





(Ministry of Education, Govt. of India)

Prof. Manish R. Joshi Secretary

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Subject: Categorization of Universities under University Grants Commission

(Categorization of Universities (only) for Grant of Graded Autonomy)

Regulations, 2018

आदरणीय महोदय,

As you are aware, in order to grant autonomy to the better performing Universities, UGC notified University Grants Commission (Categorization of Universities (only) for Grant of Graded Autonomy) Regulations, 2018.

The proposal received from Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri National Sanskrit University, New Delhi under the above UGC Regulations has been considered by the Commission in its 593rd meeting, held on 29th August, 2025. The Commission has approved Category-I University status to Shri Lal Bahadur Shastri National Sanskrit University in accordance with the provisions of the mentioned UGC Regulations. The University shall now be eligible for all the benefits as stipulated under Clause 4 of University Grants Commission (Categorization of Universities (only) for Grant of Graded Autonomy) Regulations, 2018.

I would also like to bring it to your kind notice that the University shall be required to intimate UGC in case of any change in the accreditation/ranking status as per Clause 6 of the above-mentioned UGC Regulations.

सादर,

भवदीय,

(मनिष जोशी)

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