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File No. 28-313/2010-NBA

Date : 28-10-2016

To,

The Director,
Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology,
South Ambazari Road,
Nagpur – 440 010, Maharashtra.

Subject: Accreditation status of programme applied by Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology, South Ambazari Road, Nagpur – 440 010, Maharashtra.

Sir,

This has reference to your application dated 27/06/2014 in Tier-I format seeking accreditation by National Board of Accreditation to UG Engineering programmes offered by Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology, South Ambazari Road, Nagpur – 440 010, Maharashtra.

2. Expert Team conducted on-site evaluation of the programmes during 19th to 21st August, 2016. The report submitted by the Expert Team was considered by the concerned Committee constituted for the purpose in NBA. The competent authority has approved the following accreditation status to the programmes as given in the table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Programmes	Level	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1.	Electrical Engineering	UG	Tier-I Document	Accredited	Academic Years 2016-2017, 2017-2018, 2018-19, 2019-20 and 2020-21 i.e. upto 30-06-2021	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in col.6 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier
2.	Metallurgical & Materials Engineering	UG	Tier-I Document	Accredited		
3.	Mining Engineering	UG	Tier-I Document	Provisionally Accredited	Academic Years 2016-2017 and 2017-2018 i.e., upto 30-06-2018	

3. Weaknesses in respect of Mining Engineering and Metallurgical & Material Engineering programmes as observed during the course of evaluation are indicated in the Annexure to this letter.

4. 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.

5. The program(s) have been granted provisional accreditation. Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology, South Ambazari Road, Nagpur – 440 010, Maharashtra should submit the Compliance Report at least six months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above. It may require submission of pre-qualifier before sending the Compliance report for granting further Accreditation.

6. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology, South Ambazari Road, Nagpur – 440 010, Maharashtra 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 programme(s) accredited, level of programmes 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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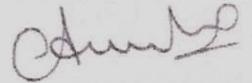
7. The accreditation status of the above programmes is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programmes as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of the Institute.

8. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes 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.

9. Copies of the Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team and Evaluators' reports in respect of the above programmes are also enclosed.

10. 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.Copies of Report of Chairmen of the Visiting Teams.
2.Copies of Expert Reports of the Visiting Teams.

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1. The Director of Technical Education,
3, Mahapalika Marg,
Opp. Metro Cinema,
Chhatrapati Shivaji Terminus Area,
Mumbai, Maharashtra 400001
2. Accreditation File
3. Master Accreditation File of the State

ANNEXURE

**Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology,
South Ambazari Road, Nagpur –440 010, Maharashtra**

Name of the Programme	Weaknesses
Mining Engineering	Criterion 5 (FC): Contractual Faculty is very high. Total number of Faculty available for UG program is very low. Marks in Criteria 5 is less than 60%, therefore, recommended for 2 Years.
Metallurgical & Material Engineering	Criterion 2 (PO): Process employed for defining of the POs is not proper. Lack of consistency in number of PEOs and POs. Illustration of Cos Contribution to the POs needs improvement. Inadequate number of tools used in the process. Process for improvement of curriculum not clearly defined and practiced.

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Date : 22.02.2019

To,

The Principal
Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology,
South Ambazari Road,
Nagpur - 440010, Maharashtra.

Subject: Extension of the period of Accreditation status granted to UG Engineering program offered by Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology, South Ambazari Road, Nagpur - 440010, Maharashtra.

Sir,

This has reference to NBA's letter of even number dated 28.10.2016 under which UG Mining Engineering program offered by your Institution was granted accreditation in Tier I by National Board of Accreditation.

2. National Board of Accreditation (NBA) has decided that in all cases where UG Engineering programs of an Institution were granted provisional accreditation for a period of 2 years in Tier I/Tier II format, the period of provisional accreditation of these programs shall be extended from 2 to 3 years subject to the condition that they meet the essential Pre-visit qualifiers. The Pre-visit qualifiers submitted by Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology, South Ambazari Road, Nagpur - 440010, Maharashtra has been considered and approved by NBA in respect of the following UG Engineering program. Accordingly, the competent authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the program as given in the Table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Program (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of extended validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Mining Engineering	Tier- I document	Accredited	Academic Year 2018-19, 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

3. 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.

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4. The program has been granted accreditation upto 30.06.2019. Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology, South Ambazari Road, Nagpur - 440010, Maharashtra should submit the Compliance Report immediately to be eligible to be considered by the concerned Committee in NBA for further processing of the accreditation status. This could entail further extension of accreditation or a revisit, as deemed appropriate by NBA Committees.

5. The accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology, South Ambazari Road, Nagpur - 440010, Maharashtra 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, and not Institutions. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the program 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.

6. The accreditation status of the above program 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 as indicated in the Table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of your College/Institution.

7. 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. .

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