

**Minutes of the 38<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Academic Council held on  
Friday, 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2018 at 2.30 p.m.**

The **Thirty-Eighth Meeting of the Academic Council** was held on **Friday, 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2018 at 2.30 p.m.** in the Conference Hall, Implant Centre, **Dr. D. Y. Patil Dental College & Hospital, Pimpri, Pune - 411 018.**

The following members were present:

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>Name of the Member</b>	<b>Designation</b>
1.	Dr. P. N. Razdan	Chairman
2.	Dr. Dalvi Shashank D	Member
3.	Dr. Y. M. Jayaraj	Member
4.	Dr. Alok Bhattacharya	Member
5.	Dr. K. Sudha Rao	Member
6.	Dr. Arvind Sangamnerkar	Member
7.	Dr. A. L. Kakrani	Member
8.	Dr. Deepak Kulkarni	Member
9.	Dr. J. K. Pal	Member
10.	Dr. L. K. Tripathy	Member
11.	Dr. K. S. Jamadar	Member
12.	Dr. Tushar Palekar	Member
13.	Dr. D. B. Sharma	Member
14.	Dr. Medha Kulkarni	Member
15.	Dr. J. S. Bhawalkar	Member
16.	Dr. Harsh Kumar	Member
17.	Dr. R. N. Misra	Member
18.	Dr. (Mrs.) M. A. Tilak	Member
19.	Dr. A. V. Tilak	Member
20.	Dr. Amitav Banerjee	Member
21.	Dr. S. R. Agarkhedkar	Member
22.	Dr. Daniel Saldanha	Member
23.	Dr. M. S. Barthwal	Member
24.	Dr. Shahaji Chavan	Member
25.	Dr. Sanjay Deo	Member
26.	Dr. Hemant G. Deshpande	Member
27.	Dr. Rajeshwari Vhora	Member
28.	Dr. S. P. Kankalia	Member
29.	Dr. Tushar A. Dighe	Member
30.	Dr. Shalesh Rohatgi	Member
31.	Dr. B. B. Dogra	Member
32.	Dr. Anurag Garg	Member
33.	Dr. Dilip Kakade	Member
34.	Dr. Jayesh Rahalkar	Member
35.	Mr. Veshal Madan	Member

Sr. No.	Name of the Member	Designation
36.	Dr. S. S. Chandanwale	Member
37.	Dr. S. A. Kanitkar	Member
38.	Dr. P. K. Satpathy	Member
39.	Dr. Geeta Karambelkar	Member
40.	Dr. Vineeta Pande	Member
41.	Dr. Shailaja Mane	Member
42.	Dr. Archana A. Javdekar	Member
43.	Dr. S. V. Panchbhai	Member
44.	Dr. Mahendra Bendre	Member
45.	Dr. Ajit Swamy	Member
46.	Dr. V. M. Kulkarni	Member
47.	Dr. Sanjay M. Khaladkar	Member
48.	Dr. Rajesh S. Kuber	Member
49.	Dr. Mary Samuel	Member
50.	Dr. O. K. Radhakrishnan	Member
51.	Dr. Vidya A. Gaikwad	Member
52.	Dr. Himadri Bal	Member
53.	Dr. Ravindra Manerikar	Member
54.	Dr. Anita Kulloli	Member
55.	Dr. Sachin Sarode	Member
56.	Dr. G. D. Tandon	Member
57.	Dr. Neelu Nawani	Member
58.	Dr. Manisha Rathi	Member
59.	Dr. M. Vijaykumar	Member
60.	Dr. Kunal Bhattacharya	Member
61.	Dr. Martha Raut	Member
62.	Mr. M. S. Phirange	Member
63.	Dr. Anil Keskar	Member
64.	Dr. Ramesh Bhonde	Member
65.	Dr. P. Vatsalswamy	Special Invitee
66.	Dr. Amarjit Singh	Special Invitee
67.	Dr. A. N. Suryakar	Secretary

Leave of absence was granted to Dr. Deelip Mhaisekar, Dr. P. R. Manvikar, Dr. D. Gopalkrishnan, Dr. Sanjyot Mulay, Dr. Supriya Pande (Kheur), Dr. D. S. Nirhale, Dr. Abhay Lune, Dr. Shalini Aggarwal, Dr. Sahana Hegde and Dr. Gaurang Baxi who had expressed their inability to attend the meeting.

Dr. N. G. Borade, Dr. A. L. Ghangale, Dr. Milind A. Patvekar, Dr. S. G. Gandage, Dr. James Thomas, Dr. Renu Magdum, Dr. Col. V. R. R. Chari, Dr. Deepak Ranade, Dr. Pranav Jadhav, Dr. Sridevi Chigullapalli, Dr. Vikas Bengude, Dr. Vikram Khare, Ms. Safia Farooqi, Dr. Vikram B. Vikhe, Dr. Hemant V. Talanikar, Dr. Balaji Dattu Dhaigude, Dr. Minal Patvekar, Dr. Pushkar Waknis, Dr. Kalyani Bhate, Dr. Rahul Deshpande, Dr. Amit Jagtap, Dr. Rajesh Shetty and Dr. Praveen Kumar Arora were absent for the meeting without prior intimation. **Heads of Institutions need to convey the concern of Chairman about absence of members and seek comments for their absence without any prior intimation.**

Thereafter the business of the meeting was taken up.

**Item No. AC-01-18:** To confirm the minutes of the last meeting of the Academic Council held on 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2017

**Resolution No. AC-01-18:** It was resolved that the minutes of the last meeting of the Academic Council held on 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2017, be confirmed.

**Item No. AC-02-18:** To consider the report on the 'Actions Taken' by the Vidyapeeth office on the resolutions of the last meeting of Academic Council.

**Resolution No. AC-02-18:** It was resolved that the 'Actions Taken' by the Vidyapeeth office on the resolutions of the last meeting of the Academic Council held on 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2017, be noted. The Chairman instructed all Heads of the Institutes to ensure that all the approved programmes in the earlier Academic Council meeting, must be introduced and it should be started from the Academic Year 2018-19.

**Item No. AC-03-18:** To inform the house about the major developments in the Vidyapeeth and its Constituent Colleges / Institutes, since its last meeting.

**Resolution No. AC-03-18:** It was resolved that the major developments in the Vidyapeeth and its Constituent Colleges / Institutes, be noted.

**Dr. Shashank Dalvi, Former Vice Chancellor of Pravara Institute of Medical Sciences Congratulated Hon'ble Vice Chancellor and his team for declaring the Dr. D. Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, Pune as Category-I University by UGC under Graded Autonomy Regulations, 2018 and for inclusion of Dr. D. Y. Patil Homoeopathic Medical College & Research Centre, Pimpri, Pune and Dr. D. Y. Patil College of Ayurved & Research Centre, Pimpri, Pune under the ambit of Vidyapeeth.**

**Item No. AC-04-18:** To consider the recommendations made by the Faculty of Dentistry at its meeting held on 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2018.

**Item No. AC-04-(i)-18:** To approve modified syllabus for 1<sup>st</sup> Year M.D.S. as DCI guideline 2017.

**Resolution No. AC-04-(i)-18:** After detail presentation, it was resolved that, modified syllabus for Subjects of Basic Sciences for Ist Year MDS as per the DCI guidelines 2017 be accepted and be recommended to the Board of Management for its consideration. It was further resolved that the modified syllabus for Subjects of Basic Sciences for Ist Year MDS will be made applicable for students admitted to MDS course from Academic Year 2018-19 onwards.

**Accordingly, Dr. Deepak Kulkarni, Dean Faculty of Dentistry, informed that the faculty of Dental College will teach applied related topics of their subjects immediately after the theory taught by the faculty of Medical College.**

**It was further resolved that the timetable will be finalized by the college staff in consultation with respective subjects teacher of Medical College. The modified syllabus for Subjects of Basic Sciences for Ist Year MDS as per the DCI guidelines 2017 is annexed as Appendix-I.**

**Item No. AC-04-(ii)-18:** To consider and approved value added courses in various departments.

**Resolution No. AC-04-(ii)-18:** It was resolved that Value Added Courses in various departments of Dental College be started from the Academic Year 2018-19. The recommendations be forwarded to the Board of Management for its consideration.

The details of Value Added Courses are as follows:

Sr. No.	Name of Value Added Course	Name of Department	Duration	Learners
I	Tooth preparation for Metal, Metal Cermic and Zirconia Crowns-Clinical Perspective	Prosthodontics, Crown & Bridge and Implantology	30 hours	Interns
II	Preceptorship in Surgical Periodontics	Periodontics	30 hours	Interns
III	Suturing technique	Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery	30 hours	Interns
IV	Wiring technique	Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery	32 hours	Interns
V	Rubber dam application	Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics	32 hours	Interns
VI	Business of Dentistry-Creating the Clinical Entrepreneur	Orthodontics & Dentofacial Orthopedics	30 hours	Interns
VII	Surgical Orthodontics	Orthodontics & Dentofacial Orthopedics	30 hours	PGs: Ortho & OMFS
VIII	Age estimation by cemental thickness	Oral Pathology	32 hours	Interns
IX	Tobacco cessation counseling	Public Health Dentistry	30 hours	Interns
X	Stainless Steel Crowns	Pedodontics & Preventive Dentistry	32 hours	Interns
XI	Chairside diagnosis for oral malignancies	Oral Medicine & Radiology	30 hours	Interns

**Item No. AC-05-18:** To consider the recommendations made by the Faculty of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics at its meeting held on 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2018.

**Item No. AC-05-(i)-18:** To approve the revised course structure and detailed syllabus for four semesters.

**Resolution No. AC-05-(i)-18:** After details discussion it was unanimously resolved that, the revised course structure and detailed syllabus for four semesters to be implemented from Academic Year 2018-19, be accepted and recommended to the Board of Management for its consideration.

Highlights of the changes in the proposed structures of various syllabi: -

- Introduced Engineering courses in the First year: i) Engineering Graphics, ii) Workshop practices, iii) Maths I and iv) Maths II (As per AICTE norms)
- Introduced New course: Personality & Skill Development
- Merged Courses: Computers & C Programming (*Introduction to Computers & Computer Organization, C Programming*), Biochemistry (*Biomolecules*,

*Metabolism*), Microbiology & Virology (*Microbiology, Virology*), Molecular Biology (*Molecular Biology I, Molecular Biology II*), Plant Biotechnology (*Plant Physiology, Plant Tissue culture*)

- Keeping in view the latest requirement of stakeholders, it was decided that the following courses, which were earlier electives, must be included under the core courses:
  - Food Biotechnology,
  - Environmental Biotechnology and
  - Marine Biotechnology
- Introduce New elective courses:
  - Disease Biology,
  - Structural Biology,
  - Tissue Engineering & Molecular Diagnostics
- Introduce New Courses for M. Tech. (Integrated) Biotechnology:
  - Omics Technology,
  - Simulation & Modeling,
  - Design & Analysis of Algorithms
- The following course were excluded:
  - Mammalian Physiology for BBT & MIT,
  - Molecular Cell signaling for BBT
- For all courses, **more emphasis has been given on practical courses**

**Distribution of Credits for B. Tech. & M. Tech. (Int.) - Biotechnology for existing & revised Courses - 2018**

Course Credits	B. Tech Biotechnology		M. Tech (Int.) Biotechnology	
	Existing	Revised	Existing	Revised
Semester I	27	28	27	28
Semester II	26	23	26	23
Semester III	27	24	27	24
Semester IV	26	25	26	25
Semester V	28	27	28	27
Semester VI	25	25	25	24
Semester VII	25	22	25	26
Semester VIII	25 (Project)	25 (Project)	26	21
Semester IX & X	-	-	50 (Project)	50 (Project)
<b>Total</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>260</b>	<b>248</b>

The revised course structure and detailed syllabus for four semesters is annexed separately. (Appendix II)

**Item No. AC-05-(ii)-18:** To discuss and approve Certificate Course (structure and/or syllabus) of “Certificate Course in Bioinformatics”

**Resolution No. AC-05-(ii)-18:** After details discussion it was unanimously resolved that, “Certificate Course in Bioinformatics” be introduced from the Academic Year 2018-19. It was also resolved that the recommendations be forwarded to the Board of Management for its approval.

The details of the course are as follows:

**Name of the course :** Certificate Course in Bioinformatics

**Duration :** Six Months

**Contact Hours :** 60 hours

**E-learning hours :** 20 Max

**Class Schedule :** 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday (5 hours duration) each

**Number of Seats :** 20

**Eligibility :** B.Sc., M. Sc. and Ph.D. Scholars of life Sciences/Faculty/Industry

**Course Fee :** Rs. 30,000/-

**About the Course:** This course intends to provide theory as well as hands on training in the field of Bioinformatics so as to make the students aware of the different applications of informatics methods in the field of biology. Bioinformatics is extensively used in biomedical research and developmental activities. The program emphasizes to teach the students different bioinformatics concepts and tools, along with chemoinformatics skills required in drug designing and clinical research and applications.

**Mode of Pedagogy:** Parallel sessions of lectures and practicals

S. No.	Topic	Sub-Topic	Contact Hours
1	Overview of Bioinformatics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sequence formats</li> <li>• Biological databases</li> <li>• Sequence alignment and analysis</li> <li>• Phylogenetics</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: right;">2</p> <p style="text-align: right;">2</p> <p style="text-align: right;">3</p> <p style="text-align: right;">2</p>
2	Molecular Modeling and Chemoinformatics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Molecule Representation</li> <li>• File formats</li> <li>• Methods of geometry optimization</li> <li>• Modelling techniques</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: right;">3</p> <p style="text-align: right;">2</p> <p style="text-align: right;">3</p> <p style="text-align: right;">5</p>
3	Clinical Research	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Omics Data</li> <li>• Cluster analysis</li> <li>• Biomarkers</li> <li>• 2-D gels</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: right;">1</p> <p style="text-align: right;">2</p> <p style="text-align: right;">3</p> <p style="text-align: right;">2</p>
4	Systems Biology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Understanding of systems</li> <li>• Metabolic pathway data bases</li> <li>• Enzyme kinetics implementation</li> <li>• Design and development of molecular network</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: right;">2</p> <p style="text-align: right;">3</p> <p style="text-align: right;">2</p> <p style="text-align: right;">4</p>
5	Next Generation Sequencing (NGS) and Data analysis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Application of NGS</li> <li>• Genome construction</li> <li>• Chip seq analysis</li> <li>• Cloud computing</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: right;">1</p> <p style="text-align: right;">2</p> <p style="text-align: right;">2</p> <p style="text-align: right;">2</p>
6	Database Management	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Structure of relational database</li> <li>• Schema diagrams</li> <li>• Logical and physical architecture</li> <li>• Keys, Constraints</li> <li>• Entity relationship diagrams</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: right;">1</p> <p style="text-align: right;">2</p> <p style="text-align: right;">1</p> <p style="text-align: right;">1</p> <p style="text-align: right;">2</p>

S. No.	Topic	Sub-Topic	Contact Hours
		• Normalization	1
		• Relational Algebra	2
		• Transaction management	2
<b>Total</b>			<b>60</b>

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**Item No. AC-05-(iii)-18:** To discuss and approve the proposal of introducing Language Courses in German and French.

**Resolution No. AC-05-(iii)-18:** After detail discussion it was unanimously resolved that, the proposal of introducing language courses in German and French be accepted and recommended to the Board of Management for its consideration. The details of Language Courses are as follows:

**(1) Language Course in German:**

Type of course	: Language/Skill Development
Number of students per batch	: 50
Contact hours	: 4 per week (weekends only)
Duration	: 6 months
Faculty	: Visiting Faculty
Eligibility	: 10+2 in any field

Keeping in view the expertise of resource persons and according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) it was decided that the visiting faculty should be drawn from Goethe-Institute Max Mueller Bhavan, Pune and the evaluations will also be done from Goethe-Institute.

**(2) Language Course in French:**

Type of course	: Language/Skill development
Number of students per batch	: 50
Contact hours	: 4 per week (weekends only)
Duration	: 6 months
Faculty	: Visiting Faculty
Eligibility	: 10+2 in any field

Keeping in view the expertise of resource persons from Alliance Française de, Pune, it was decided that the visiting faculty should be drawn from Alliance Francaise de, Pune and Evaluations will also be made from Alliance Française.

The details syllabus & structure of language courses in German and French are annexed separately. (Appendix III)

**Item No. AC-06-18:** To consider and recommend to the Board of Management the award of degree/diploma Certificates to the eligible candidates in the various faculties

**Resolution No. AC-06-18:** It was resolved that the award of Degree / Diploma Certificates to the 1056 eligible candidates in the various Faculties, during the Ninth Convocation, be approved and recommended to the Board of Management for its approval. The Faculty wise details of 1056 eligible candidates are as follows:

Sr. No	Faculty	Course	No. of Students		Total	
			May/June 2017	Nov./Dec.2017		
1	Medicine	Ph. D.	1	-	1	
2		M.Ch. / DM	2	-	2	
3		PG Degree	92	14	106	
4		PG Diploma	18	2	20	
5		MBBS	9	138	80	227
			June.16	Nov.16	Feb.17	
6		M. Optom.	1	-	1	
7	B. Optom.	43	-	43		
8	Dentistry	Ph. D.	5	-	5	
9		MDS	49	-	49	
10		BDS	84	14	98	
			May - 16	Dec.16		
11	Diploma in Dental Mechanics	8	1	9		
12	Nursing	Ph. D.	-	-	-	
13		M.Sc. Nursing	15	-	15	
14		B.Sc. Nursing	40	1	41	
15		P.B. B.Sc. Nursing	28	-	28	
16	Allied Medical Sciences	Ph. D.	-	-	-	
17		MPT	32	2	34	



Sr. No	Faculty	Course	No. of Students		No. of Students	Total
			May/June 2017	Nov./Dec.2017		
18	(Physiotherapy)	BPT	3	50	-	53
			Dec.-16	May- 17		
19	Biotechnology & Bioinformatics	Ph. D.	1		-	1
20		B. Tech. Biotechnology	45		-	45
21		B. Tech. Bioinformatics	1		-	1
22		M. Tech. Biotechnology (Integrated)	22		-	22
23		M. Sc. Biotechnology	27		-	27
24	Management	Ph. D.	5		-	5
		MBA	58		3	61
		IDL (MBA 3 Years )	-		-	-
		IDL (MBA 2 Years )	96		65	161
		IDL (Module (VI))	-		1	1
Total			735		321	1056
Grant Total			1056			

\*MBBS for June, 16, Nov. 16, Feb. 17 and BDS for May, 16, Dec.16, B. Optom & BPT passed out students are undergoing Internship. They will be conferred Degree certificate after completion of their Internship training.

Item No. AC-07-18: To note and approve the Gold Medals to be awarded at the Ninth Convocation of the Vidyapeeth.

Resolution No. AC-07-18: It was resolved that award of Gold Medals to Nineteen (19) candidates for obtaining highest marks in their respective programme at the Ninth Convocation of the Vidyapeeth be approved and recommended to the Board of Management for its approval. The Faculty wise list of Gold Medalists 2017 is as follows:

Sr. No.	Faculty	Degree / Subject	Year	Name of the Student
1	Medicine (UG )	MBBS	Nov - 2016	Zahabiya Nulwalla
2	Medicine ( PG Degree)	Super specialities (M. Ch. / D.M.) – M. Ch. Urology	July – 2017	Singh Mehul Mahendrapal
3		Pre Clinical – Anatomy	May - 2017	Gupta Pallavi Jaiprakash
4		Para Clinical- Pharmacology	May -2017	Jadhav Makrand Pandurang
5		Allied to Medicine - Radio Diagnosis	May -2017	Mitesh Bhalla

Sr.	Faculty	Degree / Subject	Year	Name of the Student
6		Allied to Surgery – Anaesthesiology	May -2017	Naramaneni Santhi
7	Medicine (PG Diploma)	Diploma in Ophthalmology	May -2017	Sakarkar Praneeta Trilok
8	Medicine	B. Optom.	May– 2017	Rosa Dorothy Demelo
9	Dentistry	BDS	May -2016	Kewalramani Richa Naresh
10		MDS (Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics)	May - 2017	Kosha Jain
11	Biotechnology & Bioinformatics	B. Tech Biotechnology	May -2017	Deepshe Dewett
12		M. Tech. (Integrated) Biotechnology	May -2017	Akansha Patel
13		M. Sc. Biotechnology	May -2017	Aayushi Jain
14	Management MBA	Marketing and Hospital & Health Care Management	April-2017	Ankita Mathur
15	Allied Medical Sciences (Physiotherapy)	BPT	June– 2017	R. Keerthana
16		MPT (Neurosciences) (In Memory of Prof. K. B. Powar)	June- 2017	Jawale Namita Chandrakant
17	Nursing	B.Sc. Nursing	June- 2017	Shilpa Anna Koshy
18		P.B. B.Sc. Nursing	June- 2017	Kadam Smita Suresh
19		M.Sc. Nursing (OBGY)	June- 2017	Jhanvi Hanumant Hinge

**Item No. AC-08-18:** To approve the recommendations of the Vice Chancellor, taken after receipt of permission from the Chancellor, to award the Degree of **Doctor of Letters (Honoris Causa)** to **Dr. Pratapsinh Ganpatrao Jadhav**, Chairman, Pudhari, Publication, Pvt. Ltd. Kolhapur, Maharashtra.

**Resolution No. AC-08-18:** It was resolved that the Degree of Doctor of Letters (*Honoris Causa*) be conferred on Dr. Pratapsinh Ganpatrao Jadhav, as a token of his significant contributions as a Eminent & Undaunted Journalist, Social Reformer, Versatile Leader of Masses, Progressive Agriculturist and Expert Mediator” and be recommended to the Board of Management for its approval.

**Item No. AC-09-18:** To approve the recommendations of the Vice Chancellor, taken after receipt of permission from the Chancellor, to award the Degree of **Doctor of Letters (Honoris Causa)** to **Adv. Vishnu Parnekar**, President, Guru Sewa, Mandal, Parner, Maharashtra.

**Resolution No. AC-09-18:** It was resolved that the Degree of Doctor of Letters (*Honoris Causa*) be conferred on Adv. Vishnu Ramchandra Parnekar as a token of his contributions in establishing social, economical and spiritual organizations and spreading the Life Management Philosophy called Poornawad”. The recommendations of Academic Council be forwarded to the Board of Management for its approval.

**Item No. AC-10-18:** To approve the recommendations of the Vice Chancellor, taken after receipt of permission from the Chancellor, to award the Degree of **Doctor of Science (Honoris Causa)** to **Prof. Achyut Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, Bhubaneswar.**

**Resolution No. AC-10-18:** It was resolved that the Degree of Doctor of Science (*Honoris Causa*) be conferred on Prof. Achyut Samanta as a token of his contributions in the field of Education and Social transformation of tribal children in the country through education, health and culture". The recommendations of Academic Council be forwarded to the Board of Management for its approval.

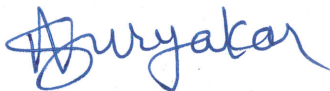
**Item No. AC-11-18:** Any other item with the consent of the Chair.

**Item No. AC-11 (i)-18:** To approve the increase in intake of following Degree Programmes under the Faculty of Medicine.

**Resolution No. AC-11(i)-18:** With reference to the approval letter received from the MCI, it was resolved that the increase in intake be permitted for following Degree Programmes under the Faculty of Medicine from the Academic Year 2018-19, be approved. The recommendations of Academic Council be forwarded to the Board of Management for its approval.

Sr. No.	Subject	Course	Increase in Seats	
			From	To
1	General Surgery	M.S.	16	24
2	Orthopaedics	M.S.	07	09
3	ENT	M.S.	03	06
4	Radiology	M.D.	10	12

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.



**(Dr. A. N. Suryakar)**  
**Registrar**



**(P. N. Razdan)**  
**Chairman**

Place: Pune.

Date: 23 / 03 / 2018