

मौतावा आजाद वेशवत उर्दू युविवर्सिटी MAULANA AZAD NATIONAL URDU UNIVERSITY (A Central University established by an Act of Purliament in 1998) (Accommitted "A "Grande by MAAC)



# DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

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May 1st 2015

## MINUTES OF THE MEETING

The First Board of Studies (BoS) meeting of the department of Economics held on 1st May 2015, in the Committee Room, VIP Guest House, at 10:30 A.M. The following members were present in the meeting.

**Prof. Khan Masood Ahmad** 1.

> Vice Chancellor, Khwaja Moinuddin Chishti UAF University, Lucknow

Prof. Lingamurthy B 2.

> Former Vice Chancellor, Kakatya University, Warangal

3. Prof. Rehamatullah,

Dean, School of Arts & Social Sciences

Dr. Syed Hasan Qayed 4.

Asst. Professor, Department of Economics

5. Mr.Zulquarnain

Asst. Professor, Department of Economics

Mr.Faslurahman P. K. 6.

Asst. Professor, Department of Economics

7. Prof. Farida Siddiqui

Head, Department of Economics

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## Agenda 1:

Master's Programme in Economics: (Course Structure, Rules & Regulations, Admission process, Intake, Eligibility and Detailed Course Outlines)

The Chairperson of the Committee initiated the discussion by outlining the course structure, rules and regulations, admission criterion, intake capacity, eligibility conditions and course outlines of the Master's Programme. Then Dean(SA&SS) highlighted some general issues and suggested various ways, all members took part in the discussion, deliberated upon each issue particularly course structure and course outline and approved all the contents of the items under the agenda with suggested modifications.

Committee resolved the following:

- 1. Any optional paper would be offered to the students if the number of students is at least five
- 2. Mathematics for Economics renamed as Quantitative Methods
- 3. Industrial Economics should be made compulsory paper in semester III and Rural Economics should become Optional Paper
- 4. Islamic Banking renamed as Islamic Banking and Finance
- 5. In semester IV, Research Methodology should be added as compulsory paper
- 6. In semester IV, Master's Thesis should be of 100 Marks only and the marks will be structured as following
  - 50 Marks on Thesis Writing
  - 30 Marks Viva-Voce
  - 20 Marks on Presentation

#### Agenda 2:

Bachelor of Arts Programme :(Course Structure and Course outlines of Economics)

The Chairperson of the Committee presented before the Committee the Course Structure and Course outlines of economics for the Bachelor of Arts Programme offered by the University. The members deliberated on it thoroughly and approved.

#### Agenda 3:

Any other Business (A.O.B.)

- a) The Chairperson of the Committee presented the sample question paper of the final examination in order to have consistency so as to standardize the examination pattern; the members deliberated on it and approved the same.
- b) Realizing the dynamism of economics subject that demands continuous induction of contemporary issues, the members raised the issue that the concerned course teacher should be given some freedom to modify the particular course outline. Members

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discussed it thoroughly and realized that it is not only the dynamism but sometimes unavoidable constraints make the task unmanageable and thus decided unanimously that the concerned course teacher can modify particular course outline without compromising the core objective of the course and by giving a satisfying reason to do so to the head of the department.

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