Regarding amendment in rules and regulations of "NAU Girl's Fellowship scheme" for undergraduate meritorious students of various faculties.....

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આથી સબંધકર્તા સર્વેને જાણ કરવામાં આવે છે કે, તા.૨૬/૦૪/૨૦૨૧ ના રોજ નવસારી ખાતે મળેલ સંચાલક મંડળની ૪૪મી બેઠકની કાર્યનોંધના મુદ્દા ક્રમાંક : ૪૪.૧૬થી નીચેની વિગતે ઠરાવ કરેલ છે.

The fellowship rate of 'NAU Girl's fellowship scheme' is revised from Rs. 500/-to Rs. 3000/- per month at par with ICAR-NTS fellowship and Rules & Regulations mentioned in "Appendix-A" w.e.f. Academic Year 2020-21.

જા.નં.નકૃયુ/નિવિક/ગર્લ્સ ફેલો.રીવાઇઝડ/ ૧૮૨૧ /૨૦૨૧ તારીખ29/04/૨૦૨૧ નિયામક વિદ્યાર્થી કલ્યાણ નવસારી કૃષિ યુનિવર્સિટી નવસારી

નકલ સવિનય રવાનાં:

- ૧. સંચાલક મંડળના તમામ સભ્યશ્રીઓ તરફ
- ર. યુનિવર્સિટી ના તમામ અધિકારીશ્રીઓ તરફ
- 3. તમામ યુનિટ/સબયુનિટ અધિકારીશ્રીઓ તરફ

નકલ રવાના:

- ૧. કુલપતિશ્રીના રહસ્યસચિવશ્રી, નવસારી કૃષિ યુનિવર્સિટી, નવસારી
- ર. કુલસચિવશ્રીના કચેરીની બોર્ડ ઓફ મેનેજમેંટ શાંખા તરફ
- 3. કુલસચિવશ્રીના રહ્સ્યસચિવશ્રી, નવસારી કૃષિ યુનિવર્સિટી, નવસારી
- ૪. કુલસચિવશ્રીની કચેરીની એકેડેમીક/પરીક્ષા શાખા
- ૫. અત્રેની કચેરીની જાહેરનામા ફાઇલ

Appendix -A

REGULATION FOR THE AWARD OF FELLOWSHIP FOR UNDERGRADUATE MERITORIOUS GIRL STUDENTS IN VARIOUS FACULTIES OF NAVSARI AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY

1 Introduction:

The Navsari Agricultural University is committed to the task of development of Agriculture through teaching, research and extension education activities in South Gujarat. The rural development of agriculture sector heavily depends on the contribution of trained personals of Agriculture. The University admitting the students on merit basis. Economical weak but meritorious girls students also wish to get the admission in various faculties of the University. However, due to financial constraint such meritorious bright girl students hesitate to take the admission in various Undergraduate faculties of this University, therefore it is necessary to award merit based fellowship to the limited number of girl students in all Under graduate faculties. Thus, such girl students can complete their studies and can be the instrument for the development of Agriculture Sector.

2 Objective:

To attract meritorious economical weak rural student who wishes to seek admission in all the faculties of Navsari Agricultural University on merit but due to their economical weakness fails to get admission. Hence such girl student should be provided financial assistant for completion of the study, who will indirectly help to improve the Agriculture productivity of the state and nation.

3. Criteria for the award of merit fellowship:

- 3.1 Every year five girl candidates of Gujarat domicile in each faculty shall be annually awarded merit fellowship for Under Graduate degree programme.
- 3.2 A candidate who has secured 50% marks in aggregate in Science Stream of Higher Secondary School Certificate Examination shall be eligible for the award of fellowship for all the faculties.
- 3.3 The fellowships shall be awarded on the merit basis considering the marks obtained in theory exam of science subjects in Higher Secondary School Certificate or its equivalent examination in all the Under-graduate faculties. In case of the tie, the recipient will be decided based on practical exam merit of science subjects.
- 3.4 The committee consisting of Faculty Deans, Director of Student's Welfare and Registrar will select the candidates for fellowship on merit basis.
- 3.5 The value of fellowship will be Rs.3000/- per month to each candidate of all the faculties. Further, the fellowship will be automatically revised *at par* with ICAR-NTS rates from time to time.
- 3.6 The duration of the fellowship will be as per duration (or total period) of gradation including semester end breaks and vacations.
- 3.7 After completion of even semester the fellowship will be paid to the selected candidates by the Principal of the respective college on the production of progress certificates before the committee mentioned in 3.4.
- Free hostel accommodation is available to the female candidates in all the Under graduate faculties, so far Government of Gujarat continue this policy.
- 3.9 The awardee under this scheme will not be allowed to receive any other regular fellowship, free ship/stipend/loan or any other financial assistance. In case the awardee is in receipt of any such

assistance, the same must be surrender and the benefit of the fellowship will be given only from the month of such surrender. Awardee would however, be permitted to enjoy free concession, if any awarded by the college where she is studying.

4. Renewal of fellowship

Once the fellowship is awarded, it will continue for the full duration of the degree course. However, its continuation from one academic year to another academic year will be subject to the following conditions.

- 4.1 The renewal of the fellowship from one academic year to another academic year will depend upon the promotion to the next higher semester and obtaining 6.0 CGPA (Cumulative Grade Point Average) at the semester end examination of even semester.
- Wherein, the semester end examination of even semester refereed to under 4.1 above, an awardee is promoted but fails to obtain 6.0 CGPA at the end of even semester, her fellowship will be held in abeyance and the fellowship shall be renewed on achieving the requisite in the subsequent semester end examination.
- Wherein, the semester end examination of even semester referred to under 4.1 above, an awardee is promoted but fails in a course (s) and eligible to take supplementary examination her fellowship will be held in abeyance. Her grade point in the course (s) in which she has passed in the supplementary examination shall be taken into account and on achieving the requisite standard the fellowship shall be renewed.
- Wherein, a promotion to the next semester referred to under 4.1 above, an awardee fails to obtain promotion to the next higher semester, the fellowship stand cancelled.
- 4.5 CGPA in the two decimal is to be rounded up to higher one decimal for deciding the renewal of fellowship.
- 4.6 If the progress of an awardee is **unsatisfactory during course of studies or very irregular in attending classes**, **the fellowship shall stand cancelled**. The decision of the sanctioning authority of the University shall be final.
- 4.7 The **fellowship once cancelled shall not be restored in any condition** except on account of prolonged illness.
- 4.8 Good conduct and regularity in attending the classes are very important conditions for continuation of fellowship.
- 4.9 The awardee is not allowed to change the college during the tenure of fellowship except with prior permission of the University.
- 4.10 The fellowship shall be renewed for each successive academic year subject to what is stated above and on the basis of progress report given by the Principal where the awardees studies. At the end of even semester, the concerned Principal will submit the progress report in the prescribed performa to determine eligibility for continuation of fellowship during next academic year before the renewal committee stated in 3.4.
- 4.11 The Principal is expected to bring to the notice of the sanctioning authority of the University any adverse report due to habitual irregularity, misbehavior, participation in strike etc., and if necessary even suggest suspension or cancellation of fellowship.

5. Payment of fellowship:

The payment of fellowships to awardees will start from the date of joining the college except for pre-requisite semesters, if any. In case of renewal of fellowship for the next, academic year, the fellowship will be renewed and paid in the month following which the fellowship was paid during

the previous academic year; if the course of study perused by an awardee is continuous the fellowship will be renewed and paid from the month of readmission.

6. Payment of fellowship during leave and illness:

- The fellowship during illness shall be admission as follows if the absence is due to illness and is supported by a valid medical certificate duly recommended by the Principal.
 - (a) Full amount of Fellowship will be paid if the absence does not exceed of month.
 - (b) If the absence exceed one month, full amount of fellowship will be paid for one month and half the amount of fellowship will be paid for the period exceeding one month.
 - (c) If absence exceeds two months, no fellowship will be paid.
- The full amount of fellowship will be granted and paid up to three months to married women for the absence on ground of maternity and is supported by a valid medical certificate duly recommended by the Principal, No fellowship will be granted and paid for a period exceeding three months due to the absence of maternity ground.
- In case of 6.1 and 6.2 above, the fellowship at the rate indicated will be paid on if the Principal recommends and certifies that the awardee is likely to make up the deficiencies in studies and examinations during the rest of the period and supported with the documentary proof as mentioned in 6.1 and 6.2.
- An awardee will get the fellowship as long as she is one roll of college subject to the clauses 6.1(a), (b), (c), 6.2 and 6.3. If on account of prolonged illness the name of awardee is struck off from the roll, an awardee will be entitled for the restoration of the fellowship on readmission, on production of a valid medical certificate duly recommended by the Principal.
- 6.5 The condition laid down in 6.4 above, will be relax-able if the awardee is unable to appear in the semester end examination due to prolonged illness and 'Withdrawal' is granted by the Principal.
