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Date: 15.07.2013

The Registrar
TMV’S Lokmanya Tilak Deemed University,
Tilak Maharashtra Vidyapeeth
Gultekdi, Pune – 411 037

Sub.: Temporary approval of affiliation of TMV’s Lomanya Tilak Law College, Solapur (Off. Campus of TMV’S Lokmanya Tilak Deemed University at Pune) for 3 year LLB and 5 year law courses.

Sir,

Legal Education Committee at its meeting held on 23rd June, 2013 considered the inspection report of the above mentioned college. After consideration, Committee made the following recommendations:

The Legal Education Committee has considered the recommendations of the Standing Committee. After consideration, the Committee is of the view that temporary approval of affiliation is granted to TMV’s Lokmanya Tilak Law College, Solapur (Off-Campus of TMV’S Lokmanya Tilak Deemed University at Pune) for imparting three year LLB and five year law course with an intake of two sections of 60 students in each section in each course for a period of two years i.e. for the academic year 2013-2014 and 2014-2015 subject to the following conditions:-
Further, the Committee finds in the list of faculty, Assistant Professor named in Serial Number 5 Ms. Dudhwale Arati is not competent to teach law as she is only LL.B. The minimum qualification has to be LL.M. Further, college should appoint regular Principal and two more faculty members for teaching law in B.A.LL.B course within a period of three months and intimation be given to the Bar Council of India within the same period.

1. TMV Deemed University must obtain the necessary permission from UGC/HRD ministry or other government agencies if any, whose rules are binding upon to start the TMV Deemed University commencing the course.

2. TMV Deemed University must constitute all necessary committees like Academic council Board of studies, etc with including experts or law subjects.

3. The syllabus set for the 3 year LLB and 5 year law course and practical training must be in the line of the subjects approved by the Bar Council of India.

4. As an initial investment the college should buy books worth Rs.1,00,000/-required for the 3 year and 5 year LLB law course.

5. TMV Deemed University must buy books Rs. 50,000/- in each steam every year and reports to the BCI.

6. The college must create a well furnished moot court room with necessary space, furniture and court room equipments.

7. Improvements of E- Library with 20 computers and more electronic data.

8. The Law School must complete the construction of the new building in one year and earmark a particular block for Law Faculty.
9. The fees set by the TMV Deemed University must be fair and reasonable & any other conditions which the LEC may deem fit.

10. The college management is directed to establish the Legal Aid Centre as per Clause-11, Schedule-III of Rule-11 of the Part-IV of the Legal Education Rules – 2008.

11. College should ensure the payment of salary to teachers as per Rules 22 schedule III, Part IV of BCI Rules.

12. Teacher Student ratio shall be 1:40.

Institution should submit affidavit in the compliance to the above conditions within four weeks.

Put up this case after decision is taken by the Legal Education Committee about BSL degree.

The above recommendations were considered by the Bar Council of India at its meeting held on 23rd June, 2013 and accepted the same.

The college shall also comply with the following Rule of the Bar Council of India (Clause (iii) and Explanation 2 of Schedule IV in Part IV of new rules of the Bar Council of India):

"Whenever approval of affiliation is granted to the Centres of Legal Education, it shall be necessary for the Centres of Legal Education to deposit Rupees Two Lakh in shape of guarantee to fulfil all the norms of the Bar Council of India. The same shall be liable to be forfeited if norms are not complied with and same shall carry no interest."

The approval of affiliation now granted by the Bar Council of India is subject to the payment of guarantee amount as mentioned in the above rule.
College authorities are also required to apply to the Bar Council of India for further extension of approval of affiliation six months in advance before expiry of the period of approval of affiliation granted by the Bar Council of India i.e. on or before 31st December, 2014 failing which a late fee will be charged.

Yours Sincerely,

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Secretary

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