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NOTIFICATION

The following Act passed by the Sikkim Legislative Assembly and having received assent of the Governor on 18th day of June, 2021 is hereby published for general information:-

THE SIKKIM INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY ACT, 2021

(ACT No. 13 OF 2021)

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to establish and incorporate a self-financing Private University under the name of "Sikkim International University" in the State of Sikkim sponsored by the Research and Gyan for Noble Upliftment Trust with emphasis on providing high quality education supplemented with industrial internship and professional training, relevant education in the area of Engineering, Physical Sciences, Life Sciences, Technology, Medical Science and Paramedical Science, Management, Technical, Finance and Accounting, Commerce, Humanities, Languages and Communication, Applied and Performing Arts, Education, Law, Social Science, Agriculture, Veterinary and related areas through regular, external, part time, online and distance education mode and to provide for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Sikkim in the Seventy-second Year of the Republic of India as follows:-

- Short title and commencement**
1. (1) This Act may be called "The Sikkim International University Act, 2021."
 - (2) It shall extend to the whole of Sikkim.
 - (3) It shall come into force on such date as the State Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, appoint.

Provided that no such punishment shall be taken without giving student concerned a reasonable opportunity for show cause against proposed action to be taken.

Sponsored Scheme

23. Whenever the University receives funds from any Scheme to be executed by the University, notwithstanding anything in this Act and Regulations:-

- (1) The amount received shall be kept by the University separately from the University Fund and utilized only for the scheme; and
- (2) The staff required to execute the scheme shall be recruited in accordance with the terms and conditions stipulated by the sponsoring body.

Monitoring by University Grants Commission (UGC)

24. The University Grants Commission (UGC) shall monitor the University annually as required under the UGC (Establishment of and Maintenance of Standards in Private Universities) Regulations, 2003 and or under any other such regulation as may be issued by University Grants Commission (UGC) from time to time that are applicable to Private Universities.

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