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File No. 11-04/2010/NBA

To

The Principal  
Rajeev Gandhi Memorial College of Engineering & Technology,  
Nandyal,  
Andhra Pradesh- 518501

Subject: Decision on appeal against non-accreditation of UG Civil Engineering and Mechanical Engineering programs of Rajeev Gandhi Memorial College of Engineering & Technology, Nandyal, Andhra Pradesh- 518501.

Sir,

This has reference to Appeal dated 13-07-2017 filed by you against the decision of NBA for not granting accreditation to the following UG Engineering programs of your Institute communicated vide NBA's letter of even number dated 08-06-2017:

1. Civil Engineering
2. Mechanical Engineering

2. The Appeal was considered by the Appellate Committee of NBA in its meeting held on 22-08-2017. The recommendation of the Appellate Committee was considered by the Competent Authority in NBA. Based on the decision taken, accreditation status of the programs is given in the table below:

S.No.	Name of the Program (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Civil Engineering	Tier I January, 2016 Document	Provisionally Accredited	Academic Years 2017-2018 to 2019-2020 i.e., upto 30-06-2020	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col.5 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier.
2.	Mechanical Engineering		Provisionally Accredited		

3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.

4. The programs have been granted provisional accreditation. **Rajeev Gandhi Memorial College of Engineering & Technology, Nandyal, Andhra Pradesh- 518501** should submit the Compliance Report at least six months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above to be eligible to be considered by the concerned Committee in NBA for further processing of the accreditation status. This could entail further extension of accreditation or a revisit, as deemed appropriate by NBA Committees.

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5. The accreditation status awarded to the programs as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to **Rajeev Gandhi Memorial College of Engineering & Technology, Nandyal, Andhra Pradesh- 518501** as a whole. **As such the Institution should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc., write that it is accredited by NBA because it is program accreditation and not Institution accreditation.** If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name and level of the programs accredited and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the date from which the accreditation is effective, should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

6. The accreditation status of the above programs is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programs as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of your Institute.

7. The accreditation status awarded to the programs as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa)  
Member Secretary

**Copy to:**

1. The Principal Secretary (Higher Education),  
Government of Andhra Pradesh,  
J Block, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Secretariat Building,  
Hyderabad-500022.
2. The Special Commissioner  
Directorate of Technical Education  
5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, B.R.K.R. Bhuvan,  
Tankbund Road, Saifabad  
Hyderabad- 500063, Andhra Pradesh
3. The Vice Chancellor,  
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Date: 08-06-2017

To

The Principal

Rajeev Gandhi Memorial College of Engineering & Technology,  
Nandyal, Andhra Pradesh- 518501

**Subject: Accreditation status of programmes applied by Rajeev Gandhi Memorial College of Engineering & Technology, Nandyal, Andhra Pradesh- 518501.**

Sir,

This has reference to your applications ID No. 1547 & 1548 dated 14/09/2015 in Tier-I format seeking accreditation by National Board of Accreditation to UG Engineering programmes offered by **Rajeev Gandhi Memorial College of Engineering & Technology, Nandyal, Andhra Pradesh- 518501.**

2. An Expert Team conducted on-site evaluation of the programmes during 24<sup>th</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> March, 2017. The report submitted by the Expert Team was considered by the concerned Committees constituted for the purpose in NBA. The Competent Authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the programmes as given in the table below:

S.No	Name of the Programmes (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Electronics & Communication Engineering	Tier-I January, 2016 Document	Provisionally Accredited	Academic Years 2017-2018 to 2019-2020 i.e., upto 30-06-2020	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in col.5 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier
2.	Electrical & Electronics Engineering		Provisionally Accredited		

3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.

4. The programmes have been granted provisional accreditation. **Rajeev Gandhi Memorial College of Engineering & Technology, Nandyal, Andhra Pradesh- 518501** should submit the Compliance Report at least six months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above to be eligible to be considered by the concerned Committee in NBA for further processing of the accreditation status. This could entail further extension of accreditation or a revisit, as deemed appropriate by NBA Committees.

5. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to **Rajeev Gandhi Memorial College of Engineering & Technology, Nandyal, Andhra Pradesh- 518501** as a whole. As such the Institution should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because it is programmes accreditation and not institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the programme(s) accredited level of programmes and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the Academic year from which the accreditation is effective should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

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7. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.
8. Copies of the Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team and Evaluators' reports in respect of the above programmes are also enclosed.
9. If the Institute is not satisfied with the decision of NBA, it may appeal within thirty days of receipt of this communication giving reasons for the same and by paying the requisite fee.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa)  
Member Secretary

**Encls: 1. Copy of Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team.  
2. Copies of Expert Reports of the Visiting Team.**

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