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## **SPEED POST**

November, 2021

The Registrar
Vels Institute of Science, Technology & Advanced Studies (VISTAS)
(Deemed to be University),
Pallavaram, Chennai,
Tamil Nadu.

Subject:

Proposal for inclusion in the list of Deemed to be Universities under Section 12 B of the UGC Act, 1956.

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Sir,

This has reference to the visit of the UGC's inspection Committee to the Deemed to be University during 27-28<sup>th</sup> September, 2021 to consider 12-B status and subsequent compliance submitted by the University in respect of the observations/suggestions given by the UGC's inspection Committee. The report of the inspection Committee along with the compliance submitted by the University was placed before Committee of UGC members for consideration. The Committee recommended as under:-

"The Committee considered the report of the UGC's inspection Committee along with the compliance submitted by the Deemed to be University. The Committee decided to recommend approval of 12 B status to Vels Institute of Science, Technology & Advanced Studies (VISTAS) (Deemed to be University), Pallavaram, Chennai, Tamil Nadu subject to the condition that the financial assistance under all UGC schemes shall be limited to those relating to teachers and students only."

The above recommendations of the Committee along with the Report of the UGC inspection Committee were placed before the Commission in its 553<sup>rd</sup> {Item No. 1.02(a)(iii)} held on 26.10.2021. The Commission ratified the recommendations of the Committee and the Deemed to be University is included in the list of Deemed to be Universities under Section 12 B of the UGC Act, 1956 subject to the condition that the financial assistance under all UGC schemes shall be limited to those relating to teachers and students only.



Yours faithfully,

( Archana Thakur )
Joint Secretary