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NOTIFICATION

The 29th April 1972

**No.LJL.426/71/6.**—The following Acts of the Assam Legislative Assembly which received the assent of the Governor are hereby published for general information.

ASSAM ACT XIII OF 1972

(Received the assent of the Governor on the 28th April, 1972)

THE GAUHATI UNIVERSITY (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1972

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An

Act

further to amend the Gauhati University Act, 1947

Preamble Whereas it is expedient further to amend the Gauhati University Act, 1947, hereinafter called the Assam Act principal Act, in the manner hereinafter appearing; XVI of 1947.



It is hereby enacted in the Twenty-third year of the Republic of India as follows :—

Short title  
and com-  
mencement.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Gauhati University (Amendment) Act, 1972.

(2) It shall come into force atonce.

Amendment  
of Section 9  
of Assam Act  
XVI of 1947.

2. In Section 9 of the principal Act,—

(1) in sub-section (1),

(i) the word “and” occurring at the end of clause (xxvi) shall be deleted.

(ii) after clause (xxvi), the following shall be inserted as clause (xxvii), namely:—

“(xxvii) (a)—three representatives to be elected by the Post-Graduate Students of the University from amongst themselves :

Provided that a student to be so elected must have been a student of the University for at least one year prior to his election :

Provided further that no student who has taken more than one year in excess of the period prescribed for the course of which he is a student would be eligible for such election.

(b) one representative to be elected by the Law students of the University from amongst themselves :

Provided that a student to be so elected must have been a student of the University for at least one year prior to his election :

Provided further that no student who has taken more than one year in excess of the period prescribed for the course of which he is a student would be eligible for such election.



(c) two Post-Graduate Students to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor. A student who has demonstrated his academic merit and proficiency in extra-curricular and co-curricular activities shall be preferred.

(iii) clause (xxvii) shall be renumbered as clause (xxviii).

(2) in sub-section (2), in the proviso, the punctuation fullstop (.) shall be substituted by the punctuation semi-colon (;) and the following shall be inserted as second proviso thereafter, namely:—

“Provided further that any member elected or nominated under clause (xxvii) of sub-section (1) shall hold office for a period of one year only from the date of his election or nomination, as the case may be. He shall cease to be a member of the Court on his ceasing to be a student of the University.”

(3) after sub-section (3), the following shall be inserted as sub-section (4), namely:—

“(4) with the approval of the Court, the Vice-Chancellor may remove a member, elected under sub-clauses (a) and (b) of clause (xxvii) of sub-section (1), if he does not fulfill the conditions laid down in the proviso therein.”

Repeal and saving.

3. (1) The Gauhati University (Amendment) Ordinance, 1972 is hereby repealed.

Assam Ordinance I of 1972.

(2) Notwithstanding such repeal, anything done or any action taken under the Ordinance as repealed shall be deemed to have been done or taken under this Act as if this Act has commenced on the twelfth day of January, 1972 (date of promulgation of the Ordinance).