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To.

The Principal
Bannari Amman Institute of Technology
Sathy -Bhavani Road [State Highway]
Alathukombai -Post Sathyamangalam [Taluk]
Erode- 638401, Tamil Nadu

Subject: Accreditation status of programmes applied by Bannari Amman Institute of Technology, Sathy - Bhavani Road [State Highway] Alathukombai -Post Sathyamangalam [Taluk], Erode-638401, Tamil Nadu.

Sir,

This has reference to your application No 2126-01/12/2016 seeking accreditation by National Board of Accreditation in Tier-I format to UG Engineering programmes offered by Bannari Amman Institute of Technology, Sathy -Bhavani Road [State Highway] Alathukombai -Post Sathyamangalam [Taluk], Erode-638401, Tamil Nadu.

2. An Expert Team conducted on-site evaluation of the programmes during 22nd to 24th September, 2017. The report submitted by the Expert Team was considered by the concerned Committees constituted for the purpose in NBA. The competent authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the programmes as given in the table below:

S.No.	Name of the Programme(s) (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Electronics and Communication Engineering	Tier-I January 2016 Document	Provisionally Accredited	*Academic Years 2017-2018 to 2019-2020 i.e., upto 30-06-2020	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col.5 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier.
2.	Biotechnology		Accredited	Academic Years 2017-2018 to 2022-2023 i.e., upto 30-06-2023	
3.	Computer Science and Engineering		Accredited		

* Observations made during the course of evaluation are indicated in Annexure to this letter.

 It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.

4. In respect of the program which has been granted provisional accreditation, Bannari Amman Institute of Technology, Sathy -Bhavani Road [State Highway] Alathukombai -Post Sathyamangalam [Taluk], Erode-638401, Tamil Nadu should submit the Compliance Report at least six months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above to be eligible to be considered by the concerned Committee in NBA for further processing of the accreditation status. This could entail further extension of accreditation or a revisit, as deemed appropriate by NBA Committees.

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- 5. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to Bannari Amman Institute of Technology, Sathy -Bhavani Road [State Highway] Alathukombai -Post Sathyamangalam [Taluk], Erode-638401, Tamil Nadu as a whole. As such, the Institution should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because it is programme accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the programme(s) accredited, level of programme(s) and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the date from which the accreditation is effective should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.
- 6. The accreditation status of the above programmes is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programme as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of the Institute.
- 7. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.
- 8. A copy of the Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team and a copy each of Evaluators' Reports in respect of the above programmes are enclosed.
- 9. If the Institute is not satisfied with the decision of NBA, it may appeal within thirty days of receipt of this communication giving reasons for the same and by paying the requisite fee.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa) Member Secretary

Encls: 1.Copy of Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team. 2. Copy each of Expert Reports of the Visiting Team.

Copy to:

- The Principal Secretary (Higher Education)
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 Chennai- 600 009
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- The Commissioner
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- 4. Master Accreditation Folder of the State

Annexure

Bannari Amman Institute of Technology, Sathy -Bhavani Road [State Highway] Alathukombai - Post Sathyamangalam [Taluk], Erode-638401, Tamil Nadu.

NAME OF THE PROGRAMME(S) (UG)	OBSERVATIONS
Electronics and Communication Engineering	The Criteria for 30% PhD in the department is not met. Therefore, the program does not qualify for Accreditation for 6 years. If your Institution meets the pre-qualifiers before the expiry of the accreditation period awarded to the program as indicated in the table in para 2 above, you may submit pre-qualifiers again to NBA for consideration for full accreditation of 6 years, after completion of the Current Academic year (CAY) in which the pre-qualifiers are met.

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