File No. 26-42-2013-NBA

To
The Principal
School of Engineering, Cochin University of Science & Technology,
Cochin University Post,
Cochin-628 022, Kerala

Subject: Further accreditation status on the basis of Compliance Report of the programs in Tier I offered by School of Engineering, Cochin University of Science & Technology, Cochin University Post, Cochin-628 022, Kerala.

Sir,

This is regarding Compliance Report submitted by School of Engineering, Cochin University of Science & Technology, Cochin University Post, Cochin-628 022, Kerala for the UG Engineering programs which were provisionally accredited by NBA in Tier-I for academic years 2016-17 to 2018-19 whose validity is expiring on 30.06.2019.

2. An Expert Team conducted data verification of the programs on 08th March, 2019. 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 programs as given in the table below:

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<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Name of the Program(s) (UG)</th>
<th>Basis of Evaluation</th>
<th>Accreditation Status</th>
<th>Period of Validity</th>
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<td>1.</td>
<td>Mechanical Engineering</td>
<td>Tier-I</td>
<td>Accredited</td>
<td>Academic Years 2019-2020 to 2021-2022 i.e. Upto 30-06-2022</td>
<td>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</td>
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<td>Safety &amp; Fire Engineering</td>
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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 accreditation status awarded to the programs as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to School of Engineering, Cochin University of Science & Technology, Cochin University Post, Cochin-628 022, Kerala 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 programs accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA’s notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the program(s) accredited, level of program(s) 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.
5. 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 the Institute.

6. 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.

7. A copy each of the Reports of the Visiting Team in respect of the above programs is enclosed.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa)
Member Secretary

Encls: Copy each of the Report of the Visiting Team in respect of the programs.

Copy to:

1. The Vice Chancellor
   Cochin University of Science & Technology
   Cochin University Post,
   Cochin-682 022, Kerala

2. Director Technical Education
   Govt. of Kerala
   Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala

3. Accreditation File

4. Master Accreditation file of the State.