



भारतीय विधिज्ञ परिषद् BAR COUNCIL OF INDIA

(Statutory Body Constituted under the Advocates Act, 1961)

BCI: D: 1408 : 2022 (LE/Std. 27/9/2022) Bhawan, New Delhi 29.09.2022
21, Rouse Avenue Institutional Area, Near DDA

1.	The Registrar, Sikkim Alpine University, Sikkim.737126
2.	The Dean, School of Law, Sikkim Alpine University, Kamrang, Namchi, Sikkim.737126

Interim Consent Letter

Sir/Ma'am,

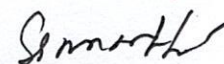
Inspection report pertaining to this CLE submitted by the inspection team of Bar Council of India was considered by Standing Committee of the Legal Education Committee of Bar Council of India in its meeting dated 27th September, 2022 and Committee was pleased to grant recognition to Sikkim Alpine University, Sikkim for the purpose of granting degree in law for enrolment as an advocate as per Section 7(1)(i) of the Advocates Act, 1961 as well as fresh approval was also granted to its School of Law, Sikkim Alpine University, Sikkim for imparting three year LL.B course and five year BA LL.B course with intake of one section of 60 students in each course for a period of two years i.e. for the academic years 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 subject to conditions mentioned in the inspection report as well as subject to the conditions imposed by the Standing Committee, if any. However, Committee decline to grant approval of five year BBA LL.B and five year B.Com LL.B course.

Detailed letter incorporating detailed conditions shall be sent in due course.

This is for your information and necessary compliance and action.


[NALIN RAJ CHATURVEDI]
ASSTT.SECRETARY, LE DEPT


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11.11.2024

1.	The Registrar, Sikkim Alpine University, Kamrang, Namchi, Sikkim - 737126
2.	The Dean, School of Law, Sikkim Alpine University, Kamrang, Namchi, Sikkim - 737126 info@sikkimalpineuniversity.edu.in

Sub.: Interim Approval Letter for extension of approval to School of Law, Sikkim Alpine University, Namchi, Sikkim for three year LL.B degree course with intake of 1 section of 60 students (*request for 1 additional section has been declined and only 1 existing section has been approved*) and five year BA LL.B integrated degree course with intake of 1 section of 60 students (*request for 1 additional section has been declined and only 1 existing section has been approved*) for a period of one year i.e. for the academic year 2024-2025.

Decline of fresh approval for five year B.Com LL.B(Hons.) integrated degree course and five year BBA LL.B integrated degree course.

Detailed letter with conditions will follow.

Sir/Ma'am,

This is to bring to your kind knowledge that the Standing Committee of Legal Education Committee of Bar Council of India by virtue of its meeting held on 5th November, 2024 considered the matter of School of Law, Sikkim Alpine University, Namchi, Sikkim.

The CLE has applied for two additional sections in three year LLB degree course and five year BA LLB integrated degree course alongwith existing strength of 1 section of 60 students and also applied for fresh approval for five year B.Com LL.B integrated degree course and five year BBA LL.B integrated degree course with intake of 2 sections of 60 students in each course.

After consideration, extension of approval has been granted to School of Law, Sikkim Alpine University, Namchi, Sikkim for three year LL.B degree course and five year BA LL.B integrated degree course with existing strength of 1 section of 60 students in each course for a period of one year i.e. for the academic year 2024-2025.

In lieu of inadequate physical and academic infrastructure as mandated under BCI Rules of Legal Education which includes shortage of core faculty members, request for two additional sections in three year LL.B degree course and five year BA LL.B integrated degree course has been declined and 1 existing section in three year LL.B degree course and five year BA LL.B integrated degree course in each course has been approved and further fresh approval for five year B.Com LL.B(Hons.) integrated degree course and five year BBA LL.B integrated degree course has been declined. College may apply afresh for the next academic year

Please kindly ensure, to have adequate Law, Computer, English, Social Science faculty members in the ratio of 1 faculty per 40 students. Also ensure to have a qualified Librarian. Also ensure that no class room is below 750 Sq. feet.

If these conditions are not complied with, approval of affiliation granted may be withdrawn at any time.

You may kindly bear in mind that the Bar Council of India is the sole and supreme sanctioning authority for seats and it does not allow any supernumerary quota of seats for law degree courses, over and above the sanctioned strength of seats and whatever reservation of seats is to be done by the University under whichever quota as a rule has to be done within sanctioned strength of seats. The only supernumerary quota, as of now permitted by the Bar Council of India, is 10 percent seats in EWS quota over and above the sanctioned strength of seats allotted/approved by BCI and that too, is subject to adequate infrastructure and qualified faculty to accommodate the supernumerary seats. The same is required to be adhered to. If there is any default on such part and the same is discovered subsequently, action shall ensue which includes revocation of approval granted.

NOTE

Public Meeting for Legal Education related Matters will be held from Monday to Thursday every week between 3.00 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. only at BCI office at 21 Rouse Avenue Institutional Area, New Delhi 110002 (2nd floor, Conference room) with VC, Registrar, Dean, Principal, Academician, administrative personnel, attached to(permanently working with Center of Legal Education) and/or with owners whose name should be documented in Trust Deed and/or Society Registration documents. All should carry CLE photo id cards as well as Aadhar/PAN/Passport for identity along with authority letter from authorised personnel like VC, Registrar, Dean, Principal or owner whose Identity should be clear from documents like Trust Deed, Society Registration papers, Photo Ids referred to above.

Authority letter has to bear original signature as on Govt. id like PAN Card/Passport, FULL NAME, DESIGNATION, MOBILE NUMBER AND EMAIL ID of person issuing authority letter as well as of person who is being issued authority letter.

No agents/touts or unauthorised personnel shall be entertained at any cost.


All visitors will have to fill the following form with attachments before the meeting.

On behalf of BCI, the meeting will be attended by Secretary Mr. Srimanto Sen and/or Mr Nalin Raj Chaturvedi, Joint Secretary and/or in absence of one/both of them by Mr. Awanish Kumar Pandey, Joint Secretary.

No other BCI employee is authorised to discuss Legal Education Related Matters.

This is for your information, necessary compliance and action.

Yours sincerely,


Nalin Raj Chaturvedi
Additional Charge
Legal Education Department
Joint Secretary


Srimanto Sen
Secretary