

Students can now pursue PhD after 4-year undergrad course

40% Of Vacant Seats Can Be Filled Through Univ-Level Tests

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New Delhi: Students with a minimum CGPA score of 7.5/10 in the four-year undergraduate programme (FYUP) will now be eligible for PhD admissions, without having to complete a master's programme, according to the new regulations on award of PhD degree finalised by the University Grants Commission (UGC). In order to arrest the trend of publishing in predatory journals, the new regulations recommend either patenting or publishing in peer-reviewed or referred journals only.

The University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of PhD degree) Regu-



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lations 2022 are likely to be announced by end of June and set to come into effect from the forthcoming 2022-23 academic session.

Giving a boost to FYUP introduced under the National Education Policy (NEP), the regulations state that "a candidate seeking admission after a 4-year/8 semester Bachelor's degree should have a minimum CGPA of 7.5/10," while offering a relaxation of 0.5 CGPA score on a scale of 10 for candidates from SC/ST/

OBC/ differently-abled as well as economically weaker sections.

"Encouraging four-year undergraduate students with a research bent of mind to do PhD is important to improve the research ecosystem in our HEIs. That is why we are permitting four-year UG students who have a CGPA of 7.5/10 or above to be eligible for PhD admission. Those who have a CGPA less than 7.5, will have to do a one-year Master's degree to be eligible," said

UGC Chairperson M Jagadeesh Kumar.

As per the new regulations, 40% of the vacant seats can be filled through university-level tests. Two modes of admissions — 100% based on national level entrance tests or 60-40 split based on national level entrance tests and university level or state-level entrance tests have been recommended.

If the total vacant seats are filled by the candidates qualifying in the national level entrance tests (conducted by UGC, CSIR, ICMR, ICAR, etc), the selection of such candidates will be based on a merit list with 100% weightage from interview/ viva conducted by the higher education institution.

Illegitimate child of cohabiting couple to get assets share: SC

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New Delhi: In an important judgment relating to partition of property among Hindus, the Supreme Court on Monday ruled that an illegitimate child of a couple cohabiting for long without marriage would be entitled to a share in the family property. Reversing a Kerala high court judgment that disallowed property share claim of an alleged illegitimate son of a couple who did not marry, a bench of Justices S.A.Budhnikar and Vikram Nath said the couple in question had cohabited for a very long time to make their relationship as good as a married couple and hence, their son would be entitled to appropriate share.

Settling a 40-year-old dispute that oscillated between the trial court, high court and the SC, the bench said, "We have also perused the evidence of the defendants. We are of the view that the defendants have failed to rebut the presumption in favour of a marriage between Damodaran and Chiruthakutty on account of their long cohabitation."

The SC restored to the trial court judgment partitioning the ancestral property with appropriate share to the son. The SC said the documents produced by the so-called illegitimate son were much prior to the controversy arising between parties. The other side comprises children of the brother of the so-called illegitimate son's father. The bench said, "These documents and other evidence, would show the long duration of cohabitation. The first plaintiff joined military service in 1963 and retired in 1979. Thereafter he has taken the steps to file a suit for partition of the suit schedule property."

Shakti Kapoor's son, 4 others held in for taking drugs

TIMES NEWS NETWORK

Bengaluru: Bollywood actor Shradha Kapoor's brother, Siddhanth Kapoor (37), and four others were arrested for consumption of drugs during a raid by Bengaluru city police at The Park hotel, in the central business district here, late Sunday night. Siddhanth is the son of Bollywood actor Shakti Kapoor.

According to police, Siddhanth, an actor and assistant director in Bollywood, was the DJ at a party in the hotel. The others arrested were Akhil Soni (28), business manager with a private firm; Harjoth Singh (28), operational head of a logistics firm; Akhil (23), a freelance pho-

tographer; and Hani Raifeeqe (25), who is in digital marketing.

ACP (east) Subramanyeshwar Rao said that Ulsor police raided the hotel late on Sunday night based on a tip-off about the use of banned substances at the party.

"There were more than 100 people at the party, and some of them escaped from the premises. Police managed to catch 35 people and subjected them to medical examinations. Urine tests of five of those caught confirmed drug consumption," said Rao.

DCP (east) Bhemashankar Guled said, "Siddhanth Kapoor, who is the son of Bollywood actor Shakti Kapoor, is among those who tested positive for drug consumption."



Siddhanth

AS DEVPT STRETCHES THROUGH SOUTH GOA A GREEN BATTLE WAGES

The locals of Benaulim recently launched a signature campaign for a petition addressed to Prime Minister Narendra Modi demanding that the stretch of the Western Bypass passing through the village be built on stilts



Former Benaulim sarpanch Roylea Fernandes, the petitioner in the case pertaining to the matter in the National Green Tribunal (NGT), said that the signature campaign is aimed at protecting the village as "there's no other option other than stilts to save the village from imminent destruction"

TOI explains

THE PROJECT

2015 | The Western Bypass undertaken by the National Highway Authority of India in Goa

Benaulim and Navelim Completed Stretch | Nuvem to Seraulim fish market

Balance | 2.75km stretch through Seraulim to Benaulim

- The 11.9km-long, 4-lane, western bypass road on NH17 starts at Nuvem and ends in Dramapur, Navelim. It passes through Margao, Seraulim, Telaulim,
- The project is fully on earthen embankments with one railway overbridge and three underpasses and nine box culverts

THE COSTING

₹174cr | Estimated cost construction

₹40cr | Sanctioned by central government

- Balance will have to be spent by the state, which will be later reimbursed by the Centre
- The state government and ministry of road transport and highways decided to undertake the balance work of 2.75km under new cost sharing basis between the two. The proposal has been approved in principle

10-MEMBER COMMITTEE

- The government constituted the 10-member committee headed by the chairperson of Goa Coastal Zone Management Authority
- The committee met on October 5, 2021, and discussed the alternatives in respect to the balance 2.75km stretch
- It recommended that a 0.98km elevated structure be constructed instead so as to avoid filling a water body there
- The cost of the project would, however, rise from ₹148.41 crore to ₹218.94 crore approximately
- The proposal was accepted by the High Court after the state moved the court seeking permission to revise/modify the scope of work as per the committee's recommendations

CHALLENGES

- Residents of Seraulim and Benaulim are opposed to the construction of the Western Bypass on earthen embankments on the grounds that it will lead to water stagnation resulting in flooding
- They have demanded that the Seraulim-Benaulim stretch be constructed on stilts to minimise environmental degradation and flooding
- Former Benaulim sarpanch Roylea Fernandes moved the NGT over the matter
- The NGT in its order passed on June 22 directed that a 10-member joint committee consisting of all agencies concerned be formed to prepare and execute a plan of action for construction of the remainder of the Western bypass through Benaulim and Seraulim



APPLICANT'S CONTENTION IN THE NGT CASE

- Due to land filling for construction of the bypass, adjoining low-lying agricultural lands of Benaulim will be flooded due to the obstruction caused to the natural drainage, thus destroying them
- Natural biodiversity
- Wetlands/khazan lands
- Agricultural lands
- Mangroves
- The water body Adsulim Tollem due to land filing
- Biological resources such as plants, animals and microorganisms

HC: Mukhtar a challenge to judicial system: Denying bail to former MLA Mukhtar Ansari in connection with a case of misappropriation of MLA funds in 2012-13, the Allahabad high court on Monday called him a "dreaded and white-collared criminal, an interstate mafia and cancer in society". - TN

TN intercaste couple invited for feast, hacked to death

Thanjavur: Five days after getting married, an intercaste couple was hacked to death by the woman's brother and his friend who wanted to marry her in Tamil Nadu's Thanjavur district, on Monday.

A police officer said that the woman Saranya (24) was a Dalit while her husband Mohan (21) was a Naicker. Saranya's brother Sakthivel (31) and his friend Ranjith (28) have been arrested. Five months ago, Saranya took her ailing mother for treatment to the Chennai hospital where she worked as a nurse.

There she befriended Mohan, the attendant of another patient.

Saranya's family had opposed their relationship and wanted her to get married to Ranjith. Police said Sakthivel invited the couple to his home on the pretext of a feast.

The two accused killed the couple after dinner.

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, E/M CIRCLE, RAIPUR (C.G.)

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73/SE E/M/2021-22 System Tender No. 102294	LINE SHIFTING AND HEIGHT RAISING AND SHIFTING OF LT LINE, 11 KV LINE, 11KV DP LINE, TRANSFORMER AND 33 LINE AT VILLAGE DEWADATO FUNDA NALA UNDER BLOCK-PATAN, DIST.-DURG (C.G.) (PART-I)	Rs. 63.39 Lacs	01-07-2022

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1	102025	194/08.06.2022	सोलर-वि.खं. धर्मजगद्व ग्राम-सकाली	99.72	74800/-
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16	102092	209/08.06.2022	सोलर-वि.खं. धर्मजगद्व ग्राम-सखलखटा	73.34	55000/-
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21	102220	214/08.06.2022	सिगल मट्टी मिलेन-वि.खं. सारगढ़ ग्राम-नेलकापारा एवं डोणिया	77.52	58100/-
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27	102170	220/08.06.2022	ट्रेडिफिकेशन मट्टी मिलेन-वि.खं. धर्मजगद्व ग्राम-सोदावली	66.60	50000/-
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Comms ministry seeks entry of Big Tech in 5G captive network

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New Delhi: In a move that will come as a setback to top mobile operators such as Airtel, Reliance Jio and Vodafone Idea, the Communications ministry has sent recommendations to the Union Cabinet, favouring the entry of Big Tech such as Google, Amazon, TCS and Cisco in building captive 5G networks for businesses and enterprises, sources have told TOI.

The Cabinet is expected to take up the matter very soon, and a clearance to the entry of Big Tech into non-public 5G networks will be a dampener for mobile companies ahead of the spectrum auctions as the telcos fear that their business prospects will be hit if new players enter the fray.

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The proposal addressed to the Registrar, RGUHS, Bengaluru shall be submitted within 15 days from the date of announcement. The envelop should be super-scribed "Proposals for e-resources, e-learning for HELINET, RGUHS, 2022".

Format of the proposal may be downloaded from www.rguhs.ac.in

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SC compounds man's offence over marriage

Chennai: The Supreme Court has permitted compounding of an offence of a person convicted for attempt to murder, on the grounds that the accused has married the sister of the victim.

In order to bring peace and in order for the two families to live cordially, a division bench of Justices BR Gavai and Hima Kohli modified the three-year sentence imposed by the Madras high court and ordered that the accused be released.

According to the prosecution, the six accused and the victim were residents of the same apartment in Kasi-medu. A tiff over the post of president in the apartment had led to the incident. Though the trial convicted the accused to seven years in jail, the Madras high court reduced the sentence to three years on appeal.