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The Himachal Pradesh University Act 1970
(Act No. 17 of 1970)

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of

Himachal Pradesh University, 1970

(As amended upto December, 2002)

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to establish and incorporate a University in Himachal Pradesh.

BE it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of Himachal Pradesh in the Twenty-first year of the Republic of India as follows:-

1. Short title and commencement:-

- (1) This Act may be called the Himachal Pradesh University Act, 1970.
- (2) It shall come into force on such date as the State Government by notification in the 'Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh', appoint.

2. Definitions.-

In this Act, unless the context requires otherwise:

- (1) "Academic Council" means the Academic Council of the University;
- (2) Omitted.

The Act published in the Rajpatra dated the 25th July, 1970 vide notification No.6-10/70-LR dated the 22nd July, 1970.

The Principal Act further amended from time to time as under:-

1. Notification No. 6-23/71-LR Dated 18th January, 1973.
2. Act No. 20 of 1974 published in the Rajpatra dated the 28th September, 1974, vide notification No. LLR-D (6)-15/74 dated the 25th September, 1974,
3. Act No.30 of 1978 published in the Rajpatra dated the 6th October, 1978, vide notification No. LLR-D(6) 37/78 dated the 5th October, 1978
4. Act No. 13 of 1979 published in the Rajpatra dated the 19th June, 1979, vide notification No. LLR-D (6) 1/79 dated the 19th June, 1979.
5. Act No. 6 of 1982 published in the Rajpatra dated the 9th July, 1982, vide notification No. LLR-D (6) 13/82 dated the 9th July, 1982.
6. Act No. 2 of 1984 published in the Rajpatra dated the 28th January, 1984, vide notification No. LLRD (6) 34/83 dated the 27th January, 1984.
7. Act No. 2 of 1986 published in the Rajpatra dated the 24th January, 1986, vide notification No. LLRD (6) 20/85 dated the 22nd January, 1986.
8. Act No. 14 of 1991 published in the Rajpatra dated the 25th May, 1991, vide notification No. LLRD (6) 12/91 Legis dated the 23rd May, 1991.
9. Act No. 16 of 1992 published in the Rajpatra dated the 27th June, 1992, vide notification No. LLRD (6) 7/92 Legis dated the 25nd July, 1992.
10. Act No. 4 of 1996 published in the Rajpatra dated the 11th March, 1996, vide notification No. LLRD (6) 6/96 Legis dated the 7th March, 1996.

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- (17) to make provisions for research and advisory services and for that purpose to enter into such arrangements with other institutions or bodies as the University may deem necessary;
- (18) to provide for the printing, reproduction and publication of research and other work, including text books, which may be issued by the University;
- (19) to borrow, with the approval of the State Government, on the security of the University property, money for the purposes of the University;
- (20) to accord recognition to institutions and examinations for admission into the University;
- (21) to do all such things as may be necessary, incidental or conducive to the attainment of all or any of the objects of the University.

7. Jurisdiction of the University.-

- (1) Save as otherwise provided by or under this Act, the powers conferred on the University shall be exercisable in the area constituting Himachal Pradesh.
- (2) Notwithstanding anything contained in any other law for the time being in force, no educational institution situated within the territorial limits of the University shall be admitted to any privilege of any other University, incorporated by law in India, and any such privilege granted by any such other University to any such educational institution prior to the commencement of this Act, shall unless otherwise directed by the State Government be deemed to be withdrawn on the commencement of this Act, and any such institution shall be deemed to be admitted to the privileges of the Himachal Pradesh University.
- (3) Where any institution or body established outside Himachal Pradesh seeks recognition from the University, then the powers and jurisdiction of the University shall extend to such institution or body subject to the laws in force in the State within which, and the rules and regulations of the University within whose jurisdiction, the said institution or body is situated.

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**Government of Himachal Pradesh,
Department of Higher Education**

No. EDN-A-Ka (1)-22/2022

Dated : Shimla -02 the 12/11 January, 2023.

NOTIFICATION

In continuation to this Department notification of even number dated 21.05.2022, the Governor, Himachal Pradesh in exercise of the powers conferred by Sub-Section (1) of Section 7 of the Himachal Pradesh University Act, 1970 (State Act No. 17 of 1970), is pleased to order that henceforth the jurisdiction of Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla shall be exercisable in the entire State of Himachal Pradesh for courses offered/ run through distance mode under ICDEOL H.P. University, Shimla.

The Governor is further pleased to order that Regional Centre of Himachal Pradesh University at Dharamshala shall also comprise the part of territorial jurisdiction of Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla in public interest.

By order

Dr. Abhishek Jain
Secretary (Education) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh

Endst. No. EDN-A-Ka (1)-22/2022

Dated : Shimla -02 the 12/11 January, 2023

Copy for information and necessary action is forwarded to :-

1. The Secretary to the Governnor, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171002
2. The Pr. Secretary to Chief Minister, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171002.
3. The Deputy Secretary (GAD) to the Govt. of H.P.
4. The P.S. to Education Minister, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-2
5. All the Additional /Principal Secretaries/ Secretaries to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.
6. The Secretary, Vidhan Sabha, Shimla 171004.
7. The Secretary, University Grants Commission, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi.
8. The Registrar, H.P. University, Shimla-5.
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10. The Registrar, CSK, Krishi Vishva Vidyalaya Palampur, District Kangra H.P.
11. The Director of Higher Education, H.P. Shimla 1
12. The Director of Elementary Education, H.P. Shimla-1.
13. The Controller, Printing and Stationery H.P. Shimla-5 with a request to publish this notification in Rajpatra.
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(Navneet Kapoor)

Addl. Secretary (Hr. Edu.) to the
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