## MINUTES OF THE MEETING

The 9th meeting of the Board of Studies meeting (constituted vide Notification no. number 85 of The your Dated 11.12.2020 of the Registrar), was held on 11th September 2023 at 11:00 am in the 2020. Sommittee room of the DDE Building, Main Campus. The meeting was attended by the following:

Head, Department of Zoology, Chairperson Dr. Ashok Kumar Yadav

Member (External Expert) (Present through online mode) prof. Kuldeep K Sharma

Member (External Expert) Prof. Baldev Sharma

Dr. Dhananananjay Kumar

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8. Dr. Vinita Sharma

9. Dr. Stanzin Ladol

Member (Present through online Mode) Dr. Anjali Dhar 5. Prof. B.S. Bhau

Dean, School of Life Sciences (Special Invitee)

Associate Professor, Department of Zoology (Special Invitee)

Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology (Special Invitee)

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At the outset, the Head, Department of Zoology welcomed the members and special invitees of the BOS. Thereafter, following agenda items were taken up for discussion and decision.

Item No. 1: To revise and approve the course matrix for Five Year Integrated B.Sc. (Hons.)-M.Sc. Zoology Programme according to National Education Policy (NEP-2020) w.e.f AcademicSession 2022-2023.

The updated course matrix (up to Semester VI) for Integrated B.Sc. (Hons.)., M.Sc. Zoology Programme in Zoology was placed before the BOS members. The final approved course matrix is placed as Annexure I. The committee approved the course matrix and recommended that the same may be placed before the School Board for consideration and approval.

Item No. 2: To revise and approve the core course syllabus of semesters I, II, III, IV, V and VI of Five-Year Integrated B.Sc. (Hons.)-M.Sc. Zoology Programme according to National Education Policy (NEP-2020) w.e.f Academic Session 2023.

The Core Course Syllabus (up to Semester VI) for Integrated B.Sc. (Hons.)., M.Sc. Zoology Programme in Zoology was placed before the BOS members. The core course syllabus was deliberated at length by the members of the BOS. Few suggestions were made by the external experts and the same were incorporated. The final approved course matrix is placed as Annexure II. The committee approved the syllabus and recommended that the same may be placed before the School Board for consideration and approval.

Item No.3: To revise and approve the syllabus of Open Elective courses offered by the Department of Zoology w.e.f Academic Session 2022-2023.

The basket of Open Elective Courses (OEC) (up to Semester VI) for Integrated B.Sc. (Hons.).. M.Sc. Zoology Programme in Zoology was placed before the BOS members. The syllabus was

discussed thoroughly by the members of the BOS. The external experts suggested minor modifications in the syllabus of the OEC and the same were incorporated. The final approved basket of (Open Elective Course) OEC is placed as Annexure III. The committee approved the Open Elective Courses and recommended that the same may be placed before the School Board for consideration and approval.

Item No. 4: To revise and approve with minor modification of the Course 'Toxicology' in semester VIII (Credit - 02).

The BOS discussed and approved the syllabus of Course 'Toxicology' (Credit - 02) The final approved syllabus of the Course 'Toxicology' is placed as Annexure IV. The committee approved the syllabus and recommended that the same may be placed before the School Board for consideration and approval.

Item No.5: To approve the courses 'Bioentrepreneurship' (credit - 02) for Semester and 'Parasites and Diseases' (credit - 02) for Semester II as Skill Enhancement Course (SEC).

The BOS discussed and approved the syllabus of the courses 'Bioentrepreneurship' (credit 02) for Semester VI and 'Parasites and Diseases' (credit - 02) for Semester II (Academic Year -2022-2023) as Skill Enhancement Course (SEC). The syllabus of the courses is placed as Annexure V. The committee approved the syllabus and recommended that the same may be placed before the School Board for consideration and approval.

Item No.6: To revise and approve the syllabus of Ph.D. course work specialization papers offered by the Department of Zoology w.e.f Academic Session 2023-2024.

The BOS discussed and approved the syllabus of Ph.D. course work specialization papers offered by the Department of Zoology. The syllabus of the courses is placed as Annexure VI. The committee approved the syllabus and recommended that the same may be placed before the

School Board for consideration and approval.