

No. 4-4/2008-U.I (A)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Human Resource Development  
[Department of Higher Education]

New Delhi, dated the 14<sup>th</sup> October, 2008

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

**Subject:** Constitution of a UGC/AICTE Review Committee to review the functions of UGC/AICTE in the wake of changes in higher, professional and technical education in India and demands of a new knowledge economy – naming of the Committee as ‘Committee to Advise on Renovation and Rejuvenation of Higher Education.’

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A Review Committee was constituted under the Chairmanship of Prof. Yash Pal, former Chairman, University Grants Commission vide this Ministry’s Notification of even number dated 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2008 to review the role of statutory bodies like the University Grants Commission and the All India Council for Technical Education in the context of changes in higher, professional and technical education in the country and demands of a new knowledge economy. The composition and the terms of reference of the Committee were indicated in that Notification.

2. It has been decided with the approval of the Competent Authority to name the said Committee as “Committee to Advise on Renovation and Rejuvenation of Higher Education.”

3. The composition and the terms of reference of the Committee remain unchanged.

  
(Sunil Kumar)

Joint Secretary to the Government of India

To:

1. Prof. Yash Pal, Chairman, Committee to Advise on Renovation and Rejuvenation of Higher Education, 11-B, Super Deluxe Flats, Sector 15 A, Noida – 201 301.
2. All Members of the Committee.
3. Dr. Krishna Kumar, Director, NCERT, Aurobindo Marg, New Delhi (Special Invitee)
4. Dr. Kiran Karnik, Q2A, Hauz Khas Enclave, New Delhi (Special Invitee)

Copy for information to :-

1. Secretary, University Grants Commission, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi – 110 002.
2. Member Secretary, All India Council for Technical Education, Chandralok Building, Janpath, New Delhi.
3. Prime Ministers' Office (Shri L.K. Athee, Director), South Block, New Delhi.
4. PS to HRM
5. PS to MOS (HE)
6. PS to MOS (SE & L)
7. PS to Deputy Chairman, Planning Commission, Yojana Bhavan, New Delhi.
8. PS to Principal Secretary to Prime Minister.
9. All Joint Secretaries in the Department of Higher Education and the Department of School Education and Literacy.
10. Heads of all autonomous bodies under the Ministry of HRD
11. All Directors/Deputy Secretaries in HE Bureau and Technical Bureau, Department of Higher Education.
12. Dr.A.K.Dogra, Joint Secretary, University Grants Commission, New Delhi.
13. Smt. Kirti Saxena, Director, Planning Commission, Yojana Bhavan, Sansad Marg, New Delhi.
14. PS to Secretary, Department of Higher Education.
15. PS to Secretary, Department of School Education & Literacy.
16. PS to Secretary, Planning Commission, Yojana Bhavan, New Delhi.
17. PS to Additional Secretary, Department of Higher Education.
- ✓18. NIC – with the request to put a copy of the notification in the website of this Ministry for general information

  
(R.Chakravarty)

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India