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CHAPTER –VI

REGULATION ON AWARD OF Ph.D. SCHOLARSHIP/FELLOWSHIP

The agenda was put up by the Actg. Dean PGs. The members of the committee discussed thoroughly and decided that name in the above agenda should be scholarship and not fellowship. Although the proposal was also earlier put up in the faculty of College of Agriculture, it was passed-on to the faculty of PGs. by the Secretary Faculty of Agriculture. The following decisions were made and finalized regarding the award of Ph.D. scholarship after detailed point wise discussion in the meeting.

These regulations shall apply to the students admitted to various Ph.D. programmes in the academic year Jan. 2006 and thereafter through Entrance Examination. However, the students of previous batches on the roll of the university will be entitled to get the scholarship from January 2006 onward for the left over period of their degree programme.

The value of scholarship shall be Rs. 1500 per month or as revised as per state government decision from time to time. The Board of Management shall approve it on the recommendation of the Academic Council. Normally, there shall be two scholarships in each discipline. The total number of scholarships thus provided are not utilized due to any valid reasons whatsoever, the university shall be free to redistribute the allocation of the vacant scholarship position and award the same to other student who could not be granted scholarship in the first instance due to the aforesaid restriction of two scholarships in each discipline. However, this latter award shall be based on the academic rating and shall be made after all admissions in question have been made for the academic year.

Application for the scholarship shall be made by the concerned student on the prescribed form obtainable from the office of the Dean Student Welfare and shall be submitted through Advisor, Head of the majoring Department, Dean of the college concerned, Director Agricultural Experiment Station and the Dean Post Graduate Studies.

The scholarship shall commence from the date of the registration of the students in the semester of his/her admission and shall be tenable for a maximum of 36 months during Ph.D. programme of the candidate. However, the payment of scholarship for any semester shall be made only after satisfactory performance of the student in that semester.

Student on Academic or Conduct Probation shall not be eligible for this scholarship.

Continuance of the scholarship shall be subject to the satisfactory performance of the student concerned in academic programmes as well as his conduct. The scholarship may, however, be restored with effect from the date the academic performance as well as his conduct is rated satisfactory.

In case, the student drops a semester or discontinues his studies he shall lose the scholarship for that semester. In case a student drops a semester after studying some time in the semester he shall lose the scholarship for the remaining part of the semester. The scholarship may, however, be restored in such case only after the student is allowed to resume his studies and will be tenable for a period not exceeding 36 months.

A student awarded the scholarship will devote his whole time to the approved study and will not be allowed to accept any financial assistance from other agencies. In the event of award of outside scholarship, the recipient shall have to refund the amount paid to him by the university for the duration for which outside scholarship has been availed by him. In such cases, the scholarship may be awarded to the student next in the rating for the duration for which the outside scholarship has been availed.

The scholarship will be terminated on the date:

- a. The recipient ceases to be on the roll of the university
- b. The recipient completes his degree programme, i.e., submission of his thesis etc.
- c. The recipient is awarded any punishment by the competent authority either on the recommendation of the College Discipline Board or on the recommendation of Discipline Committee. In such cases, the scholarship may be awarded to the students next in the rating.

The award of scholarship will be made by the Dean Student Welfare. However, the records and accounts will be handled by the Comptroller Office

The Advisor of the concerned recipient would submit a progress report of the work through proper channel to the Dean Student Welfare at the end of every semester failing which his scholarship will not be renewed

The scholarship may also be terminated by the Vice-Chancellor at any time without assigning any reason and in all matters not provided in these regulations, the decision of the Vice-Chancellor shall be final.
