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To

The Vice Chancellor Vignan's Foundation for Science, Technology and Research, Vadlamudi Village, Chebrolu Mandal, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh-522213

Subject: Further accreditation status on the basis of Compliance Report of the programs in Tier I offered by Vignan's Foundation for Science, Technology and Research, Vadlamudi Village, Chebrolu Mandal, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh-522213.

Sir,

This is regarding Compliance Report submitted by Vignan's Foundation for Science, Technology and Research, Vadlamudi Village, Chebrolu Mandal, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh-522213 for the UG Engineering programs which were accredited by NBA in Tier-I for academic years 2020-21 to 2022-23 whose validity of accreditation has expired on 30.06.2023.

2. An Expert Team conducted data verification of the programs on **24**th **June, 2023**. The report submitted by the Expert Team was considered by the concerned Committees constituted for the purpose in NBA. The competent authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the programs as given in the table below:

SI. No.	Name of the Program(s) (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Biotechnology	Tier-I January, 2016 Document	Accredited	- Academic Years 2023-2024 to 2025-2026 i.e. upto 30-06-2026	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col.5 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier.
2.	Computer Science & Engineering		Accredited		
3.	Electrical & Electronics Engineering		Accredited		
4.	Electronics & Communication Engineering		Accredited		
5.	Mechanical Engineering		Accredited		

- 3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.
- 4. The programs have been granted accreditation for further 3 years. Vignan's Foundation for Science, Technology and Research, Vadlamudi Village, Chebrolu Mandal, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh-522213 should submit fresh online application through eNBA portal at least five months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above.
- 5. The accreditation status awarded to the programs as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to Vignan's Foundation for Science, Technology and Research, Vadlamudi Village, Chebrolu Mandal, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh-522213 as a whole. As such the Institution should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because it is program accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the program(s) accredited, level of program(s) and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the Academic Year from which the accreditation is effective should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

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- 6. The accreditation status of the above programs is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programs as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of the Institute.
- 7. The accreditation status awarded to the programs as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.
- 8. The copy of Report of the Visiting Team in respect of the above programs is enclosed.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa) Member Secretary

Encls: 1. Copy of the Report of the Visiting Team in respect of the programs.

Copy to:

- The Commissioner
 Department of Technical Education
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 Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh -521108
- 2. Accreditation File
- 3. Master Accreditation file of the State.

