

Rules framed for conducting Sessional Assessment (Internal) improvement examinations for B.Tech students of 2007 admission onwards - Approved - Rate of fees fixed - Implemented -- Orders issued.

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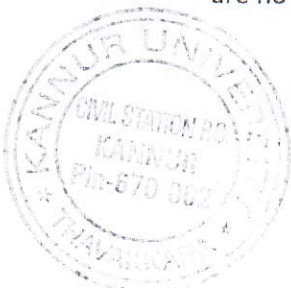
No. Acad.C5/3570/2017

Civil Station P.O. Dated: 27. 01. 2018

- Read:
1. U.O. No. Acad.C3/855/2002 dated 02.11.2006.
 2. U.O. No. Acad.C3/702/2002(i) dated 23.07.2009.
 3. U.O. No. Acad.C3/4877/2010 dated 07.04.2011, 23.07.2011 & 18.11.2011.
 4. Representations received from B.Tech students requesting for permission to improve their internal assessment marks.
 5. Resolution of Syndicate held on 14.03.2017 vide item no 2017.184.
 6. Resolution of Syndicate held on 05.08.2017 vide item no 2017.501.
 7. Minutes of the meeting of the Principals of Engineering colleges held on 24.08.2017.
 8. Resolution of Syndicate held on 22.09.2017 vide item no 2017.565.
 9. Resolution of Syndicate held on 28.12.2017 vide item no 2017.876.

ORDER

1. As per paper read (1) above, the regulations for B.Tech (Regular) Degree course was implemented in the University w.e.f. 2007 admission onwards and certain modifications were effected to the same vide papers read (2) & (3) above.
2. As per clause 9 'Minimum For A Pass' of the above B.Tech regulations, sub clause (i) states that "Candidates who secure not less than 50% marks in a subject at the university examination shall be declared to have passed in the examination in that subject, irrespective of the sessional marks awarded for that subject. A candidate who secures not less than 40% marks in the subject at the university examination and not less than 50% of the total marks assigned to the subjects, which include the marks assigned to the university examination and sessional assessment, shall also be declared to have passed the examination in that subject." The regulations of B.Tech course is silent on the provisions for improvement of sessional assessment (Internal) marks.
3. As per paper read (4) above, a few representations were received from the students of B.Tech Degree course seeking permission to improve their sessional assessment marks as they have not been able to obtain pass marks as per the regulation because of low sessional marks. As there are no provisions in the B.Tech regulations for improvement of sessional assessment



marks, the students requested that they be permitted to improve their sessional assessment (Internal) marks as special case.

4. The above representations were placed before the Syndicate for consideration. The Syndicate after considering the representations of the students and based on detailed discussions recommended to form a five-member subcommittee of the Syndicate to study and report modalities for addressing the issues pertaining to shortage & improvement of B.Tech Sessional Assessment (Internal) marks vide paper read (5) above.
5. The Syndicate subcommittee after the detailed discussion submitted 17-point guidelines for conducting examination for improvement of B.Tech sessional assessment marks and the same was approved by the Syndicate vide paper read (6) above.
6. As per paper read (7) above, a meeting of the Principals of Engineering colleges to discuss the 17-point guidelines was convened by the Pro-Vice Chancellor on 24.08.2017. The recommendations to modify clauses in the guidelines with regard to number of papers permitted to improve, fees to be collected figured in the meeting.
7. As per paper read (8) above, the Syndicate resolved to permit improvement chance of sessional assessment (Internal) marks for maximum of **Five (5)** papers for the whole B.Tech course instead of three papers as recommended in the Principals' meeting.
8. As per paper read (9) above, the Syndicate approved the rate of fees as Rs 2000/- (Rupees two thousand only) per paper as examination charges to be collected by the College and Rs 2,000/- (Rupees two thousand only) per paper as registration fee to be paid to the university fund, as per the recommendation of Principals meeting.
9. The Vice-Chancellor after considering the matter in detail and in exercise of the powers of the Academic Council conferred under Section 11 (1) of Kannur University Act 1996 and all other enabling provisions read together with, **has accorded sanction to implement the rules framed by the Syndicate subcommittee and approved by the Syndicate, for improvement of Sessional Assessment (Internal) marks introduced for B.Tech students of 2007 admission onwards, subject to report to the Academic Council.**
10. The above read U.O.s stands modified to this extent.



11. Orders are therefore issued accordingly.

12. The rules implemented for Improvement of Sessional Assessment (Internal) marks of B.Tech students w.e.f. 2007 admission onwards is appended in the University website.

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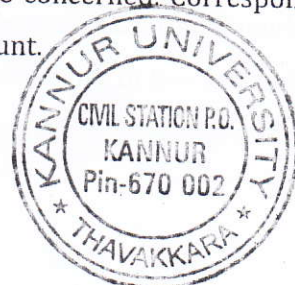




Appendix to U.O. No. Acad.C5/3570/2017 dated 27.01.2018.

The following rules are implemented for Improvement of Sessional Assessment (Internal) marks of B.Tech students of 2007 admission onwards.

1. B.Tech. students of 2007 admission onwards who have completed the course are given one time chance to improve their internal assessment marks in the failed subjects only, at the colleges where they completed the course.
2. Only one chance is given for improving the internal assessment marks of maximum five failed papers in which the candidate has attained theory pass minimum.
3. Improvement of internal marks is offered as a one-time programme for even & odd semesters separately and advertised for the ensuing session concerned, once for all (for 1&2, 4, 6, & 8 semesters in April and 3, 5, & 7 semesters in November).
4. The eligibility for improvement of internal marks is given for maximum five papers of whole B.Tech course, which the candidate has not passed so far, due to shortage of internal marks.
5. Improvement of internal assessment marks will not be permitted for papers in which the candidate has already passed the examination.
6. If a candidate already has the required internal marks for getting minimum marks for a pass (35 marks) in a paper, the candidate is not eligible for improvement of internal marks of such papers.
7. The improvement of internal (sessional) assessment is to be done as per the procedure prescribed for regular students in the regulations for B.Tech. programme of 2007 admission onwards.
8. The maximum internal assessment marks after improvement is limited to 70% of the maximum marks (35 out of 50) for each subject.
9. Fee of Rs 2000/- (Rupees two thousand only) per paper as examination charges is to be collected by the College and Rs 2,000/- (Rupees two thousand only) per paper as registration fee is to be paid to the university fund
10. The candidate has to submit separate application for the improvement of internal marks of each semester along with the required fee for each semester, duly recommended by the Principal of the college concerned. Corresponding fee is to be paid to the college concerned as a single amount.



11. Improved internal marks is to be given in the session in which candidate has scored the highest external mark in the subject. (The candidate should submit copy of the mark list along with the application for internal marks improvement).
12. Moderation, if applicable, that of the theory examination of the particular session should be applied.
13. The month and year of passing the internal improvement exam will be considered as the month and year of passing the subject.
14. A minimum of 45 days and a maximum of 90 days shall be given for completing the internal assessment process.
15. The Department of the college concerned should conduct necessary assignments, test papers etc, as prescribed in the scheme and syllabus as part of internal assessment.
16. The Department should assign specific days of work to the candidate to assess the marks for attendance, if required.
17. The internal assessment marks duly signed by the teacher in charge of conduct the exam and the Head of the Department should be forwarded to the Controller of Examinations through the Principal of the College concerned within a maximum 100 days.

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