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BCI: D:339/2021(LE/App/Afflin)

Dated: 12.3.2021

To,

The Registrar, Gujarat University, Navrangpura, Ahmedabad, Gujarat-380009.

Sub.: Extension of provisional temporary approval of affiliation to GLS Law College, Ahmedbad, Gujarat for imparting five year BA LL.B law course for the academic year 2019-2020.

Sir,

This is with reference to above mentioned subject regarding extension of provisional approval of affiliation to **GLS Law College**, **Ahmedbad**, **Gujarat** which had applied for extension of approval of affiliation for the academic year 2019-2020 and inspection of the Bar Council of India is pending.

In view of the fact that Bar Council of India is of the opinion, that there should be no difficulty caused to the College students in the submission of examination form/s for the year 2020 due to non issuance of approval by the Bar Council of India, and in furtherance of the College coming under the category of similarly placed colleges, which was considered by the Bar Council of India, on 19th May, 2019, and which category has been satisfied by the College on account of the College, having duly furnished an application for extension of approval, with due fee, provisional approval of affiliation with respect to the academic year 2019-2020 is hereby granted to the College, in view of your University, having issued affiliation till 2019-20 to GLS Law College, Ahmedbad, Gujarat to admit students in five year B.A. LL.B law course for the academic year 2019-2020.

You may kindly bear in mind that the Bar Council of India is the sole and supreme sanctioning authority for seats and as a general rule it does not allow any supernumerary quota of seats for law degree courses, over and above the sanctioned strength of seats and whatever reservation of seats is

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to done by the University as a general rule has to be done within sanctioned strength of seats.

It would be pertinent to mention that the Bar Council of India, had issued a circular 05.02.2020 bearing No.BCI: D: 158 (LE:Circulation No.01/2020), to all Centers of Legal education too, to comply with all the specified rules and regulations as enumerated in the Rules of Legal Educations.

All Centers of Legal education have been asked to furnish all documentary proof of the same and furnish affidavits in this respect.

The College may take a note of the above mentioned fact and furnish compliance of the rules and regulations of Legal Education, including the ones specified in the above said referred circular.

The College, should ensure to submit a list of faculty as per stipulations mentioned above, and also the duly certified bank statements, for the entire period of the academic session, (till now) showing transfer of salary to all the faculties as per UGC Rules immediately along with a duly notarized affidavit. The Annexure-A, attached along with this letter is a general annexure, and is applicable on all Law Colleges. It seeks bank statements, immediately for a period preceding 3 months and it is also stated therein that it must be continued to be furnished every 3 months, whereas by way of this letter it is clarified, that you are required to furnish bank account statements for the entire academic year 2019-20 as the entire session is over or till whenever earlier to such date you submit such compliance and thereafter further within a gap of 3 months each.

It is to be ensured that Schedule-III, Rule-15, Minimum Library requirements of Legal Education Rules-2008 be complied with too by the College as specified in the said Annexure-A.

Thus, all enumerations and stipulations specified or referred to by way of this letter and in addition to the enumerations in Annexure A, attached to this provisional approval of affiliation letter, may be complied with immediately.

Furthermore, the requisite affiliation order of the concerned University for the year 2020-21 is to be submitted to the Bar Council of India for considering the extension of approval of affiliation further, for the concerned academic year/s in question.

In case, the aforesaid directions are not complied with by the college immediately, the extension of approval of affiliation may not considered for the session 2020-21.

This is for your information and necessary action.

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Note - Kindly ensure to submit English translation of all documents being furnished in Hindi or in any other regional language.

Note - Your University is requested to kindly verify the authenticity of the attached affiliation order submitted by the college and revert back to the Bar Council of India through e-mail as soon as possible.

Very important: - Please, henceforth ensure to send any compliance affiliation orders and affidavit/reply copying to complianceaffiliationle@gmail.com, apart from email/s any send not to dlebci@gmail.com please do to proledepartment@gmail.com

For any other query/ies you may send e-mail/s to dlebci@gmail.com

Yours sincerely

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Joint Secretary
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Legal Education Department

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