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The Registrar
Rajiv Gandhi University of Knowledge
Technologies Andhra Pradesh
V.R. Mansions, Kunchanapalli
Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh – 522 501

Subject: Establishment of Rajiv Gandhi University of Knowledge Technologies
Andhra Pradesh, V.R. Mansions, Kunchanapalli, Guntur District,
Andhra Pradesh.

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated 01.10.2019 received from the Chancellor addressed to Secretary, Higher Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development, New Delhi on the above subject, I am directed to say that **Rajiv Gandhi University of Knowledge Technologies Andhra Pradesh, V.R. Mansions, Kunchanapalli, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh** has been established by the amendment to Rajiv Gandhi University of Knowledge Technologies Act. 2008 notified vide Notification G.O.Ms.NO.37 dated 01.06.2016 as a **State University** and is empowered to award degrees as specified by the UGC under Section 22 of the UGC Act 1956 at its own departments, its constituent colleges and/or through its affiliated colleges in regular mode with the approval of its statutory bodies/councils, wherever required. The name of the University has been included in the list of universities established as per Section 2(f) of UGC Act. 1956, as maintained by the UGC on its website www.ugc.ac.in

The University shall operate only within the territorial jurisdiction allotted to it under its Act and in no case beyond the territory of the State of its location. The University is not allowed to start any off-campus centre beyond the territorial jurisdiction as provided in the Act and under no circumstances beyond the State of its location, as per the Hon'ble Supreme Court Judgment in Prof. Yash Pal vs. State of Chhattisgarh case.

The University may note and adhere to the following: -

- (i) To ensure that no off campus centre(s)/study centre(s) is opened beyond the territorial jurisdiction of the University as stipulated in the Act and in no case beyond the territory of the State.

- (ii) To ensure that no programmes should be offered through franchising arrangement with private institutions.
- (iii) To ensure that no study centre(s) are opened through franchises by the University.
- (iv) In case the university has already started any off-campus/study centre and the centre operating through franchises outside the State, it must be closed immediately.
- (v) No distance education programmes shall be started without the prior approval of UGC.
- (vi) M.Phil/Ph.D programmes can be conducted as per the provisions of UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Awards of M.Phil/Ph.D. Degree) Regulations, 2016.
- (vii) The University is required to follow all the UGC Regulations notified and available on UGC website www.ugc.ac.in.


Yours faithfully,


(Kundia Mahajan)
Under Secretary

Encl: As above

Copy to: -

1. The Secretary, Govt. of India, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Department of Higher Education, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.
2. The Principal Secretary, Higher Education, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Room No.104, Ground Floor, 4th Block, Amaravati, Velagapudi, Andhra Pradesh – 522 503
3. Publication Officer, UGC, New Delhi for posting on Website.
4. Guard File.


(Lokesh Kumar Jangra)
Section Officer

