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F. No. 36-25/2010-NBA

Date: 27.01.2014

To,

The Principal

Heritage Institute of Technology Tobacco House, Fourth Floor, 1 Old Court House Corner Kolkata – 700 001 West Bengal

Subject: Accreditation status of programme(s) applied by Heritage Institute of Technology, West Bengal.

Sir,

This issues in supersession of NBA letter no. 36-25/2010-NBA dated 04.10.2013.

- 2. This has reference to your application dated 09.02.2012 seeking accreditation of National Board of Accreditation to various Programme offered by your institute.
- 3. The Executive Committee in its meeting held on 18.09.2013 has approved the accreditation status of the programme(s) as given in the table below:

SI. No.	Name of the Programme(s)	Accreditation Status	Period of validity w.e.f. 18.09.2013	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1	B. Tech. Applied Electronics & Instrumentation Engineering	Provisionally Accredited	2 years	Accreditation status granted
2	B. Tech. Biotechnology	Provisionally Accredited	2 years	is valid for the period
3	B. Tech. Chemical Engineering	Provisionally Accredited	2 years	indicated in Column No. 4
4	B. Tech. Computer Science & Engineering	Provisionally Accredited (776 marks awarded by Expert Team reduced to 743 for deficiency in continuous improvement and PEO)	2 years	or till the programme(s) has the approval of
5	B. Tech. Electronics & Communication Engineering	Provisionally Accredited	2 years	the competent authority,
6	B. Tech. Information Technology	Provisionally Accredited	2 years	whichever is earlier.

4. The accreditation status awarded to the programme(s) as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to Heritage Institute of Technology, West Bengal as a whole. As such the Institution should nowhere along with its name

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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 (UG or PG as the case may be) 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.

- 5. The accreditation status of the above programme(s) is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programme(s) as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of your Institution.
- 6. The accreditation status awarded to the programme(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.
- 7. Copies of the Comprehensive Report submitted by the Chairman of the Expert Committee along with the detailed reports submitted by the Expert Team which visited your Institution for the programme(s) evaluated are enclosed for reference and for taking necessary action to overcome the shortcomings, if any, pointed out by the Expert Team.
- 8. If the Institution 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. A. K. Nassa) Member Secretary

Note: Under Para 3.4.4 of Chapter 3 of the Manual of Accreditation 2013, it is provided that the application for accreditation received in an academic year will be considered in next academic year. Therefore, the Institute may apply, if it so desired, in the academic year 2014-15 for full accreditation of the provisionally accredited programmes in order to have continuation of accreditation.

Encls:: Copies of Comprehensive Report of Chairman and Expert Report of the Visiting Team.

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- Registrar, West Bengal University of Technology, BF 142, Sector 1, Salt Lake City, Kolkata 700064, West Benga
- 2. Accreditation File