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File No. 11-132-2010-NBA

Date: 15-03-2023

To,
The Principal
Velagapudi Ramakrishna Siddhartha Engineering College,
Vasanth Nagar, Kanuru,
Vijayawada, Krishna,
Andhra Pradesh – 520007

Subject: Decision on appeal against non-accreditation to the UG- Mechanical Engineering program offered by Velagapudi Ramakrishna Siddhartha Engineering College, Vasanth Nagar, Kanuru, Vijayawada, Krishna, Andhra Pradesh – 520007.

Sir,

This has reference to Appeal dated 12-01-2023 filed by **Velagapudi Ramakrishna Siddhartha Engineering College, Vasanth Nagar, Kanuru, Vijayawada, Krishna, Andhra Pradesh – 520007** against non-accreditation to the UG – Mechanical Engineering program of your Institution, communicated vide NBA's letter of even number dated 15.12.2022.

2. The Appeal has been considered in NBA. Representatives of the Institution also presented the case before the Appellate Committee at its meeting held on 01-03-2023. Based on the decision taken, accreditation status of the program is given in the table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Program (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Mechanical Engineering	Tier I January 2016 Document	*Accredited	Academic Years 2022-2023 to 2024-2025 i.e. upto 30-06-2025	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col.5 or till the program has the approval of the Competent Authority, whichever is earlier

* Revision in marks are indicated in Annexure to this letter.

3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.

4. The program has been granted accreditation for 3 years. **Velagapudi Ramakrishna Siddhartha Engineering College, Vasanth Nagar, Kanuru, Vijayawada, Krishna, Andhra Pradesh – 520007** should submit the Compliance Report at least six months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above so as to be eligible for consideration by the concerned Committee in NBA for further processing of the accreditation status.

5. The accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to **Velagapudi Ramakrishna Siddhartha Engineering College, Vasanth Nagar, Kanuru, Vijayawada, Krishna, Andhra Pradesh – 520007** as a whole. As such the Institution should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because it is program accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the program(s) accredited, level of program(s) and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the Academic Year from which the accreditation is effective should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

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6. The accreditation status of the above program is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programs as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of the Institute.

7. The accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa)
Member Secretary

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