



JSS LAW COLLEGE

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KUVEMPUNAGAR, MYSURU

PROCEEDINGS OF 34th GOVERNING BODY MEETING

Date: 18.12.2021

Proceedings of the 34th Governing Body Meeting held on 18th December 2021

Members Present:

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| 1 | Hon'ble Sri Justice Subhash Adi
Former Judge, High Court of Karnataka | Member - Management |
| 2 | Dr. C.G. Betsurmth
Executive Secretary, JSS Mahavidya Peetha, Mysuru | Member - Management |
| 3 | Prof.(Dr.)V.Vijaykumar
Vice Chancellor, The National Law Institute University, Bhopal. | Member - (UGC Nominee) |
| 4 | Prof. Moraboda Mallikarjuna
Director, College Education Division, JSS Mahavidya Peetha, Mysuru | Member - Management |
| 5 | Prof. Veerabhadraiah K.C.
Regional Joint Director, Collegiate Education, Mysuru | Member - (Govt. Nominee) |
| 6 | Prof. K.S. Suresh
Chief Executive, JSS Law College, Mysuru | Member - Management |
| 7 | Sri. M P Nagendramurthy
Assistant Professor, JSSLC, Mysuru | Member - Faculty |
| 8 | Smt. Usharani M C
Assistant Professor, JSSLC, Mysuru | Member - Faculty |
| 9 | Sri. P Shivananda Bharathi
Controller of Examinations, JSSLC, Mysuru | Special Invitee |
| 10 | Dr.S.Nataraju
Principal & Member Secretary, JSSLC, Mysuru | Member Secretary |

Members could not be present:

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| 1 | Prof. (Dr.) V. Nagaraj
Vice Chancellor, Dharmashastra National Law University, Jabalpur | Member - Management |
| 2 | Prof. (Dr.) C.S. Patil
Professor, KSLU's Law School, Hubballi | Member - (University Nominee) |

Agenda 34.1 - Welcome

Introduction of the Members of newly Constituted Governing Body

The 33rd Governing Body Meeting (Online/Offline) was convened on 18th December 2021, at 11.00 am in the college. Dr. S Nataraju, Member Secretary welcomed and introduced the members of the newly constituted G B. The services of the past members were recollected and were thanked for their contribution and cooperation extended throughout their tenure.

The Member Secretary requested Hon'ble Sri. Justice Subhash Adi, to Chair the meeting in the place of the Chairperson, The agenda and the consequent deliberations are as follows:

Agenda 34.2:

Subject: Reading and recording the proceedings of the 33rd Governing Body Meeting held on 6th July 2021.

The proceeding of the 33rd Governing Body meeting held on 6th July 2021 was once again brought to the notice of the members. As there were no objections or clarifications, the member secretary requested to accord and approval of the same. It was accepted.

Agenda 34.3:

Subject: Action Taken Report on the 33rd Governing Body meeting.

Note: The action taken on the decisions of the 33rd GB meeting held on 6th July 2021 was placed before the members for consideration. The resolutions passed and decisions taken are on the previous body meeting are as follows:

Agenda 33.3: *The approval of 27th Academic Council recommendations.*

Resolution: It was resolved to start Value Added Courses from the academic year 2021-22.

Action taken:

- Value added courses namely; Physical Education and Yoga, and Computer Applications, has been implemented from the academic year 2021-22.
- SWAYAM/MOOC courses for the UG students is introduced from 2021-22 and it has already been implemented for the PG students from the academic year 2019-20.

Agenda 33.4: *The approval of suggestions of the 19th Finance Committee*

Resolution: It was resolved to enhance the library budget to Rs.7 lakh per year.

Action taken:

The same has been communicated to MVP for approval of the same as it is mandatory according to BCI.

Agenda 33.5: The approval of nominations to the various Statutory Bodies by the AC.

Resolution: The Nominations of Members for various Statutory Bodies for the academic year 2021- 2024 were placed for its approval.

Action taken:

The approved nominations have been notified and the nominees have been contacted in this regard.

Agenda 33.8: Any other matter - (i) the approval of submission of AQAR & SSR preparation.

Resolution: It was resolved to prepare and submit AQAR for finalizing the SSR.

Action taken:

The criteria wise preparation records are underway under the supervision of the Principal.

Note: During the deliberations of the action taken report Prof. K.S. Suresh explained the details of two value added courses which have been implemented from this academic year and also about the two alumni who got selected for JAG (Judge Advocate General).

Regarding the library budget (2020-21), it was clarified that the JSSMVP would approve the budget allocation of Rs.7 lakhs to the library.

Decision: Noted and approved.

Agenda 34.4:

Subject: Placing the Recommendations of Academic Council

Note: The recommendations made by the Academic Council meeting held on 27, November 2021 are as follows:

- Introduction of Certificate Course on Public Policy.
- The need for integration of law papers with non-law papers for the pre-law students.
- Taking up minor and major research projects by faculty from different funding agencies.

Decision: The above recommendations were approved.

Agenda 34.5:

Subject: Approval of Recommendations of Finance Committee

Note: The budgetary allocation for the library was increased to Rs.7,00,000. However, The BCI prescribes Rs. 12,00,000/- as the mandatory budget allocation for all Law Colleges. It was unanimously resolved and recommended for enhancement of the budget. Prof. K.S. Suresh briefed the necessity of enhancing the budget since, the Institution has to comply and implement the suggestions and recommendations of BCI and KSLU norms. He also requested to consider the recommendations of the Finance Committee before finalising the budgetary allocation from the Finance Section. Further, he briefed the financial requirement of the college, in view of the forthcoming renewal of both permanent Affiliation & Autonomy from UGC, and also for NAAC accreditation purpose. Dr. C.G. Betsurmth has agreed and assured to consider the same.

A revision in the sitting fee for members of various statutory bodies was placed for approval.

Decision: It was accepted.

Agenda 34.6:

Subject: Results-August/September-2021:

Note: The results of the end semester examinations were placed before the Members and it was demonstrated through a chart and graph analysis by comparing the results of the previous semester. Prof. K S Suresh clarified how results would vary from one semester to other and also results vary based on the core law papers in different semesters. Prof. K.S.Suresh explained to the Chairperson about the system of evaluation incorporated in our college.

Dr. C.G. Betsurmth, Executive Secretary, suggested introducing online evaluation system as it is followed in JSSAHER, Mysuru, as it will speed up the evaluation process and facilitates early declaration of results. Prof. K. S. Suresh clarified that, it is not feasible for a single faculty college as it involves huge expenses, and the student number is limited.

Decision: It was noted.

Agenda 33.7:

Subject: Half Yearly Report (August 2021 – December 2021):

Note: The activities conducted from August to December 2021 were briefed to the members. The major events, conferences, seminars, workshops organised, teachers and students achievements in various competitions were brought to the notice of the members.

Hon'ble Sri. Justice Subhash Adi sought the information about the MYCAB (Mysuru Citizens Advisory Bureau). The details of the activities carried out through this Forum were explained to the members by Prof. M.P. Nagendramurthy, coordinator of the Forum. Further, during the discussions about the Orientation Programme organised for the Fresher's, Hon'ble Sri. Justice Subhash Adi narrated about the importance of Ratio Decidendi and its relevancy while interpreting the judgments of higher judiciary. He suggested guiding the students about the technicalities, significance and application of Ratio decidendi in a case by referring to the leading cases. Prof. K.S. Suresh briefed about how we can make the students learn about such aspects, further he clarified that the components have been taught in jurisprudence, it has also been included in seminar paper and moot court activities. Further, he expressed the difficulty of NAAC accreditation norms especially while assessing Autonomous law Colleges on certain aspects and presently NAAC has introduced a new Manual for Law Colleges for Accreditation which will be implemented shortly by the NAAC.

Decision: It was acknowledged.

Agenda: 34.8

Subject: Any other matter with the permission of the Chair:

Note: The proposal for Inclusion of JSS Law College under JSS Science and Technology, SJCE Campus Mysuru and also for progressive disaffiliation from KSLU was submitted before the Governing Body. In this regard, Hon'ble Justice Sri Subhash Adi Sir insisted to start one more Law college from JSS University as there is dearth of excellence in Law colleges; which was agreed by the members. Dr.V.Vijaykumar also suggested that, it is the need of the hour to go for affiliation from the Parent University so that, it will save lot of time and avoid delay in the affiliation process from the Conventional University. In this regard, Dr. C.G. Betsurmath, Executive Secretary informed the Members that, the requisition made by JSSLC was approved

by the management and has directed the college to follow the norms and process involved for joining the JSS Science and Technology University, Mysuru. Dr. C.G. Betsurmath, Executive Secretary suggested to bring out the print law journal by inviting articles from the Students and Staff and other institutions. In this regard, the Principal clarified that, JSSLC Journal of Law, Volume-I has already been released and we are awaiting for RNI registration process and ISSN number. Further, the Annual AQAR report submitted to NAAC was briefed to the members for their information.

Decision: It was accepted.

Dr. S. Nataraju, Principal & Member Secretary proposed the vote of thanks and sought the guidance and support of the members to enhance the academic and curricular performances of the College.
