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Ref: UGC letter No. D.O. No. F.1-11/2007 (CPP-II) dt: 14-07-2016

With reference to the above, please find enclosed herewith a copy of the above referred letter of UGC w.r.t. Inclusion of NOTA – "None of the above" option in student election in all Universities, colleges, department and institutions as per Supreme Court Judgment.

Hence, you are requested to take needful action in this matter.

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To,

- 1. The Principals of All Engineering Colleges (Constituent, Affiliated, Autonomous) under VTU, Belagavi
- 2. The PG Coordinators of al VTU PG Centres at Belagavi, Muddenhalli, Mysuru and Kalaburagi

Copy to:

- 1. Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor through the Secretary to VC, VTU, Belagavi
- 2. The Special Officers of all the Regional Offices of VTU
- 3. The Special Officer of Academic Section, VTU, Belagavi
- 4. The Case-workers of Academic Section (A1,A2,A3,A4) VTU, Belagavi
- 5. The Computer Network Centre, VTU, Belagavi



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14th July, 2016

Subject: Inclusion of NOTA – "None Of The Above" option in student elections in all Universities, Colleges, Departments and Institutions as per Supreme Court Judgment.

Dear Sir/Madam,

The University Grants Commission, from time to time has been requesting the universities to ensure strict compliance of the order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court with regard to recommendations of the Lyngdoh Committee while conducting student union elections.

The Commission has received references from student unions seeking inclusion of NOTA (None Of The Above) option in the voting system for Election of Students' Union. The universities may consider to include the column NOTA – 'None Of The Above' option in the Electoral Voting Machines (EVMs) and ballot papers, while conducting student elections to ensure free and fair elections among student bodies.

This may also be brought to the notice of all affiliating colleges.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

(Jaspa S. Sandhu)

The Vice-Chancellor Visveswaraiah Technological University, "Jnana Sangama", Belgaum-590 018, Karnataka.

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