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# VTU reschedules exams for third time in a month

'Some papers were rescheduled owing to Id Milad'

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BENGALURU

Much to the growing frustration of its students, Visvesvaraya Technological University (VTU) has yet again rescheduled the odd semester examination. In a span of a month, the varsity has rescheduled this examination thrice leaving students in the lurch. The exams, which were scheduled to end by December, will now stretch into January as well.

A seventh semester student of Electronics and Communication said that he had prepared for the examination keeping in mind the original timetable. "Once again we will have to prepare a different study schedule and change our plans," he said.

Students from other States who had planned to go back home had to change their travel plans and rebook their tickets.

Satish Annigeri, Registrar (Evaluation), said that the examinations were rescheduled after students had reported that some of their papers were clashing. "It is



A file photo of Visvesvaraya Technological University.

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SATISH ANNIGERI Registrar (Evaluation)

impossible to ensure that the papers are scheduled such that they do not clash. This process will take around two months," he said. He also added that some of the papers were rescheduled owing to Id Milad. Students, however, said that there was a need for the university to be more meticulous in its planning and stick to a timetable that has been set. "We understand that there are lot of papers in engineering, but the university also needs to ensure that its planning is foolproof," a fifth semester computer science student said.

The university had to postpone the last even semester examination too as it had delayed the results as well as the revaluation results of the odd semester examinations held in December.

ಮಂಗಳೂರು ಭಾನುವಾರ 3 ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್ 2017 ಹೇಮಲಂಬಿ ಸಂವತರ, ದಕ್ಷಿಣಾಯನ, ಹೇಮಂತ ಋತು, ಮಾರ್ಗಶಿರ ಮಾಸ್ತ

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# ಆಖಿಲ ಭಾರತೀಯ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಮಂಡಳಿಯ ಸೂಚನೆ

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2018-19ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನಲ್ಲಿ 300ಕ್ಕೂ ಅಧಿಕ ಖಾಸಗಿ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರಿಂಗ್ ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳಿಗೆ ಕಾರ್ಯ ಗಳನು ನಿಲ್ಲಿಸುವಂತೆ ಸೂಚಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಈ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರಿಂಗ್ ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕಳೆದ ಐದು ವರ್ಷಗಳ ಅವಧಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಶೇ.30ಕ್ಕಿಂತಲೂ ಕಡಿಮೆ ದಾಖಲಾತಿ ಇದೆ. ಈ ಹಿನ್ನೆಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮುಂದಿನ ಶೈಕ್ಷಣಿಕ ವರ್ಷದಿಂದ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಹಣೆ ಸ್ಥಗಿತ ಗೊಳಸುವಂತೆ ಸೂಚಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಮಾನವ ಹಕ್ಕುಗಳ ಆಯೋಗದ ಆಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ನಿಗದಿತ ಸೀಟು ಗಳನ್ನು ಭರ್ತಿ ಮಾಡಲು ವಿಫಲ ವಾಗುತ್ತಿರುವ 500ಕ್ಕೂ ಅಧಿಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರಿಂಗ್ ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳ ಮೇಲೆ ಹದ್ದಿನ ಕಣ್ಣಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಮಂಡಳಿಯು ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳಿಗೆ ನೀಡಿದ್ದು, ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರಿಂಗ್ ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳನ್ನು

ವಿಜ್ಞಾನ ಕಾಲೇಜು ಅಥವಾ ವೃತ್ತಿಪರ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳನ್ನಾಗಿ ಬದಲಾಯಿಸ ಬಹುದು ಎನುವ ಅವಕಾಶವನ್ನೂ ನೀಡಿದೆ.

ಆಖಿಲ ಭಾರತೀಯ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಭಾರತದಾದ್ಯಂತ 3000ಕ್ಕೂ ಅಧಿಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯ ಗಳನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳುವಂತೆಯೂ ತಿಳಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ರಿಂಗ್ ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪದವಿಪೂರ್ವ AICTE ಸಾಮರ್ಥ್ಯ ಹೊಂದಿವೆ. ಆದರೆ ದಾಖಲಾತಿ ಕಡಿಮೆ ಇರುವ ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳನ್ನು ಇವುಗಳ ಪೈಕಿ ಅಜಮಾಸು 800 ಮುಚ್ಚುವುದು ಉತ್ತಮ ಆಯ್ಕೆಯಾಗಿದೆ. ಶೇ.50ಕ್ಕಿಂತ ಕಡಿಮೆ ಇದೆ.

ne ಇಲಾಖೆ ಮೂಲಗಳ . ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಹಣೆಯನ್ನು ನಿಲ್ಲಿಸು ಅಖಿಲ ಭಾರತೀಯ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ವಂತೆ ಸೂಚಿಸಲಾಗಿರುವ 300 ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರಿಂಗ್ ಶೇ. 20ಕ್ಕಿಂತಲೂ ಕಡಿಮೆ ದಾಖಲಾತಿಯಿದೆ.

ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳನ್ನು ಮುಚ್ಚುವ ಯಾವುದೇ ಸಮಸ್ಯೆಗಳು ಉಂಟಾಗಬಾರದು ಎನುವ ಕಾರಣಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರಿಂಗ್ ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳಿಗೆ ಶೇ.30ರಮ ಕಡಿಮೆ ದಾಖಲಾತಿ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳುವಂತೆ ಮಂಡಳಿಯ ವರ್ಚಸ್ಥೆಟನ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸೂಚಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಅಲ್ಲದೇ ಪರ್ಯಾಯ ಅವಕಾಶ

ಎಐಸಿಟಿಇನ ಮುಖ್ಯಸ್ಥ ಅನೀಲ್ ಡಿ ಸಹಸ್ಯಬುದೆ ಹಿಕ್ಷಣವನ್ನು ಒದಗಿಸಲಾಗುತ್ತದೆ. ಇವುಗಳು 13.56 ಲಕ್ಷ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳ ವಿಷಯದ ಕುಠಿತು ನಾವು ಚರ್ಚೆ ನಡೆಸುತ್ತಿದ್ದೇವೆ. ಅವರು ಈ ಕುರಿತಂತೆ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದ್ದು, ಪ್ರಸ್ತುತ

ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರಿಂಗ್ ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಆದರೆ ಈ ಆಯ್ಕೆ ಕೂಡ ಹಲವಾರು ಸಮಸ್ಯೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಕಾರಣವಾಗಬಹುದು. ಇಂಜಿಯರಿಂಗ್ ಹಕ್ಕು ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳಿಗೆ ಹಣ ಹೂಡಿರುವವರಿಗೆ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸಮಸ್ಯೆಗಳಾಗಬಹುದು. ಅಲ್ಲದೇ ಬ್ಯಾಕುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಸಾಲ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿರಬಹುದು. ಈ ನಿಟ್ಟಿನಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ಕೂಡ ಆಲೋಚಿಸಬೇಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆ. ಈ ಸೂಚನೆ ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳ ಪೈಕಿ 150ಕ್ಕೂ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾರಣದಿಂದ ಇಂತಹ ಕಾಲೇಜುಗಳಿಗೆ ಪರ್ಯಾಯ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆಯನ್ನೂ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂದರು.





## CYCLONE AWAY FROM MAINLAND, BUT HUNDREDS STILL MISSING

Though the rains in Tamil Nadu and Kerala are expected to fizzle out within 24 hours, at least 200 people are yet to be traced

PRESSED INTO SERVICE 2 aircraft

9 coast guard vessels 3 navy vessels 2 helicopters 2 alrcraft

AS THINGS STAND

190 fishermen rescued 13 confirmed dead 3000 (at least) accommodated in various shelters

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# Students in a fix as VTU reschedules UG papers

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THE Visvesvaraya Technological University (VTU) Belagavi has goofed up yet again by rescheduling some papers of the the undergraduate exams which are set to begin from December 19.

By stating that they wanted to prevent overlapping, the university has rescheduled the exams and this has caused anxiety among students who have backlog papers and have prepared for the exams.

Students from outside Karnataka who booked tickets for their travel after the exams are now forced to cancel their trip.

"This act of the university is causing lot of inconvenience. Some of us have already booked tickets to travel following the earlier time table. But now with the rescheduled time table our exams will be extended for 10 more days," said a student.

Rahul M Bogase, a third semester engineering student of a city-based engineering college said, "They just rescheduled one theory subject for us and due to that we need to wait for 10 days to write another subject.

For example: Third semester's second subject was scheduled on December 22 and now it has been postponed to January 11.

"This is causing an inconvenience and also anxiety. We demand the concerned authorities to look into every issue before announcing a final time table," said Yamini Nandish, another student.

"It's ridiculous that the university does such things before every semester exam. There is no value for students' grievances," said another student.

As per the earlier time table,

the exams were scheduled to be as held between December 19 to you January 3. But, now it has been extended till January 11.

However, university authorities have their own explanation.

Prof Satish Annigeri, registrar evaluation of VTU, said, "This!"

the regular students. In case this is affecting regular students, then let the students write to us, we will resolve the issues."

He also added that, "Even the change in Eid-Milad holiday has

affected our examination schedule. Earlier, the holiday was on December 1, but later government changed the holiday so, even we had to change our exam schedule."

The registrar evaluation said that it is impossible for the uni-no versity to frame time table without overlapping as there are sook many branches and semesters!



# AICTE colleges to adopt anti-plagiarism software

Bengaluru: All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) has directed all it's engineering and technical colleges to incorporate 12e anti-plagiarism software. Considering the increasing cases of plagiarism in academics and <sup>10</sup>research, AICTE has issued a circular asking institutes to adopt an antiplagiarism software which can identify the amount of 'copying' that has been done. The circular mentions, "To promote the academic integrity and excellence it is est. necessary to prevent plagiarism. Plagiarism has become a serious issue for students, academicians and researchers which affects the overall credibility of the academic institution and the nation." Visvesvaraya Technological University has implemented an antiplagiarism software to verify PhD thesis and MPhil research papers.



ವಿಟಿಯು ಕ್ರಮಕ್ಕೆ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳ ಆಕ್ರೋಶ

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು: ವಿಶ್ವೇಶ್ವರಯ್ಯ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯ (ವಿಟಿಯು) ಬಿ.ಇ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳ ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆಯನ್ನು ಮುಂದೂಡುವ ಮೂಲಕ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳ ಆಕ್ರೋಶಕ್ಕೆ ಕಾರಣವಾಗಿದೆ. 2002ರಿಂದ 2015ನೇ ಬ್ಯಾಚ್ ನಲ್ಲಿ ವ್ಯಾಸಂಗ ಮಾಡಿ ಉಳಿಸಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವ ವಿಷಯಗಳಿಗಾಗಿ ಡಿ.6ರಿಂದ ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆ ನಡೆಸಲು ನಿರ್ಧರಿಸಿತ್ತು. ಇದೀಗ ಪರಿಷ್ಕರಿಸಿ ಜನವರಿ 1ರಿಂದ ನಡೆಸಲು ನಿರ್ಧರಿಸಿದೆ. ಇದರಿಂದಾಗಿ ದೂರ ಊರುಗಳಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಪರೀಕ್ಷಾ ಕೇಂದ್ರಕ್ಕೆ ತೆರಳಿ ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆ ಬರೆಯಬೇಕಿದ್ದ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಬಸ್ ಟಿಕೆಟ್ ಕಾಯ್ದಿರಿಸಿದ್ದರು. ಇದೀಗ ಪರೀಕ್ಷೆ ಮುಂದೂಡಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಅನಿವಾರ್ಯವಾಗಿ ಟಿಕೆಟ್ ರದ್ದುಗೊಳಿಸಬೇಕಿದೆ. ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳ ಆಕ್ರೋಶಕ್ಕೆ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿರುವ ವಿಟಿಯು ಮೌಲ್ಯ ಮಾಪನ ಕುಲಸಚಿವ ಪ್ರೊ.ಸತೀಶ್ ಅಣ್ಣಿಗೇರಿ, ಕ್ಷದ್ - ಮಿಲಾದ್ ಹಬ್ಬಕ್ಕೆ ರಜಿ ಗೊಂದಲ ಇದ್ದರಿಂದ ಪರೀಕ್ಷ ಮುಂದೂಡಬೇಕಾಗಿದೆ. ಇದರಿಂದ ರೆಗ್ಯೂಲರ್ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಗೆ ತೊಂದರೆ ಉಂಟಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಉಳಿದ ೨೦೦ ರ್ಥಿಗಳು ಅನುಸರಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕಿದೆ ಎಂದಿದ್ದಾರೆ.