VELAGAPUDI RAMAKRISHNA SIDDHARTHA ENGINEERING COLLEGE

(AUTONOMOUS) VIJAYAWADA – 520 007

MINUTES OF THE GOVERNING BODY MEETING HELD ON 29th June, 2024.

Minutes of the meeting of the Governing Body of Velagapudi Ramakrishna Siddhartha Engineering College, Autonomous, Vijayawada (offline & online) held at 10.30 A.M on 29th June 2024 i.e. Saturday.

Dr. C. Nageswara Rao - President, Siddhartha Academy of General and Technical Education, Chaired the meeting and extended a warm welcome to the Members attended.

Members & Co-opted members attended:

| SI.No. | Name | Designation |
|--------|---|--|
| 1. | Dr. C. Nageswara Rao, President, SAGTE | Chairman - Management |
| 2. | Sri P. Lakshmana Rao Secretary, SAGTE | Member - Management |
| 3. | Sri. M. Rajayya Vice - President, SAGTE | Member - Management |
| 4. | Sri N. Lalitha Prasad Joint Secretary, SAGTE | Member - Management |
| 5. | Prof. (Dr.) Suresh Kumar Dhameja Dean, Academics & International Affairs National Institute of Technical Teachers Training & Research, Chandigarh | Member -UGC Nominee (online) |
| 6. | Dr G Yesu Ratnam, Director, IIIP & T Professor of Civil Engineering, JNTUK, Kakinada | Member -University Nominee (online) |
| 7. | Sri. Rajendra Velagapudi MD & CEO, Cyient DLM | Co-opted Member Expert – Industry (online) |
| 8. | Dr. A.V. Ratna Prasad, Principal, VRSEC. | Member Ex. Officio |
| 9. | Dr. M. Suneetha, Prof. & HOD IT | Member – Teacher |
| 10. | Dr. D Venkata Rao, Prof.& HOD ECE. | Member – Teacher |
| 11. | Dr. B. Panduranga Rao Professor of CE & Dean - Student Affairs | Special Invitee |
| 12. | Dr. M.V.S. Raju Professor of CE & Dean - R & D, Coordinator - IQAC | Special Invitee |

Members & Co-opted members who did not attend:

| Sl.No. | Name | Designation |
|--------|--|--------------------------------------|
| 1. | Sri. Vellanki Nagabhushana Rao, Vice – President, SAGTE | Member - Management |
| 2. | Sri. V. Padma Rao, Regional Joint Director, O/o. Commissioner of Technical Education, Govt. of A.P | Member – State Govt. Nominee |
| 3. | Sri. Abburi Vidya Sagar Chairman/Managing Director, Avantel Ltd | Member – Industrialist |
| 4. | Sri. P.V.Rao Director, Pennar Industries & Pennar Global, Hyderabad. | Co-opted Member Expert – Industry |
| 5. | Sri. Rajiv Pandey Sr. GM & Head of Customer, Connected & Digital at Tata Motors, Mumbai | Co-opted Member Expert – Industry |

The following agenda items were discussed and deliberated upon:

Item: 1. To confirm the minutes and report the action taken on the minutes of the previous meeting held on 27th January, 2024.

The Governing Body confirmed the following minutes and approved the action taken on the minutes of the last meeting held on 27th January, 2024.

Dr. A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal, presented the following information regarding the minutes and report the action taken on the minutes of the previous meeting held on 27th January, 2024.

> Minutes and Action Taken Report:

- ❖ Approved for applying additional section in UG course (B.Tech) and closure/ starting of new courses in PG (M.Tech) w.e.f. 2024-25 along with EOA application.
 - ✓ Applied for additional section in B.Tech CSE and New courses in
 - ✓ M.Tech Cyber Security & M.Tech Artificial Intelligence and Data Science and closure of existing PG courses of CSE & Data Science.
 - ✓ AICTE approved and sanctioned additional section and new courses.
 - ✓ Approved the audited statements of accounts for the year 2022-23.
- Sri. Rajendra Velagapudi, MD & CEO, Cyient DLM, suggested to improve the number of followers in social media platforms & also informed to contact the marketing head for any help, if necessary.
 - The above suggestion was taken up and discussed in one of the IQAC meetings to promote the institution through social media platforms. Definately we take the support of Cyient executives for further promotion.
- Sri. P V Rao, Director, Pennar Industries & Pennar Global, Hyderabad, suggested to encourage the students to become entrepreneurs and providing a greater number of training to students on communication skills and assessment of students after the training.

- ✓ The IIC cell is organizing several activities. For example from Ideas to Action Outreach and Project Model Development
- ✓ Entrepreneurship as a Career Option
- ✓ Disruptive Strategies: Unveiling the Power of Innovative Business Models.
- ✓ Training and communication skills it is already incorporated in the curriculum through soft skills in the 2nd & 3rd years and placement trainings.
- ❖ Dr G Yesu Ratnam, Director, Professor of Civil Engineering, JNTUK, Kakinada suggested to have maximum number of 160 credits for B.Tech Programmes.
 - ✓ The total credits are limited to 160 in VR23 regulations.

> Information Presented:

- \checkmark R & D and other activities & events of the college from 01-07-2023 to 31-12-2023.
- ✓ New laboratories established.
- ✓ Student Placements 2023-24 up to December 2023.
- ✓ Issue of Provisional Certificates of M.Tech, MBA & MCA exams held between May 2023 and July 2023.
- ✓ M.Tech, MBA & MCA (2022-23) outgoing batch results.
- ✓ Semester end examination results of B.Tech, M.Tech, MBA & MCA between May 2023 to July 2023.
- ✓ Honor and Minor programmes examinations results August 2023
- ✓ Faculty appointments and relieving (July 2023 to till date)
- ✓ Re-admitted candidates for the year 2023-24 (odd semester)
- ✓ Attendance particulars of the students July 2023 to December 2023.
- ✓ Malpractice cases of UG & PG from July 2023 to December 2023.
- ✓ Minutes of Academic Council, IQAC & Finance Committee.

Item: 2. To present the information regarding declaration of Deemed to be University.

Dr. A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal, presented the information regarding declaration of **Deemed to be University** ,

Velagapudi Ramakrishna Siddhartha Engineering College (Autonomous) is declared as an Institution Deemed to be a University (under Section 3 of the UGC Act, 1956) under General Category by Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, vide their notification dated 11-03-2024.

Item: 3. To present the information regarding NBA- PG - Accreditation and recognition of Research Centres by JNTUK and the Governing Body approved the same.

Dr. A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal, presented the **information regarding NBA-PG - Accreditation and recognition of Research Centres by JNTUK.**

National Board of Accreditation (NBA) has re-accredited the Postgraduate Programme in Structural Engineering for the academic years 2024-25, 2025-26 & 2026-27 (up to 30-06-2027) vide their letter dated 30-05-2024.

Departments of CE,CSE,ECE,EEE,IT & ME are Recognized as Research Centres by JNTUK for the academic years 2023-24 & 2024-25.

Item: 4. To present the information regarding AICTE - EOA for the year 2024-25 and approval for additional intake in UG - CSE and Starting of new courses in PG (M.Tech) w.e.f. 2024-25.

Dr. A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal, presented the following details regarding AICTE - EOA for the year 2024-25 and approval for additional intake in UG - CSE and Starting of new courses in PG (M.Tech) w.e.f. 2024-25 **and the Governing Body approved the same**.

Increase in intake:

| SI.No | Level | Name of the Course | Intake 2023-24 | Approved for 2024-25 |
|-------|-------|----------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | UG | COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING | 240 | 300 |

New/Closure of Courses:

| SI.No | Level | Name of the Course | Intake 2023-24 | Approved for 2024-25 |
|-------|-------|--|-------------------|----------------------|
| 1 | PG | Cyber Security (New) | NA | 12 |
| 2 | PG | Artificial Intelligence and Data Science (New) | NA | 12 |
| 3 | PG | Computer Science and Engineering | 12 | Closure of |
| 4 | PG | Data Science | 12 | courses |

Total Sanctioned Intake 2024-25

| Programme | Course | Intake |
|-----------|--------|--------|
| UG | B.Tech | 1380 |
| PG | M.Tech | 66 |
| PG | MBA | 60 |
| PG | MCA | 60 |
| Total | 1566 | |

Item: 5. To present the academic, R & D, and other activities & events of the college for the A.Y. 2023-24 from 01-07-2023 to 25-06-2024.

Dr. A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal, presented the academic, R & D, and other activities & events of the college for the A.Y. 2023-2024 from **01-07-2023 to**

25-6-2024 and the Governing Body approved the same.

NEP 2020 Exhibition at New Delhi:

Velagapudi Ramakrishna Siddhartha Engineering College is selected as one of the Best Colleges that implemented Best Practices in curriculum with regard to National Education Policy (NEP – 2020). A Team of three faculty including the Principal participated NEP 2020 Exhibition with a stall organized by Akhil Bharatiya Siksha Samagam 2023, Ministry of Education, GOI, at Pragathi Maidan, New Delhi on 29th – 30th July 2023.

Student Innovations under IIC Cell:

Product Development – ME, ECE, EEE departments

Students Achievements: (48)

Students won awards in student competitions and got cash prizes worth of 10,000/- to 4,00,000/- INR from various organizations.

> R & D Projects:

No. of Sanctioned Projects : 28

Sanctioned amount : Rs.2,43,55,833/-

(CE-3,CSE/AI&DS-9,ECE-5, EEE-1,IT-3,ME-7)

> Seed Money Provided:

The Institution has allocated Rs. 16.826 Lakhs as seed money to its teachers for research during the year.

Total No. of Patents
 Filed
 Published
 Granted
 339
 20
 262
 57

> R & D publications (SCOPUS/SCI Journals): :

Journals : 203 Conferences : 625

Scopus/ SCI : 828(2023 Calendar year)

Journals : 137 Conferences : 151

Scopus/ SCI : 288 (2024 till 25-06-24)

No of continuing education programmes organized by various departments

organized by various departments : **147** (FDP - 12, Workshops - 37, Seminars - 42, Guest lectures - 56)

> Faculty participation in continuing education programmes: (outside)

Faculty members participated in **756** continuing education Programmes. (FDP - 288, Workshops - 121, Seminars - 85, Conference 214, Guest lectures - 48)

Few Important Events:

- ➤ Fourth Series of "Artificial Intelligence in Remote Sensing Applications" from September 25th to 30th September 2023 Technical Collaboration with ISRO, IEEE GRSS Chapter.
- > Two- Weeks Awareness Program on the importance of **Cyber Hygiene**.
- ➤ Intellectual Property Rights" on 26-04-2024 on the occasion of World IPR day by IIC and Dept. of CSE.
- One week ATAL FDP on Sustainable Energy Systems & Applications from 11th to 16th December 2023 organized by the Department of Mechanical Engineering.

- Professional Development Programme On "OUTCOME BASED EDUCATION" from 5th to 9th September 2023 in association with the National Institute of Technical Teachers Training (NITTTR), Chennai:
- No. of lectures by Foreign Speakers / Industry experts -51 (CE − 05, CSE&AIDS −16, ECE-6, EEE-4, EIE-2, IT-12, ME-6)

⇒ NPTEL ONLINE CERTIFICATIONS:

| Course | Certified | Gold | Silver | Elite | Successful | Toppers | NPTEL |
|----------|-----------|---------|--------|-------|------------|---------|---------|
| Run | | (>=90%) | (75% | (60% | (40% - | | Ranking |
| Period | | | - | - | 59%) | | (all |
| | | | 74%) | 74%) | | | India) |
| JAN- | 1896 | 12 | 297 | 858 | 729 | 46 | AA |
| APR 2024 | | | | | | | |
| JUL- | 1607 | 104 | 438 | 654 | 411 | 85 | AA |
| DEC 2023 | | | | | | | |

- ✓ Coursera 137
- ✓ Udemy
 - 140
- ✓ No. of Faculty Certified for NPTEL: 53
- ⇒ MOUs: 14(CE- 2,CSE/AI&DS-5, ECE-2, EEE -2,IT-2,English-1)

⇒ Rewards and Recognitions of faculty : 19

New Faculty Joined with Ph.D : 12
 (CSE-1,ECE-4, IT-2, English-2,Chemistry-2, Physics-1)

⇒ Laboratories Established on Advanced Technologies (New): 07 (AI-DS- 1, CE-1, CSE(AI&ML)-2,ECE-1,EEE-1, EIE-1) Cost of Rs. 95,77,000/-

⇒ International visits of faculty: 02

| SI. No. | Name of the faculty | Details of Visit |
|------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| 1 | Dr N Malathi, Asst. Professor, CE | 16th World Conference on Transport The research was held on-site at the Palais des congrès in Montreal, Canada, from 17 to 21 July 2023. |
| 2 | Dr Ch Rupa, Professor, CSE | 4th IEEE Int. Conference i-PACT 2023, 8- 10 December 2023 in University of Malaya (QS Rank: -65) |

⇒ International Post Doctorial admission: 02

| SI. No. | Name of the faculty | Details of Visit | | | |
|------------|----------------------|---|--|--|--|
| 1. | Dr. Satish Jasti, | Post Doctoral admission on study leave (Postdoctoral | | | |
| | Asst. Professor, ECE | | | | |
| | Dept. | (LCB),Aix-Marseille Université, Marseille, France .) | | | |
| 2. | Dr Ch Rama Vara | ✓ Went on study leave and Completed Postdoc in | | | |
| | Prasad, | April 2023 from UQAC (University du Quebec a | | | |
| | Associate Professor, | Chicoutimi), Canada | | | |
| | CE Dept. | ✓ Joined back in CE department. | | | |

Item: 6. To consider and ratify the B.Tech (VR 20) (2020-24 batch), MBA (MBA 19) (2022-24 batch), MCA (MCA 20) (2022-24 batch) out going batch results for the award of classes / divisions of April / May 2024.

Dr.A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal presented the following B.Tech (VR 20) (2020-24 batch), MBA (MBA 19) (2022-24 batch), MCA (MCA 20) (2022-24 batch) out going batch results for the award of classes / divisions of April / May 2024 and **the Governing Body ratified the same.**

| Details | B. Tech 2020-24 | MBA 2020-24 | MCA 2020-24 |
|-------------------------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Number of students appeared | 1259 | 64 | 64 |
| Number of students passed out | 1150 | 61 | 56 |
| First class with distinction | 735 | 47 | 48 |
| First class | 383 | 14 | 8 |
| Second class | 32 | No. 100 | Dia Mis |
| % of pass | 91.34 | 95.31 | 87.50 |

Item: 7. To consider and ratify the semester end examination results of B.Tech, M.Tech, MBA & MCA examinations held between August 2023 & May 2024.

Dr.A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal presented the following results of **B.Tech**, **M.Tech**, **MBA & MCA examinations held between August 2023 & May 2024 and** *the Governing Body ratified the same***.**

| Details | Month and Year | Regulations | Batch | B.Tech |
|----------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------|--------|
| B.Tech I semester | Jan-2024 | VR23 | 2023-24 | 83.53% |
| B.Tech III Semester | Dec-2023 | VR20 | 2022-23 | 80.25% |
| B.Tech V semester | Dec-2023 | VR20 | 2021-22 | 84.95% |
| B.Tech VII semester | Nov-2023 | VR20 | 2020-21 | 92.86% |
| B.Tech VIII semester | April-2024 | VR20 | 2020-21 | 100% |
| M.Tech I semester | Feb -2024 | M.Tech 23 | 2023-24 | 89.29% |
| M.Tech II semester | Aug -2023 | M.Tech 19 | 2022-23 | 50.00% |
| M.Tech III semester | Feb-2024 | M.Tech 19 | 2022-23 | 62.50% |
| MBA I semester | Feb-2024 | MBA 23 | 2023-24 | 96.67% |
| MBA III semester | Dec-2023 | MBA 19 | 2022-23 | 96.88% |
| MBA V semester | May-2024 | MBA 19 | 2022-23 | 100% |

| Details | Month and Year | Regulations | Batch | B.Tech |
|------------------|-------------------|-------------|---------|--------|
| MCA I semester | Feb-2024 | MCA 23 | 2023-24 | 82.54% |
| MCA III semester | Dec-2023 | MCA 20 | 2022-23 | 93.75% |
| MCA IV semester | April-2024 | MCA 20 | 2022-23 | 100% |

Item: 8. To consider and ratify the Honor and Minor Programme Examination Results for B.Tech (VR 20) V and VII semesters held in March 2024 & April, 2024.

Dr.A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal presented the following the Honor and Minor Programme Examination results for **B.Tech (VR 20) V and VII semesters held in March 2024 & April, 2024 and** *the Governing Body ratified the same.*

| Details | Month and Year | Regulations | Batch | B.Tech |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------|--------------|--------|
| B.Tech V Semester – Honors | March-2024 | VR20 | 2021-22 | 83.78% |
| B.Tech V semester – Minors | March-2024 | VR20 | 2021-22 | 99.40% |
| B.Tech V semester – Total | | | 100 mm | 92.09% |
| B.Tech VII Semester – Honors | April-2024 | VR20 | 2020-21 | 98.55% |
| B.Tech VII semester –Minors | April-2024 | VR20 | 2020-21 | 90.12% |
| B.Tech VII semester -Total | | | 10.30 | 94.00% |

Item: 9. To consider Present the Student Placements for the academic year 2023-24.

Dr. A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal presented the **student placements of for the Academic year 2023-24** *as on 25-06-2024* for the information of the members.

| | 2022-23 | 2023-24 |
|------------------------------|---------|---------|
| No. of Companies visited: | 94 | 93 |
| Number of eligible students: | 1057 | 1200 |
| Total Job offers | 1188 | 1235 |
| Total No of Students Placed | 827 | 851 |
| • < 4 LPA: | 352 | 433 |
| • ≥ 4 LPA - <6 LPA : | 602 | 603 |
| • ≥ 6 LPA - <8 LPA : | 124 | 125 |
| • ≥ 8 LPA - <10 LPA : | 53 | 39 |

≥ 10 LPA - <20 LPA:</p>

48

32

• ≥ 20 LPA:

09

3

Highest package

40 Lakhs

- Highest Number of selections(TCS) 3.8 to 9 (179 students)
- Highest Number of selections(Accenture) 4.5 lakhs (253 students)

Item: 10. To present the information regarding faculty appointments and reliving from Jan 2024 till date.

Dr.A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal, presented the information regarding the faculty appointments and relieving from January 2024 to till date (25-06-2024) *and the Governing Body approved the same.*

Faculty Appointments

15

Faculty Relieved

14

Item: 11. To present the pre -audited statements of accounts for the year 2023-24.

Dr.A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal, presented the pre - audited statements of accounts for the year 2023-24 **and Governing Body approved the same**.

Item: 12. To present the list of Re-admitted candidates for the year 2023-24 (even semesters).

Dr. A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal presented the following Re-admitted candidates for the year 2023-24 even semester *and the Governing Body ratified the same.*

Re-Admitted candidates (22)

| S.No | ROLL NO | Branch | Class | Name of the Candidate | | |
|------|--------------|--------|-------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| 1 | 208W1A0149 | CE | 3/4 B.Tech | SHAIK SYED MABU | | |
| 2 | 208W1A03B2 | ME | 3/4 B.Tech | TALARI NAGALAKSHMI | | |
| 3 | 208W1A0376 | ME | 3/4 B.Tech | GUMMADI ALEKHYA | | |
| 4 | 208W1A0361 | ME | 3/4 B.Tech | ASADI MANISHA | | |
| 5 | 208W1A0475 | ECE | 3/4 B.Tech | DOKKU LIKHITHA | | |
| 6 | 218W1A04J9 | ECE | 3/4 B.Tech | ANAGANI KUSHAL | | |
| 7 | 208W1A1085 | EIE | 3/4 B.Tech | KANCHARLA LAKSHMI SUMAN | | |
| / | 200 W 1A1003 | EIE. | 3/4 b. recn | TH | | |
| 8 | 218W1A0498 | ECE | 2/4 B.Tech | KOYYA SRINIVASA REDDY | | |
| 9 | 218W1A0309 | ME | 2/4 B.Tech | BILLA JESSY PRAKASH | | |
| 10 | 218W1A04D8 | ECE | 2/4 B.Tech | BATTULA SRINIVAS | | |
| 11 | 218W1A0306 | ME | 2/4 B.Tech | BALE VISWAS | | |
| 12 | 208W1A1058 | EIE | 3/4 B.Tech | YANDRAPALLI LIKHITHA | | |
| 13 | 218W1A0394 | ME | 2/4 B.Tech | EDIGA RAKESH BABU | | |
| 14 | 218W1A0342 | ME | 2/4 B.Tech | VARANASI SAI SRI HARSHA | | |

| 15 | 218W1A05C5 | CSE | 2/4 B.Tech | VADDE JASWANTH |
|----|------------|-----|------------|-----------------------|
| 16 | 208W1A1284 | IT | 3/4 B.Tech | JAGANNADHAM PAVANI |
| 17 | 228W1A0117 | CE | 1/4 B.Tech | JANGAM SANKAR |
| 18 | 228W1A0148 | CE | 1/4 B.Tech | TENALI AJITH KUMAR |
| 19 | 218W1A0179 | CE | 1/4 B.Tech | M POOJITHA REDDY |
| 20 | 228W1A0116 | CE | 1/4 B.Tech | JANGA AJITHKUMAR |
| 21 | 218W1A04C1 | ECE | 1/4 B.Tech | TALAKOLA ASHISH KUMAR |
| 22 | 228W1A0354 | ME | 1/4 B.Tech | CHOKKA ANAND ASIS |

Item: 13 To present present the information regarding attendance particulars of the students from January 2024 to June 2024.

Dr. A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal presented the following information regarding attendance particulars of the students from **January 2024 to June 2024** *and the Governing Body approved the same.*

ATTENDANCE PARTICULARS (January 2024 to June 2024)

| S.NO. | SEMESTER | MONTH & YEAR | >75% | 65%-75% | <65% | Total |
|-------|--------------------|--------------|------|---------|------|-------|
| 1 | B.Tech VII Sem Reg | April-2024 | 1257 | 2 | _ | 1259 |
| 2 | B.Tech VI Sem Reg | May-2024 | 1171 | 112 | 3 | 1286 |
| 3 | B.Tech IV Sem Reg | June-2024 | 1239 | 89 | 4 | 1332 |
| 4 | MBA I Sem Reg | Feb-2024 | 60 | _ | 2 | 62 |
| 5 | MBA IV Sem Reg | May-2024 | 61 | 3 | _ | 64 |
| 6 | MCA I Sem Reg | Feb-2024 | 60 | 3 | _ | 63 |
| 7 | MCA IV Sem Reg | April-2024 | 64 | - | - | 64 |
| 8 | M.Tech I Sem Reg | Feb-2024 | 28 | - | _ | 28 |
| 9 | M.Tech III Sem Reg | Feb-2024 | 16 | _ | - | 16 |

Item: 14. To present the malpractice cases of semester end examinations of UG & PG levels from January 2024 to June 2024.

Dr. A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal presented the malpractice cases of semester end examinations of UG & PG levels from <u>January 2024 to June 2024</u> and the Governing Body approved the same.

⇒ No. of Malpractice Cases from January 2024 to June 2024.

⇒ Regular

02,

Supply -

80

Item: 15. To present the the Scribe permitted in the semester end examinations of UG & PG levels from January 2024 to June 2024.

Dr. A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal presented the Scribe permitted in the semester end examinations of UG & PG levels from January 2024 to June 2024 *and the Governing Body approved the same.*

| SI.No | Name & Roll No | Course & Sem | Reason | Scribe | Permissio n |
|-------|---|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------|
| 1 | M Komal Sai Samba siva Kumar & 188W1A0128 | B.Tech I Sem Su pple (VR17)- March-2024 | Left Frontotemporal Subarrhonoid Haem orrhage with parieta I contusion | M Siddhart ha Raghav a | 30Minutes Extra |

Item: 16. To consider and ratify the minutes of Academic Council, IQAC, for ratification.

Dr. A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal presented the following minutes of Academic Council, IQAC, Finance Committee for ratification and *Governing Body ratified the same.*

❖ Minutes of Academic Council: 22-06-2024

- ✓ Issue of Provisional Certificates for the passed-out candidates of B.Tech, M.Tech, MBA & MCA Regular and supplementary examinations held between October 2023 and April 2024.
- ✓ B.Tech (VR 20) (2020-2024 batch), MBA (MBA 19) (2022-2024 batch), MCA (MCA 20) (2022-2024 batch) outgoing batch results for the award of classes/divisions of April / May 2024.
- ✓ Curriculum of second year B.Tech, w.e.f 2024-2025 (VR 23).
- ✓ Academic Calendars of B.Tech, M.Tech, MBA & MCA for the Academic Year 2024-2025.

♦ Minutes of IQAC: 15-04-2024

- ✓ Institutionalization of VRSEC-YouTube channel at the Institute level.
- ✓ Implementation of UTSAH (Undertaking Transformative Strategies and Actions in Higher Education) portal.
- ✓ Major reforms of the NAAC accreditation process have been communicated to alert the faculty in all departments to face the accreditations and ranking with reforms.
- √ R&D reviews considering the three types of outcomes (Paper publications, Patents & Sponsored projects) were presented for the last three years by comparing one department with another. Further, it was done to make them know their lapses & develop mechanisms to improve them and set their targets for the next year.

Item: 17. Any other point with the permission of the Chairman.

Dr. A.V.Ratna Prasad, Principal requested the members to give their valuable suggestions.

Sri Rajendra Velagapudi, MD & CEO of Cyient DLM, congratulated the team of Siddhartha Engineering College for achieving the status of Deemed to be University and expressed his happiness being part of the alumni of Siddhartha Engineering College.

He asked about monetization of granted patents (earning of money out of selling of patents). Responding to him, Principal informed that so far patents neither sold nor generating money nor commercialized.

He also enquired about the ownership of patents i.e. either by students or institution.

Principal clarified that they are owned by the VRSEC along with the students & staff. He added that some innovations, which are not patented, are commercialized and started generating small revenues to an extent of Rs. 3-4 lakhs and finally Dr Rajendra suggested that try to sell the granted patents and generate money, like several organizations are doing.

Sri. M.Rajayya, Convener of the College and Vice-President, Siddhartha Academy Congratulated Secretary, Principal, Deans who worked and got the Deemed to be University status and wanted to publicize with a big advertisement in newspaper with the permission of Secretary.

Dr. G Yesu Ratnam, JNTUK nominee (Director of IIIP & T and Professor of Civil Engineering at JNTUK, Kakinada), asked why so many students have not taken 'Honours' with twenty credits extra, and asked the seven students registered in CE completed the honours or not.

The Principal responded that all 7 students in CE completed the honours and students are opting more in Minors with same twenty credits, because of its obvious advantage.

Dr. C. Nageswara Rao, President, Siddhartha Academy thanked all the members for their enlightened and insightful suggestions through their active participation.

(Dr. A.V. RATNA PRASAD)

Member-Ex-Officio &

(Dr. C. Nageswara Rao)

President,

Siddhartha Academy of General & Technical Education.