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NOTIFICATION

The 18th April 1984

No.LGL.27/84/37.—The following Act of the Assam Legislative Assembly which received the assent of the Governor is hereby published for general information.

ASSAM ACT NO. XIII OF 1984

(Received the assent of the Governor on 16th April, 1984)

THE ASSAM AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY
(AMENDMENT) ACT, 1984

An
Act

to amend the Assam Agricultural University Act,
1968 (Assam Act XXIV of 1968).

Preamble.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Assam Agricultural University Act, 1968, hereinafter called the principal Act, in the manner hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted in the Thirty-fifth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

Short title and commencement.

1. (i) This Act may be called the Assam Agricultural University (Amendment) Act, 1984.

(ii) It shall come into force at once.

Amendment of section 6 of Assam Act XXIV of 1968.

2. In the principal Act, in section 6, for sub-section (2), the following shall be substituted, namely:—

“(2) Subject to the above provisions the State Government may direct that the University shall reserve seats in the Colleges for any other category of students in addition to the scheduled castes and scheduled tribes of the State or candidates from other States in India.”

Amendment of section 9 of Assam Act XXIV of 1968.

3. In the principal Act, in section 9, after sub-section (3), new sub-sections (4) and (5) shall be inserted and the existing sub-section (4) shall be renumbered as sub-section (6), namely:—

“(4) Research Advisory Committee ;

(5) Extension Education Advisory Committee ;”

(6) Such other bodies of the University as may be declared by the statutes to be the authorities of the University.”

Amendment
of section
10 of Assam
Act XXIV
of 1968.

4. In the principal Act, in section 10, in sub-section (2), -

(a) for clause (b), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(b) Three Secretaries to the Government of Assam in the Departments to be decided by the State Government”.

(b) the clauses (h), (i) and (j) shall be substituted, namely :—

“(h) One representative of teachers to be selected by rotation from various faculties by the representatives of teachers ;

(i) Pro-Vice-Chancellor/or the Seniorsmost from amongst the Deans/Directors ;

(j) A representatives of Indian Council of Agricultural Research”.

(c) For sub-section(4), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(4) The terms of office of teachers and other non-official members shall be for a period of two years and three years respectively and the membership of the M.L.As shall be coterminus with the tenure of the Legislative Assembly to which they are elected.”

Amendment
of section
12 of Assam
Act XXIV
of 1968.

5. In the principal Act, in section 12, in sub-section (2) for clause (j), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(j) The Director of Post-Graduate studies, and”

Amendment
of section 13
of Assam
Act XXIV
of 1968.

6. In the principal Act, after section 13, the following new sections shall be inserted, namely :—

“ 13 A (1) The Research Advisory Committee shall consist of the Vice-Chancellor as Chairman, the Director of Research as member-Secretary, the Pro-Vice-Chancellor, the Deans of Colleges, Director of Post-Graduate studies, Associate Directors of Research and Extension, the Director of Extension, the Director of Agriculture, the Director of Fisheries, Chief Conservator of Forests, Chief Engineer of Irrigation and the Director of Veterinary and Animal Husbandry as members. The Vice-Chancellor may co-opt any other members to secure adequate representations of different fields of Agriculture.

(2) Powers, functions and duties of Research Advisory Committee shall be to advise the Vice-Chancellor regarding :—

- (a) allocation of fund for Research ;
- (b) conditions for accepting grants ;
and
- (c) other matters affecting the research programme of the University.

13 B (1) Extension Education Advisory Committee shall consist of the Vice-Chancellor as Chairman, Director of Extension Educations as Member Secretary, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, the Deans of the Colleges, the Director of Research, Director of Agriculture, Director of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary, Director of Panchayat and C.D., Director of Public Instruction as other members.

(2) Powers, functions and duties of Extension Education Advisory Committee shall be to advise the Vice-Chancellor regarding :-

(a) the co-ordination of University Extension Education Programme with the State National Programme;

(b) the allocation of funds for Extension Education works; and

(c) ways and means of increasing the effectiveness of University's Extension Education Programme".

Amendment of section 14 of Assam Act XXIV of 1968. 7. In the principal Act, in section 14, for sub-section (6), the following shall be substituted, namely :-

"(6) Each Department shall have a Head whose appointment, powers and duties shall be as prescribed and who shall be responsible to the Dean for the proper organisation and working of the Department. He shall be responsible to the Directors of Research and Extension respectively for Research and Extension programme and Director of Post-Graduate studies for Post-Graduate Programmes entrusted to his Department".

Amendment
of section
17 of Assam
Act XXIV
of 1968.

8. In the principal Act, for section 17, the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“17. The following shall be the Officers of the University, namely :—

1. The Chancellor,
2. The Vice-Chancellor,
3. The Pro-Vice-Chancellor,
4. The Registrar,
5. The Comptroller,
6. The Director of Physical Plant,
7. The Director of Student Welfare,
8. The Deans of Faculties,
9. The Director of the College of Basic Sciences and Humanities,
10. The Director of Research,
11. The Director of Extension,
12. The Director of Post-Graduate Studies,
13. Librarian, and
14. Such other persons in the service of the University as may be declared by the statutes to be officers of the University.”

Amendment
of section
19 of Assam
Act XXIV
of 1968.

9. In the principal Act, in section 19—(a) for sub-section (1), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(1) The Vice-Chancellor shall be a whole-time officer of the University. The first Vice-Chancellor after the commencement of this Act shall be appointed by the Chancellor for a period not exceeding five years and on such terms and conditions as the Chancellor may determine. Subsequent Vice-Chancellor shall be appointed by the Chancellor from a panel of at least 3 names to be submitted by a Selection Committee consisting of :—

(a) The Director General of Indian Council of Agricultural Research-Chairman.

(b) One eminent Agricultural Scientist or Educationist nominated by the Board-Member.

(c) A nominee by the State Government-Member;”

(b) For sub-section (5), the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(5) In the temporary absence of the Vice-Chancellor, the Pro-Vice-Chancellor, or in his absence, the Senior most Officer amongst the Deans of Faculties and/or the Director of Post-Graduate Studies/ Research/ Extension/ Education shall temporarily carry on the duties of the office of the Vice-Chancellor. Where the post of the Vice-Chancellor falls permanently vacant either by resignation or otherwise, the vacancy shall be filled by the Chancellor in accordance with the provision of sub-section (1) of this section and the Vice-Chancellor so appointed shall hold office for full term of five years.”

Amendment
of section
21 of Assam
Act XXIV
of 1968.

10. In the principal Act, in section 21, after sub-section (2), the following shall be inserted as sub-section (3), namely :-

“(3) If in the opinion of the Vice-Chancellor, it should be necessary in the discharge of the duties as the Vice-Chancellor, the

Vice-Chancellor may recommend to the Board and the Board may approve the appointment of Pro-Vice-Chancellor. The Pro-Vice-Chancellor when appointed shall have such duties, and such delegated powers, and functions as may be prescribed for assisting the Vice-Chancellor to discharge his functions in relation to the academic, administrative or other duties of his office”.

MD. SAADULLAH,
Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,
Legislative Department.