

APPROVAL FOR ALLOCATION OF SEATS DURING ADMISSION TO WARDS OF DEFENCE/CAPF PERSONS

- Reference: 1. M.V.02/2023-GC-GNR dated 23rd August 2023
2. Letter No. 52748/AMK/DO dated 05 October 23 by Station Commander, Ahmedabad cantt

Background

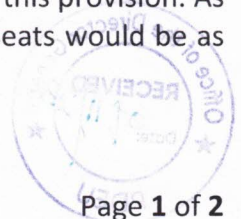
1. Purpose of this note is to propose allocation of seats and scholarship during admission to wards of Soldiers of Defence Forces and Central Armed Police Force in our esteemed Pandit Deendayal Energy University, Gandhinagar.
2. The soldier of our armed forces dedicate their lives to ensure the safety and security of our country. Their selfless commitment often takes them away from their families and loved ones for extended periods. Sometimes this along with frequent transfers' leads to compromise in their child's education and thus, it is fitting that we extend a helping hand to their children, ensuring they receive quality education and bright future. In addition some soldiers make supreme sacrifice for the nations and thus there is a need to support their families as our social responsibility.

Proposal

3. Following is proposed
 - (a) Allocate upto 2% seats for Soldiers. This should be across all programmes and these students will be taken in supernumerary seats.
 - (b) Scholarship of Tuition fees waiver up to 100% for wards of Veer Naris, 50% of tuition fees waiver to wards of war injured / war disabled soldiers of defence forces and 50% tuition fees waiver for soldiers whose family income is less than 8 lacs per annum.

Modalities

4. System of allocation of additional seats during admission for soldiers is being followed in many states in both Government and Private Universities / Education Institutes. Gujarat state also has a system of 2% reservation in Government Engineering Collages. These seats would be over and above the authorised quota of seats to the University i.e. supernumerary strength.
5. There would be no change in the selection process as admissions will continue as per JEE Mains and GUJCET in FoET and Internal Exams in SLS and CAT / XAT / NMAT / MAT for SoM.
6. Students will apply in normal category as well as in Defence/CAPF category. In case they are not in merit in normal category, they would be allotted seats under this provision. As per the current vacancy allotted to the University, the distribution of seats would be as under:



Sr. No.	Faculty	No. of Students
1	School of Management – MBA	2
2	School of Liberal Studies – UG	15
3	School of Technology and School of Energy Technology	25

Scholarships

7. In order to honour the sacrifices made by our Defence persons / CAPF towards the nation, respect the fallen heroes and also serve as a means of support for their families following scholarship is proposed.
- 100% waiver of Tuition fees to wards of Gallantry Award winner or those who made supreme sacrifice for the nation i.e fatal battle causality.
 - 50% concession in tuition fees to wards of war Injured / war disabled soldier of Defence forces and CAPF
 - 50% concession in tuition fees to wards of soldiers whose annual income is less than 8 lakhs.
 - 50% of waiver of tuition fee to soldiers taking admission in MA/PhD programmes.

Advantages

8. This policy will have many advantages as under:
- As we publicise this policy, our own reach will increase all over the country.
 - It will be pay back to soldiers for service to the nation. Added social cause.
 - It will ensure increased diversify in admissions.
 - Reputation of the University.
9. Put up for consideration & approval please.

Director General

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