Minutes of the Meeting of the Quality Advisory Council held on 23-02-2017 under the Chairmanship of the Vice-Chancellor in the Committee Room adjacent to the Vice-Chancellor Office, Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak

The members of the Quality Advisory Council (QAC) deliberated on the agenda at length and resolved the following:

- 1. Confirmation of the Minutes of the Meeting of the QAC held on 26-11-2016 Confirmed the minutes of the meeting of the QAC held on 26-11-2016.
- 2. Follow-up Action taken Report

  Noted the follow up action on the resolutions by the QAC in its meeting held on 26-112016 (Annexure I).
- 3. Presentation of AQARs for the Session 2013-14 & 2014-15

  Draft Annual Quality Assurance Reports (AQARs) for the sessions 2013-14 & 2014-15

  finalised by a six-member Adhoc NAAC Steering Committee constituted by the Executive Council of the University was presented before the QAC. The Director (IQAC) gave the Criterion-wise presentation highlighting the main points. The QAC was satisfied with the same and agreed to that the recommendations of the Adhoc NAAC steering committee attaching the relevant annexures be placed before the Executive Council of the University for approval of the submission of the AQARs to the NAAC.
- 4. Constructive Participation of the Alumni in the Holistic Growth of the University
  The QAC noticed that MDU Alumni Association is in place and Alumni Meets are
  organised by the University and most of its departments every year. The University has
  large and well placed Alumni base, still there is a need to strengthen the alumni database
  to utilize it for development of the institute and job placement of students. The QAC
  suggested that the University needs to take the following steps to involve various alumni
  and to have their contribution for development of the University:
  - Involvement of distinguished alumni working in Industry/ Corporate sectors / Research institutes by making provisions to include them as members of various bodies of the University.
  - Utilization of the expertise and resources of the alumni in skill development, imparting training and career placement to help and support the students of the university.
  - Creating Alumni Corpus Fund and making efforts to continuously enhancing the same to institute and disburse stipends, scholarships, fellowships, medals, awards, etc. to the students on need-cum-merit basis.
  - More interactive alumni portal on the University website.

Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the chair.

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Action Taken Report on the Resolutions Passed by the Quality Advisory Council (QAC) of the Maharshi Dayanand University in Its meeting Held on 26-11-2016

1. Confirmation of the Minutes of the Meeting of the QAC held on 30-08-16.

The minutes were confirmed.

2. Follow-up Action Taken Report

The Council noted it.

3. Academic Audit Analysis for the Session 2014-15

As per the suggestions given by the Council, the following steps were taken:

- The faculty members are constantly encouraged/motivated to have individual research projects.
- Posts for recruiting faculty have been advertised.
- Central Library is being more strengthened.
- Laboratories including Central Instrumentation Laboratory were strengthened.
- Provided/constructed more class rooms to some needy departments. Construction work for extension of some buildings has also been initiated.
- The teachers and research scholars now focus on publishing their research work in the Web of Science/Scopus/ICI Indexed and UGC approved Journals.
- 4. To Enter into More MoUs with Industries and Other Universities/Organisations and to Enhance Collaborative Research

The issue is being considered by the University.

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