JADAVPUR UNIVERSITY KOLKATA – 700 032

Dated: 20 December, 2021

Minutes of the emergency Executive Council meeting held in online mode on 18th December 2021, from 8:00 pm

Agendum

To discuss Annual Convocation of the University

Resolution

After detailed discussions, taking into account the opinions of stakeholders as communicated to the University authorities, the operation of the Disaster Management Act, 2005, as also the Order of the West Bengal Government (No. 753/XVI-ISS/2M-22/2020, dated 15/12/2021) which recommends continuing with existing restrictions and protocols especially in light of the emergence of the new "Omicron" variant and rising cases of infection, the Executive Council unanimously resolved that, despite the university's best intentions and efforts, it will not be advisable or feasible to hold the Convocation and Special Convocation for 2021, in order to ensure the safety and security of all members of the larger Jadavpur University community.

It was further resolved that soft copies of certificates will be uploaded for degree-awardees to download from the JUMS portal of the university from 24 December 2021 onward.

Once the COVID situation normalizes, it is proposed to hold a degree-awarding ceremony in 2022 – the date for which is to be decided later – where degree certificates will be handed over to recipients on a faculty-wise basis.

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