

KAU - Education - Implementation of M.Tech. in Renewable Energy Engineering degree programme as Revolving Fund Scheme - Administrative & Technical Sanctions accorded - Orders issued.

## **DIRECTORATE OF EDUCATION**

No. KAUEDU/1694/2024 - EDU B3

Dated. Vellanikkara, 09-04-2025

- Read:- 1. 48<sup>th</sup> Board of Studies of Faculty of Agricultural Engineering & Technology held on 31/05/2023.
  - 2. Special meeting of Academic Council held on 11.07.2023.
  - 3. University Order No. KAUGA/3160/2023 GA-D1 dated 18.09.2023
  - Project Proposal submitted vide e mail dated 30/08/2024 of Dean of Faculty (Agricultural Engineering &Technology)
  - 5. Minutes of Technical Committee meeting held on 27/09/2024.
  - Revised Project Proposal submitted vide e mail dated 04.03.2025 of Dean of Faculty (Agricultural Engineering & Technology)

## ORDER

The Board of Studies as per paper read (1), has proposed for the implementation of M.Tech.in Renewable Energy Engineering degree programme at Kelappaji College of Agricultural Engineering and Food Technology, Tavanur. The mode of operation and budget requirements of the programme were recommended by the Board of Studies. The Special meeting of Academic Council, as per paper read (2), has approved the proposal. Subsequently as per paper read (3), sanction has been accorded for the notification of the course.

As per the directions issued vide University Order No.R4/64831/17 dated 31/03/2018 of the Director of Research, KAU, the project proposal submitted for starting of M.Tech in Renewable Energy Engineering course in Revolving Fund mode vide reference read 4<sup>th</sup>, was examined by a Technical Committee chaired by the Director of Education on 27.09.2024.

The Technical Committee vide paper read (5), has approved the project proposal in principle, with zero corpus fund, subject to the condition that, the proposal will be revised by incorporating the modifications, if any, suggested by the Committee, for issuing administrative and technical sanctions for the commencement of the course in Revolving Fund mode.

Accordingly, vide paper read (6), the Dean (Faculty of Agricultural Engineering & Technology) has submitted a revised proposal with the following budget outlay, for consideration and decision.

	1 <sup>st</sup> Year (L. Rs)		2 <sup>nd</sup> Year (L. Rs.)	
Item	Expense	Receipt	Expense	Receipt
Corpus amount	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Recurring cost	5.892	8.00	9.292	16.00
Non-recurring	0.20	0.00	0.40	0.00
cost				
Total	6.092	8.00	9.692	16.00

In the circumstances, the following orders are issued

- Administrative & Technical Sanctions are hereby accorded for the implementation of M.Tech in Renewable Energy Engineering course at Kelappaji College of Agricultural Engineering and Food Technology, Tavanur, with the above budget, under the Principal Investigatorship of Dr. Jayan P R, Dean of Faculty (Agricultural Engineering &Technology).
- 2. The course will be started under Revolving Fund Scheme with Zero Corpus Fund. The course will have an annual intake capacity of 8 students with a duration of 2 years.
- 3. The engagement of temporary staff should strictly adhere to the relevant regulations and procedures ordered vide University order No. KAUGA/6648/2023-GA C3 dated 04/09/2024 and Circular No. KAUGA/6648/2023-GA C3 dated 04.02.2025.
- 4. The Comptroller, KAU will issue financial sanction detailing the budget requirements under the RC, NRC and salary Head of accounts for the current and financial year and place the funds at the disposal of the Dean of Faculty (Agricultural Engineering & Technology) who will be the DDO of the

programme.

- 5. The Principal Investigator should maintain separate accounts on income, profit etc. for every activity for monitoring and evaluation of the scheme and submit the Revenue/Expenditure statement for Recurring/Non recurring costs in the RF account, every six months to the Comptroller, KAU
- 6. The Principal Investigator should strictly follow the guidelines for the operation of RF Scheme issued by Kerala Agricultural University, from time to time.

## Dr. S GOPAKUMAR DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

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- 1. The Comptroller, KAU
- 2. The Dean of Faculty, Kelappaji College of Agricultural Engineering and Food Technology, Tavanur
- 3. Dr. Dhalin. D, Prof. Dept. of FMPE, KCAEFT, Tavanur (Associate of the programme)
- 4. Programmer, Directorate of Education, KAU.

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