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NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, ROURKELA

**120<sup>th</sup> EMERGENCY MEETING OF THE SENATE**

Date : 10<sup>th</sup> November, 2023 (Friday)  
Time : 04.00 PM  
Venue : B. Behera Auditorium

**MINUTES**

**Senate-120[2023]-01: Welcome to the members and invitees by the Chairman, Senate.**

*The Director and Chairman, Senate welcomed all members and invitees to the meeting. Leave of absence was approved for all members/ invitees who were not present.*

**Senate-120[2023]-02: List of expert nominees for faculty recruitment year 2023-24.**

The Chairman briefed about the last recruitment drive conducted under mission mode as per CEI Act with the statistics of selection and joining of candidates. The Director further envisioned and presented the upcoming faculty recruitment drive with the number of vacancies, the process of selection to be adopted and the list of expert nominees etc. The senators discussed & deliberated upon the agenda and authorized the Chairman, Senate to place the agenda with the list before ensuing BoG for approval.

**Senate-120[2023]-03: Any other matter with permission of the Chair.**

**1. Conversion of Project Fellow / Assistant to Institute Ph.D. scholar.**

The matter was discussed in brief. However, it was decided to place this as an agenda in next Senate for further deliberation. Till then the status quo shall be maintained.

**2. Introduction of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in undergraduate course of studies (B.Tech).**

It was informed to the house that number of seats for the course have been decided from the existing seats of different departments. However, it was agreed upon that the details of the seat matrix and course structure etc. will be elaborated in detail in the next Senate.

*The meeting ended with thanks to the Chair.*

  
15.11.23

(Prof. K. Umamaheshwar Rao)  
Director & Chairman, Senate

