	<p>19. Mr. Nazrul Hoque, S/o Md. Anowar Hussain, Vill. Dekargaon, PO-Barampur, Dist.-Darrang, Assam</p>	<p>Department of Computer Science and Engineering</p> <p>School of Engineering</p>	<p>DDoS Attack Detection Using Data Mining Techniques</p>	<p>Prof. D.K. Bhattacharyya, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Tezpur University Prof. J.K.Kalita, University of Colorado at Colorado Spring, USA (Co-supervisor)</p>	<p>1. Prof. Deep Medhi, Curators' Distinguished Professor, Computer Science and Electrical Engineering Department School of Computing and Engineering, University of Missouri-Kansas City, 550F Flarsheim Hall, 5110 Rockhill Road, Kansas City, MO 64110 USA</p> <p>2. Prof. S.K.Gupta, Amar S Gupta Chair Professor, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology, Hauz Khas, New Delhi-110016</p> <p>3.Prof. D.K.Bhattacharyya, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Tezpur University</p> <p>4. Prof. J.K.Kalita University of Colorado at Colorado Spring, USA (Co-supervisor)</p>

	20. Ms. Priyanka Borkotoky, D/o Prabhat Borkotoky, 51, Ananda Nagar, 6 <sup>th</sup> Mile, Khanapara, Guwahati	Department of Hindi,  School of Humanities and Social Sciences	Kamaleshwar aur Bhabendranath Saikia Ki Kahaniyon Ka Tulnatmak Adhyayan	1. Dr. S.K.Tripathi, Department of Hindi, Tezpur University  2. Prof. S.K.Dutta, Department of Cultural Studies, Tezpur University (Co-supervisor)	1. Prof. V.Krishna, Visiting Professor of Hindi, Indology Department, Sofia University, C/O Embassy Of India, 4 Alfred Nobel Street, Sofia, 1113, Bulgaria  2. Prof. R.S.Saraju, Department of Hindi, University of Hyderabad, Gacchibowli, Hyderabad-500046  3. Dr. S.K.Tripathi, Department of Hindi, Tezpur University 4. Prof. S.K.Dutta, Department of Cultural Studies, Tezpur University
	21. Ms. Ashmita Bharali, D/o Chandra Mohan Bharali, Chetia Gaon, Ward No-5, North Lakhimpur, Assam	Department of Environmental Science  School of Sciences,	Eco-physiological Analysis of Carbon Storage and Partitioning in Field Planted with Rice ( <i>Oryza sativa</i> ) and Wheat ( <i>Triticum aestivum</i> L.)	Prof. K.K.Baruah, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Yao Huang, No.20 Nanxincum Xiangshan, Director, The State Key Laboratory of Vegetarian and Environmental Change, Institute of Botany Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing-100093, China  2. Dr. H.Pathak, FNA, FNASc, FNAAS, FAvH, FAScT, Director, ICAR-National Rice Research Institute, Cuttack, Odisha-753006, Executive President, Society for Conservation of Nature 3. Prof. K.K.Baruah, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University
	22. Ms. Anindita Gogoi, D/o Baikuntha Gogoi, BVFCL Colony, Namrup, Parbatpur, Dibrugarh, Assam	Department of Environmental Science  School of Sciences	Metal Transport and complexation in Fresh and Waste Water Systems using Sequential Extraction, Biotic Ligand and Speciation Models.	Dr. Manish Kumar, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University	1. Dr. Futoshi Kurisu, # 705, Eng. Bldg. No. 14, The University of Tokyo, Bunkyo-Ku, Tokyo, Japan 2. Prof. Janardhana Raju, Alexander Von Humboldt Fellow, School of Environmental Sciences, Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi-110067



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	23. Mr. Arup Jyoti Das, S/o Omco Kumar Das, Bagicha Ali, Amoolapatty, Golaghat, Assam	Department of Food Engineering and Technology  School of Engineering	Biochemical and Microbiological and Characterization of Rice Beer Produced in Assam and Therapeutic Application of a Novel Ester Synthesized from Its Components.	Prof. S.C.Deka, Department of Food Engineering and Technology, Tezpur University  Dr. Tatsuro Miyaji Shizuoka Institute of Science and Technology, Japan (co-supervisor )	1. Prof. Kalidas Shetty, Founding Director of Global Institute of Food Security and International Agriculture (GIFSIA), Associate Vice President for International Partnerships and Collaborations, North Dakota State University, 214 Quentin Burdick Building, 1320 Albrecht Blvd, Fargo, North Dakota 58108 USA  2. Prof. V. Ravishankar Rai, Department of Microbiology, University of Mysore, Manasagangotri, Mysore, Karnataka, PIN-570006  3. Prof. S.C.Deka, Department of Food Engineering and Technology, Tezpur University  4. Dr. Tatsuro Miyaji, Dept. of Materials and Life Science, Shizuoka Institute of Science and Technology, Shizuoka, Japan
	24. Mr. Juwesh Binong, S/o Ujem Lyngdoh, Marngar, Nongpoh, R-Bhoi, Dist.-Meghalaya	Department of Computer Science and Engineering,  School of Engineering	Qualitative Spatio- Temporal Explanations for Occluded Objects in Video	Prof. S.M.Hazarika, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, School of Engineering, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Snehasis Mukhopadhyay, Department of Computer and Information Science, Indiana University- Purdue University- Indianapolis, 723W, Michigan Street SL 280, Indianapolis, Indiana-46202-5132, USA  2. Prof. N.Raja, School of Technology and Computer Science, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai-400005, India



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25. Ms. Reetamoni Narzary, D/o Carol Narzary, Vill-Dangagaon, PO-Kajalgaon, Dist-Chirang, Assam	Department of English and Foreign Languages  School of Humanities and Social Sciences	Jesus Christ and the Claims of Fiction: Literary Representation and the Politics of Authority	Prof. B.K.Danta, Department of English and Foreign Languages, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Zeba Crook, Professor Religion and Classics, 2A43 Paterson Hall, Carleton University, 1125 Colonel By Drive, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada K1S5B6  2. Prof. Margaret Ch Zama, Professor of English, Mizoram University, Aizawl  3. Prof. B.K.Danta, Department of English and Foreign Languages, Tezpur University	
26. Mr. Tanvir Husain, S/o Kabir Hussain, Mazir Apartments, PO-Link Road, Cachar, Silchar (Assam)	Department of Physics  School of Sciences	Spectroscopic Study of the Intergalactic Medium and Galaxies	Dr. Amit Pathak, Department of Physics, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Varsha Kulkarni, Office-jones PSC 505, Department of Physics and Astronomy, University of South Carolina, 712 Main Street, Columbia, SC29208 USA  2. Dr. C.H.Ishwara Chandra, National Centre for Radio Astrophysics, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Pune University Campus, Post bag 3, Ganeshkhind, Pune-411007  3. Dr. Amit Pathak, Department of Physics, Tezpur University	
27. Mr. Monoj Kumar Muchahari, S/o Umesh Chandra Muchahari, Near Secred Heart School, Sedempuri, Udalguri, Assam	Department of Computer Science and Engineering  School of Engineering	A Study on Selection of Trustworthy Cloud Service Providers	Prof. S.K.Sinha, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Tezpur University	1. Professor Elizabeth Chang, PhD, MSc, BSc, FIEEE, Professor and Canberra Fellow, UNSW@ADFA, Chair: IEEE IES Technical Committee on Industrial Informatics, Chair: IFIP Working Group 12 Web Semantics. University of New South Wales, UNSW@ Australian Defence Force	



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	<p>28. Mr. Bikash Chandra Nath, S/o Madan Kumar Nath, Vill-Karipara, PO-Chakla, District-Goalpara (Assam)</p>	<p>Department of Physics</p> <p>School of Sciences</p>	<p>Development and Optimization of Polymer Based Dye Sensitized Solar Cells</p>	<p>1. Dr.G.A.Ahmed, Department of Physics, Tezpur University</p> <p>2. Prof. S.K.Dolui, Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University (Co-supervisor)</p>	<p>1. Prof. Mohamed Henini, Professor of Applied Physics, International and EU Postgraduate Student Tutor, International Postgraduate Recruitment and International Postgraduate Admissions Tutor, Nottingham Nanotechnology and Nanoscience Centre (NNNC). School of Physics and Astronomy, University of Nottingham, Nottingham NG7 2RD, UK</p> <p>2. Dr. Suresh Chand, Head of the Physics of Energy Harvesting Division, Head of the Organic and Hybrid Solar Cell Group, CSIR National Physical Laboratory Dr.K.S.Krishnan Marg, New Delhi-110012</p> <p>3. Dr. G.A.Ahmed, Department of Physics, Tezpur University</p> <p>4. Prof. S.K.Dolui, Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University</p>

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	29. Ms. Lakhimi Phukan, D/o Bupaikon Phukan, Settlement Area (OIL), Q No. 1856, Duliajan, Assam	Department of Business Administration School of Management Sciences	Impact of School Environment on Creativity: A Study of Select Schools of Assam	Prof. Chandana Goswami, Department of Business Administration, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Kyung Hee Kim, Professor of Innovation and Creativity, The College of William & Mary, School of Education, Virginia, USA, PO Box 8795, Jones Hall, Williamsburg, VA23187 2. Prof. P.K.Gupta, Head of the Department of Education, North East Hill University, Shillong 3. Prof. Chandana Goswami, Department of Business Administration, Tezpur University
	30. Ms. Kakoli Bhattacharyya, D/o Kanak Bhattacharyya, Kalyanpur, Bokakhat, District-Golaghat (Assam)	Department of Physics School of Sciences	Collective Magnetic Property Studies of Secondary Magnetic Nanostructures and Their Applications	Dr. Pritam Deb, Department of Physics, Tezpur University	1. Dr. Jagadeesh S. Moodera, NW14-3102, Francis Bitter Magnet Laboratory, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), 150 Albany Street, Cambridge, MA 02139, USA. 2. Prof. Bikramjit Basu, Material Science Center, Indian Institute of Science, (IISc), Bangalore-560012 3. Dr. Pritam Deb, Department of Physics, Tezpur University
	31. Ms. Rashmi Rekha Baruah, D/o Birinshi Kumar Baruah, W/o Dr. Raj.j.Changkakoty, Ganesh Bhawan, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, Rajgarh Main Road, Guwahati, Assam	Department of Business Administration School of Management Sciences	Teamwork and Organizational Effectiveness: A Study on Telecom Sector in Assam	Prof. Papori Baruah, Department of Business Administration, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Sununta Siengthai, SOM Building Room No. 215, Asian Institute of Technology, Bangkok 2. Prof. Vijay Kumar Shrotriya, Department of Commerce, Delhi School of Economics, University of Delhi, 110 (ground floor), RP Block, Pitampura, New Delhi-110034 3. Prof. Papori Baruah, Department of Business Administration, Tezpur University



32. Ms. Momina Khannam, D/o Abu Khan, Ward No. II, Darbar Road, Sibasagar, Assam	Department of Chemical Sciences  School of Sciences	Development of Hybrid Semiconductor Nanostructures Suitable for Dye- Sensitized Solar Cells	Prof. S.K. Dolui, Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Dr. Cedric GAILLARD, U.R. Biopolymers Interactions Assemblages, INRA- Rue de la Geraudiere CS 71627, 44316 Nantes Cedex 3, France  2. Prof. Dr. Sandesh Rohidas Jadkar, Department of Physics, Savitribai Phule Pune University, Ganeshkhind, Pune-411007  3. Prof. S.K. Dolui, Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University
33. Ms. Kuntala Dowarah, D/o Pulin Dowarah, Lazum No.1, Near ASEB, Margherita, Assam	Department of Sociology  School of Humanities and Social Sciences	Indigenous Health Practices amongst Lisu (Yobin) Community of Arunachal Pradesh: An Ethnographic Study	Prof. K. Kikhi, Department of Sociology, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Ake Sander, Department of Literature, History of Ideas and Religion (LIR), University of Gothenburg, Box 200, 40530, Goteborg  2. Dr. Pranjal Sarma, Associate Professor and Head, Department of Sociology, Dibrugarh University, Dibrugarh- 786004, Assam  3. Prof. K. Kikhi, Department of Sociology, Tezpur University
34. Mr. Subhasish Das, S/o Sudev Das, C/o Pulak Roy, A.T.Road, Panigaon, Near Kalibari, Nagaon, Assam	Department of Environmental Science  School of Sciences	Influence of Soil Quality, Location, and Nutrient Management on <i>Cajanus cajan</i> [L.] (Mill sp.) and <i>Capsicum Chinese</i> (Jacq.) with Special Reference to the Expression of Carlinoside and Capsaicin	Dr. S.S. Bhattacharyya, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Stefania De Pascale, Dipartimento di Agraria-Università di Napoli Federico II, Via Università, 100-80055- Protici (Napoli)- ITALY  2. Prof. Narayan C. Mandal, Department of Botany, Siksha Bhavana, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan, Birbhum, West Bengal-731235  3. Dr. S.S. Bhattacharyya, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University

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	35. Ms. Dimpil Paul, D/o Chandan Paul, House No. D 39, Nau-Pukhuri Milan Pally Road, Tinsukia (Assam)	Department of Physics  School of Sciences	Theoretical Modeling of Microstructured Fiber and Implementation of Conventional/Micr ostructured Fiber Towards Development of Localized Surface Plasmon Resonance (LSPR) Sensor	1. Prof. N.S. Bhattacharyya, Department of Physics, Tezpur University  2. Dr. Rajib Biswas, Department of Physics, Tezpur University (Co- supervisor )	1. Dr. Peter Horak, Optoelectronics Research Centre, University of Southampton High field, Southampton SO 17 1BJ, UK  2. Prof. (Dr.) Somenath Sarkar, University of Calcutta, IA 86, Sector 3, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700097  3. Prof. N.S.Bhattacharyya, Department of Physics, Tezpur University  4. Dr. Rajib Biswas, Department of Physics, Tezpur University
	36. Ms. Aradhana Saikia Bora, D/o Dilip Kumar Saikia, Namghar Path, South Hoiborgaon, Nagaon, Assam	Department of English and Foreign Languages  School of Humanities and Social Sciences	The Coming of the Book in Assam: Impact of print, 1836-1947	Prof. P.K. Das, Department of English and Foreign Languages, Tezpur University	1. Dr. Stuart Blackburn, School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), University of London, Thornhaugh Street, Russel Square, London WC1H 0XG Building  2. Prof. Abhijit Gupta, Department of English, Jadavpur University, 188, Raja S.C.Mallick Road, Kolkata, West Bengal  3. Prof. P.K.Das, Department of English and Foreign Languages, Tezpur University
	37. Mr. Manjit Borah, S/o Thaneshwar Borah, Bokabil, PO-Jamuguri Panch Ali, Dist-Dhemaji (Assam)	Department of Physics  School of Sciences	Fabrication and Optical, Electrical and Dielectric Properties of Lead free Perovskite- Based Ferroelectric Nanostructured Systems with Inclusion of Suitable Dopants	Dr. D. Mohanta, Department of Physics, Tezpur University	1. Dr. Colm Durkan, Head of Nanoscience, Reader in Nanoscale Engineering Cambridge University, The Nanoscience Centre, 11, JJ Thomson Avenue, Cambridge, CB3 0FF, UK  2. Prof. Pabitra K.Chakrabarti, Department of Physics, University of Burdwan, Burdwan-713104, West Bengal  3. Dr. D.Mohanta, Department of Physics, Tezpur University



	38. Ms. Suparna Biswas, D/o Sailesh Biswas, Glamour Apartment-3C, M.A. Road, Rehabari, Guwahati, Assam	Department of Mathematical Sciences  School of Sciences	Estimation & Applications of Some Risk Measures in Finance	Dr. Santanu Dutta, Department of Mathematical Sciences, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Soumendra Nath Lahiri, Department of Statistics, 5140 SAS Hall, 2311 Stinson Drive Raleigh, NC 27695-8203  2. Prof. Gopal Krishna Basak, Theoretical Statistics and Mathematics Unit (SMU), Indian Statistical Institute, 203 Barrackpore Trunk Road, Kolkata 700108, West Bengal  3. Dr. Santanu Dutta, Dept. of Mathematical Sciences, Tezpur University
	39. Ms. Parbin Sultana, D/o Samir Uddin Ahmed, Fauzdari Patty, Ward No.14, Nagaon, Assam	Department of English and Foreign Languages  School of Humanities and Social Sciences	Teaching of English in the Colleges of Teacher Education in Assam: A Study of Classroom Practices	Prof. M.M.Sarma, Department of English and Foreign Languages, Tezpur University	1. Professor Constant Leung, Centre for Language, Discourse & Communication School of Education, Communication & Society, King's College London, Franklin-Wilkins Building, Waterloo Road, London SE1 9NH, UK  2. Prof. Jayashri Mohanraj, Department of Training and Development, The EFL University, Hyderabad-500007  3. Prof.M.M.Sarma, Department of English and Foreign Languages, Tezpur University
	40. Mr. Pankaj Kumar, S/o Puran Chand, 90, Narayanpura, Lalitpur (UP)	Department of Business Administration  School of Management Sciences	Structure and Management of Indirect Taxes in India with Special Reference to Perception of Stakeholders in Uttar Pradesh	Prof. S.S.Sarkar, Department of Business Administration, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Mohd Khairuddin Hashim, School of Business Management, College of Business, Universiti Utara Malaysia, 06010 UUM Sintok, Kedah, Malaysia  2. Prof. Sujit Sikidar, Bye Lane No.7, House No.8, Lachit Nagar, Guwahati-781007.  3. Prof. S.S.Sarkar, Department of Business Administration, Tezpur University

	41. Ms. Deepika Hazarika, D/o Upendra Nath Hazarika, Betanijhar, P.O-Haleswar, District-Sonitpur, Assam	Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering  School of Engineering	Despeckling of Synthetic Aperture Radar (SAR) Images in the Lapped Transform Domain	Prof. M. Bhuyan, Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering, Tezpur University	1. Prof. M.N.S. Swamy, Research Professor and Conrodia Tier I Chair in Signal Processing, Concordia University, Montreal, Quebec, H3G 1M8, CANADA  2. Prof. Mrinal Kanti Naskar, Department of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering, Jadavpur University, Kolkata-700032  3. Prof. M. Bhuyan, Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering, Tezpur University
	42. Ms. Sanghita Dutta, D/o Mukul Chandra Dutta, 2 No. Nath Gharia, H.No. 16, Carbon Gate, Guwahati, Assam	Department of Environmental Science  School of Sciences	Assessment of Pollution Level of Trace Metals in Water, Sediments and Aquatic Plants of Some Wetlands of the Brahmaputra Valley, Assam	Prof. K.P. Sarma, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University	1. Professor Dr. Ahmed EI Nemr, Chief Editor of Blue Biotechnology Journal, Nova Science Publishers, USA.  2. Dr. V. N. Jha, Scientific Officer (E) and Officer In Charge, Health Physics Unit, Health Physics Division, Bhaba Atomic Research Centre, Department of Atomic Energy, Jaduguda, East Singhbhum, Jharkhand  3. Prof. K.P.Sarma, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University
	43. Ms. Sreyashi Paul, D/o Shyamal Paul, Haripatty, Near Ananta Complex, Tezpur, Assam	Department of Environmental Science  School of Sciences	High Temperature Responses on Growth and Development of Potato Crop (Solanum tuberosum L): Mitigation Strategies for Sustainable Yield	Dr. Nirmali Gogoi, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Dr. Lee, Dong Jin, Professor, Department of Crop Science and Biotechnology, DANKOOK UNIVERSITY (DKU), Director General, Institute of International Cooperation on Agriculture (DICA), DKU, President, Korean Society of Crop Science, 119, Dandaero, Dongnam-ku, Cheonan-si, Chungnam, 330-714, KOREA



					<p>2. Dr. Renu Pandey, Senior Scientist, Division of Plant Physiology, ICAR-Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi-110012</p> <p>3. Dr. Nirmali Gogoi, Department of Environmental Science, Tezpur University</p>
44. Mr. Salam Pradeep Singh S/o – Salam Dwijamani Singh, Sagolband Sayang Kuraomakhong , Imphal West, Manipur	Department of Molecular Biology & Biotechnology  Tezpur University	Metagenomics and Bioinformatics Studies on Alkane Hydroxylase Gene	Prof. B. K. Konwar, Department of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology, Tezpur University	<p>1. Dr. Kian Mau Goh, Block T02, Faculty of Biosciences and Medical Engineering Universiti Teknologi Malaysia, 81310 Johor Bahru, Johor, Malaysia.</p> <p>2. Prof. Mahendra K. Modi, Dept. of Agril Biotech, BIF, Assam Agricultural University, Jorhat – 785013, Assam</p> <p>3. Prof B. K. Konwar, Department of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology, Tezpur University</p>	
45. Ms. Suchibrata Borah, D/o Dhiren Borah, Vill & P.O. – Borhat, Sibsagar, Assam	Department of Chemical Sciences  School of Sciences	Investigation on Cross Dehydrogenative Coupling, Selective Bromination Reaction, Synthesis and Selective Application of High Valent Metal Organophosphonates and Oxime Based Reusable Fluoride Receptors	<p>Dr. Nayanmoni Gogoi, Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University</p> <p>Prof. M. K. Chaudhuri, Former Vice Chancellor, Tezpur University (Co supervisor)</p>	<p>1. Prof. Robert Raja, faculty of Natural and Environmental Sciences, University of Southampton, Southampton SO17 IBJ, UK</p> <p>2. Dr. Benjaram Mahipal Reddy, Chief Scientist and Head, Inorganic and Physical Chemistry Division, CSIR – Indian Institute of Chemical Technology, Uppal Road , Hyderabad – 500607</p> <p>3. Dr. Nayanmoni Gogoi, Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University</p> <p>4. Prof. M. K. Chaudhuri, Former Vice Chancellor, Tezpur University (Co supervisor)</p>	

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	46. Ms. Raujline Siraj Farjina Akhtar, D/o Abdul Hamid, Idgah Path, N. No. 2, Sarumataria, Dispur, Guwahati, Assam	Department of English and Foreign Languages  School of Humanities and Social Sciences	The Bare Noun in Karbi and Its Determination	Prof. G.K. Borah, Department of English and Foreign Languages, Tezpur University	1. Prof. Dr. George van Driem, Director, Institute of Linguistics, University of Bern, L'Anggassstrasse 49, Postfach, CH 3000 Bern 9, Switzerland  2. Prof. (Dr.) Anvita Abbi, Hon Director of Centre for Oral and Tribal Literature, Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi, India  3. Prof. G.K. Borah, Department of English and Foreign Languages, Tezpur University
<b>Decision</b>	<i>Approved. The degrees will be awarded in the next Convocation.</i>				
<b>B. 84/2017/4/2.2</b>	<b>Revocation of the order of appointment of Mr. Abhishek Das, Asstt. Professor, Dept. of Civil Engineering for furnishing misleading information regarding the status of Caste and Religion</b>				
<b>Note</b>	<p>Mr. Abhishek Das, S/o Mrs. Santi Lata Das, H/N-3, Lachit Nagar, 4<sup>th</sup> Bye Lane (South), Guwahati-781007, Assam, applied for a position of Assistant Professor, Department of Civil Engineering, Tezpur University against Advertisement No. 18/2015 declaring himself to be a member of SC community vide his application dated 05.02.2016. Subsequently he got selected and appointed provisionally to the said position against a post reserved for SC subject to verification of all original certificates/documents as per Clause No.8 of the appointment order issued vide Ref. No. F.6.11/I(RC)/4077-A dated 05.01.2017.</p> <p>On verification of his credentials it was revealed that Mr. Abhishek Das while declaring himself to be a member of SC community, at the same time he also claimed his religion to be "Christianity" in his application form referred to above, whereas as per rules of the Government of India in respect of reservation in appointments, a candidate professing a religion other than Hinduism, Sikhism and Buddhism, cannot claim to be a member of SC community. Thus, his declaration regarding "Caste" and "Religion" had some untrue elements.</p> <p>Vide this Office letter issued under Ref.No.F.6.11/I(RC)/945 dated 30.05.2017, Mr. Abhishek Das was given an opportunity to explain in writing as to why appropriate action contemplated by the appointing authority of Tezpur University for terminating him from the post of Assistant Professor as well as from the service of Tezpur University for misleading the University authority shall not be taken.</p>				



	<p>Mr. Abhishek Das in his explanation letter dated 05.06.2017, had stated that his status of belonging to "SC" community is genuine but, his mentioning as "Christianity" in his application form was an inadvertent mistake.</p> <p>In contradiction to his above explanation, whereas his two subsequent declarations i.e. the former and original one in the form of application for the post of Assistant Professor dated 05.02.2016 and the later one in the form of declaration made in his Service Book on 08.02.2017 contain the same information with regard to his Caste and Religion as stated above, and whereby it was prima facie established that he had misled the University authority by furnishing false information either with regard to his Caste or his Religion: the written explanation submitted by Mr. Abhishek Das is considered to be not at all acceptable.</p> <p>In view of the above, the Office Order No.F.6.11/I(RC)/4077-A dated 05.01.2017 on appointment of Mr. Abhishek Das as Assistant Professor in Civil Engineering is proposed to be revoked with immediate effect.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of approval.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Approved. The Board advised the University to be careful in checking of credentials of candidates before appointment in future.</i></b>
<b>B. 84/2017/4/2.3</b>  <b>Note</b>	<p><b>Grant of benefits of Non-Compounded Increments (NCIs) for Ph.D. degree obtained during service</b></p> <p>As per UGC Regulations 2010 Teachers who complete their Ph.D. degree while in service shall be entitled to three non-compounded increments (NCIs) if such Ph.D. is in the relevant discipline and has been awarded by a university complying with the process prescribed by the UGC for enrolment, course-work and evaluation etc. However, the regulation is silent about the date of effect of such NCIs.</p> <p>As per TU's Ph.D. rules and regulations, the Board of Management of the University shall approve the award on recommendation of the Academic Council.</p> <p>At present, the University granted NCIs to faculty members from the date of approval of the Board of Management of Tezpur University in respect of awardee from Tezpur University and from the date of notification/date of issue of provisional certificate/ date of EC's approval, as the case may be, in respect of the awardee from other University/ Institution.</p> <p>It is also observed that numerous faculty members have not submitted their final Ph.D. degree certificate for due office record after receiving NCIs, which create administrative inconvenience.</p> <p>To ensure a uniform practice, it is proposed to grant the benefit of NCIs for obtaining Ph.D. degree during the period of service as Assistant Professor from the date of approval of the Board of Management/Executive Council/ Notification of the concerned University/Institution and on submission of self-attested certificate of Ph.D. degree.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of approval.</p>





<b>Decision</b>	<i>The Registrar while presenting this item, referred to MHRD letter dated 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2017 addressed to the Secretary, UGC and copy forwarded to all VCs in which, the provision of incentives in the form of advance increments for M.Phil / Ph.D has been withdrawn. The Board approved the proposal stated above. However, the members advised the University administration to consider any application for such incentives in consultation with UGC / MHRD, if any candidate whose viva-voce was completed prior to 02.11.2017 requests for such benefit.</i>														
<b>B. 84/2017/4/2.4</b>  <b>Note</b>	<b>Nomination of Professor Charulata Mahanta on the Finance Committee of the University</b> Subject to approval of the Board of Management, Professor Charu Lata Mahanta, Dean, School of Engineering has been nominated as a member on the Finance Committee, Tezpur University vice Professor S.S.Sarkar, Department of Business Administration as per the provision of the Statute 19(1) (iii) of the Second Schedule of the University Act for a period of 3(three) years with effect from 13.06.2017 or until she holds the membership of the Board of Management as Dean, whichever is earlier.  Placed before the Board for consideration of approval.														
<b>Decision</b>	<i>Approved.</i>														
<b>B. 84/2017/4/2.5</b>  <b>Note</b>	<b>Holiday List For the Calendar year 2018</b> The Holiday List for the Calendar Year 2018 for the University offices and Academic Departments has been prepared by a committee constituted for the same.  Holiday List for the calendar year 2018 is placed before the Board for consideration of approval.														
<b>Decision</b>	<i>Approved.</i>														
<b>B. 84/2017/4/2.6</b>  <b>Note</b>	<b>Confirmation of service of the teaching employees</b> The following teaching employees have been recommended by the Committee constituted to assess their performances on completion of the probation period of 01 (One) year on the date shown against their names for confirmation. <table border="1" data-bbox="469 1663 1528 1848"> <thead> <tr> <th>Sl. No.</th><th>Name, Designation and Department</th><th>Date of joining in the post held</th><th>Date of completion of probation</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>2.</td><td>Dr. Apurba Saha, Assistant Professor Department of Social Work</td><td>04.07.2014</td><td>03.07.2015</td></tr> <tr> <td>3.</td><td>Mr. Jayanta Deori Bharali, Assistant Professor Department of Civil Engineering</td><td>25.08.2014</td><td>24.08.2015</td></tr> </tbody> </table> Placed before the Board for consideration of approval.			Sl. No.	Name, Designation and Department	Date of joining in the post held	Date of completion of probation	2.	Dr. Apurba Saha, Assistant Professor Department of Social Work	04.07.2014	03.07.2015	3.	Mr. Jayanta Deori Bharali, Assistant Professor Department of Civil Engineering	25.08.2014	24.08.2015
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<b>Decision</b>	<i>Approved.</i>														



<b>B. 84/ 2017/3/2.7</b>	<b>Promotion of faculty members under Career Advancement Scheme (CAS) of UGC</b>																				
<b>Note</b>	<p>On recommendations of the concerned Screening cum-Evaluation Committees and subject to ratification by the Board of Management, following faculty members of the University have been placed in the Stage-2 of Assistant Professor with higher Academic Grade Pay of Rs.7000/- in the Pay Band-3: Rs.15600-39100/- with effect from the dates mentioned against their names. The promotion is under the Career Advancement Scheme of UGC.</p> <table><tr><th>Sl No.</th><th>Name</th><th>Designation</th><th>Department</th><th>Date of effect</th></tr><tr><td>01</td><td>Dr. Sanjib Kumar Deka</td><td>Assistant Professor</td><td>Computer Science and Engineering</td><td>04.03.2014</td></tr><tr><td>02</td><td>Dr. Eeshan Kalita</td><td>Assistant Professor</td><td>Molecular Biology and Biotechnology</td><td>24.08.2014</td></tr><tr><td>03</td><td>Dr. Deepjyoti Goswami</td><td>Assistant Professor</td><td>Mathematical Sciences</td><td>31.12.2016</td></tr></table> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of approval.</p>	Sl No.	Name	Designation	Department	Date of effect	01	Dr. Sanjib Kumar Deka	Assistant Professor	Computer Science and Engineering	04.03.2014	02	Dr. Eeshan Kalita	Assistant Professor	Molecular Biology and Biotechnology	24.08.2014	03	Dr. Deepjyoti Goswami	Assistant Professor	Mathematical Sciences	31.12.2016
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<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Approved.</i></b>																				

#### Items for Ratification (B.84/2017/4/3)

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Note

Recovery of excess payment of salary from the faculty members

In pursuance of the Audit para No. 1 of Part-IIA of the Inspection Report on the Accounts of Tezpur University for the year 2015-16 in the matter of irregular fixation of pay of Reader/Lecturer (Selection Grade) and re-resignation thereof as Associate Professor and decision of the 82<sup>nd</sup> meeting of the Board of Management of the University vide Resolution No. B.82/2017/2/3.1, the excess payment of salary drawn by the following faculty members of the University as mentioned against their names is being recovered from their respective salary in suitable instalments commencing from the month of June, 2017:

Sl. No	Name	Department	Date of Birth	Date of Retirement	Amount of excess payment(Rs.)
1.	Prof. Dhanpati Deka	Energy	2-Oct-65	31 Oct-30	12,51,876
2.	Prof. Subhrangsu Sekhar Sarkar	Business Administration	22-Nov-67	30-Nov-32	11,52,184
3.	Prof. Gautam Kr.Borah	E.F.L.	1-Oct-60	30-Sep-25	19,75,388
4.	Prof. Chandan Goswami	Business Administration	1-Dec-67	30-Nov-32	14,47,153
5.	Prof. Debajit Hazarika	Mathematical Sciences	28-Jan-67	31-Jan-32	13,02,378
6.	Prof. Nayandeep Deka Baruah	Mathematical Sciences	1-Feb-72	31-Jan-37	6,87,419



	7.	Prof. Chandan Kumar Sharma	Sociology	12-Feb-68	28-Feb-33	10,62,302
	8.	Prof. Syamanta Moni Hazarika	Computer Science & Engineering	21-Jan-68	31-Jan-33	12,28,668
	9.	Prof. Ashis Kumar Mukherjee	M.B.B.T.	10-Jul-70	31-July-35	3,10,938
	10.	Prof. Niranjana Karak	Chemical Sciences	21-Feb-68	28-Feb-33	3,87,429
	11.	Prof.(Mrs.) Munmun Hazarika	Mathematical Sciences	23-Aug-72	31-Aug-37	17,90,404
	12.	Prof.(Mrs.) Nidhi S.Bhattacharyya	Physics	10-June-65	30-June-30	10,24,383
	13.	Prof.(Mrs.) Papori Baruah	Business Admin.	23-Aug-68	31-Aug-33	15,67,327
	14.	Prof. Utpal Sharma	Computer Science & Engineering	25-Aug-70	31-Aug-35	14,46,328
	15.	Dr. Gazi Ameen Ahmed	Physics	28-April-68	30-April-33	14,83,674
	16.	Prof.(Mrs.) Nilakshi Das	Physics	17-March-71	31-March-36	13,55,072
	17.	Prof.(Mrs.) Ruli Borah	Chemical Sciences	1-Oct-70	30-Sep-35	15,59,508
	18.	Prof. Ramesh Chandra Deka	Chemical Sciences	1-Jan-70	31-Dec-34	9,78,730
	19.	Prof.(Mrs.) Shashi Baruah	M.B.B.T.	28-Sep-57	30-Sep-22	8,79,481
	20.	Prof. Pritam Deb	Physics	7-April-73	30-Apr-38	15,61,087
	21.	Dr.P.Anbarasn	M.C.J.	21-Mar-64	31-Mar-29	13,80,398
	22.	Prof. Debendra Chandra Baruah	Energy	1-June-65	31-May-30	1,05,283
	23.	Prof. Debarshi Prasad Nath	Cultural Studies	30-Nov-75	30-Nov-75	11,88,842
	<p>As Prof. S. M. Hazarika has already been released from Tezpur University service on lien, the entire amount of excess pay as shown against him as Sl. No. 8 above shall be refunded by him forthwith or else the same shall be adjusted against his pro-rata service benefits that is to be remitted to IIT Guwahati on his relinquishing the lien in due course.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>					
<b>Decision</b>	<p><b><i>Ratified.</i></b></p> <p><b><i>The Registrar informed the house that eight teachers out of the aforesaid 23 have approached Gauhati High Court seeking intervention of the Honourable Court on the above recovery order. The Court has issued an order to maintain status-quo for these eight applicants. The Board noted accordingly.</i></b></p>					
<b>B. 84/ 2017/4/3.2</b>	<b>Appointment of teaching employees</b>					
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, on the recommendation of duly constituted Selection Committees as per the Provisions of Tezpur University Act for appointment of teaching employees the following appointments have been made as per the BoM Resolution No. B.66/2012/3/4.4, dated 29.06.2012.</p>					



	S. No.	Name of the person appointed	Advt. Number	Date of Selection Committee Meeting	Department / Centre	Post	Reservation (s)
	1.	Mr. Parama Dutta	11/2017	08.09.2017	Mathematical Sciences	Assistant Professor (on contract basis)	UR
	2.	Ms. Nilufar Mana Begum	11/2017	08.09.2017	Mathematical Sciences	Assistant Professor (on contract basis)	UR
	3.	Ms. Hoimawati Talukdar	06/2016	12.07.2017	Centre for Inclusive Development	Assistant Professor (on contract basis)	UR
	4.	Dr. Subhrangshu Dhar	06/2016	12.07.2017	Centre for Inclusive Development	Assistant Professor (on contract basis)	UR
	5.	Dr. (Mrs) Suchibrata Goswami			CODL (English)	Assistant Professor (on contract basis)	UR
	6.	Ms. Pragya Sharma	12/2017	14.09.2017	CODL (MCJ)	Assistant Professor (on contract basis)	UR
	7.	Ms. Svetlana Neog	12/2017	14.09.2017	CODL (Sociology)	Assistant Professor (on contract basis)	UR
	8.	Shri Angshuman Sharma			Electrical Engineering	Assistant Professor (on contract basis)	UR
	9.	Mr. Jubin Bhuyan			Computer Science & Engineering	Assistant Professor (on contract basis)	UR
	10.	Ms. Daveirou Lanamai			Chinese Language	Assistant Professor (on contract basis)	
	Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.						
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>						
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.3</b>	<b>Appointment of Professor (Dr.) M. Palaniandavar as a Professor of Eminence</b>						
<b>Note</b>	Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Professor (Dr.) M. Palaniandavar, FRSC, FASc, FNA has been appointed as Professor of Eminence in the Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University <i>w.e.f.</i> 20 <sup>th</sup> August to 20 <sup>th</sup> December, 2017 at an honorarium in accordance with the CCS (Revised Pay) Rules 2008, relevant guidelines of the University Grants Commission. Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.						
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>						
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.4</b>	<b>Appointment of Professor Ramesh Chandra Deka as the Dean School of Sciences.</b>						
<b>Note</b>	Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Professor Ramesh Chandra Deka, Department of Chemical Sciences, Tezpur University has been appointed as Dean, School of Sciences, Tezpur University for a period of three (03) years <i>w.e.f.</i>						



	<p>30.04.2017, or until further order, whichever is earlier.</p> <p>Prof. Ashok Kumar is relieved from the assignment of Dean, School of Sciences, Tezpur University w.e.f. 29.04.2017 (A/N)</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.5</b>	<p><b>Appointment of Professor Mrinmoy Kumar Sarma, Department of Business Administration as the Director, Teaching Learning Centre</b></p>
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Professor Mrinmoy Kumar Sarma, Department of Business Administration has been appointed as the Director, Teaching Learning Centre, Tezpur University for a period of three (03) years with effect from 16.05.2017 or the date of his assuming the office or until further order, whichever is earlier. This will be in addition to his normal duties in his department.</p> <p>Professor P.K. Das has been relieved from the assignment of Director, Teaching Learning Centre.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.6</b>	<p><b>Appointment of Professor Sunil Kumar Dutta as the Director, Centre for Internal Quality Assurance (CIQA) for the Centre for Open and Distance Learning, Tezpur University</b></p>
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Professor Sunil Kumar Dutta Head, Department of Cultural Studies has been appointed as the Director, Centre for Internal Quality Assurance (CIQA) for the Centre for Open and Distance Learning, Tezpur University w.e.f. 28.08.2017.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.7</b>	<p><b>Appointment of Dr. Ashalata Devi as the Head, Department of Environmental Science</b></p>
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Dr. Ashalata Devi, Associate Professor, Department of Environmental Science has been appointed as the Head, Department of Environmental Science for a period of three (03) years w.e.f. 17.09.2017 or until further order, whichever is earlier.</p> <p>Professor Apurba Kumar Das has been relieved from the assignment of Head, Department of Environmental Science w.e.f. 16.09.2017 (A/N).</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>





<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.8</b>	<b>Appointment of Professor Anand Marcus Ramtake as the Head, Department of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology</b>									
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Professor Anand Marcus Ramtake, has been appointed as the Head, Department of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology, for a period of three (03) years w.e.f. 01.09.2017 or until further order, whichever is earlier.</p> <p>Professor S. K. Ray has been relieved from the assignment of Head, Department of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology w.e.f. 31.08.2017 (A/N)</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>									
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>									
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.9</b>	<b>Appointment of Shri Chandan Jyoti Konwar as Assistant Academic Officer on contract basis</b>									
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Shri Chandan Jyoti Konwar has been appointed as the Assistant Academic officer on contract basis with a fixed emolument of Rs. 35,000/- (Rupees thirty five thousand only) per month for a period of six (06) months w.e.f. 28.06.2017 or until further order, whichever is earlier. other terms and conditions contained in the office order issued under memo No. F.13-6/3/1/2000(E)/805–A dated 29.05.2015 will remain unchanged.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>									
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>									
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.10</b>	<b>Reappointment of Research Officers in the IPR Cell of the University</b>									
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, following candidates have been reappointed as Research Officer in the IPR Cell of the University under the Intellectual Property Education, Research and Public Outreach (IPERPO) Scheme of the MHRD, Government of India, for a period mentioned against their names or until further order, whichever is earlier, with a fix remuneration of Rs. 25,000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only) per month.</p> <table><tr><th>Sl. No.</th><th>Name</th><th>Period of appointments</th></tr><tr><td>01</td><td>Dr. (Mrs.) Juri Borbora Saikia</td><td>01.07.2017 to 31.05.2018</td></tr><tr><td>02</td><td>Dr. (Mrs.) Suchibrata Goswami</td><td>01.07.2017 to 09.08.2017</td></tr></table> <p>All other terms and conditions stated in the earlier order dated 08.03.2011 shall remain the same.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>	Sl. No.	Name	Period of appointments	01	Dr. (Mrs.) Juri Borbora Saikia	01.07.2017 to 31.05.2018	02	Dr. (Mrs.) Suchibrata Goswami	01.07.2017 to 09.08.2017
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<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>									





<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.11</b>	<b>Extension of the term of Dr. (Mrs.) Madhurima Goswami as the Head, Chandraprabha Saikiani Centre for Women's Studies</b>																
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, the term of appointment of Dr.(Mrs.) Madhurima Goswami, Associate Professor as Head, Chandraprabha Saikiani Centre for Women's Studies, of the University has been extended till 30.09.2017 or till completion of the UGC's Scheme, whichever is earlier.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>																
<b>Decision</b>	<b>Ratified.</b>																
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.12</b>	<b>Extension of the term of Professor Jiten Chandra Dutta as head, i/c, Department of Electrical Engineering</b>																
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, the term of appointment of Professor Jiten Chandra Dutta, Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering as the Head, i/c Department of Electrical Engineering has been extended for a period of two (02) years w.e.f. 23.09.2017 or until further order, whichever is earlier.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>																
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<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.13</b>	<b>Extension of the term of appointments of the Assistant Professors/Research Associate in the Teaching Learning Centre</b>																
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management and in compliance to the MHRD letter dated 13.04.2017, the term of contractual appointments of the following faculty members in the Teaching Learning Centre, Department of Education under the scheme of MHRD, Government of India entitled 'Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers &amp; Teaching (PMMMNTT) have been extended till the dates mentioned against their names or until further order. Other terms and conditions contained in the office order dated 09.05.2016 will remain unchanged.</p> <table><tr><th>Sl. No.</th><th>Name</th><th>Designation</th><th>Period of extension</th></tr><tr><td>01</td><td>Ms. Swapnarani Bora</td><td>Assistant Professor</td><td>till 30.09.2017, further, for a period of eleven (11) months w.e.f 01.10.2017</td></tr><tr><td>02</td><td>Mr. Iqbal Hussain Ahmed</td><td>Assistant Professor</td><td>till 30.09.2017, further, for a period of eleven (11) months w.e.f 01.10.2017</td></tr><tr><td>03</td><td>Ms. Bhushita Patowari</td><td>Research Associate</td><td>till 30.09.2017, further, for a period of eleven (11) months w.e.f 01.10.2017</td></tr></table> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>	Sl. No.	Name	Designation	Period of extension	01	Ms. Swapnarani Bora	Assistant Professor	till 30.09.2017, further, for a period of eleven (11) months w.e.f 01.10.2017	02	Mr. Iqbal Hussain Ahmed	Assistant Professor	till 30.09.2017, further, for a period of eleven (11) months w.e.f 01.10.2017	03	Ms. Bhushita Patowari	Research Associate	till 30.09.2017, further, for a period of eleven (11) months w.e.f 01.10.2017
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<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.14</b>	<b>Extension of contractual appointment of employees</b>																																			
<b>Note</b>	<p>In pursuance of UGC's public notice vide No. F. 22-4/2016 (FD-I/B), dated 29.03.2017, the term of contractual appointments of the following employees have been extended till the dates mentioned against their names or until further order, whichever is earlier with a fixed remuneration mentioned in the concerned column under a scheme of University Grants Commission, New Delhi.</p> <table><tr><th>Name</th><th>Designation</th><th>Centre</th><th>Period of extension</th><th>Remuneration (fixed)</th></tr><tr><td>Dr. Pushpa Renu Bhattacharyya</td><td>Research Associate</td><td>Centre for Endangered Languages (CFEL)</td><td>31.03.2018</td><td>30,000/- (p.m)</td></tr><tr><td>Dr. Widinibou</td><td>Research Associate</td><td>Centre for Endangered Languages (CFEL)</td><td>31.03.2018</td><td>30,000/- (p.m)</td></tr><tr><td>Shri Daimalu Brahma</td><td>Research Associate</td><td>Centre for Endangered Languages (CFEL)</td><td>31.03.2018</td><td>30,000/- (p.m)</td></tr><tr><td>Ms. Ivy Daimari</td><td>Research Associate</td><td>Chandraprabha Saikiani Centre for Women's Studies</td><td>31.03.2018</td><td>24,000/- (p.m)</td></tr><tr><td>Mr. Abhijit Baishya</td><td>Professional Assistant</td><td>Chandraprabha Saikiani Centre for Women's Studies</td><td>31.03.2018</td><td>--</td></tr><tr><td>Ms. Sonali Boro</td><td>Research Assistant</td><td>Chandraprabha Saikiani Centre for Women's Studies</td><td>31.03.2018</td><td>13,000/- (p.m)</td></tr></table> <p>The terms and conditions of their earlier appointment will remain unchanged.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>	Name	Designation	Centre	Period of extension	Remuneration (fixed)	Dr. Pushpa Renu Bhattacharyya	Research Associate	Centre for Endangered Languages (CFEL)	31.03.2018	30,000/- (p.m)	Dr. Widinibou	Research Associate	Centre for Endangered Languages (CFEL)	31.03.2018	30,000/- (p.m)	Shri Daimalu Brahma	Research Associate	Centre for Endangered Languages (CFEL)	31.03.2018	30,000/- (p.m)	Ms. Ivy Daimari	Research Associate	Chandraprabha Saikiani Centre for Women's Studies	31.03.2018	24,000/- (p.m)	Mr. Abhijit Baishya	Professional Assistant	Chandraprabha Saikiani Centre for Women's Studies	31.03.2018	--	Ms. Sonali Boro	Research Assistant	Chandraprabha Saikiani Centre for Women's Studies	31.03.2018	13,000/- (p.m)
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<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.15</b>	<b>Lien granted to Dr. Amit Pathak, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics</b>																																			
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Dr. Amit Pathak, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics has been granted lien for a period of one (01) year and relieved from the service of Tezpur University w.e.f. 17.10.2017 (AN), enabling him to join as Associate Professor in the Department of Physics at Banaras Hindu University (BHU), Varanasi. During the period of lien either BHU, Varanasi, the new employer of Dr. Pathak or Dr. Pathak himself, as the case may be, shall pay the leave salary and matching contribution for NPS to Tezpur University as per Government of India rules. If Dr. Pathak does not revert to Tezpur University on or before expiry of the lien period, as stated above, he shall be deemed to have been relinquished from the service of Tezpur University w.e.f. 17.10.2017 (AN).</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>																																			
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<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.16</b>	<b>Release of Dr. Anjali Sharma, Associate Professor, Department of Education</b>																																			
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management and on acceptance of her resignation by the University authority and after obtaining necessary vigilance clearance and other clearances regarding her outstanding dues/liabilities from the concerned sections, Dr. Anjali Sharma, Associate Professor, Department of Education has been released from the Tezpur University service with effect from</p>																																			



	22.09.2017 (afternoon), enabling her to take up her new assignment as Associate Professor at Central University of Rajasthan. Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.17</b>  <b>Note</b>	<b>Release of Dr. Manish Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Environmental Science</b>  Subject to ratification by the Board of Management and on acceptance of his technical resignation by the University authority and after obtaining necessary vigilance clearance and other clearances regarding his outstanding dues/liabilities from the concerned sections, Dr. Manish Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Environmental Sciences has been released from the Tezpur University service with effect from 28.07.2017 (afternoon), enabling him to take up his new assignment as Assistant Professor at Indian Institute of Technology Gandhinagar, Palaj, Gandhinagar, Gujarat-382355  Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.18</b>  <b>Note</b>	<b>Release of Mr. Bidyum Kumar Medhi, Assistant Professor (Contractual), Department of English and Foreign Languages</b>  Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, and on acceptance of his resignation by the University authority and after obtaining necessary vigilance clearance and other clearances regarding his outstanding dues/liabilities from the concerned sections, Mr. Bidyum Kumar Medhi, Assistant Professor (Contractual), Department of English and Foreign Languages has been released from Tezpur University service w.e.f. 04.08.2017 (afternoon).  Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.19</b>  <b>Note</b>	<b>Release of Dr. Somnath Paul, Assistant Professor (Contractual), Department of Mathematical Sciences</b>  Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, and on acceptance of his resignation by the University authority and after obtaining necessary vigilance clearance and other clearances regarding his outstanding dues/liabilities from the concerned sections, Dr. Somnath Paul, Assistant Professor (Contractual), Department of Mathematical Sciences has been released from Tezpur University service w.e.f. 09.08.2017 (afternoon).  Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.20</b>  <b>Note</b>	<b>Transfer of past service benefits of Professor Kali Prasad Sarma, Department of Environmental Science</b>  Subject to approval of the Board of Management and consequent upon transfer of



	<p>pro-rata pensionary benefits and accumulated GPF amount for the period of service rendered at Assam Engineering College, Jalukbari, Guwahati from 03.09.1987 to 01.03.2004 (16 years 05 months 28 days), Professor Kali Prasad Sarma, Department of Environmental Science is allowed to avail the benefit of combined service towards pensionary benefits at Tezpur University in accordance with the provisions of CCS (Pension) Rules 1972.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.21</b>	<b>Transfer of past service benefits of Shri Kul Prasad Upadhyay, Hindi Officer</b>
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to approval of the Board of Management and consequent upon receipt of the pensionary liabilities in full, from Central Hindi Training Institute, Department of Official Language, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, New Delhi in respect of the past service rendered by Shri Kul Prasad Upadhyay there during the period <b>10.02.1998 to 28.06.2012 (AN)</b>, approval has been accorded for combination of the aforesaid past service of Shri Upadhyay with his present service at Tezpur University for the purpose of retirement benefits in this University in accordance with the provisions of CCS (Pension) Rules 1972.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B. 84/2017/4/3.22</b>	<b>Permission to Professor Ashok Kumar, Department of Physics to visit Sweden</b>
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Professor Ashok Kumar, Department of Physics is allowed to attend the Baltic Conference Series organized by the International Association of Advanced Materials (IAAM) and VBRI Press at Stockholm, Sweden during 08-11 October, 2017 <b>with a financial assistance of Rs. 60,000/- from the University.</b></p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B.84/2017/4/3.23</b>	<b>Permission to Professor Ashis K. Mukherjee, Department of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology to visit China</b>
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Prof. Ashis K. Mukherjee, Department of <b>Molecular Biology and Biotechnology</b> is allowed to attend the 19<sup>th</sup> World Congress of the International Society of Toxinology and the 11<sup>th</sup> Asia Pacific Conference of the International Society of Toxinology at Haikou, China during 24-31 October, 2017 <b>with a financial assistance of Rs. 45,000/- from the University.</b></p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>





<b>B.84/2017/4/3.24</b>	<b>Permission to Professor Pritam Deb, Department of Physics to visit USA</b>
<b>Note</b>	Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, <b>Professor Pritam Deb</b> , Department of Physics is allowed to visit Rice University, USA during 28.10.2017 to 13.11.2017 for availing APS-IUSSTF Professorship Award in Physics.  Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B.84/2017/4/3.25</b>	<b>Permission to Dr. Dhiren Kumar Basnet, Associate Professor, Department of Mathematical sciences to visit Japan</b>
<b>Note</b>	Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, <b>Dr. Dhiren Kumar Basnet</b> , Associate Professor, Department of Mathematical Sciences is <b>allowed</b> to attend the '50 <sup>th</sup> Symposium on Ring Theory and Representation Theory 2017' organised by the Department of Mathematics, Tokyo University of Science, Tokyo, Japan during 7-10 October, 2017 at University of Yamanashi, Kofu Campus, <b>with a financial assistance of Rs. 50,000/- (Fifty thousand) from the University.</b>  Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B.84/2017/4/3.26</b>	<b>Permission to Dr. Shuvam Sen, Associate Professor, Department of Mathematical Sciences to visit Taiwan</b>
<b>Note</b>	Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Dr. Shuvam Sen, Associate Professor, Department of Mathematical Sciences is allowed to visit the Centre for Advanced Study in Theoretical Sciences (CASTS), National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan during 22 June-22 July, 2017 for research and study in Mathematics on being invited by Prof. Tony Wen Hann Sheu of CASTS, NTU, Taipei.  Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B.84/2017/4/3.27</b>	<b>Permission to Dr. Pabitra Nath, Associate Professor, Department of Physics to visit USA</b>
<b>Note</b>	Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Dr. Pabitra Nath, Associate Professor, Dept. of Physics is allowed to attend the 8 <sup>th</sup> International Conference and Exhibition on Lasers, Optics and Photonics at Las Vegas, USA during 15-17 November, 2017 <b>with a financial assistance of Rs. 40,000/- from the University.</b>  Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B.84/2017/4/3.28</b>	<b>Permission to Dr. Ng. K. Francis, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics to visit Russia</b>
<b>Note</b>	Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Dr. Ng. K. Francis, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics is allowed to attend the XXXI International Workshop on High Energy Physics at Protvino, Russia during 05-07 July, 2017 <b>with a financial assistance of Rs.50,000/- from the University.</b>  Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>



<b>B.84/2017/4/3.29</b>  <b>Note</b>	<p><b>Permission to Dr. Sanjib Sahoo, Assistant Professor, Department of English and Foreign Languages to visit Bhutan</b></p> <p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Dr. Sanjib Sahoo, Assistant Professor, Department of English and Foreign Languages and attached to Centre for Open and Distance Learning (CODL) to attend "The Historical Reminiscences of the Erstwhile Kingdom of Tai Ahoms of Assam in relation to Bhutan and the Himalayan Region" organized by the Nehru-Wangchuck Cultural Centre, Embassy of India, Thimphu, Bhutan on 26 May, 2017.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b>Ratified.</b>
<b>B.84/2017/4/3.30</b>  <b>Note</b>	<p><b>Permission to Dr. Rajesh Kalarivayil, Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work to visit Singapore</b></p> <p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, <b>Dr. Rajesh Kalarivayil, Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work</b> to attend the international conference "The Politics of Distribution : Migrant Labour, Development and Religious Aid in India" organized by the National University of Singapore at Singapore during 16-17 November, 2017 <b>without any financial assistance from the University.</b></p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b>Ratified.</b>
<b>B.84/2017/4/3.31</b>  <b>Note</b>	<p><b>Permission to Shri Kul Prasad Upadhyay, Hindi officer to visit USA</b></p> <p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Shri Kul Prasad Upadhyay, Hindi Officer, General Administration is allowed to visit Fargo, USA during the period 04.07.2017 to 27.07.2017 on a private visit.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b>Ratified.</b>
<b>B.84/2017/4/3.32</b>  <b>Note</b>	<p><b>Permission to Dr. Upakul Sarmah, Assistant Registrar to visit Bangkok</b></p> <p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, Dr. Upakul Sarmah, Assistant Registrar, General Administration is allowed to visit Bangkok, Thailand during the period 26.08.2017 to 03.09.2017 on a private visit.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b>Ratified.</b>
<b>B.84/2017/4/3.33</b>  <b>Note</b>	<p><b>Sabbatical Leave granted to Professor Debendra Ch. Baruah, Department of Energy</b></p> <p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, the Sabbatical Leave for the period from 01.08.2017 to 31.10.2017 is granted to Prof. Debendra Ch. Baruah, Department of Energy for availing Visiting Researcher Support Programme at University of South Africa, South Africa.</p>



	<p>He will be required to submit report of progress in his research work on completion of the Sabbatical leave.</p> <p>During the period of his Sabbatical Leave, he will draw full pay and allowances, subject to fulfillment of the prescribed conditions. During the period of Sabbatical leave, he will be allowed to draw the annual increments on the due date.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B.84/2017/4/3.34</b>	<b>Sabbatical Leave granted to Professor Raza Rafiqul Hoque, Department of Environmental Science</b>
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, the Sabbatical Leave for the period from 29.07.2017 to 04.05.2018 is granted to Prof. Raza Rafiqul Hoque, Department of Environmental Science for availing the Fulbright-Nehru Academic Excellence Fellowship, 2017 at University of ROCHESTER, NY, USA.</p> <p>He will be required to submit report of progress in his research work on completion of the Sabbatical leave.</p> <p>During the period of his Sabbatical Leave, he will draw full pay and allowances, subject to fulfillment of the prescribed conditions. During the period of Sabbatical leave, he will be allowed to draw the annual increments on the due date.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B.84/2017/4/3.35</b>	<b>Study leave granted to Dr. Kusum Kumar Bania, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemical Sciences</b>
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, and in partial modification of the Office Order No.F.02-445/I(E)/75-A dated 10.04.2017. Dr. Kusum Kumar Bania, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemical Sciences has been allowed to rescheduled of Study Leave from 18.06.2017 to 31.01.2018 instead of from 01.06.2017 to 31.01.2018. The other terms and conditions of the earlier order remain unchanged.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>
<b>B.84/2017/4/3.36</b>	<b>Study leave granted to Dr. Ishan Kalita, Assistant Professor, Department of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology</b>
<b>Note</b>	<p>Study leave granted to Dr. Ishan Kalita, Assistant Professor, Department of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology from 06.06.2016 to 05.06.2017 vide office order No. F.02-395/I(E)/775-A, dated 02.06.2016 has been modified from 06.06.2016 to 24.05.2017. Accordingly, Dr. Kalita has resumed his duties on 25.05.2017. The other conditions remain unchanged.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified.</i></b>



<b>B.84/2017/4/3.37</b>	<b>Constitution of Committee for proposing amendments to existing Statutes/Ordinances</b>
<b>Note</b>	<p>Subject to ratification by the Board of Management, a Standing Committee has been constituted with the following members to propose amendments to existing Statutes/Ordinances of the University or to create new Statute/ordinance.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Dean, Academic Affairs, Chairperson</li> <li>2. All Deans of Schools, Members</li> <li>3. Registrar, Member</li> <li>4. Hindi Officer/Assistant Registrar (GA), Convener</li> </ol> <p>The Committee is allowed to invite any member of the University as Special Invitee in its meetings.</p> <p>Placed before the Board for consideration of ratification.</p>
<b>Decision</b>	<b><i>Ratified with incorporation of Pro Vice-Chancellor as alternative Chairperson of the Committee along with the Dean, Academic Affairs.</i></b>

**AoB (B.84/2017/4/4)**

<b>B.84/2017/4/4.1</b>	<b><i>This item has been clubbed with the item No. B.84/2017/4/2.1</i></b>
<b>B.84/2017/4/4.2</b>	<b>Reference to the incident on the night of TechXetra 2017 Closing Ceremony</b>
<b>Note and Discussion</b>	<p>After the discussion on the agenda items, the Chairperson asked the Registrar to apprise the members of the Board of the incident that took place at the main gate area of the University on the late night of the concluding day of TechXetra, 2017 (early hours of 06.11.2017). The Registrar briefed the members that he got a call from the Security Officer of the University at around 12 midnight on 5<sup>th</sup> November, 2017 about an incident of a Home Guard misbehaving with female student of the University near Health Centre Hostel (Transit Hostel-II). By the time, the Registrar also received a call on the same matter from Dean Students' Welfare (DSW). The Registrar rushed to the main gate and discussed with DSW and the Security Officer. He also discussed with the few students present at the gate including Shri Subham Pandey, ex-President TUSC, Shri Ramanand Jatab, Ex General Secretary, TUSC, Shri Harish Jangid present President TUSC, Sri Debraj Mahanta, a friend of the victim girl.</p>



By this time the Registrar received a written complaint from Shri Harish Jangid, Shri Dipankar Baruah, Shri Kabir P. Deka and Sri Debraj Mahanta. After discussion, the Registrar ordered the Security Officer to call police and handover the accused Home Guard (already identified as one Mr. Bhadiya Das). The Security Officer immediately called Police from local police outpost and accompanied them to Home Guard barrack to pick up the accused. While the police van was moving towards the main gate with the accused, some students led by Shri Shubham Pandey, Shri Debraj Mahanta, Shri Sandip Gogoi stopped the vehicle about 20 meters inside from the gate demanding immediate action on the accused.

The Registrar along with DSW informed the students that police would take action as per law. However, students declined to release the vehicle and gheraoed it confining the police force along with the accused inside it. By this time, more students gathered on a rumour that a girl student had been raped by a Home Guard and she was admitted to civil hospital. All attempts to defuse the situation and to release the vehicle went in vain. The Registrar informed the Vice Chancellor, the Deputy Commissioner (DC), Sonitpur and the Superintendent of Police (SP), Sonitpur about the situation

The Vice Chancellor arrived at the sight at around 01.45 a.m. (06.11.2017) and tried to convince the students to release the vehicle. But the students were adamant. In the meantime, two Magistrates along with an Additional SP from district administration reached the site. The in-charge Magistrate assured the agitating students that the district administration would take necessary action as per the provision of law against the accused. On demand from the students he even issued a written assurance to this effect and requested the students to release the vehicle. It was surprising that the students were out of control of their leaders (TUSC). These students demanded rubber stamp impression on the written assurance given by the Magistrate. The behaviour of students was unbecoming of a student of Tezpur University. They used abusive words against the University administration, Police and Civil administration. This disturbing situation continued till 06.00 o'clock in the morning. After 6.00 o'clock only, the students agreed to release the vehicle on condition that the accused must confess in front of the gate about his offence. This was agreed to by the police authority. The accused was brought out of the vehicle





<p><b>Decision</b></p>	<p>to the gate where he gave his statement about the incident. After this, the students allowed the accused and the police personnel to exit from the campus.</p> <p>The members expressed their concern at the incident and requested the University administration to be strict in handling such situations.</p> <p>The <b>Board</b> resolved that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Henceforth, TechXetra should be organized with only technical events during working hours (9.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m.)</li> <li>ii. No events of cultural and sports be included in TechXetra programme.</li> <li>iii. Events should ideally be organized without collecting money from outside.</li> </ul> <p>The members of the Board advised that the University administration should organize discussion with TUSC members and other student representatives to appreciate their grievances, if any. For this, the members advised to take the help of Ms. Gita Upadhyay, Hon'ble member of the Board of Management and other senior faculty members of the University. The members also advised the administration to coordinate with the Deans, the Heads of the Departments and the Wardens of the Hostels to prevent spreading of rumours which might incite the students.</p> <p>The Chairperson directed the Registrar to note the points.</p>
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The meeting ended with vote of thanks to and from the Chair.

  
**Vice Chancellor**  
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**Chairperson, Board of Management**  
**Tezpur University**

  
**Registrar**  
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**Secretary Board of Management**  
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