

**GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

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From

Saswat Mishra, IAS
Principal Secretary to Government

To

The Registrars of all State Public Universities
(under HE Department)

Sub: Amendment of Odisha Universities Act 1989 by Odisha
Universities (Amendment) Act 2020 – Regarding

Madam/Sir,

As you are aware, the Odisha Universities Act 1989 has been amended by Odisha Universities (Amendment) Act 2020 with effect from 04.09.2020. Therefore, while referring to various provisions of the Act, the provisions of the Odisha Universities Act 1989, as they stand after the amendment of 2020, shall be referred to. While referring to any provision of the Act, the appropriate section and sub-section of the Odisha Universities Act 1989, as it stands after the amendment, shall be referred to. No reference shall be made to the sections and sub-sections of the amending Act. Example-1- The provision for nomination of a representative of non-teaching employees to the Syndicate by the VC shall be said to be provided in Section-10(1)(n) of the OU Act 1989; not in Section 10 (a) of the Amending Act. Example-2 –The provision for uploading audit reports of Universities in website shall be said to be provided in Section-23(2) of the OU Act 1989; not in Section 16 of the Amending Act.

For ease of reference, the Odisha Universities Act 1989, as it stands after the said amendments, has been made available in the Department website.

Yours faithfully,



Principal Secretary to Government

Memo No. 27822/HE dated 16.07.2021.

Copy to Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Hon'ble Chancellor, Raj Bhavan, Bhubaneswar for kind information.



Principal Secretary to Government

Memo No. 27823/HE dated 16.07.2021.

Copy to Vice Chancellors of all State Public Universities (under HE Department) for kind information and necessary action.



Principal Secretary to Government