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In terms of Section 42 of the University Act & Statute 11 of Statutes of the University read with the Academic Council Resolution No: 138 dated 31.1.1991, a meeting of the Standing Committee(New Courses), constituted by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, to scrutinize the proposals of the Colleges and the report(s) of the respective Inspection Committee(s) for assigning new courses to the Colleges/Institutions was held on Monday, the 5th April, 2021 at 4.30 p.m. in the Council Hall of the University:

The following members were present in the meeting:

S.No	Name(s) of the member	S.No	Name(s) of the member
01.	Professor P.C. Joshi – Chairman Pro-Vice-Chancellor	12.	Prof. Pankaj Gupta, Head, Department of Operational Research
02.	Prof. Balaram Pani, Dean of Colleges	13.	Prof. Gurprit Grover, Head, Department of Statistics
03	Prof. Suman Kundu, Director, South Campus	14.	Prof. Sheoraj Singh, Head, Department of Hindi
04	Prof. Seema Bawa, Department of History	15.	Prof. S.B. Babbar, Head, Department of Botany
05	Prof. S.D. Biju, Department of Environmental Studies	16.	Prof. Balaganapathi Devarakonda, Department of Philosophy
06	Dr. Vibha S. Chauhan, Principal, Kirori Mal College	17.	Dr. Alok Ranjan Pandey, Member, Academic Council
07	Dr. Inderjeet Dagar, Principal, College of Vocational Studies	18.	Dr. Arun Kumar Atree, Member, Academic Council
08	Prof. Mohan Dean, Faculty of Arts	19.	Dr. Kumar Shantanu, Member, Academic Council
09	Prof. Alo Nag, Dean, Faculty of Interdisciplinary & Applied Social Sciences	20.	Dr. Naina Hasija, Member, Academic Council
10.	Prof. Raj Kumar Head, Department of English	21.	Dr. Asha Rani, Member, Academic Council
11.	Prof. Rita Kakkar, Dean, Faculty of Science		,

The persons listed below attended the meeting as nominee of the members mentioned against each:

S.No.	Name(s) of the member
01.	Prof. Alka Nagpal, nominee of the Dean/Head, Faculty/Department of Music and Fine Arts





The following could not attend the meeting.

S.No.	Name(s) of the member	S.No	Name(s) of the member
01.	Prof. C.S. Lalitha, Dean, Faculty of Mathematical Sciences	04.	Prof. Neelima Gupta, Head, Department of Computer Science
02.	Prof. Surender Kumar, Dean, Faculty of Social Science	05.	Dr. Dhananjoy Shaw, Head, Department of Physical Education
03.	Prof. Ramesh Bhardwaj, Head, Department of Sanskrit	06.	Prof. Reetesh Kumar Singh, Dean, Faculty of Commerce & Business

Sh. Sudhir Sharma, Joint Registrar (Colleges) and Dr. Naresh Kumar, Assistant Registrar (Colleges) assisted the Committee in its deliberations.

First of all, the Chairman recorded with appreciation the services of the outgoing members and welcomed the new members of the Committee.

The Pro-Vice-Chancellor in his capacity as Chairman of the Committee briefed the members that the Standing Committee (New Courses) is one of the Committees of the Academic Council to scrutinize the proposal(s) of the College(s) and report(s) of the Departmental Inspection Committee(s) thereof for assigning new courses in Colleges/Institutions in accordance with the provision laid down in Statute 30, Ordinance XVIII & XXI of the University.

Agenda of the Committee containing a consolidated statement containing the summary of proposals to be discussed and the status of report(s) of the individual Inspection Committee(s) which visited the respective Colleges to check the feasibility of assigning new courses vide **Annexure –I.**

The Committee scrutinized the report(s) of the respective Inspection Committees for assigning new courses and after detailed deliberations recommended as under:-

A. FACULTY OF ARTS:

Sr.	Proposed	Name of the	Recommendation(s)
No.	Course(s)	College(s)	
01.	i) Increase in take of B.A.(Program me)	Hans Raj College	The Committee recommended that the College may be permitted to increase the number of intake in B.A. Programme to the extent of 80 seats from the academic session 2021-2022; subject to the condition(s) that the College must have i) sufficient number of teaching faculty to teach greater number of students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding agency.

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	ii) B.A.(Hons) Hindi Patrakarita evam Jansanchar		The Committee recommended that the College may be permitted to run the existing B.A.(Hons) Hindi Patrakarita evam Jansanchar Course to the extent of 30 students subject to the condition(s) that the College must have i) sufficient number of teaching faculty to teach greater number of students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding agency.
02.	B.A.(Hons.) English	Zakir Hussain Delhi College	Since, it was apprised to the Committee that B.A.(Hons.) English Course is already existed there in the College and instructions are being imparted, the Committee opined to defer the matter, pending further clarification from the
03.	Increase in intake of B.A.(Hons) Sanskrit	Zakir Hussain Delhi College (Eve.)	College. The Committee recommended that the College may be permitted to increase the number of intake in B.A. Programme from 15 to 40 from the academic session 2021-2022; subject to the condition(s) that the College must have i) sufficient
			number of teaching faculty to teach the increased number of students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding
04.	M.A. English	Vivekananda College	agency. The Committee recommended that the College may be assigned to start M.A.(English) Course from the academic session 2021-2022 with the maximum intake of 12 students; subject to the condition(s) that the College must have i) sufficient number of teaching faculty to teach the students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding agency besides fulfilment of other conditions to run P.G. Courses.
05.	i) B.A.(Hons.) English	P.G.D.A.V.(Eve.) College	The Committee recommended that the College may be assigned to start B.A.(Hons.) English Course from the academic session 2021-2022 with the maximum intake of 40 students; subject to the condition(s) that the College must have i) sufficient number of teaching faculty to teach the students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding

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	ii) M.A.(Hindi)		The Committee recommended that the College may be assigned to start M.A.(Hindi) Course from the academic session 2021-2022 with the maximum intake of 16 students; subject to the condition(s) that the College must have i) sufficient number of teaching faculty to teach the students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding agency. Besides fulfilment of other conditions to run P.G. Course.
06.	English as a discipline	Aditi Mahavidyalaya	The Committee recommended that the College may be assigned to start English
e)	course in B.A. Programme	5	as a discipline course in B.A. Programme with intake capacity of 40 students from the academic session 2021-2022; subject to the condition(s)
	v		that the College must have i) sufficient number of teaching faculty to teach the students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding agency.
07.	B.A.(Hons.) Philosophy	Deshbandhu College	The Committee recommended that the College may be assigned to start B.A.(Hons.) Philosophy Course with intake capacity of 40 students from the academic session 2021-2022; subject to the condition(s) that the College must have i) sufficient number of teaching faculty to teach the students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding agency.

B. FACULTY OF MATHEMATICAL SCIENCE:

Sr. No.	Proposed Course(s)	Name of the College(s)	Recommendation(s)
01.	B.Sc.(Hons.) Computer Science	i) Dyal Singh College(Eve.) ii) Shyam Lal College iii) Janki Devi Memorial College	The Committee recommended that Colleges, in whose case the respective Inspection Committee(s) has/have recommended to start B.Sc.(Hons.) Computer Science may start the course with the maximum intake of 30 students from the academic session 2021-2022; subject to the condition(s)
		iv) Bharti College	that the College must have i) sufficient number of teaching faculty to teach the

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-			students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding agency.
	4		However, in case of Bharti College, the Committee recommended intake capacity of 40 students subject to fulfillment of other conditions.
02.	B.Sc.(Hons.) (Operational Research)	i) Dyal Singh College(Eve.) ii) Shyam Lal College iii) Janki Devi Memorial College iv) Ramanujan College	The Committee recommended that the Colleges, in whose case the respective Inspection Committee(s) has/have recommended to start B.Sc.(Hons.) Operational Research Course, may start the course with the maximum intake of 30 students from the academic session 2021-2022; subject to the condition(s) that the College must have i) sufficient number of teaching faculty to teach the students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding agency. However, in case of Ramanujan College, the Committee recommended intake
03	B.Sc.(Hons.) Statistics	Janki Devi Memorial College	capacity of 40 students. The Committee recommended that Janki Devi Memorial, in whose case the respective Inspection Committee has recommended to start B.Sc.(Hons.) Statistics Course, may start the course with the maximum intake of 30 students from the academic session 2021-2022; subject to the condition(s) that the College must have i) sufficient number of teaching faculty to teach the students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding agency.

C. FACULTY OF INTER-DISCIPLINARY AND APPLIED SCIENCES:

Sr.	Proposed	Name of the	Recommendation(s)
No.	Course(s)	College(s)	
	Physical Education as a discipline course in 3.A. Programme	i) Jesus & Mary Collegeii) Bhagini Nivedita Collegeiii) Moti Lal Nehru College	The Committee recommended that the College may be assigned to start Physical Education as a discipline course in B.A. Programme with the maximum intake of 30 students from the academic session 2021-2022; subject to the condition(s) that the College must have i) sufficient number

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of teaching faculty to teach the students
ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific
approval of the respective funding agency.

D. FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES:

Sr.	Proposed	Name of the	Recommendation(s)
No.	Course(s)	College(s)	
01	B.A.(Hons) History	Ramanujan College	The Committee recommended that the College may be assigned to start B.A.(Hons) History course with the maximum intake of 30 students from the academic session 2021-2022; subject to the condition(s) that the College must have i) sufficient number of teaching faculty to teach the students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding agency.

E. FACULTY OF COMMERCE& BUSINESS:

Sr. No.	Proposed Course(s)	Name of College(s)	the	Recommendation(s)
01.	M. Com.	P.G.D.A.V. (Eve.)	College	The Committee noted that since the Inspection Committee which visited the College on 20.11.2018 has not given its specific recommendations to run the Course, the Committee opined to defer the same for further clarifications from the College.

F. FACULTY OF SCIENCE:

Sr.	Proposed	Name of the	Recommendation(s)
No.	Course(s)	College(s)	
01.	B.Sc. (Hons.) Botany	Shyam Lal College	The Committee recommended that the College may be assigned to start B.Sc.(Hons) Botany with the maximum intake of 30 students from the academic session 2021-2022; subject to the condition(s) that the College must have i) sufficient number of teaching faculty to teach the students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding agency.

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G. FACULTY OF MUSIC & FINE ARTS:

Sr.	Proposed	Name of the	Recommendation(s)
No.	Course(s)	College(s)	
01.	B.A.(Hons.) Music	Hans Raj College	The Committee recommended that the College may be assigned B.A.(Hons.) Music Course with the maximum intake of 30 students from the academic session 2021-2022; subject to the condition(s) that the College must have i) sufficient number of teaching faculty to teach the students ii) necessary infrastructure to run the course effectively; and iii) the specific approval of the respective funding agency.

Finally, on the question of criteria for allocation new courses by the representative(s) of the Academic Council to the Colleges/Institutions, it was categorically informed that the proposals received from various Colleges/Institutions for introduction of new courses are considered by the University as per the provision Statute 30(1) (C) (iii) and the norms laid down under Ordinance XVIII/XXI of the University. The usual Inspection Committee so constituted by the Faculty/Department concerned examines the essential requirements i.e. infrastructure, library, classrooms, faculty positions, status of funds etc. for introduction of the Course and only thereafter the same are placed before the Standing Committee (New Courses) for consideration. Subsequently, the recommendations of the Standing Committee (New Courses) are placed before the Academic Council/Executive Council for consideration.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

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(Prof. P.C. Joshi) Chairman Pro-Vice-Chancellor