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SPEED POST

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The Registrar
Kerala University of Fisheries & Ocean Studies,
Panagad PO,
Kochi - 682506, Kerala

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Subject:

Proposal for 12-B status - Regarding.

Sir,

This has reference to the proposal submitted by the University for 12-B status and subsequent visit of the UGC Expert Committee on 15th& 16th January, 2021 to consider the proposal. The Report of the Expert Committee alongwith the compliance submitted by the University was placed before the Standing Committee of UGC members for consideration. The Committee recommended as under:-

"The Committee considered the report of the UGC's Expert Committee along with the compliance submitted by the University.

The Committee decided to recommend approval of 12 B status to **Kerala University** of Fisheries and Ocean Studies, Panangadh, Kochi, Kerala (State University).

The University is advised to participate in NIRF ranking and get NAAC accreditation at the earliest.

The faculty sanctioned and in position should be as per concerned statutory council(s)/ UGC norms in all the Departments."

The above recommendations of the Committee along with the Report of the UGC Expert Committee were placed before the Commission in its 551st meeting {item No.1.02(a)(i)} held on 1st July, 2021. The Commission has noted the recommendations of the Committee.

The name of University has been included in the list of universities under Section 12(B) of the UGC Act, 1956.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. Naresh Kumar Sharma) Under Secretary