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Circular

- Sub:** Introduction of Internal Assessment System for Under Graduates Law Degree Programme.
- Ref.** 1.The 69th Syndicate Sub-Committee meeting dtd. 21.07.2018.
2. Approval of 70th Syndicate meeting held on 04.08.2018, item No. 10.
3. Approval of Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, dtd: 21.08.2018.

With reference to the above subject, this is to inform the Principals of all Affiliated Law Colleges of KSLU that, unless otherwise provided for in each course carrying 100 marks, 20 marks shall be awarded by way of internal assessment. The end of the semester examination shall be conducted for 80 marks. A student should secure a minimum of 40% of the marks in the end semester examination to be declared as pass in that paper provided, he has secured a minimum of 40 marks in that paper along with internal assessment marks. That is, a student has to secure a minimum of 32 marks in each paper in the end semester examination. These 20 marks shall be awarded as per the modalities below:

Modalities for Awarding Internal Assessment Marks

1. The 20 marks for internal assessment shall be apportioned as under.
 - a. One test- 10 marks
 - b. Assignment- 5 marks
 - c. Seminar based on assignments- 5 marks
2. The test shall be conducted in the 10th week of the semester.
3. The student shall write one essay answer for 7 marks and one short note/ problem for 3 marks.
4. The test shall be for one hour.
5. There shall be two essay type questions of which student shall answer one and two short note questions of which students shall answer one.
6. Topics for assignments shall be based on the syllabus prescribed for the course. The course teachers shall allocate topics to students in the second week of the semester. The assignment may be in the form of a statute analysis, case comment, essay, research on a topic or a socio-legal survey. It shall be in the hand writing of the student and he/ she


should make a declaration to the effect that it is his/ her original work. The assignment shall be of 15 pages excluding preliminary pages.

7. The test papers and assignment shall be maintained by the college systematically for inspection by the University.
8. There shall be no provision for improvement/ attempt. Students have to fulfill the requirements in the same semester in the same batch.
9. Students remaining absent on medical grounds may be given a chance to take the internal assessment exercises by the Principal. Proper records shall be maintained in this regard.
10. Coordination Committee:
 - a. The Coordination Committees constituted by the University shall review the marks allotted by the course teacher.
 - b. The committee shall inspect the marks awarded to various components and make out if objective standards are followed in awarding marks.
 - c. It shall have the power to vary up to 5% of the marks awarded.
 - d. In case the awarding of marks is found to be arbitrary, the same shall be reported to the University, which shall be considered by a committee constituted by the Vice Chancellor, which shall submit its report to the Vice Chancellor. The decision of the Vice Chancellor shall be final.

For remaining 80 marks, there shall be end semester examination conducted by the University. The question paper pattern shall be as below:

1. There shall be questions from each unit.
2. For each unit there shall be 16 marks that shall be apportioned as under:
 - a. 10 marks for essay answer- part (a) of the question.
 - b. 6 marks for short answer or problem question- Part (b)
3. Each Unit shall have two essay questions and two short answer / problem questions of which the student shall answer one each.

This is to be brought to the notice of all the Students and Teachers of the Law Colleges.


Registrar (I/c)

To,
All the Affiliated Law Colleges of
Karnataka State Law University, Hubballi.

Copy to:

- 1) The P.S. to Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Karnataka State Law University, Hubballi.
- 2) The P.S. to Registrar, Karnataka State Law University, Hubballi.
- 3) The P.S. to Registrar (Evaluation), Karnataka State Law University, Hubballi.
- 4) Deputy Registrar, Administration and Academic section, KSLU, Hubballi.
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