

विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग University Grants Commission शिक्षा मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार

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The Registrar, Vidyasagar University, West Midnapore - 721 102, **West Bengal.**

Subject:-Issuance of 2(f) Certificate – regarding.

Sir,

With reference to your letter Ne.VU/R/184/2020 dated 10.02.2020 on the subject cited above, I am directed to inform you that Vidyasagar University, West Midnapore - 721 102, West Bengal was established by the Act of State Legislature of West Bengal as a State University and is empowered to award degrees as specified by the UGC under Section 22 of UGC Act, 1956 through its own departments, its constituent colleges and/or through its affiliated colleges in regular mode with the approval of concerned statutory bodies/councils, wherever required.

Vidyasagar University, West Bengal is not authorized to open study centre/off campus centre beyond the territorial jurisdiction of the State as per the judgment of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the case of Prof. Yash Pal Vs State of Chhattisgarh.

The UGC has not granted any approval to the University to open off-campus/study centre.

No University, whether Central, State, Private or Deemed can offer its programme through franchising arrangement with Private coaching institutions even for the purpose of conducting courses through distance mode.

The name of University has been included under Section 2(f) of UGC Act, 1956.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. Naresh Kumar Sharma)

Under Secretary