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Proceedings of the meeting of Board of Studies in Biotechnology, Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla, held on December 17, 2015.

A meeting of Board of Studies in Biotechnology was held on 17/12/2015 at 11.00 A.M. in the Department of Biotechnology. Following members were present:

1.	Prof. Reena Gupta	Chairperson	
2.	Prof. TC Bhalla	Special Invitee Member	
3.	Prof. S.S. Kanwar,		
	Dean, Faculty of Life Science	//	
4.	Prof. Duni Chand	Member	
5.	Dr. Arvind Kumar Bhatt	Member	
6.	Dr. Wamik Azmi	Member	

The Chairman welcomed the members of the Board of Studies and thanked the outside expert member for making it possible to attend the meeting at a short notice. Thereafter, following agenda items were taken up for discussion, deliberation and decision:

1. Approval of distribution of marks in various courses of B.Sc. with major in Biotechnology under RUSA system.

As per notification No. 6-38/2005(SUG.)-HPU (Acad) Vol-V dated 10/08/2015 it was decided that distribution of marks in case of Science subjects where practical examination is involved, shall be in the following proportions w.e.f. July, 2015.

i. End Semeste	r Paper	=	40 Marks
ii. Practical		=	30 Marks
iii. CCA (Interna	al assessment		
Including ass	ignment and attendance)	=	30 Marks

This decision has been implemented from the academic session 2015-16. The Board of Studies approved the above distribution of marks for various courses of B. Sc. w.e.f. July, 2015.

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2. Approval of revised syllabus for course MBT-101(2) of M.Sc. Biotechnology.

The Board of Studies in Biotechnology approved the revised syllabus of M.Sc. Biotechnology for Course No. MBT-101(2), as per Annexure I.

3. Minor changes in titles of course MBT-101(2) of M.Sc. Biotechnology & MBT-401.

The Board of Studies approved the change in the title of MBT- 101(2) as Introductory Mathematics and Statistics and of MBT - 401 as Dissertation in place of Research Project Report.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

(Prof. T.C. Bhalla)

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(Prof. Duni Chand)

(Dr. Arvind Kumar Bhatt)

(Dr. Wamik Azmi)

(Prof. Reena Gupta) Chairperson