



**Government of West Bengal**  
**Department of Higher Education,**  
**Science & Technology and Biotechnology**  
University Branch  
Bikash Bhavan, Bidhannagar, Kolkata - 700091

**No. 90 - Edn(U)/1U(WBUTTE)-11/15**

**Dated: 30.01.2017**

**NOTIFICATION**

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 6 of the West Bengal University of Teachers' Training, Education Planning and Administration Act, 2014 (West Ben. Act XXI of 2014), and subject to the provisions of section 64 of the said Act, the Governor is hereby pleased to appoint the 1st day of February, 2017 as the 'appointed day', from which the Bachelor of Education (B. Ed) course conducted by the Government colleges, Government-aided colleges and Self-financing private colleges (including colleges run by minorities), which are presently affiliated under the University of North Bengal, the Vidyasagar University and the University of Gour Banga shall be deemed to have come under the affiliation of the West Bengal University of Teachers' Training, Education Planning and Administration and simultaneously, shall be deemed to have ceased to be affiliated under the University of North Bengal, the Vidyasagar University and the University of Gour Banga respectively.

In this connection, the Governor is also pleased to direct that the Governing Bodies/ Managing Committees of all these colleges shall continue to function in the same capacity with the same powers and privileges as they were enjoying immediately preceding the date of publication of this notification until the Governing Bodies/ Managing Committees of these colleges have been constituted or re-constituted as per the provisions of the Statute/Ordinances/ Regulations of the West Bengal University of Teachers' Training, Education Planning and Administration.

The Governor is further pleased to direct in this regard, that the University Departments of the University of North Bengal, the Vidyasagar University and the University of Gour Banga, Malda and the Departments of any General Degree College pursuing B. Ed programme/course and any Special B. Ed Programme run by any of these three Universities or of any college under their affiliation, shall continue to be affiliated to the concerned University to which they were affiliated immediately preceding the date of issuance of this Notification, until further order. It is also clarified that all other courses run by these colleges shall continue to be affiliated to their respective Universities they were affiliated to immediately preceding the date of issuance of this Notification.

The Governor, in this connection, is also pleased to direct that save as otherwise provided under clause (a) or clause (b) of sub-section (2) of section 6 of the West Bengal University of Teacher's Training, Education Planning and Administration Act, 2014, and notwithstanding anything contained contrary in any other law for the time being in force, any new college or institution, whether Government or Government-aided, or self-financing private college, or colleges/institutions run by minorities, imparting or proposing to start B. Ed course under the University of North Bengal, the Vidyasagar University and the University of Gour Banga, Malda and/or M. Ed course within the territory of the State of West Bengal after the commencement of the "appointed day" as declared under this Notification, shall automatically come under the affiliatory jurisdiction of the West Bengal University of Teacher's Training, Education Planning and Administration.

By Order of the Governor,

*Sd/- S. Basuray*

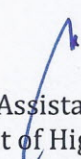
Joint Secretary  
Department of Higher Education,  
Science & Technology and Biotechnology

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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

- 1) The Vice Chancellor, West Bengal University of Teachers' Training, Education Planning and Administration.
- 2) The Vice Chancellor, University of North Bengal.
- 3) The Vice Chancellor, Vidyasagar University.
- 4) The Vice Chancellor, University of Gour Banga.
- 5) The Director of Public Instruction, West Bengal
- 6) The Member Secretary, West Bengal State Council of Higher Education
- 7) The P.S. to the Minister-in-Charge, Department of Higher Education, Science & Technology and Biotechnology
- 8) The Senior P.S. to the Principal Secretary, Department of Higher Education, Science & Technology and Biotechnology

  
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