



BIJU PATNAIK UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY, ODISHA, ROURKELA

(An Affiliating State University of Govt. of Odisha)

No. BPUT-XXIII-CDC/116/18/...2828

Date: 05/05/2025

To

The Principal,
Piloo Mody College of Architecture,
Plot No.11/1/A, Sector-1, CDA,
Markat Nagar, Cuttack

Sub: Conferment of Autonomous Status to Piloo Mody College of Architecture, Plot No.11/1/A, Sector-1, CDA, Markat Nagar, Cuttack.

Ref.: (i) UGC Letter No.F.2-10/2023(AC-Policy) dated 04-09-2024.
(ii) Government of Odisha Letter No. SDTE-HTE-HTE-I-0035-2024/10726/SDTE dated 17-12-2024.

Madam / Sir,

In pursuance of the above UGC letter and the letter of Government of Odisha under reference, the Biju Patnaik University of Technology, Odisha, Rourkela has been pleased to accord approval on conferment of academic autonomy in favour of Piloo Mody College of Architecture, Plot No.11/1/A, Sector-1, CDA, Markat Nagar, Cuttack under Section 5(iii) of the BPUT Act, 2002.

The grant of academic autonomy shall be subject to the following terms and conditions/guidelines.

1. The Autonomy shall be operative for four years from the Academic Session 2025-26 to 2028-29 or until further orders whichever is earlier subject to the conditions stipulated in the aforesaid letter of the UGC, India.
2. The autonomy is granted to Piloo Mody College of Architecture, Plot No.11/1/A, Sector-1, CDA, Markat Nagar, Cuttack as conferred by UGC, New Delhi vide file No.F.2-10/2023(AC-Policy) dated 04-09-2024.
3. Admission of students to the UG & PG programmes offered by the college shall be in conformity with the provisions of 'The Orissa Professional Educational Institution (Regulation of Admission and Fixation of Fee) Act', 2007 as amended from time to time.
4. The college shall admit students in respect of the courses for which Academic Autonomy is conferred against the syllabus, course-content etc. to be submitted by the college. The method of conducting examination, evaluation, award of grades would be primarily guided by the provisions of the Academic Regulations of the University.
5. The college shall have the power to make its own rules, regulations of by-laws in consonance with the UGC Guidelines for Autonomous Colleges and Biju Patnaik University of Technology and the laws framed there under for the purpose of fulfilling the objectives for conferring the autonomy status.

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6. The college shall have a Governing Body, Academic Council, Finance Committee, Board of Studies and other committees and Statutory bodies as per requirements of UGC for autonomous colleges with adequate number of University representatives to ensure the quality and standards of courses for the subjects and shall be comparable to the quality standards prescribed by the University and the UGC Guidelines for Autonomous Colleges.
7. The University shall approve the results of approved courses and confer degree to the successful candidates as per UGC Guidelines for Autonomous Colleges subject to prior approval of the results after each semester.
8. The Board of Management of the University shall have power to revoke the autonomy at any time after scrutiny and after due notice of such intention to the college before the expiry of such period granted from time to time, in case of deteriorating standards or for any other cause as deemed fit.
9. The Board of Management of the University shall have power to monitor the functioning of the college through periodic review. It will have the power for inspection or cause inspection to be made by such person or persons to the college and its buildings, workshops etc. and would also have the right to scrutinize the process of teaching, examination and other works conducted or done by the college. The Board would also have the power to make such inquiry and issue notice to the Principal on the academic matter of the college.
10. Notwithstanding anything stated above, conferment of autonomous status to Piloo Mody College of Architecture, Plot No.11/1/A, Sector-1, CDA, Markat Nagar, Cuttack shall however be subject to fulfilment of such standing orders, rules, regulations, guidelines and directions issued from time to time by the Government/UGC/COA and the University and as amended from time to time.
11. The college has indemnified the University through an affidavit against the possible risk of financial and other liabilities/involvements/responsibility associated with the Piloo Mody College of Architecture, Plot No.11/1/A, Sector-1, CDA, Markat Nagar, Cuttack shall applicable mutatis mutandis.

Yours faithfully,

L. S.S. WDS
Registrar

Memo No. 2839..... Date: 05/05/2025

Copy forwarded to :

1. The Additional Secretary to Hon'ble Chancellor, Raj Bhawan, Bhubaneswar for favour of kind information.
2. The Additional Secretary to the Government, SDTE Department, Government of Odisha for favour of kind information.
3. The Deputy Secretary, University Grants Commission, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi - 2 / The Joint Secretary, Eastern Regional Office, UGC LB-6, Sector-III, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 96 for favour of kind information and necessary action.
4. The Registrar, Council of Architecture, India Habitat Centre, Core 6A, 1st Floor, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003 for favour of kind information.
5. OSD to Vice Chancellor for kind information of Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor.
6. The Director, College Development Council / Director Examination for information and necessary action.

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