

9th June, 2011

MINUTES of the meeting called by the Pro-Vice-Chancellor regarding
the case of Shri Soumitra Bera, Research Scholar, Department of
Economics, NEHU

Members Present-

- Pro-Vice-Chancellor - in the Chair
- Prof. P. Nayak, Dean, SEMIS - Member
- Prof. D.K. Nayak, Provost -do-
- Prof. B. Mishra, Head, Economics Dept. -do-
- Dr. B. Bhuyan, Head, IT -do-
- Prof. R.N. Sharan, DSW -do


The Chairman informed the members about the background for convening the meeting which was a follow-up of a report of serious academic misconduct [plagiarism] by Shri S. Bera and the constitution of a Departmental Committee to examine the matter.


In this connection, the Head of the Department of Economics convened the meeting vide his letter number 775 dated 1st June`11. The Committee met on 6th June`11 and submitted its recommendations. After going through this report, the Vice-Chancellor has directed the following:

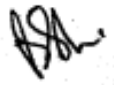
- (a) Cancellation of Ph.D. registration/admission through School Board;
- (b) Issue of show cause to Shri Bera to explain why action should not be taken against him for indulging in academic misconduct and supplying falsified information as per Ordinance OC-4 viii(c) and that the matter be reported to the next AC/EC
- (c) Decided that the instant case be brought to the disciplinary committee as per Ordinance OD-8
- (d) Meanwhile, in view of the nature of the complaint, the Lectureship offered by IT Department to Shri Bera be withdrawn with immediate effect
- (e) If awarded any scholarship/applied for any scholarship, administrative action be taken to withhold the same
- (f) The Librarian be informed that the use of Library facilities be suspended forthwith

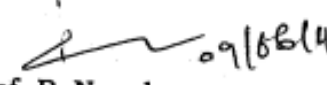
Further, the meeting decided that, if not already notified, the concerned section may process the issue of notification of the

University Disciplinary Council as per Ordinance OD-8 [copy enclosed]. This may be processed immediately.



Pro-Vice-Chancellor


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