

**NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY KARNATAKA, SURATHKAL**  
**25<sup>th</sup> SENATE MEETING**

**Date: 30.10.2010      Time: 11 .00 a.m.      Venue: ATB Seminar Hall**  
**N.I.T.K., SURATHKAL.**

**MINUTES**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Dr. Sandeep Sancheti	.....	Chairman
Dr. P.V. Bhandary	.....	Member
Sri Narendran Koduvattat	.....	Member
Dr. D.V.R. Murthy	.....	Member
Dr. G. Srinikethan	.....	Member
Dr. G. Umesh	.....	Member
Dr. N. Lakshman	.....	Member
Dr. M.C. Narasimhan	.....	Member
Dr. R. Shivashankar	.....	Member
Dr. A.U. Ravi Shankar	.....	Member
Dr. K. Swaminathan	.....	Member
Dr. M.B. Saidutta	.....	Member
Dr. A. Nityananda Shetty	.....	Member
Dr. A.V. Adhikari	.....	Member
Dr. K. Chandrashekar Shet	.....	Member
Dr. Santhi Tilagam	.....	Member
Dr. K. Panduranga Vittal	.....	Member
Dr. S. Sumam David	.....	Member
Dr. M. Muralidhar Kulkarni	.....	Member
Dr. M.S. Bhat	.....	Member
Dr. A.H. Sequeira	.....	Member
Dr. Ananthanarayana V.S.	.....	Member
Dr. G. Ram Mohana Reddy	.....	Member
Dr. K. P. Halemane	.....	Member
Dr. A. Kandasamy	.....	Member
Dr. S. M. Hegde	.....	Member
Dr. K.K. Appu Kuttan	.....	Member
Dr. P. Mohanan	.....	Member
Dr. G.C. Mohan Kumar	.....	Member
Dr. H. Suresh Hebbar	.....	Member
Dr. P. Prasad Rao	.....	Member
Dr. K. L. Bhat	.....	Member
Dr. A.O. Surendranathan	.....	Member

Dr. Harsha Vardhan	.....	Member
Dr. Kasturi V. Bangera	.....	Member
Sri P.G. Mohanan	.....	Member
Dr. Puroshotham Gowda	.....	Member
Dr. Jagannath Nayak	.....	Spl. Invitee
Dr. M. Govinda Raj	.....	Secretary
Mohana T. Rajan	.....	Student representative
Rashma R.S.V.	.....	Student representative

**MEMBERS ABSENT:**

Prof. S. Srinivas Murthy	.....	Member
Prof. D. K. Subramanian	.....	Member
Dr. P.C.M. Kunhi	.....	Member
Sri. Shrikumar Suryanarayanan	.....	Member
Sri. Sham Sadashiv Wagh	.....	Member
Dr. P.P. Chikate	.....	Member
Dr. G. K. Shivakumar	.....	Member
Dr. K.N. Lokesh	.....	Member
Dr. A. Vittal Hegde	.....	Member
Dr. S. G. Mayya	.....	Member
Dr. M.K. Nagaraj	.....	Member
Dr. Subba Rao	.....	Member
Dr. D. Venkat Reddy	.....	Member
Dr. Varghese George	.....	Member
Dr. H.S. Yajnanarayana Shastry	.....	Member
Dr. Udayakumar R.Y.	.....	Member
Dr. K.B. Kiran	.....	Member
Dr. Robert John D'Souza	.....	Member
Dr. T. P. Ashok Babu	.....	Member
Dr. Prasad Krishna	.....	Member
Dr. K. Rajendra Udupa	.....	Member
Dr. K. Narayana Prabhu	.....	Member
Dr. V. Rama Sastry	.....	Member
Dr. Ch. S.N. Murthy	.....	Member

**Preamble :**

The Chairman welcomed the members to the Silver Jubilee Senate meeting. He mentioned about the sad demise of Prof. Durai Kannu who was a Senator and former BOG member of the Institute and placed on record the appreciation of his services to the Institute. The services and contributions of the senators Prof.K. Srinivasan, who opted for voluntary retirement and Prof. A. Mahesha who completed his tenure and was relieved of his duties as Associate Dean (PG&R) were also appreciated and placed on record.

The Chairman welcomed the new member Dr. Jagannath Nayak who has taken charge as Associate Dean (PG & Research) and the two new student members to the Senate. The Chairman informed the members about the success of Golden Jubilee Celebrations and release of strategic plan of the Institute. He also informed that NIT Goa, being mentored by NITK Surathkal, has started its academic activities from July 2010. DASA admissions for 2010-11 were coordinated by NITK Surathkal and completed the admission process successfully. The notification for DASA 2011-12 was recently launched with modifications such as a requirement of minimum SAT score of 1800, revised fee of US\$ 7000 per annum etc. It is also proposed to offer PG admission (M. Tech, MBA) from the academic year 2011-12 under DASA. An inter NIT Committee has been constituted to suggest the detailed eligibility criteria, fee structure and other requirements for M. Tech and MBA programmes under DASA. The members were informed that this year the M. Tech admissions were carried out by centralized online process coordinated by NIT, Trichy and were completed successfully.



**A. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF 24<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF THE SENATE HELD ON MAY 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2010.**

The Senate resolved to confirm the minutes of the 24<sup>th</sup> Senate Meeting.

**B. REVIEW OF ACTION TAKEN ON MINUTES OF 24<sup>TH</sup> SENATE MEETING HELD ON MAY 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2010.**

The action taken on the minutes of 24<sup>th</sup> Senate meeting were reviewed.

**C. ITEMS PLACED BEFORE THE 25<sup>TH</sup> SENATE MEETING HELD ON OCTOBER 30<sup>TH</sup>, 2010.**

**Discussion and Decision Items:**

Item No.25-Senate-C1: Minutes of 18<sup>th</sup> meeting of the board of Studies held on 22.10.2010 at N.I.T.K., Surathkal

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ITEM NO: 18-BOS- 1:

Inclusion of three new Self study courses of 900 series for Ph. D students – Computer Science and Engineering:

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The members felt that contents of the courses proposed are of introductory in nature and hence recommended that these courses can be introduced as first level courses in PG Programme and contents have to be improved if they have to be offered at Ph D level. The HOD, Computer Science and Engineering department was informed to make necessary modifications so as to recommend to Senate for approval.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The Senate approved the recommendation of BOS for introduction of 900 level courses proposed by the Department of Computer Science and Engineering.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-2:

Proposed 900 – Level Courses with suggested syllabus and suggested Resource Materials – Department of Mathematical and Computational Sciences:

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The BOS resolved to recommend to the Senate for approval the courses and the course contents proposed by the Department of Mathematical and Computational Sciences. The members suggested that, the Department can also propose the courses of introductory in nature so as to be offered at PG level.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The Senate approved the recommendation of BOS for introduction of 900 level courses proposed by the Department of Mathematical and Computational Sciences.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-3:

To change the minimum credits to be earned in the case of Open Elective (OE) from 13 to 12 – Metallurgical and Materials Engineering:

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The BOS resolved to recommend to the Senate for approval of the change in the minimum credits for open elective (OE) from 13 to 12 as proposed by the Department of Metallurgical and Material Engineering.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The Senate resolved to approve the recommendation of BOS in connection with the proposal from Dept. of Metallurgical & Material Engg. to reduce the minimum credits to be earned in the case of Open Elective (OE) from 13 to 12 and consequently total credits to be earned to obtain the degree is now reduced to 191.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-4:

To consider project grade for the calculation of CGPA in the case of M. Tech Degree.– Metallurgical and Materials Engineering:

**Resolution of the BOS**

*After lengthy discussion BOS resolved not to consider the project grades for the calculation of CGPA in the case of M. Tech degree.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The Senate noted the resolution of BOS to not to consider the project work grades for the calculation of CGPA in the case of M. Tech courses.**



ITEM NO. 18 BOS-5:

Modification of qualification for eligibility for M. Tech (Process Metallurgy) – Metallurgical and Materials Engineering.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The BOS resolved to recommend to Senate for approval of the suggested modifications in the eligibility for M. Tech Process Metallurgy.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The Senate resolved to approve the recommendation of BOS with regard to the modifications in the qualification for M.Tech Process Metallurgy.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-6:

Modification of qualification for eligibility for M. Tech (Materials Engg) – Metallurgical and Materials Engineering:

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The BOS resolved to recommend to Senate for approval of the suggested modifications in the eligibility for M. Tech Materials Engineering.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The Senate resolved to approve the recommendation of BOS with regard to the modifications in the qualification for M.Tech Materials Engineering.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-7:

To remove M.Sc Physics (Solid State) as qualifying examination for M.Tech (Materials Engg) – Metallurgical and Materials Engineering:

**Resolution of the BOS**

*After detailed discussion the BOS resolved to retain M. Sc. Physics (Solid State) as qualifying examination for eligibility in M.Tech in the case of Materials Engineering.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**Senate noted the resolution of BOS to retain M. Sc Physics (Solid State) as the qualifying degree for M.Tech. Materials Engineering.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-8:

Change of research guide or inclusion of Co-guide for guiding the research work of Ph. D student in the Civil Engineering Department.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The candidate Ms. Srujana Nandam will be carrying out some experimental investigations with certain facility available at CPRI, Bangalore. The BOS resolved to approve the proposal to include Dr. Ramesh Babu, Additional Director, and CPRI as a research co-guide for Ms. Surujana Nandam.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The Senate noted the resolution of the BOS to include Dr. Ramesh Babu, Additional Director CPRI as Co-Guide to Ms Surujana Nandam.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-9:

M. Tech (Communication Engg)- enhancement of student intake from 2011 Admissions - Electronics & Communication Engg.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The HOD Electronics & Communication Engineering department has proposed to increase the number of students for M. Tech Communication Engineering Programme, since many staff members have the communication background. The BOS resolved to recommend to the Senate that, the proposal to increase the number of seats from 15 to 27(GM-13, OBC-7, SC-4, ST-2, Sponsored-1) be accepted.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**Senate resolved to accept the proposal by the HOD of E&C Engg. to increase the student intake for M.Tech Communication Engg. program from 15 to 27 subject to the approval of Board of Governors.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-10:

Curriculum & syllabi for the new M.Tech programme in Mechanical Design & Precision Engineering – Mechanical Engg.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The members discussed the details regarding a proposal from Mechanical Engineering department to start M. Tech programme in Mechanical Design & Precision Engineering. Some members felt that instead of starting new program, they can offer courses relevant to this area in the existing PG Programme in the department. In addition the justifications for expertise available in the Department, qualification required, eligibility for this programme was not presented. After detailed discussion BOS resolved that the Head of the department of Mechanical Engineering can have a relook in to the proposal & forward the recommendations to Dean Office to be placed in the Senate for discussion.*



**Resolution of the Senate**

The Senate resolved that a course on Mechanical Design & Precision Engineering be given priority and suggested that the courses and course contents to be finalized after consultation with the subject experts. The Senate resolved that the detailed course contents be brought to the next Senate meeting.

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-11:

Curriculum & syllabi for the new M.Tech programme in Green Energy Engineering. - Mechanical Engg.

**Resolution of the BOS**

The members discussed the details regarding a proposal from Mechanical Engineering department to start M. Tech programme in Green Energy Engineering. Some members felt that instead of starting new program, they can offer courses relevant to this area in the existing PG Programme in the department. In addition the justifications for expertise available in the Department, qualification required, eligibility for this programme was not presented. After detailed discussion BOS resolved that the Head of the department of Mechanical Engineering can have a relook in to the proposal & forward the recommendations to Dean Office to be placed in the Senate for discussion.

**Resolution of the Senate**

The Senate resolved that a course on Green Energy Engineering be given priority and suggested that the courses and course contents be finalized after consultation with the subject experts. The Senate resolved that the detailed course contents be brought to the next Senate meeting.

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-12:

Restructuring the existing curriculum & syllabi of M.Tech Programme in Thermal Engineering - Mechanical Engg.

**Resolution of the BOS**

The Department of Mechanical Engineering has proposed changes in the list of courses & course contents for the existing PG Program in Thermal Engineering. After detailed discussion the Head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering was informed to obtain the comments from experts and submit the recommendations to Dean Office so as to place the subject in the next Senate meeting.

**Resolution of the Senate**

The Senate resolved that for all the existing M. Tech programmes, of Mechanical Engineering department changes have to be suggested with justifications along with recommendation from the subject experts. It was resolved that the Head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering may resubmit the proposal for consideration in the next BOS /Senate.





ITEM NO. 18 BOS-13:

Restructuring the existing curriculum & syllabi of M.Tech Programme in Manufacturing Engineering - Mechanical Engg:

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The Department of Mechanical Engineering has proposed changes in the list of courses & course contents for the existing PG Program in Manufacturing Engineering. After detailed discussion the Head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering was informed to obtain the comments from experts and submit the recommendations to Dean Office so as to place the subject in the next Senate meeting.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The Senate resolved that for all the existing M. Tech programmes, of Mechanical Engineering department changes have to be suggested with justifications along with recommendation from the subject experts. It was resolved that the Head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering may resubmit the proposal for consideration in the next BOS /Senate.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-14:

Restructuring the existing curriculum & syllabi of M.Tech Programme in Mechatronics Engineering – Mechanical Engg.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The Department of Mechanical Engineering has proposed changes in the list of courses & course contents for the existing PG Program in Mechatronics Engineering. After detailed discussion the Head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering was informed to obtain the comments from experts and submit the recommendations to Dean Office so as to place the subject in the next Senate meeting.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The Senate resolved that for all the existing M. Tech programmes, of Mechanical Engineering department changes have to be suggested with justifications along with recommendation from the subject experts. It was resolved that the Head of the Department of Mechanical Engineering may resubmit the proposal for consideration in the next BOS /Senate.**



ITEM NO. 18 BOS-15:

Modification of eligibility criterion for admission to M. Tech programme in Mechatronics Engineering – Mechanical Engg.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The BOS resolved to recommend to the Senate for approval of the proposal to reserve 50% of seats in PG programme of Mechatronics for Mechanical Engineering graduates.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The senate resolved to permit branch wise reservations not exceeding 30% for a given discipline, in admissions for any interdisciplinary M.Tech course. Accordingly 30% of seats in M.Tech Mechatronics can be reserved for Mechanical Engineering and Electronics & Communication Engineering each, and the remaining 40% be open for any other discipline as per eligibility.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-16:

Modification of the syllabus of the existing course ME 204 Basic Manufacturing processes with credits (3-1-0)4 offered in the third semester of B. Tech programme in Mechanical Engineering.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The BOS resolved to recommend to the Senate for approval of the modifications suggested in the existing ME 204 course.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The senate resolved to approve the recommendations of BOS with regard to the modifications in the existing ME 204 course.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-17:

Short visit for B. Tech Mining Engineering students under professional Practice of the Curriculum – Mining Engg.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The BOS resolved to recommend to the Senate for approval of the proposal from the Department of Mining Engineering on short visit to Mining sites as part of the curriculum.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The senate resolved to approve in principle, the proposal by the HOD of Mining Engg. to include short visit to the Mining sites as a part of curriculum. It was suggested to collect relevant details regarding the visits and its financing pattern in other Institutes in India, and the matter shall be brought before the Senate in its next meeting.**



ITEM NO. 18 BOS-18:

Transfer of M. Tech (by Research) from DRPC to DPGC- Dean Office:

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The BOS resolved to recommend to Senate for approval that hence forth all matters pertaining to M. Tech (Research) programme will be handled by concerned DPGC.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**Senate resolved to approve the recommendation of BOS that henceforth all the matters pertaining to M.Tech (Research) program shall be handled by concerned DPGC.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-19:

Registration of Ph. D students every semester – Dean Office:

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The BOS resolved to recommend to Senate for approval of the proposal that all Ph. D research scholars will also undergo registration process every semester.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The senate resolved to approve the recommendations of BOS on the proposal that all Ph.D research scholars will also undergo registration process every semester.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-20:

Proposal for starting a new M. Tech programme on “Nanoscience & Nanotechnology” under TEQIP – Phase II – Coordinator, Centre for Materials Research.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The details of the new M. Tech programme on Nanoscience & Nanotechnology was presented. The members felt that the title can be changed as M. Tech Nanotechnology. The members also felt that the coordinator may be asked to consider introduction of Mathematical course and also discuss whether the course on Computational Material Science can be introduced as a core course with Laboratory Component. After detailed discussion the coordinator was requested to consider the suggestions, revise the course structure if required & submit the recommendations to Dean Office so as to place the subject in the Senate meeting.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**The senate resolved to give in principle approval for starting a course on Nanotechnology. It further suggested that the course and course contents requires some revision and the revised course structure may be brought to next Senate meeting for further consideration.**



ITEM NO. 18 BOS-21:

Modification of Eligibility Criteria for M. Tech CPD, IPC, and IB – Department of Chemical Engineering.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The BOS resolved to approve the proposal of Chemical Engineering department with respect to eligibility criteria of all the M. Tech Programme offered by Department. The members suggested that the HOD may consider to retain B. Tech Mining & Mechanical as a qualifying criteria for M.Tech Industrial Pollution Control. The HOD of the department is requested to submit the recommendations to Dean Office so as to place the subject in the Senate meeting.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**Senate resolved to approve the recommendations of BOS on the proposal of Chemical Engg. Dept. with respect to the eligibility criteria for all the M.Tech programmes offered by the Department. It was suggested to include the word “Equivalent” at the end of the specified qualifications, since some of the titles of B.Tech programmes offered in some Institutes are slightly different with the same course contents.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-22:

A Policy to be evolved regarding additional external guide to the fulltime Research students – Dr. R. J. D’Souza, professor, Department of MACS.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The members were informed that some requests have been made to Dean Office for inclusion of additional / co-guide with names of scientists who are working outside the Institute for full time research scholars of the Institute. The members felt that faculty members of the Institute generally should offer problems in the broad area of their expertise. The members felt if external help is taken their names may be added in publications. After detailed discussion the BOS resolved not to approve the names of any external guide working in other Institutes as additional / co-guide for full time Ph. D. research scholars.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**Senate resolved to approve the recommendation of BOS regarding the inclusion of additional guide for full time Institute research scholars.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-23:

Modification in the regulation regarding extension to Ph.D scholars.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*After detailed discussion the BOS resolved to approve the proposal to retain the resolution Senate item 22 B7 with regard to criteria for granting extension to Ph. D. research scholars.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**Senate noted the recommendations of BOS to retain the senate resolution 22 B7 with regard to criteria for granting extensions to Ph.D research scholars.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-24:

Transfer of Credits- Changes in Present Regulations.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*BOS resolved to approve the proposal for modifications in present regulations with respect of transfer of credit.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**Senate noted the recommendation of BOS on modifications in the present regulations with respect to transfer of credits.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-25:

Recognition of Research Guide.

**Resolution of the BOS**

*BOS resolved to approve Dr. Debashisha Jana, Assistant Professor, Department of Electrical & Electronics as research guide.*

**Resolution of the Senate**

**Senate noted the approval of BOS with respect to the recognition of Dr. Debashish Jena, Assistant Professor, Department of E&E as research guide.**

ITEM NO. 18 BOS-26:

Introduction of Integrated M.B.A, M. Tech & Ph. D. Programmes:

**Resolution of the BOS**

*The members discussed with regard to introduction of integrated programmes in the Institute. The members suggested generally integrated programmes are not preferred by the industry and students compared to regular programmes. The members wanted to have a feedback from Institutes offering such program & detailed proposal may be presented for consideration in the next meeting.*



**Resolution of the Senate**

Senate noted the recommendations of BOS with regard to the starting of integrated PG Programmes. It was suggested that feedback from the Institutes offering Integrated PG programs may be obtained and detailed proposal may be discussed in the next BOS meeting and then be brought before the next Senate.

**Discussion and Decision Items:**

Item No. 25-Senate-C2: Request of Mr. Akshay Srinivasan VII sem B. Tech –  
Chemical Engineering Department.

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**The Senate approved the request of Mr. Akshay Srinivasan, VIIth Semester, B. Tech Chemical Engineering department to undertake internship at the Weizmann Institute in Israel. The Senate also approved the relaxation of minimum credit requirements of 15 credits for the VIII semester as a special case.**

Item No. 25-Senate-C3: Request of Mr. Varun Kumar (08EC86) to change  
from Electronics and Communication to Mining  
Engineering.

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**The Senate resolved not to approve the request of Mr. Varun Kumar for Change of Branch since he was already terminated from B. Tech programme.**

Item No. 25-Senate-C4: Academic Calendar for Even semester.

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**The Senate resolved to approve the academic calendar proposed for even semester (December 2010 to May 2011) (Annexure I). The request of the students regarding the winter break was not approved.**

Item No. 25-Senate-C5: Inclusion of M. Tech & MBA under DASA Scheme.

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**The Senate resolved to accord an in principle approval for the inclusion of M. Tech and MBA programmes under DASA Scheme from the Academic year 2011-12.**

Item No. 25-Senate-C6: Conversion of CGPA to Equivalent Percentage.

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**The issue of conversion of CGPA was discussed. The practices followed in other Institutes in this respect were discussed with the members. After discussion, the Senate resolved to indicate the cut off CGPA limits for awarding equivalent first class as 6.5 and above and equivalent second class as 5.5 above, on a 10.00 point CGPA Scale.**

Item No. 25-Senate-C7: PG students having CGPA of less than 5.5

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**The Senate resolved to permit the M. Tech students having CGPA of less than 5.5 to register for extra courses to make up minimum requirements of CGPA for academic year 2010-11 only. However, from academic year 2011-12 onwards, a candidate will be permitted to take a maximum of two make up courses per semester, to get the required minimum CGPA of 5.5. Beyond the above permissible limit, if required, the course duration shall be extended by one semester.**

Item No. 25-Senate C8: Payment of fee for Ph. D. scholars.

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**The Senate resolved that all Ph. D candidates shall pay the regular fees till the date of submission of thesis. Subsequently, the candidate will be required to pay all other Institution fee except the tuition fee, till the date of Viva Voce examination.**

Item No. 25-Senate-C9: Request of the Research Scholar Mr. Virupaksha K (03221032A) Dept. of Civil Engineering for condoning the delay in the submission of thesis.

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**The Senate resolved to condone the delay of submission of Ph. D thesis of Mr. Virupaksha K , Department of Civil Engineering.**

Item No.25-Senate-C10: Request of the research scholar Ms. Sridevi (R. No. CH04F1) Department of Chemical Engineering for submission of the synopsis.

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**The Senate authorized the Chairman to constitute a Committee to consider the request of this candidate and recommend an Institute Policy on all such cases of Research Scholars.**

Item No.25-Senate-C11: Request for Ph. D Extensions.

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**The Senate resolved to grant extension of Ph. D. registration for the following candidates who have requested extension of one more year.**

Sl. No.	Name	Reg. No. & Dept.
1.	Mr. Annappa, Faculty, NITK,	03221040A, CS: Aug.11, 2003
2.	Mr. Srinath Shetty K,	03221000, Civil: Aug 08, 2003
3.	Mr. Manjunath Sharman K, Faculty, NITK,	03221015A, E & E: Aug.11, 2003
4.	Mr. Neelavara Shekar V Shet, Faculty, NITK	03221042A, E & C: Aug 7, 2003
5.	Mr. Jora M. Gonda, Faculty, NITK	03221020A, E & C: Aug.11, 2003
6.	Mr. Ramesh Kini, Faculty, NITK	03221021A, E & C: Aug. 8, 2003
7.	Mr. Panduranga Rao, MV	03221068A Computer, Oct.3, 2003

**Ratification Item:**

Item No.25-Senate-C12: M. Tech (Research) in Mining Engineering Department.

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**The Senate resolved to ratify the permission given by the Chairman, Senate to the Department of Mining Engineering to start M. Tech (Research) Programme for the academic year 2010-11.**

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**Discussion and Decision Items:**

Item No.25-Senate-C13: Approval of Admission for UG, PG and Ph. D programmes.

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**The Senate noted the statistics of admission to UG/PG/Ph. D Programmes of the Institute during the academic year 2010-11 and authorized the Chairman to approve the same after all students submit the original academic documents within the prescribed extended time limit.**



Item No.25-Senate-C14: Request for extension of Ph. D. registration of  
Mr. Rajashekhar S.

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**The Senate resolved to grant extension for submission of thesis of  
Mr. Rajashekhar S. up to February 2011.**

**Reporting Item:**

Item No.25-Senate-C15: Reporting of abstracts of thesis evaluation reports  
of research scholars

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The Senate noted the Ph. D. thesis evaluation reports of the following candidates:

- 1) Mr. M. P. Pradeep, Research Guides: Prof. M. K. Nagraj, Department of Applied Mechanics & Hydraulics and Dr. Yadupati Putty.
- 2) Mr. Preetham Kumar, Research Guides: Prof. Ananthanarayana V. S., Department of Information Technology.
- 3) Mr. Manoj M. Mujumdar, Research Guides: Prof. Lakshman Nandagiri, Department of Applied Mechanics & Hydraulics.
- 4) Mr. Rajesh Gratian D'Souza, Research Guides: Dr. S. Shrihari, Department of Civil Engineering.
- 5) Mr. Pramod Kumar Hegde., Research Guides: Prof. A. Vasudeva Adhikari, Department of Chemistry.
- 6) Mr. Nair Roshan C, Research Guides: Prof. V. R. Shastry, Department of Mining Engineering.
- 7) Mr. Manjunatha M. G, Research Guides: Research Guides: Prof. A. Vasudeva Adhikari, Department of Chemistry.
- 8) Mr. K. Narayan, Research Guide: Prof. A. H. Sequeira, Department of Humanities, Social Sciences and Management.
- 9) Mr. Gaurish Rao K, Research Guides: Prof. (Mrs.) Kasturi V. Bangera & Prof. G. K. Shivakumar, Department of Physics.
- 10) Mr. Demian Antony D'Mello, Research Guide: Prof. Ananthanarayana V. S., Department of Information Technology.

**Discussion and Decision Items:**

Item No.25-Senate-C16: Non – completion of B.E. course by Mr. Shreeram Katti 2002 batch student.

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**The Senate resolved not to accept the request of Mr. Shreeram Katti (Registration Number 0221054) for extension of time for completion of B. E Course.**

Item No.25-Senate-C17: Termination from M. Tech due to non – fulfillment of eligibility conditions required for admission to M. Tech programme.

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**The Senate resolved not to consider the request of Mr. Dilip Kumar to round off CGPA at 5.0 and hence the action taken by the Institute for his termination from the M. Tech Programme was approved / retained.**

**Ratification Item:**

Item No.25-Senate-C18: Doctoral Programme - Change of status from sponsored category to QIP of Mr. Somashekar


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**The Senate resolved to ratify the permission granted to Mr. Somashekar by the Chairman, Senate for conversion of the Ph.D registration status from sponsored category to QIP scholar and retain the record of courses and grades earned earlier.**

Meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

  
(M. Govinda Raj)

Secretary-Senate, NITK



(Sandeep Sancheti)

Chairman-Senate, NITK

ANNEXURE - I

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY KARNATAKA, SURATHKAL

Even-semester ACADEMIC CALENDAR Dec - 2010 to May - 2011

week	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
w01	Dec-05	Dec-06 Classes Start	Dec-07	Dec-08	Dec-09	Dec-10 Last date for Late Registration	Dec-11
w02	Dec-12	Dec-13	Dec-14	Dec-15	Dec-16 Drop/cU options	Dec-17 Muharrum	Dec-18*
w03	Jan-02	Jan-03	Jan-04	Jan-05	Jan-06	Jan-07	Jan-08
w04	Jan-09	Jan-10 Friday's Time Table	Jan-11	Jan-12	Jan-13	Jan-14 Makara-Sankranti	Jan-15
w05	Jan-16	Jan-17	Jan-18	Jan-19	Jan-20	Jan-21	Jan-22
w06	Jan-23	Jan-24	Jan-25	Jan-26 Republic Day	Jan-27	Jan-28	Jan-29
w07	Jan-30	Jan-31	Feb-01	Feb-02	Feb-03	Feb-04	Feb-05
w08	Feb-06	Feb-07	Feb-08	Feb-09	Feb-10	Feb-11	Feb-12
w09	Feb-13	Feb-14 Class Committee meeting	Feb-15 Class Committee meeting	Feb-16 Class Committee meeting	Feb-17 Class Committee meeting	Feb-18 Class Committee meeting	Feb-19
w10	Feb-20	Feb-21	Feb-22	Feb-23	Feb-24 INCIDENT; No Classes	Feb-25 INCIDENT; No Classes	Feb-26
w11	Feb-27	Feb-28 Mar-01 Holi	Mar-02	Mar-02	Mar-03	Mar-04	Mar-05
w12	Mar-06	Mar-07 Mid-Sem Exam	Mar-08 Mid-Sem Exam	Mar-09 Mid-Sem Exam	Mar-10 Mid-Sem Exam	Mar-11 Mid-Sem Exam	Mar-12
w13	Mar-13	Mar-14	Mar-15	Mar-16	Mar-17	Mar-18 Mid-Sem Exam Results	Mar-19
w14	Mar-20	Mar-21 Friday's Time Table	Mar-22	Mar-23	Mar-24	Mar-25	Mar-26
w15	Mar-27	Mar-28 Class Committee meeting	Mar-29 Class Committee meeting	Mar-30 Class Committee meeting	Mar-31 Class Committee meeting	Apr-01 Good Friday	Apr-02
w16	Apr-03	Apr-04	Apr-05	Apr-06	Apr-07	Apr-08	Apr-09
w17	Apr-10	Apr-11 Pre-Registration	Apr-12 Pre-Registration	Apr-13 Pre-Registration	Apr-14 Pre-Registration	Apr-15 Classes End	Apr-16
w18	Apr-17	Apr-18 End-Sem Exam	Apr-19 End-Sem Exam	Apr-20 End-Sem Exam	Apr-21 End-Sem Exam	Apr-22 End-Sem Exam	Apr-23
w19	Apr-24	Apr-25 End-Sem Exam	Apr-26 End-Sem Exam	Apr-27 End-Sem Exam	Apr-28	Apr-29	Apr-30
w20	May-01	May-02 End-Sem Exam Results	May-03 DUGC/DPGC/DRPC Meeting	May-04 Appeal on Grades	May-05 DAAB Meeting	May-06 Grades goto Exam Section	May-07

Note: Course Registration Dec-03, 2010 Summer vacation-12<sup>th</sup> May-15<sup>th</sup> July, 2011

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