NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNICAL TEACHERS' TRAINING AND RESEARCH, CHANDIGARH

MINUTES OF THE FIFTEENTH MEETING OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS HELD ON OCTOBER 11, 2009 AT 3.00 PM AT NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNICAL TEACHERS' TRAINING & RESEARCH(NITTTR), SECTOR 26, CHANDIGARH.

The 15th meeting of the Board of Governors was held on October 11, 2009 at 3.00 p.m. at the National Institute of Technical Teachers' Training & Research, Sector 26, Chandigarh. The following were present:

- Dr KK Talwar
 Chairman, Board of Governors
 National Institute of Technical Teachers'
 Training & Research
 Sector 26
 CHANDIGARH 160 019
- Chairman
- 2. Shri Joseph Antony
 Representing Shri S.K.Ray
 Financial Advisor
 Ministry of Human Resource Development
 Government of India
 NEW DELHI

Member

3. Mr. R.K. Verma
Joint Director
Representing Shri SS Ram
Director of
Technical Education, Uttar Pradesh,
Govt. Polytechnic Campus
Vikas Nagar
KANPUR – 208 024

Member

4. Shri Pirthi Chand, IAS
Director
Technical Education Union Territory
Chandigarh Administration (UT)
Punjab Engineering College, Sector 12
CHANDIGARH

Member



5. Dr Bhagwan Singh
Secretary
State Board of Technical Education
Department of Science & Technology
Technology Bhawan, 4th Floor, Bailey Road
PATNA – 800 015

6. Shri PD Mongia
President
Laghu Udhyog Bharti
25/8, Industrial Area Phase-II
CHANDIGARH

Member

Member

7. Dr (Mrs) SK Pandey
Director
National Institute of Technology
GE Road
RAIPUR – 492 010; Chhatisgarh

Member

Prof. N.P.Siingh
 Representing
 Dr. Rajneesh Arora
 Vice Chancellor
 Punjab Technical University
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Member

9. Smt Shaista Shamim
Representing
Shri M.S. Rather
Director, Technical Education, J&K
SRINAGAR

Member



Dr S.C.Laroiya
Professor and Head
Mechanical Engineering
National Institute of Technical Teachers'
Training and Research
Sector 26
CHANDIGARH – 160 019

11. Dr Parijat De
Director
National Institute of Technical Teachers'
Training and Research
CHANDIGARH-160 019

MemberSecretary

The following could not attend the meeting:

1. Shri Ashok Thakur Member Additional Secretary Ministry of Human Resource Dev. Government of India NEW DELHI.

2. Shri T.Natarajan, IAS Member Director
Directorate of Technical Education
Gujarat State, 2nd Floor, Block No. 2
Dr Jivraj Mehta Bhawan
GANDHINAGAR – 382 010 (Gujarat)

3. Dr.Dev Vrat Singh Member Advisor (Faculty Development)
All India Council for Technical Education NBCC Building
Eastern Towers, IVth Floor
Pragati Vihar, Lodhi Road
NEW DELHI – 110 003

At the outset, Dr Parijat De, Director & Member Secretary, extended warm welcome to the Hon'ble Chairman and other members of the Board and conveyed to them his thanks for sparing their valuable time to attend the

meeting. Thereafter various agenda items were deliberated as under, with the express permission of the Chairman, Dr K.K.Talwar.

TO CONFIRM THE MINUTES OF THE 14TH MEETING OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS HELD ON 26.06.2009 AND TO REPORT ACTION TAKEN THEREON.

Since no comments were received from the members, the minutes were confirmed as recorded. The Board of Governors suggested that since a special BOG meeting took place on 25th July, 2009, the number of this meeting may be termed as 16th meeting. Accordingly, the Member-Secretary shall report the corrected number to the Board in the next meeting.

The follow up action in respect of the following agenda items of the previous meetings which were reported to the Board of Governors was noted:

- Item B.14.3.1: To consider and approve the minutes of 14th meeting of Finance Committee held on 26.06.2009.
- Item B.14.3.2: To Consider review of constitution of Selection committee for Faculty and Senior Technical Non-teaching posts (Group 'A' & 'B') in the Pay Band-2 Rs.9300-34800 with grade pay of Rs.4200 (pre-revised pay scale of Rs.6500-10500) and above.
- Item B.14.3.3: To consider amendment of House Allotment Rules of the institute regarding eligibility criteria due to revision of pay structure on the recommendations of Sixth Central Pay Commission.
- Item B.14.3.4: Placement of status report on various issues relating to the institute.



Item B.14.3.5: To consider extension of deputation terms for 3rd year of Dr. B.S. Pabla, Professor (In situ) Mechanical Engineering Department presently on deputation with Chandigarh Administration.

While noting this item, the Board members suggested that an amendment may be made as follows;

'However Dr Pabla will continue to share the academic load of the Mechanical Engineering Department of the institute during his extended term of deputation' may be amended as:

'Dr BS Pabla voluntarily agreed to share some of the academic load of the Mechanical Engineering Department of the institute during his extended term of deputation'

ITEM No.B.15.2.1 TO REPORT REGARDING RE-CONSTITUTION OF ACADEMIC COUNCIL OF THE INSTITUTE

This was noted.

ITEM NO.B.15.2.2 TO REPORT REGARDING STATUS OF CONSTRUCTION OF NEW HOSTEL BLOCK AND LECTURE HALL COMPLEX AT NITTTR, SECTOR 26, CHANDIGARH.

This was noted after queries posed to the Member-Secretary were satisfactorily answered.

ITEM NO B.15.3 ITEMS FOR RATIFICATION

ITEM NO.B.15.3.1 TO RATIFY THE ADOPTION OF SCHEME OF REVISION OF PAY SCALES OF TEACHERS AND EQUIVALENT CADRES OF NITTTR CHANDIGARH.

This was duly ratified by the Board.



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ITEM NO.B.15.3.2 TO RATIFY THE CONFIRMATION OF INSTITUTE FACULTY WHO HAVE SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THEIR PROBATION .

While approving this item, the Chairman advised that from now on as soon as any faculty member completes his/her probation, approval may be sought from the Chairman through a UO Note for confirmation. After approval from the Chairman, Director may issue confirmation orders and this may be reported in the next meeting of the Board of Governors for ratification.

ITEM NO.B.15.3.3 TO RATIFY PROMOTIONS OF INSTITUTE FACULTY ON 'IN-SITU BASIS' UNDER THE CAREER ADVANCEMENT SCHEME OF ALL INDIA COUNCIL FOR TECHNICAL EDUCATION

The Board ratified the item.

ITEM NO B.15.4 ITEMS FOR CONSIDERTATION

TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE 15TH MEETING OF FINANCE COMMITTEE TO BE HELD ON 11.10.2009.

This was approved in principle with a direction from the Chairman that his signature would be obtained only after the corrections he incorporated are made and put up to him immediately after.

ITEM NO.B.15.4.2 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE INSTITUTE FOR THE YEAR 2008-09.

This was approved by the Board duly.

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ITEM NO B.15.4.3 TO CONSIDER FILLING UP OF VARIOUS VACANT NON FACULTY POSTS

Sr. No		No. of vacant posts	Pay structure Rs.	Date from which fallen vacant
1.	Chief Librarian	01	12000-420-18300 (Pre-revised)	03.09.2008
2.	Senior Production Assistant	02	PB-2 9300-34800 +GP 4200	06.12.1999 24.09.2001
3.	Estate Assistant	01	PB-1 5200-20200 +GP 2800	21.09.2005
4.	Technicians	07	PB-1 5200-20200 +GP 2800	31.08.2002 31.05.2005 27.07.2007 31.10.2007 17.01.2008 31.07.2009 31.07.2009
5.	Driver Ordinary Grade	02	PB-1 5200-20200 +GP 1900	31.01.2007 10.04.2008
6.	Laboratory Attendant	02	PB-1 5200-20200 +GP 1900	31.10.2003 30.06.2009
7.	Assistant (Legal)	01	PB-1 5200-20200 +GP 2800	30.04.2009
	Total Posts	16		

While approving this item, the Board suggested that the proposal may now be sent to the Ministry for its concurrence before initiating the process of recruitment.





ITEM No. B.15.4.4 TO CONSIDER FILLING UP OF VACANT FACUL POSTS ON CONTRACT BASIS

While negating this item, the Board recommended that these posts may be advertised openly by following due process and be filled up on regular basis only.

ITEM NO.B.15.4.5 TO CONSIDER THE REQUEST OF DR. PARIJAT DIRECTOR, FOR PERMISSION TO STAY IN THINSTITUTE GUEST HOUSE UNTIL HE SHIFTS TO THE DIRECTOR'S LODGE.

After discussing this item, the Board suggested that this case may be sent the Ministry for approval since MHRD is the appointing authority of the Director.

ITEM NO.B.15.4.6 TO CONSIDER AND CONFIRM INSTITUTE FACULT WHO HAVE SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE PROBATION.

Sr.	Name				
		Post on which to be confirmed	Date of joining	Date of completion probation period	
1.	Dr.SS Pattnaik	Professor (ETV)	26.04.2004	25.04.2006	
2.	Dr.S.S. Dhami	Assistant Professor (Mechanical Engineering)	03.08.2004	02.08.2006	
3.	Dr (Mrs) Maitreyee Dutta	Assistant Professor (Computer Science)	21.02.2006	20.02.2008	
4.	Shri P. Sudhakar Rao	Lecturer (Mechanical Engineering)	07.10.2004	06.10.2006	

While approving the item, the Board suggested that this case may be dew with on similar lines as mentioned in the item under 15.3.2.



ITEM NO. B.15.4.7 TO CONSIDER AMENDMENT OF THE CONSTITUTION OF STANDING COMMITTEE FOR SPONSORSHIP OF INSTITUTE FACULTY TO INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES AND TO DELEGATE POWERS TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE INSTITUTE TO CONSTITUTE THE STANDING COMMITTEE AND FOR FINAL APPROVAL.

The Board authorized the Director of the institute to constitute a committee to frame guidelines and the same may be put up to the Board in its next meeting for approval. Till then, the existing rules may be followed.

TO CONSIDER THE REVIEW OF EFFECTIVE DATE OF IMPLEMENTATION OF CAREER ADVANCEMENT SCHEME OF AICTE FOR PROMOTIONS OF INSTITUTE FACULTY ON IN-SITU BASIS.

While discussing this item, the Board constituted a three member committee consisting of Director of the institute, Dr SC Laroiya and Prof. N.P.Singh to delve into the matter in details. They may gather information from other sister organizations also and then put up their recommendation to the Board for its final approval.

OF INCREMENTS TO ASSISTANT PROFESSORS OF THE INSTITUTE ON ACQUIRING Ph.D DEGREE.

The Board suggested that the three member committee constituted above will also look into this case and place its recommendation for consideration of the Board in its next meeting.

ITEM NO.B.15.4.10 TO CONSIDER ADOPTION / EXTENSION OF MODIFIED ASSURED CAREER PROGRESSION SCHEME TO THE ELIGIBLE EMPLOYEES OF THE INSTITUTE

The Board advised that this case may be sent to the Ministry for its approval.





ITEM No. B.15.4.11 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE DESIGNATION OF MULTI SKILLED ATTENDANTS TO MULTI SKILLED EMPLOYEES

While discussing this item, the Board observed that since this case was earlier dealt with by the previous Director of the institute and was not approved by the Board, the present Director too may take necessary action on this as per the existing guidelines.

ITEM No. B.15.4.12 TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE APPOINTMENT OF TWO DEANS (ACADEMIC AND ADMINISTRATION).

After detailed discussions, the Board suggested that some criteria and guidelines like duties of deans, qualifications, duration, expected additional remuneration, if any, should be evolved and delineated by the Director. Information may be sought from sister organizations and then the same may be put up to the Finance Committee and Board of Governors in their next meetings for their approval.

ITEM No. B.15.4.13 PLACEMENT OF STATUS REPORT ON VARIOUS ISSUES RELATING TO THE INSTITUTE.

The Board suggested that this item may be put up in the next meeting.

SUPPLEMENTARY ITEM

ITEM NO B.15.4.14

TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE NINTH MEETING OF ACADEMIC COUNCIL

The Board approved the minutes of the Ninth Meeting of the Academic Council held on 1st October, 2009.

The Chairman desired that the meeting of the Society of National Institute of Technical Teachers' Training and Research be deferred till a suitable date to be given by him. He also desired to meet all the faculty and staff of the institute separately for which the Director will seek a date from the Chairman in the near future.

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As there was no further item to be discussed, the meeting ended at 5.30 p.m. with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

14,10,09, Dr Parijat De

Member-Secretary

Dr K.K.Talwar / K/

Chairman