

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION



**RASHTRIYA SANSKRIT SANSTHAN
(DEEMED UNIVERSITY)
NEW DELHI-110058**

**RASHTRIYA SANSKRIT SANSTHAN
56-57, INSTITUTIONAL AREA,
JANAKPURI, NEW DELHI - 110058**

MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION

1. Name

The name of the Society shall be Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan, hereinafter referred as "The Institute".

2. Office

The registered office of the Institute shall be situated at 56-57, Institutional Area, Janakpuri, New Delhi-110 058

3. Objectives

The objectives for which the institute is established are to propagate, develop and encourage traditional Sanskrit learning, research and in pursuance thereof;

- i To undertake, aid, promote, coordinate research in all branches of Sanskrit learning including teachers' training and manuscriptology, to bring out inter-linkage with the out come of modern research in the contextually relevant fields and to bring out publications.
- ii ***To under take, aid, promote, develop and preserve Pali and Prakrit language.**
- iii ****To establish, take over and administer Campuses in the various parts of the country and to associate with any other institutions with similar objectives.**
- iv ****To serve as a Central administrative machinery for the management of all the Campuses established or taken over by and to provide effective co-ordination in their academic work in order to facilitate the interchangeability and migration of staff, students and research scholars and national division of work among the Vidyapeethas in specialized fields.**
- v ****To act as nodal agency for Govt. of India to implement their policies and programmes and various schemes for the development of Sanskrit.**

- vi To provide for instruction and training in such branches of learning as it may deem fit.
- vii To provide for research and for the advancement of and dissemination of knowledge.
- viii To undertake extra mural studies, extension programmes and field outreach activities to contribute to the development of society.
- ix To do all such other acts and things as may be necessary or desirable to further the objectives of the Institute.

4. Powers and Functions of the Institute

To carry out the above objectives and for the management and properties of the Institute, the Institute shall have the following powers :

- i to establish courses of study and research and to provide instruction in such branches of study as the institute deems appropriate for the advancement of learning and dissemination of knowledge in such branches.
- ii to confer degrees and to grant Diplomas and/or Certificates to persons who have satisfactorily completed the approved courses of study and /or research as may be prescribed and shall have passed the prescribed examinations;
- iii to institute and award visitorship, fellowship, scholarships, stipends, exhibits, prizes and medals in accordance with the rules adopted by The Institute from time-to-time;
- iv to acquire, hold and dispose of property for the purpose of the Institute provided that the prior approval of the Board of Management is obtained in the case of acquisition or disposal of immovable property and to construct, improve, alter, demolish, repair and maintain any building or buildings for purposes of the Institute;
- v to do all such things as may be necessary for the incidental or conducive to the attainment of all or any of the objects of the Institute.

5. Interpretation of the objectives

The institute is established for public benefit and accordingly the objectives of the Institute as set forth above will be interpreted and restricted to mean such objectives and purposes as are regarded in law to be a public charitable in nature.

6. Institute open to All

- i The Institute shall be open to all persons of whatever race, religion, creed, caste, class and geographical area of the country. No test or condition shall be imposed as to religious belief for occupation in admitting or appointing members, students, teachers, workers or in any other connection whatsoever.
- ii No capitation fee shall be charged in any form in consideration for admission.
- iii In the case of self-financing institutions, fees to be prescribed shall be as per regulations prescribed under UGC Act, Section 26(1)(i).
- iv No benefaction that involves conditions and obligations opposed to the spirit and objects of the Institution shall be accepted by the Institute.

7. Admissions

Admissions shall be made on an all India basis to the identical courses in all deemed to be universities through a common entrance test conducted either by the University Grants Commission or by an Institution/Agency identified and approved by the U.G.C. This shall apply also to those institutions which have already been given the deemed to be University status.

8. Income and Property of the institute to be applied for the objectives only

The income and property of the Institute, howsoever derived, shall be applied towards the promotion of the objectives as set forth in this Memorandum of Association.

9. Income and property of the Institute not to be paid or transferred by way of profit

No portion of the income and property of the Institute shall be paid or transferred directly or indirectly by way of profit, to the persons, who at any time, or have been members of the Institute or to any of them, provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the payment in good faith or remuneration to any member thereof or other person in return for any service rendered to the Institute or for travelling, halting and other similar charges.

10. Management of the Institute

The names and addresses and occupations of the first members of the Board of Management to whom under rules, the management of the institute is entrusted till the various authorities in accordance with the rules are constituted, are given below as required under the Societies Registration Act, 1860;

Name	Address	Signature
V. Kutumba Sastry Director Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan	56-57, Institutional Area, Janakpuri, New Delhi-110058	

11. Review & Inspection

The Central Government/UGC shall have the right to cause an inspection to be made to the Institute, its buildings, laboratories, its examinations, teaching and other work conducted or done by the Institute; and to cause an enquiry to be made, if considered necessary by the Central Government/UGC, in respect of any matter of the Institution (deemed to be university).

Following the inspection, the Central Government/UGC may issue directions to the Institution (deemed to be university) which shall be binding on the Institution (deemed to be university).

In case, the Institution (deemed to be university) fails to comply with the direction(s) of the Central Government/UGC and/or fail to perform as per expectations of the Central Government/UGC, the deemed to be university status conferred on the Institution can be withdrawn by the Central Government on the recommendation of the UGC.

RULES OF THE INSTITUTE

1. Short Title

These rules shall be called the rules of the Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan.

2. Address of the Institute

The registered office of the Institute shall be situated at 56-57, Institutional Area, Janak Puri, New Delhi-110 058.

3. Definitions (to be in alphabetical order)

In these Rules unless the Context otherwise requires :

- a) "Academic Council" means the Academic Council of the Institute.
- b) "Authorities" means the authorities of the Institute.
- c) "Board of Management" means the Board of Management of the Institute.
- d) "President" means President of the Institute. (Equivalent to Chancellor of a University).
- e) "Central Govt." means the Govt. of India.
- f) "Vice-Chancellor" means Vice-Chancellor of the Institute.

4. Authorities of the Institute.

The following shall be the authorities of the Institute :

- 1 General Body [Sadharan Sabha]**
- 2 President [Kuladhyaksha]**
- 3 Board of Management [Prabandhan Samiti]**
- 4 Academic Council [Vidwat Prarishad]**
- 5 Planning and Monitoring Board
[Yojana Evam Anushravan Mandal]**
- 6 Finance Committee [Vitta Samiti]**
- 7 Advisory Committee [Paramarsh Datri Samiti]**
- 8. Such other authorities as may be declared by the bye laws to be authorities of the Institute.**

5. Constitution of General Body [Sadaran Sabha]

There shall be a General Body of the Institute which shall consist of the following.

1. President, Cabinet Minister holding charge of Human Resources Development Govt. of India.
2. Three vice-Chancellors of Sanskrit Universities to be nominated by Kuladhyaksha as members.
3. Three Eminent Scholars representing the various fields of traditional Sanskrit learning to be nominated by President as members.
4. Three Eminent Sanskrit Scholars representing the Universities to be nominated by the UGC as member.
5. Three representatives of Sanskrit Institutions Sanskrit boards of All India importance by rotation out of a list of such institutions to be maintained by the Institute as member.
6. Vice-Chancellor, Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, Tirupati and Vice-Chancellor Sri Lal Bahadur Shastri Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, New Delhi as members.
7. Financial Advisor Ministry of HRD as member.
8. Two representative of the Central Govt. nominated by Ministry of HRD as member.
9. Three Principals of Campuses of the Institute by rotation as member.
10. One Professor, one Reader and One Lecturer of the Campuses to be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor as a member.
11. Vice-Chancellor, Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan will be the Member Secretary.
12. The Government of India, Ministry of HRD may, at any time nominate any other person or persons to be the members of the Sansthan/General Body and other bodies of the Sansthan.

Membership Roll

- (i) The Institute shall keep a roll of members of the General Body stating therein the name, occupation and address of every member. Every member of the General Body shall sign the roll.
- (ii) If a member of the General Body changes his address, he shall notify the change to the Vice-Chancellor, who shall thereupon enter his new address in the roll of members. In case a member fails to notify the change, the address in the roll of members shall be deemed to be his address.

Term of office of the Members of Sadharan Sabha

- (a) The term of office of the members of the General Body shall be three years provided that a person appointed a member of the General Body by virtue of his holding an office or appointment shall cease to be a member of the General Body when he ceases to hold the office or appointment.
- (b) A member of the General Body who is not an employee of the Institute shall cease to be a member, if he accepts a full time appointment in the Institute.

- (c) A member of the General Body shall cease to be a member if he does not attend three consecutive meetings of the General Body without proper leave of absence from the Vice-Chancellor.
- (d) A member of the General Body shall cease to be a member, if he resigns, becomes of unsound mind, becomes insolvent or is convicted on a criminal offence involving moral turpitude or if he is removed by the Government of India from the membership of the General Body.

Resignation by a Member of the General Body.

Resignation from the membership of the General Body shall be tendered to the President and shall take effect from the date of submission.

Vacancies among Members of the General Body.

- (i) Any vacancy in the membership of the General Body shall be filled in accordance with the provisions of Rules. The person appointed in the vacancy shall hold office only for the unexpired period of the term of membership.
- (ii) The General Body shall function, notwithstanding any defect in the nomination of any of its members. No act or proceedings of the General Body shall be invalidated merely by reason of the existence of vacancies in the body or of any defect in the nomination or appointment of any of its members.

Power of the General Body

The General Body shall meet at least once a year and shall.

- (i) Review from time to time, the broad policies and programmes of the Institute and suggest measures for the improvement and development of the Institute.
- (ii) Consider and pass resolution, if any, on the annual report and the annual accounts of the Institute and the audit reports on such accounts.
- (iii) Advise President in respect of any matter that may be referred to it for advice; and.
- (iv) Perform such other functions as may be prescribed by the Rules.

Meeting of the General Body

- (i) Every meeting of the General Body be called through a notice issued under the signature of the Vice Chancellor.
- (ii) Every notice calling a meeting of the General Body shall state the date, time and place at which the meeting will be held 'and shall be served upon every member of the General body not less than fifteen clear days before the day appointed for the meeting.

Provided that the President or in his absence the Vice Chancellor for reasons to be recorded, may call a special meeting on such shorter notice than prescribed above, as he may think fit.

- (iii) The General Body shall meet at least once every year at such time, date and place as may be determined by the President.
- (iv) A notice may be served upon any member of the General Body either personally or by post at the address of each member as recorded in the roll of members and if so sent shall be deemed to be duly delivered, if the Institute has a proof of the fact that it was properly addressed and delivered or posted.
- (v) Every meeting of the General Body shall be presided over by the President or in his absence by the Vice Chancellor, and in the absence of both, by a member chosen by the members present at the meeting.
- (vi) Eight members of the General Body shall form the quorum at every meeting of the General Body. Provided that if a meeting is adjourned of want of quorum it shall be held on the same day or on such other day and such other time an place as the President or presiding member, may determine and, if at such a meeting quorum is not present within half-an-hour from the time appointed for holding the meeting the members present shall from the quorum.
- (vii) All matters shall be decided by majority vote. Every member of the General Body including the presiding member shall have one vote and if there is any equality of votes on any question to be decided by the General Body, the presiding member shall have an additional casting vote.
- (viii) Any emergent business necessary for the General Body to transact may be carried out by circulation amongst all the members and any resolution so circulated and approved by a majority of the members signing shall be as effective and binding as if such resolution has been passed at a meeting of the General Body have recorded their views on the resolution.
- (ix) The ruling of the President in all matters of procedure shall be final.

6. Powers & Composition of the Board of Management

The Board of Management shall be the principal organ of management in the Institute. It shall be a compact and homogenous body enabling it promptly to take and implement well considered decisions and to effectively handle crisis situations.

a) Powers

The Board of Management shall be the principal executive body of the Institute and shall, in addition to all powers vested in it have the following powers namely:

- i To manage and administer the revenues and properties of the Institute and to conduct all administrative affairs of the Institute not otherwise specifically provided for.
- ii To create teaching and academic posts, to determine number, qualifications and cadres thereof as approved by the University Grants Commission and the emoluments of such posts in consultation with the Finance Committee.
- iii To appoint such Professors, Associate Professors, (Readers, Asstt. Professors (Lecturers) and other academic staff as may be necessary on the recommendation of the Selection Committee.
- iv To lay down the duties and conditions of service of the Professors, Associate Professors, Asstt. Professors and other academic staff maintained by the Institute, in consultation with the Academic Council.
- v To provide for appointment of Visting Fellows and Visiting Professors.
- vi To create administrative, ministerial and other necessary posts in terms of the cadres laid down or otherwise and to make appointment thereof in consultation with the Finance Committee.
- vii To grant leave of absence to the Vice-Chancellor or any other officer of the Institute and to make necessary arrangements for carrying on the functions of the officers proceeding on leave during their absence.
- viii To regulate and enforce discipline among the employees of the Institute and to take appropriate disciplinary action, wherever necessary.

- ix To manage and regulate the finance, accounts, investments, property and all other administrative affairs of the institute and for that purpose to appoint such agent or agents as it may deem fit.
- x To entertain and adjudicate upon and, if through fit, to redress any grievances of the employees and students of the Institute.
- xi To select an emblem and to have a common seal for the Institute and to provide for the custody and use of such seal.
- xii To institute Fellowships, including Travelling Fellowships, Scholarships, Studentships, Medals and Prizes in accordance with the bye-laws to be framed for the purpose.
- xiii To amend and receive payment of fees and other charges.
- xiv To appoint such committees for such purpose and with such powers as the Board of Management may think fit and co-opt such persons on these committees as it thinks fit.
- xv To appoint Auditors for the ensuing year.
- xvi To open account or accounts of the institute with any one or more scheduled banks and to lay-down the procedure for operating the same.
- xvii To manage the Finances, Accounts, investments, movable properties, business and all other administrative affairs of the Institute.
- xviii To issue appeals for funds for carrying out the objectives of the Institute and consistent with the provisions of the objectives clause of the Institute, to receive grants, donations, contributions, gifts, prizes, scholarships, fees and other moneys, to give grants and donations, to award prizes, scholarships etc.
- xix To purchase, take on lease or accept as gift or otherwise any land or buildings or works which may be necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Institute, and, on such terms and conditions as it may deem fit and proper and to construct or alter and maintain any such buildings or works.
- xx To draw and accept and make and endorse discount and negotiate Government of India's and other promissory notes, bills and exchange, cheques or other negotiable instruments.

- xxi To transfer or accept transfers of any movable property on behalf of the Institute.
- xxii To advise the Holding Trustee (if any) on matters regarding acquisition, management and disposal of any immovable property on behalf of the Institute.
- xxiii To provide building or buildings, premises, furniture, fittings, equipment, appliances and other facilities required for carrying on the work of the Institute.
- xxiv To execute in consultation with the Holding Trustees (if any) conveyance, transfer, Government Securities, re-conveyances, mortgages, leases, bonds, licenses and agreement in respect of property, movable or immovable belonging to the institute or to be acquired for the purposes of the Institute.
- xxv To appoint, in order to execute an instrument or transact any business of the Institute, any person as attorney of the Institute with such powers as it may deem fit.
- xxvi In consultation with the Holding Trustees (if any), to raise and borrow money on bonds, mortgages, promissory notes or other obligations or securities founded or based on any of the properties and assets of the Institute or without any securities and upon such terms and conditions as it may think fit and pay out of the funds of the Institute, all expenses, incidental to the raising of money and to repay and redeem an money borrowed.
- xxvii To invest the funds of the Institute or money entrusted to the Institute in or upon such securities and in such manner as it may deem fit and from time to time transpose any investment.
- xxviii To maintain a fund to which shall be credited :
- a All moneys provided by the Central or State Governments/University Grants Commission.
 - b All fees and other charges received by the Institute.
 - c All moneys received by the Institute as grants, gifts, donations, benefactions, bequest or transfers and
 - d All moneys received by the Institute in any other manner or from any other source.

- xxix To deposit all moneys credited to the fund in scheduled banks or to invest them in consultation with the Finance Committee.
- xxx To maintain proper accounts and other relevant records and prepare Annual Statements of Accounts including the Balance-Sheet for every previous financial year, in such form as may be prescribed by the Regulations/Bye-laws.
- xxxi To constitute, for the benefit of the teaching, academic, technical, administrative and other staff, in such manner and subject to such conditions as may be prescribed by the Bye-laws such pension, insurance, provident fund and gratuity as it may deem fit for the benefit of the employees of the Institute and to aid in the establishment and support of Association, Institution, Funds, Trusts and conveyances calculated to benefit the staff and the students of the Institute.
- xxxii To delegate, all or any of its powers to any committee or sub-committee constituted by it or the Vice-Chancellor of the Institute or any other authorised persons.
- xxxiii To establish, on the advice of the Academic Council Divisions and Departments for the academic work and functions of the Institute and to allocate areas of Study, Teaching and Research to them.
- xxxiv To conduct examinations or tests for admission to the courses taught in the Institute, to conduct examinations for Degrees and diplomas and to declare the results of such examinations and tests and to confer, grant or award Degrees, Diplomas, Certificates and other academic titles and distinctions.
- xxxv To establish, maintain and manage hostels for the students of the Institute.
- xxxvi To fix the emoluments and travelling and other allowances of examiners, moderators, tabulators and such other personnel appointed for examinations in consultation with the Academic Council and the Finance Committee.
- xxxvii To recognize and maintain control and supervision on hostels owned and managed by other agencies for the students of the Institute and to rescind such recognition.
- xxxviii The Board of Management shall be the principal executive body of the Institute and shall have the powers to take all necessary decisions for the smooth and efficient functioning of the Institute.

b Composition of the Board of Management

The Board of Management shall consist of :-

- 1 Vice Chancellor Chairman
- 2 ***One Principal/Dean by rotation on seniority.**
- 3 Three nominees of the President of the Institute.
- 4 One nominee of the Chairman, UGC
- 5 One nominee of the Government of India.
- 6 One nominee of the funding agency/agencies
- 7 Three teachers (Professor, Reader, Lecturer) (by rotation) according to seniority.
- 8 One nominee of the sponsoring Society
- 9 The Registrar shall be the non-Member Secretary

Note :- (The Chairman of the Board of management shall ordinarily be the Vice-chancellor of the Institute. However, while suggesting the composition of the Board of Management, alternate proposals for appointment of a Chairman of the Board could be made.).

c Term of Membership

All the members of the above body other than ex-officio and the members of the teaching staff shall hold office for a term of three years and shall be eligible for reappointment.

Members of teaching staff in the above body shall hold office for a period of 2 years or till such time as they continue to be members of the teaching staff, whichever is less.

d Meetings of the Board Management

i. The Board of Management shall meet atleast four times a year. Not less than 15 days notice shall be given of a meeting of the Board of Management and a copy of the proceedings of each meeting shall be furnished to the President of the Institute as soon as possible after the meeting.

- ii Each member of the above Body including its Chairman shall have one vote and decisions at the meeting of the Board shall be taken by simple majority. In case of a tie, the Chairman shall have a casting vote.
- iii Every meeting of the above Body shall be presided over by its Chairman, and in his absence by a member chosen by the members present from amongst themselves shall preside over the meeting.
- iv Any business which it may be necessary for the above Body to perform may be carried out by circulating appropriate resolution thereon among its members and the resolution so circulated and approved by a simple majority shall be as effective and binding as if such resolution had been passed at the meeting of the Board.

If a member other than the Vice-Chancellor or those representing the teachers accepts a full time appointment in the Institute or he does not attend three consecutive meetings of the Board of Management without proper leave of absence, he shall cease to be a member of the above Body.

7. Constitution of Standing Committee and Appointment of Ad-hoc Committee by the Board of Management.

- i Subject to the provision of the Rules/Bye-laws of the Institute, the Board of Management may by a resolution constitute such standing Committee or co-Committee or Ad-hoc committee or Committees for such purposes and with such powers as the Board may think fit for exercising any power or powers or discharging any function of the Institute or for inquiring into reporting and advising upon any matter of the Institute.
- ii The Board of Management may co-opt such persons on the standing committees or ad-hoc Committees as it may consider suitable.

8. Delegation of Powers of the Board of Management.

The Board of Management may by a resolution, delegate to the President, Vice-Chancellor or any other officer of the Standing Committee or the Ad-hoc Committee such of its powers as it may deem fit, subject to the condition that the action taken by the President or the Vice-Chancellor or the officer concerned or the Standing Committee or the Ad-hoc Committee concerned in the exercise of the powers so delegated shall be reported at the next meeting of the Board of Management.

9. Academic Council

The Academic Council shall be the principal academic body of the Institute and shall, subject to the provisions of the Memorandum of Association and the Rules and Bye-laws shall have the control over and responsible for the maintenance of standards of education, teaching and training, inter-departmental co-ordination, research, examinations and tests within the Institute and shall exercise such other powers and perform such other duties and functions as may be prescribed or conferred upon it by the Rules and Bye-laws.

a) Membership of the Academic Council

The Academic Council shall consist of the following persons, namely :

- a) Vice-Chancellor of the Institute Chairman
- b) Dean of Faculties, if any
- c) Heads of the Departments of the Institute
- d) Ten Professors other than the Heads of the Departments (by rotation and on seniority)
- e) Three Readers from the Departments other than the Heads of the Departments by rotation in the order of seniority nominated by the Vice-Chancellor.
- f) Three Lecturers from the Departments by rotation in the order of seniority nominated by the Vice-Chancellor.
- g) Three persons from amongst educationists of repute or persons from any other field related to the activities of the Institute who are not in the service of the Institute, nominated by the President.
- h) Three persons who are not members of the teaching staff co-opted by the Academic Council for their specialized knowledge.

The term of members other than ex-officio members shall be two years. They shall not be eligible further unless every one has completed one term.

Note : The representation of different categories should be only through rotation and not through election. It may also be ensured that no particular faculty dominates the membership of the Council.

b) Powers and Functions of the Academic Council

The Academic Council shall be the principal academic body of the institute and shall, in addition to all other powers and duties vested in it, have the following powers and duties viz :

- a) to exercise general supervision over the academic work of the Institute and to give direction regarding methods of instructions, evaluation or improvements in academic standards.
- b) To promote research within the Institute, acquire reports on such researches from time to time.
- c) To consider matters of academic interest either on its own initiative or at the instance of the Board of Management and to take proper action thereon.
- d) To make arrangements for the conduct of examinations in conformity with the bye-laws.
- e) To maintain proper standards of the examinations.
- f) To recognize diplomas and degrees of Universities and other Institutions and to determine equivalence with the diplomas and degrees of the Institute.
- g) To prescribe courses of study leading to degrees and diplomas of the Institute.
- h) To appoint examiners, moderators, tabulators and such other personnel for different examinations.
- i) To suggest measures for departmental co-ordination.
- j) To make recommendations to the Board of Management on :
 - i Measures for improvement of standards of teaching, training and research.
 - ii Institution of Fellowships, Travelling Fellowships, Scholarships, Medals, Prizes etc.
 - iii Establishment or abolition of departments/centers and
 - iv Bye-laws covering the academic functioning of the Institute, discipline, residence, admissions, examinations, award of fellowships and studentships, freships, concessions, attendance etc.

- k To appoint sub-committees to advise on such specific matters as may be referred to it by the Board of Management.
- l To consider the recommendations of the sub-committees and to take such action (including making of recommendations to the Board of Management) as the circumstances on each case may require.
- m To take periodical review of the activities of the Departments/Centres and to take appropriate action (including making of recommendations to the Board of Management) with a view to maintaining and improving the standards of instruction.
- n To exercise such other powers and perform such other duties as may be conferred or imposed upon it by the rules and bye-laws.
- o To recommend institution of Teaching posts, Professors, Readers and Lecturers to the Board of Management.

c Meeting of the Academic Council

- i The Academic Council shall meet as often as may be necessary but not less than three times during the academic year.
- ii One third of the total members of the Academic Council shall constitute the quorum for the meeting of the Academic Council.
- iii Any business which it may be necessary for the Academic Council to perform except such as may be placed before its meeting, may be carried out by circulation of the resolution among all its members and the resolution so circulated and approved by a simple majority shall be effective and binding as if such resolution had been passed in the meeting of the Academic Council, provided that atleast one half of the total number of the members of the Academic Council have recorded their views on the Resolution.

10. Finance Committee

The Finance Committee shall consist of the following members :

- i Vice-Chancellor of the Institute-Chairman
- ii A person nominated by the President.
- iii Two nominees of the Board of Management, one of whom shall be a member of the Board.
- iv A representative of the UGC.
- v A representative of the Central Govt./State Govt.

a) Terms of Office of the Members of the Finance Committee

All members of the Finance Committee other than ex-officio members shall hold office for a term of three years.

b) Powers and Functions of the Finance Committee.

- a) The Finance Committee shall meet atleast twice a year to examine the accounts and to scrutinize proposals for expenditure.
- b) The annual accounts and financial estimates of the Institute shall be placed before the Finance Committee for consideration and thereafter submitted to the Board of Management together with the comments of the Finance Committee for approval.
- c) The Finance Committee shall fix limits of the total recurring expenditure and total non-recurring expenditure of the year based on the income and resources of the Institute. No expenditure shall be incurred by the Institute in excess of the limits so fixed.
- d) No expenditure other than that provided in the budget shall be incurred by the Institute without the approval of the Finance Committee.
- e) To recommend to the Board of Management the creation of all types of posts.

11. Advisory Committee

For a period of first ten years the Institute will have an Advisory Committee under the Chairmanship of a person nominated by the Commission from among members of the Commission including Vice-Chairman. The Advisory Committee will include the Head of the Institution and its senior faculty alongwith one/two experts nominated by the UGC to help its academic planning and growth.

12. Planning & Monitoring Board

The Planning & Monitoring Board shall be the Principal Planning Body of the Institute and shall be responsible for the monitoring of the development programmes of the Institute.

The Vice-Chancellor of the Institute shall be the Chairman of the Planning & Monitoring Board. It may include six or seven internal members and a few outside experts, including one nominee of the UGC.

The constitution, powers and functions of the Planning & Monitoring Board shall be prescribed by the Bye-laws.

The Planning & Monitoring Board would have the right to advise the Board of Management and the Academic Council on any matter which it considers necessary for the fulfilment of the objectives of the Institute.

The recommendations of the Planning & Monitoring Board shall be placed before the Board of Management for consideration and approval. Proposals relating to academic matters may be processed through the Academic Council.

13. Selection Committee

- i There shall be a Selection Committee for making recommendations to the Board of Management for appointment to the posts of Professors, Associate Professors and Asstt. Professors in the Institute and such other posts as may be prescribed by the Bye-laws.
- ii Every Selection Committee shall consist of the following members.

a) For appointment of Professors

- i Vice-Chancellor of the Institute as Chairman
- ii A person nominated by the President.

- iii Dean of Faculty/Head of the Deptt./Chairman, Board of Studies, provided he is a Professor.
- iv Three outside experts nominated by the President from a panel of not less than six names recommended by the Academic Council and approved by the Board of Management.

b) For appointment of Readers and Lecturers

- i Vice-Chancellor- Chairman
- ii A person nominated by the President of the Institute.
- iii Dean of Faculty/Head of the Deptt./Chairman, Board of Studies, provided he is a Professor or Reader.
- iv Two outside experts nominated by the President from a panel of not less than six names recommended by the Academic Council and approved by the Board of Management.

Meetings.

- a) The meetings of the Selection Committee will be convened by the Chairman of the Selection Committee as and when necessary.
- b) Four members of the Selection Committee shall form the quorum, consisting of atleast two experts.
- c) If the Board of Management is unable to accept the recommendations of the Selection Committee, it shall record its reasons about it and submit the case to the President whose decision shall be final in the matter.

14. Board of Studies

- i There shall be one Board of Studies for each Department of the Institute.
- ii The Board of Studies of each Department shall consist of :
 - a) Head of the Department Chairman
 - b) All Professors of the Department

- c) Two Readers of the Department by rotation according to seniority
- d) Two Lecturers of the Department by rotation according to seniority.
- e) Not more than 2 persons to be co-opted for their expert knowledge including those belonging to the concerned profession or industry.

The powers and functions of the Board of Studies shall be prescribed by the Bye-laws of the Institute.

15. Grievance Redressal Machinery

For individual grievance and complaint, every Institution shall have a Grievance Redressal Machinery as may be prescribed in the Bye-laws.

16. Officers of the Institute

The following shall be the officers of the Institute :-

1. Vice Chancellor [Kulapati]
2. Registrar [Kulsachivi]
3. Finance Officer [Vitta Adhikari] and such other officers as may be prescribed in the bye-laws.

(a) President

***Cabinet Minister holding Charge of Human Resources Development Govt. of India shall be the President of the Institute, by virtue of his office, which is co-terminus. A President who by virtue of his office be the Head of the Institute and shall when present preside over the convocations of the Institute.**

Where power is conferred upon the President to nominate persons to authorities, the President shall to the extent necessary nominate persons to represent the various interests for the furtherance of the objectives of the Institute.

(b) Vice-Chancellor

The Vice-Chancellor shall be a whole time salaried officer of the Institute and shall be appointed by the President of the Sansthan with the approval of the Appointments Committee of the Cabinet (ACC) from a panel of three names suggested by a Search-cum-Selection Committee to be constituted by the Ministry.

The composition of the above Committee would be :-

- i A nominee of the President of the Sansthan
- ii A nominee of the Central Government
- iii An expert of eminence from the relevant field nominated by the Chairman, UGC.
- iv A nominee of the DOP & T.

The panel recommended by the Search-cum-Selection Committee will be valid for one year.

The Panel recommended will be implemented in toto and any deviation will require approval of ACC.

The Vice Chancellor shall hold office for a term of 5 years and he shall not be eligible for re-appointment.

Provided that notwithstanding the expiry of the said period of 5 years, he can continue in office till successor is appointed and assumes office or re-appointment is made but not beyond six months, with the prior approval of ACC.

*Provided further that a person appointed as Vice-Chancellor shall retire from office during the tenure of his office of extension, thereof, if any, he completes the age of 70 years.

If the office of the Vice Chancellor becomes vacant due to death, resignation or otherwise and in his absence due to illness or any other cause, the Dean or if there is no Dean, the senior most professor shall perform the duties of Vice Chancellor until the existing Vice Chancellor resumes duties or an alternative arrangement is made to entrust additional/current charge of the post to someone with the approval of the ACC.

- i The Vice Chancellor, shall be the Principal and executive officer of the institute and shall exercise general supervision or control over the affairs of the Institute and implement the decisions of all the authorities of the Institute.
- ii The Vice Chancellor may, if he is of the opinion that immediate action is called for on any matter exercise any power conferred upon any authority of the Institute under the Memorandum of Association and the rules and Regulations/ Bye-laws, take such action or proceed to take such action and shall report to the concerned authority on the action taken by him on such matter.

* Amended vide MHRD letter no.11-9/2009-Skt.I dated 15th June, 2009

Provided that if the authority concerned as mentioned in clause (i) above is of the opinion that such action ought not to have been taken, it may refer the matter to the President whose decision thereon shall be final.

Provided further that any person in the service of the Institute is aggrieved by the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor under the said clause he shall have the right to appeal against such action to the Board of Management within 30 days from the date on which such action is communicated to him and thereupon the Board of Management may confirm, modify or reverse the action taken by the Vice-Chancellor.

- iii The Vice-Chancellor, unless otherwise provided, shall be the Ex-officio Chairman of the Board of Management, the Academic Council and the Finance Committee.
- iv It shall be the duty of the Vice-Chancellor to ensure that the Memorandum of Association, the Rules, Bye-laws and Regulations of the Institute are duly observed and implemented and he shall have all the necessary powers in this regard.
- v The Vice-Chancellor shall exercise general control over the affairs of the Institute and shall be mainly responsible for implementation of the decisions of various authorities of the Institute.
- vi All powers relating to the proper maintenance and discipline of the Institute shall be vested in the Vice-Chancellor.
- vii The Vice-Chancellor shall exercise such other powers and perform such other functions as may be prescribed by the Rules, Bye-laws and Regulations.
- viii The Vice-Chancellor shall exercise all other powers as may be delegated to him by the Board of Management.
- ix The Vice-Chancellor shall have the power to re-delegate some of his powers to any of his subordinate officers with the concurrence and approval of the Board of Management.
- x The Vice-Chancellor shall have the power to convene or cause to be convened meetings of the various bodies of the Institute.

(The recruitment rules framed by the Ministry and Communicated vide their letter no.11-16/2009-Skt.-I dated 27-8-2009 is appended with this MOA)

- (f) The following shall be the duties of the Registrar :-
- i To be Custodian of the records, the funds of the Institute and such other property of the Institute as the Board of management may commit to his charge.
 - ii To conduct the official correspondence on behalf of the authorities of the Institute.
 - iii To issue notices convening meetings of the authorities of the Institute and all Committees and Sub-Committees appointed by any of these authorities.
 - iv To keep the minutes of the meeting of all the authorities of the Institute and of all the committees and sub-committees appointed by any of these authorities.
 - v To make arrangements for and supervise the examinations conducted by the Institute.
 - vi To represent the Institute in suits or proceedings by or against the Institute, sign powers of attorney and perform pleadings or depute his representatives for this purpose.
 - vii To enter into agreement, sign documents and authenticate records on behalf of the Institute.
 - viii To hold in special custody books and documents of the Institute.
 - ix To safeguard and maintain the buildings, gardens, office, canteen, cars and other vehicles, laboratories, libraries, reading rooms, equipment and other properties of the Institute.
 - x To perform such other duties as may be specified in the Rules and Bye-laws or as may be specified by the Board of Management or the Vice-Chancellor from time to time.

(e) Finance Officer

The Finance Officer shall be whole time salaried officer of the Institute and shall be appointed by the Board of Management preferably on deputation from a panel of names submitted by the State Govt./Central Govt. The emoluments and other terms and conditions of service of the Finance Officer shall be as may be prescribed by the Bye-laws.

The Finance Officer shall work under the supervision of the Vice-Chancellor and is accountable to the Board of Management through the Vice-Chancellor. He would be the Ex-officio non-member Secretary of the Finance Committee. He would be an adviser to the Vice-Chancellor for financial matters.

Subject to the control of the Board of Management to manage properly and investment of the Institute, he shall be responsible for the preparation of annual estimates and statements of account for submission to the Finance Committee and the Board of Management.

17. Seniority List

- (a) Whenever in accordance with these Rules, any person is to hold an office or to be member of an authority of the Institute by rotation according to seniority, such seniority shall be determined according to the length of the continuous service of such person in grade and in accordance with such other principles as the Board of Management may from time to time prescribe.
- (b) It shall be the duty of the Registrar to prepare and maintain in respect of each class of persons to whom the provisions of these rules apply, a complete and up-to-date seniority list in accordance with the provisions of the foregoing clause.
- (c) If two or more persons have equal length of continuous service in a particular grade or the relative seniority of any person or persons is in doubt, the Registrar may on his own notion and shall at the request of any such person, submit the matter to the Board whose decision shall be final.

18. Delegation of Powers

Subject to the provisions of these Rules and Bye-laws an officer or authority of the Institute may delegate his or its power to any other officer or authority or person under their respective control and subject to the conditions that the overall responsibility for exercise of the powers so delegated shall continue to rest in the officer or Authority delegating such power.

19. Dispute as to Membership

If any question arises, whether any person has been duly elected or appointed as or is entitled to be a member of any authority or any Committee to the Institute, the matter shall be referred to the President of the Institute, whose decision thereon shall be final.

20. Right of Central Government to Inspect the Institute

- i The Government of India, shall have the right to cause an inspection to be made by such person or persons as it may direct, of the Institute, its buildings, fixtures and fittings, laboratories and equipment as also examinations, teaching and other work carried on or done by the Institute and, if necessary, to cause an inquiry to be made in respect of any matter connected with the administration of finances of the Institute.
- ii The Government of India, shall, in every case, give notice to the Institute of its intention to cause an inspection or inquiry to be made and on receipt of such a notice the Institute shall have the right to make such representations to the Government of India as it may consider necessary.
- iii Where an inspection or inquiry has been caused to be made by the Government of India the Institute shall be entitled to appoint a representative who shall have the right to be present and to be heard at such inspection or inquiry.
- iv The Government of India may communicate the result of such inspection or inquiry together with such advice as it may be pleased to offer as to the action to be taken by the Institute, to the Vice-Chancellor of the Institute who shall communicate the same to the Board of Management.
- v The Board of Management shall give proper consideration to the said communication regarding the result of inspection or inquiry and the proposals for action by the Institute and communicate to the Government of India, if any, which it proposes to take or has taken upon the result of such inspection or inquiry.
- vi Where the Board of Management does not, within a reasonable time, take any action to the satisfaction of the Government of India, the Government of India may after giving due consideration to the explanation furnished or representation made by the Board of Management to it, issue such directions as it may think fit and the Board of Management shall comply with such directions.

21. Review of the Academic Activities of the Institute

- i The functions of the Institute shall be reviewed after a period of every 5 years or even earlier, if necessary, by a Committee appointed by the University Grants Commission.
- ii The report of the Committee shall be considered by the Commission. In the event of an adverse appraisal of the Institute, the Commission shall direct the Institute to take immediate remedial measures. In the event of non-compliance of the Commission's directions within the specified period as determined by the UGC in this respect, the Commission shall have the right to recommend to the Government of India for the revocation of the Notification issued earlier declaring Institution as deemed to be Univeristy.

22. Resignation

Any member other than an ex-officio member of any authority may resign by a letter addressed to the Registrar and the reisgnation shall take effect as soon as it is accepted by the President or the Chairman of the Board of Management as the case may be.

23. Acting Chairman of the Meetings

Where no provision is made for a Chairman to preside over a meeting of an authority of the Institute or any Committee of such authority, or if the Chairman so provided is absent, the member shall select one from amongst themselves to preside at such meeting.

24. Validation of Certain Acts, Decisions

No Act or proceedings of any authority or any body or any Committee of the Institute shall be invalid merely by reason of :

- (a) any vacany therein or any defect in the constitution thereof; or
- (b) any defect in the nomination of appointment of a person acting as a member thereof; or
- (c) any irregularity in its procedure not affecting the merits of the case.

25. Disqualification

- (a) A person shall be disqualified for having chosen as and for being a member of any of the authorities of the Institute :-
- i If he is of unsound mind or is deaf or mute.
 - ii If he is an undischarged insolvent.
 - iii If he has been convicted by a court of law of an offence involving moral turpitude.
- (b) If any question arises as to whether a person is or has been subjected to any disqualifications mentioned above, the question shall be referred for decision to the President and his decision shall be final and no suit or proceeding shall lie in any civil court against such decision.

26. Filling of Casual Vacancies

Casual vacancies among the members (other than ex-officio members) of any authority or any other Committee of the Institute shall be filled as soon as it may be convenient by the person or the authority who appointed or co-opted the member whose place has become vacant and the person appointed or co-opted to a casual vacancy shall be member of such authority or Committee for the residual term for which the person whose place he fills would have been a member.

27. Bye-laws

Subject to the provisions of the Memorandum of Association and the Rules and By-laws, the Board of Management shall in addition to all other powers vested in it, have the power to frame Bye-laws which may provide for all or any of the following matters :

- (a) establishment of Departments of teaching and halls of residence;
- (b) the admission of students to the Institute and their enrolment as such;
- (c) the courses of study to be laid down for all degrees, diplomas and certificates of the Institute;
- (d) the grant of academic awards (such as degrees and diplomas) and distinctions;

- (e) the fees to be charged for courses of study in the Institute and for admission to the examination, degrees, diplomas and certificates of the Institute.
- (f) the Institution of and prescription of the conditions of the award of fellowships, scholarships, studentships, medals and prizes;
- (g) the conduct of examinations, appointment of examiners and approval and publication of result thereof;
- (h) the maintenance of discipline among the students;
- (i) the maintenance of discipline among the employees of the Institute;
- (j) the conditions of residence and health of students of the Institute;
- (k) the classification, emoluments, method of appointment, and the determination of the terms and conditions of service of the teaching staff of the Institute.
- (l) the constitution of pension, provident fund, insurance etc. for the benefit of the officers, teachers Academic Staff and the other staff of the Institute.
- (m) the establishment of special centers;
- (n) the creation, composition and function of any committees or body, which is considered necessary for the work of the Institute.
- (o) the preparation and submission of budget estimates;
- (p) the procedure for convening of meeting of any authority or committee.
- (q) the laying down of procedures to be observed at any meeting of any authority or any committees;
- (r) to constitute any other body as an authority of the Institute.
- (s) all other matters which by this Memorandum or the Rules may be provided for by the Bye-laws provided that no Bye-laws shall be made affecting the condition of residence, health of disciplines of student, admission or enrolment of students, conditions, mode of appointment or duties of examiners or the conduct or standard of examinations or any course of study without consulting the Academic Council.

28. Interpretation Clause

In the event of conflict of opinion with regard to interpretation of Memorandum of Association or the Rules and Bye-laws, the opinion of the UGC shall be final.

29. Income and Property of the Institute to be Utilised for its objects only

The income and property of the Institute howsoever derived shall be utilized solely for promoting the objects of the Institute as set out in this Memorandum of Association.

30. Bar on Payment of Transferring of the Income and Property of the Institute by ways of Profit.

No portion of the income and property of the Institute shall be paid or transferred directly or indirectly, by way of dividend, bonus or otherwise howsoever by way of profit to the persons who were at any time or are members of the Institute or to any of them or any persons claiming through them or any of them provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the payment in good faith of remuneration to any member thereof or other person as consideration for any service rendered to the Institute or for travelling or other allowances and such other charges.

31. Adjustment of Income and Property on Dissolution of the Institute

After, on the winding up or dissolution of the Institute there shall remain after the satisfaction of all its debts and liabilities, and property whatsoever, the same shall not be paid or distributed among the members of the Institute or any of them but shall be transferred to the Institute, or other bodies in consultation with the agencies concerned who have helped in creation of those assets.

32. Legal Proceedings

- i For the purpose of Section 6 of the Societies Registration Act, 1860, the person in whose name the Institute may sue or be sued shall be the Registrar.
- ii No suit or legal proceedings shall lie against the Central Government or UGC or the Institute or an Officer of the Institute or a member of the authority of the Institute in respect of anything done or purported or intended to be done in pursuance or any article of Memorandum of Association or the Rules or Bye-laws made thereunder.

33. Alteration, Amendments, and Additions in the Rules.

The Rules and Bye-laws of the Institute may be altered, amended and added to by the Board of Management in accordance with the provision of the Societies Registration Act, 1860 as in force for the time being provided any such alterations, amendments and additions in the Rules of the Institute shall become effective only after the receipt of concurrence of the Government of India.

34. Funds, Accounts, Audits and Annual Report

- i The funds of the Society shall be utilized solely for the purpose of the Society.
- ii The accounts of the Institute shall be maintained in the name of the Institute and not in the name of a particular trust or Society whether financing or sponsoring the Institute or not. The accounts of the Institute shall be kept in such forms as may be laid down by the Board of Management and shall conform to the rules, if any, prescribed by the University Grants Commission/the Government of India. The accounts of the Institute will be open to examination by the Comptroller and Auditor General of the Government of India.
- iii All funds belonging to the Institute or under the control of the Board of Management, shall be shown separately in the accounts of the Institute.

Annual Reports and the Audit Reports shall be submitted to the Government of India within nine months of the closure of the accounting year for the purpose of being laid down on the table of the Parliament.

- iv The account of income and expenditure as also the annual financial statement and annual accounts shall be audited by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India through the Accountant General of the State concerned.

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1	Vice Chancellor, Rashtriya Sanskrit Sansthan	One	Rs.75,000/- Fixed plus allowances, as per UGC norms	Selection	45-65 years	<p>Education Qualifications: Essential: (i) A post Graduate Degree in Sanskrit from a recognized University/Institutions (ii) Doctorate in Sanskrit from a recognized University/Institution. (iii)Published work as evidenced in authoring of Books or Original research articles published in reputed international or national journals. Desirable: (i) A formal degree in any allied/related discipline. (ii) Participation in National and International seminars etc. and presented papers independently. (iii) Practical knowledge of English and Hindi and Pali/Prakrit. Experience: Academic: (a) Teaching experience of at least 20 years at higher levels (graduation and above). (b) Experience of imparting Research Guidance (i.e. experience of having guided successful Ph.D. or M.Phil students). © Use of innovative pedagogic techniques for teaching of Sanskrit at all levels.</p>	5 years (a) Provided that notwithstanding the expiry of the said period of 5 years, he can continue in office till successor is appointed and assumes office or re-appointment is made but not beyond six months, with the prior approval of ACC. (b) Provided further that a person appointed as Vice-Chancellor shall retire from office during the tenure of his office of extension, thereof, if any, he completes the age of 70 years. (c) If the office of the Vice Chancellor becomes vacant due to death, resignation or otherwise and in his absence due to illness or any other cause, the Dean or if there is no Dean, the senior most professor shall perform the duties of Vice Chancellor until the existing Vice Chancellor resumes duties or an alternative arrangement is made to	By transfer on Deputation/by Direct recruitment.	Dean of the faculty, Principal of a Post Graduate College, Vice Chancellor of a University or Head of a University Department.	A Search-cum-Selection Committee will be constituted by the Ministry with the approval of DOPT. The composition of the Committee would be: (i) A nominee of the President of the Sansthan. (ii) A nominee of the Central Government. (iii) An expert of eminence from the relevant field nominated by the Chairman UGC.	No

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I hereby certify that

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has this day been registered under the Societies Registration Act, XII of 1860.

Given under my head at Delhi/New Delhi

this 15 day of अक्टोबर One
thousand nine hundred and 970

Registration Fee of Rs.50/- paid.



COMPARED.

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REGISTRAR OF SOCIETIES:
DELHI ADMINISTRATION:
DELHI.

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