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### Notification

Sub: Constitution of Socio- Economically Disadvantaged Groups (SEDG) Cell.

The Socio-Economically Disadvantaged Group (SEDG) Cell in a university, as per UGC guidelines, is a dedicated body established to ensure equitable access to higher education and opportunities for students from disadvantaged backgrounds. Its primary aim is to address systemic barriers, promote inclusive participation, and provide support to these students.

Sl. No.	Name	Designation	Position
1	Prof.(Dr.) Smruti Ranjan Rath	Director - IQAC	Chairperson
2	Prof. Ravi Kant , Department of CS & IT	Assistant Professor	Member
3	Prof.(Dr.) Satya Prakash , Department of Agriculture	Assistant Professor	Member
4	Prof.(Dr.) Preety Vyas	Assistant Professor	Member
5	Dr Madhavi Mehta	Assistant Registrar – Academics	Convener

#### Objectives of SEDGs Cell:

1. To protect all the constitutional rights of the SEDGs students.
2. To ensure that the HEIs are inclusive, safe, and secure for the SEDGs students.
3. To provide socio-emotional and academic support and mentoring for the students belonging to the SEDGs through proper counselling and monitoring programme.
4. To ensure proper implementation and monitoring of orientation and bridge courses designed by the HEIs to benefit SEDGs students.
5. To ensure implementation of all such programme designed and developed by HEIs to increase the participation of SEDGs students in academic activities.

6. To ensure implementation of Government's policies, including reservation policies and various schemes, programme, facilities and guidelines for SEDGs students.
7. To ensure that the HEIs develop appropriate outreach programme to help the SEDGs students to avail the various opportunities of educational/academic programmes of HEIs.
8. To ensure proper implementation of preventive measures and Laws against discrimination and atrocities, and for safeguards of students belonging to respective categories under SEDGs.
9. To circulate, publicize, facilitate, and monitor the implementation of all UGC and Government guidelines and instructions issued from time to time in reference to SEDGs.
10. To redress the grievances and complaints of the SEDGs students within 15 days through a Grievances Redressal Committee (GRC) without compromising the safety, privacy and dignity of the complainant.



**Dr. Munish Kumar govind**

**Registrar**



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