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F.No. 26-36-2013-NBA

31st December, 2018

To.

The Principal SAINTGITS College of Engineering, Kottukulam Hills: Pathamuttom P.O. Kottayam - 686532, Kerala

Subject: Extension of the Period of Accreditation Status granted to Masters in Business Administration program offered by SAINTGITS College of Engineering, Kottukulam Hills; Pathamuttom P.O, Kottavam - 686532, Kerala.

Sir.

This has reference to NBA's letter of even number dated 30-08-2017 under which the Masters in Business Administration program offered by your Institution was granted provisional accreditation for 2 years by National Board of Accreditation.

National Board of Accreditation (NBA) has decided that in all cases where Management program(s) of an Institution were granted provisional accreditation for a period of 2 years, the period of provisional accreditation of the program(s) shall be extended from 2 to 3 years subject to the condition that they meet the Pre-qualifiers. The Pre-qualifiers submitted by SAINTGITS College of Engineering, Kottukulam Hills; Pathamuttom P.O, Kottayam - 686532, Kerala in respect of Masters in Business Administration program have been considered in NBA. The Masters in Business Administration program meets the essential parameters of pre-qualifiers. Accordingly, the competent authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the program as given in the Table below:

SI. No.	Name of the Program (PG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of extended validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Masters in Business Administration	November 2012 Document	Accredited	Academic Year 2019-2020, i.e. upto 30-06-2020.	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

- 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.
- The accreditation status awarded to the program(s) as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to SAINTGITS College of Engineering, Kottukulam Hills; Pathamuttom P.O, Kottayam - 686532, Kerala 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 NBA only accredits program(s), and not Institutions. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the program(s) accredited, level of programs and the period of validity of accreditation, should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.
- The accreditation status of the above program(s) is subject to change on periodic review, as deemed necessary by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited program(s) as indicated in the Table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of your College/Institution.

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7. The accreditation status awarded to the program(s) 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.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa) Member Secretary

Copy to:

- The Principal Secretary Higher Education Department, Govt. of Kerala, 3rd Floor, Secretariat Annex, Statue, Thiruvanthapuram-695001
- The Commissioner of Technical Education, Government of Kerala, Padamavilasam Fort Road, Padamavilasam Street, Thiruvanthapuram-695023
- The Registrar
 APJ Abdul Kalam Technological University,
 CET Campus, Alathana Road,
 Ambady Nagar, Thiruvananthapuram
 Kerala-695016
- 4. Accreditation File
- 5. Master Accreditation File of the State.

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Dated: 30-08-2017

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To,

The Principal
SAINTGITS College of Engineering,
Kottukulam Hills;
Pathamuttom P.O
Kottayam – 686532,

Kerala

Subject: Accreditation status of program applied by SAINTGITS College of Engineering, Kottukulam Hills; Pathamuttom P.O, Kottayam – 686532, Kerala

Sir,

This has reference to your application no. 1807-08/03/2016 seeking accreditation by National Board of Accreditation to Masters in Business Administration program offered by SAINTGITS College of Engineering, Kottukulam Hills; Pathamuttom P.O, Kottayam – 686532, Kerala.

2. An Expert Team conducted on-site evaluation of the program during $28^{th} - 30^{th}$ April, 2017. 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 program as given in the table below:

S.No.	Name of the Program (PG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Masters in Business Administration	November 2012 Document	Provisionally Accredited	Academic Years 2017-2018 and 2018-2019 i.e., upto 30-06-2019	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.

- 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 accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to SAINTGITS College of Engineering, Kottukulam Hills; Pathamuttom P.O, Kottayam 686532, Kerala 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 programme 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 and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the date 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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- 5. The accreditation status of the above program is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited program as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of the Institute.
- 6. The accreditation status awarded to the program 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. Copy of the Report of the Chairman of the Visiting Team and a copy of the Evaluators' Report in respect of the above program are also enclosed.
- 9. If the Institute is not satisfied with the decision of NBA, it may appeal within thirty days of receipt of this communication giving reasons for the same and by paying the requisite fee.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa) Member Secretary

Encls: 1.Copy of Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team. 2. Copy of Expert Report of the Visiting Team.

Copy to:

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 3rd Floor, Secretariat Annex, Statue,
 Thiruvananthapuram-695001
- The Commissioner of Technical Education, Government of Kerala, Padamavilasm Fort Road, Padmavilasam Street, Thiruvananthapuram-695023
- 3. The Registrar
 Mahatma Gandhi University
 Priyadarsini Hills P.O.,
 Kottayam 686 560, Kerala
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