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No. F.9-4/2012(CPP-I/PU)

May, 2012

The Registrar,
National Law University and Judicial Academy,
NEJOTI Building, B K. Kakati Road,
Bholanath Mandir Path,
Ulubari, Guwahati – 781 007,
Assam.

5 JUN 2012

Sanjay Datta.

1) Pl. inform all
2) Pl. send a photo
to I.P. Sharma for
filling up IL(CA) form
f. H. S. Datta
5/6/2012

Subject: - Establishment of National Law University and Judicial Academy,
Guwahati, Assam.

Sir,

With reference to your Letter No. NLUJAA/ACA/M&A/UGC/2012/001 dated 03/04/2012 on the above subject, I am directed to say that National Law University and Judicial Academy, Guwahati, Assam has been established by an Act (No. 11 of 2012) by way of amendment of the original Act of 2009 – **THE NATIONAL LAW SCHOOL AND JUDICIAL ACADEMY, ASSAM (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2012** of State Legislature of Assam as a State University vide Notification No. LGL.150/2008/75 dated 21st January, 2012 and is empowered to award degrees as specified by the UGC under section 22 of the UGC Act 1956 through its main campus in regular mode with the approval of its statutory bodies/councils, wherever required.

University is not allowed to start any off-campus centre beyond the territorial jurisdiction of the State as per Hon'ble Supreme Court Judgement in Prof. Yash Pal vs State of Chhattisgarh case Private franchise is not permitted.

The University may note and adhere to the following: -

- i) To ensure that no off campus centre(s)/study centre and the centres operating through franchises is opened by the University outside the territorial jurisdiction of the State in view of the judgement of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in case of Prof. Yashpal vs. Government of Chhattisgarh.
- ii) In case the university has already started any off-campus/study centre and the centre operating through franchises outside the State, it must be closed immediately.
- iii) No distance education programmes shall be started without the prior approval of Distance Education Council as it is the regulatory body for distance education programmes.

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I am enclosing a copy of UGC 12(B) Rules. The detailed information in the prescribed format (attached) may please be sent to this office for considering the proposal to declare University fit to receive Central assistance under Section 12B of UGC Act, 1956.

Yours faithfully,



(M.K. Rewari)
Under Secretary

Encl: As above.