KERALA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY

Proceedings

KAU - Academic –Malpractice attempted during examinations -Amendment of the existing rules - Sanctioned – orders issued.

DIRECTORATE OF EDUCATION

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22-11-2023

Read: - 1) Recommendations of the 66 th Board of Studies (Agri) held on 16.06.2023 (Item 4/66)

2) Minutes of the special meeting of Academic Council held on 11/7/2023.

<u>ORDER</u>

As per the recommendations of the 66 th Board of Studies (Agri.) held on 16.06.2023 it was proposed to amend the existing rules concerned with actions to be taken while dealing with malpractices attempted during examination. The matter was placed before the Special Academic Council meeting held on 11.07.2023.

In consonance with the decision of the Special Academic Council the following amendments to the existing regulation are approved.

Sl	Existing regulation	Modified regulation
No:		
1	Clause – 26.3 The Head of the Institution shall appoint a committee consisting of not less than three teachers not below the rank of Associate Professor to enquire into the alleged malpractice.	The Head of the Institution shall appoint a committee consisting of not less than three Senior faculties to enquire into the alleged malpractice.
2	Clause -26.4. The committee shall submit its findings within a specified time to the Head of the Institution whose decision on the matter shall be final.	The Committee shall submit its findings within 5 WORKING DAYS to the Head of the Institution whose decision on the matter shall be final.

3	Clause -26.5 In case the Head of the Institution is convinced that the student is guilty, he may be given a suitable punishment which may include debarring the student for a specified period from attending classes or recommending to the University the dismissal of the student.	In case the Head of the Institution is convinced that the student is guilty, the following punishment will be meted out: First time The student will have to undertake the course as <u>REPEAT</u> Second Debar the time student for a offender semester Third Dismissal of the time student. offender In case the student is not found guilty, he/ she can apply for supplementary examination.

The AMS portal will be modified in order to incorporate the details of malpractice.

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DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

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