



## Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla

### Minutes of 19<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Academic Council February 24, 2025

The 19<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Academic Council, HPNLU, Shimla was held on February 24, 2025 at 11:00 AM in hybrid mode. The meeting was presided by Prof. (Dr.) Priti Saxena, Vice-Chancellor, HPNLU, Shimla.

Following members were present: -

1. <b>Prof. (Dr.) Priti Saxena, Vice-Chancellor, HPNLU, Shimla</b>	Chairperson
2. <b>Prof. Manoj Kumar Sinha</b>	Member
3. <b>Prof. (Dr.) Anju Wali Tikoo</b>	Member
4. <b>Dr. Chandreshwari Minhas</b>	Member
5. <b>Prof. Rajinder Verma</b>	Member
6. <b>Dr. Sarita</b>	Member
7. <b>Sh. I.N. Mehta</b>	Member
8. <b>Dr. Santosh Kumar Sharma</b>	Member
9. <b>Prof. (Dr.) Chanchal K. Singh</b>	Special Invitee
10. <b>Prof. (Dr.) Alok Kumar</b>	Special Invitee
11. <b>Prof. (Dr.) S.S. Jaswal (Registrar)</b>	<i>Ex-Officio</i> Secretary

Prof. (Dr.) V Nagraj and Dr. Amit Vaid could not attend the meeting.

At the outset, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor welcomed all the members along with the new members who joined for the first time and special invitees and Prof. (Dr.) S.S. Jaswal, Registrar, HPNLU, *ex-officio* secretary of the Academic Council to proceed with the agenda items.

Item No. 19.1	To confirm the Minutes and Action Taken Report of the 18th Meeting of Academic Council held on June 02, 2023	
Agenda Note	Discussion	Resolution
The Vice-Chancellor placed the Minutes & Action Taken Report of the 18th Meeting of the Academic Council before the	The secretary explained the details of Minutes of the last meeting. Controller of Examination, Prof. (Dr.) Chanchal Kumar Singh, explained the reasons behind non-implementation of some agenda	After brief deliberation over the minutes and Action Taken Report, the same

members of the Academic Council.	items related to examination. As explained in the attached annexure with the agenda of the meeting. Prof. (Dr.) Manoj Kumar Sinha, suggested to consider the division in a practical way, which is permissible under the relevant rules of the Bar Council of India.	were confirmed unanimously.
<b>Item No. 19.2</b>	<b>To confirm the Minutes of the BOS meetings held from 24-07-2023 to 12-02-2025.</b>	
<b>Agenda Note</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Resolution</b>
The Vice-Chancellor placed all the Minutes of the Meetings of the Board of Studies held from 24-07-2024 to 12-02-2025 and placed them before the members of the Academic Council.	Esteemed members were apprised about the minutes of the Board of Studies and resolved thereby in the mentioned meeting. Since there was no observation or suggestion, therefore confirmed unanimously.	Confirmed unanimously.
<b>Item No. 19.3</b>	<b>To confirm the Minutes of the IQAC meetings held on 30-03-2024 and 03-09-2024.</b>	
<b>Agenda Note</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Resolution</b>
The Vice-Chancellor placed both the Minutes of the Meetings of the IQAC held on 30-03-2024 and 03-09-2024 and placed them before the members of the Academic Council.	Esteemed members were apprised about the minutes of the Internal Quality Assurance Cell. Since there was no observation or suggestion, therefore confirmed unanimously.	Confirmed unanimously.
<b>Item No. 19.4</b>	<b>Reporting of recognition and inclusion of HPNLU, Shimla under section 12(B) of UGC Act 1956</b>	
<b>Agenda Note</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Resolution</b>
The University is happy to share with the esteemed members that on February 12, 2025, UGC has accepted and included Himachal Pradesh National Law University under section 12(B) of the UGC	Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor shared with the esteemed members of the council that HPNLU, Shimla has been included under section 12(B) of the UGC Act 1956.  All members placed on record the appreciation for the efforts put forth by the University to get this recognition. Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor was specially	The Academic Council put on record the appreciation to the University and to Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor for commendable achievement by getting recognition under section

<p>Act 1956. To get the requisite recognition, UGC conducted the inspection in March 2024, to consider its application to include its name under section 12 (B). UGC asked the University to bring some changes/modifications to consider the request. In compliance of their observations University has done the requisite changes, and the same are being reported to the esteemed members:</p> <p><b>(A)</b> Information regarding Revision of Roster for the Faculty member</p> <p><b>(B)</b> Consolidation of the University Research Centers.</p> <p><b>(C)</b> University has completed the process to participate in NIRF Ranking and updates every year data related to All India Survey of Higher Education (AISHE)</p> <p><b>(D)</b> University is preparing for NAAC accreditation.</p>	<p>appreciated for her commendable efforts to get the recognition.</p> <p>All members were apprised about the requisite changes done to comply with the UGC observations to get the recognition. The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor informed the members that revision of Roster was necessary, keeping in mind the observation of UGC to bring student-teacher ratio as well as the resources of the University. Council members were requested to consider and recommend the revised roster and consolidation and restructuring of University Research Centres to the Executive Council.</p>	<p>12(B) of the UGC Act, 1956, and unanimously confirmed the requisite changes in roster and consolidation of centres and further efforts being taken as mentioned in the Agenda.</p> <p>The Academic Council recommended to the Executive Council to consider and approve teaching positions in the revised roster and consolidation and restructuring of University Research Centres.</p>
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<b>Item No. 19.5</b>	<b>To consider and approve the request by faculty members to start Diploma/certificate courses:</b>	
<b>Agenda Note</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Resolution</b>
<p>As mentioned in Item No. 19.2, since University has been recognized under section 12(B) of the UGC Act, 1956, some faculty members have given proposals to start Diploma/Certificate courses. Esteemed members are requested to consider and approve following requests:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Diploma in Disability Law: Theory and Practice at HPNLU (Dr. Sachin Sharma)</li> <li>B. Diploma in Tourism with Special focus on History, Management and Law at HPNLU (Dr. Narinder Sharma).</li> <li>C. One-Month Certificate Courses of <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Corporate Governance</li> <li>2. International Taxation (Prof. (Dr.) Girjesh Shukla)</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>Further requested that council members may be pleased to authorize the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor to grant permission of such courses, proposed in future by faculty members and</p>	<p>Council members were informed that since the University has been recognized under section 12(B) of the UGC Act, 1956, some faculty members have given proposals to start Diploma/Certificate courses.</p> <p>Prof. (Dr.) Manoj Kumar Sinha, an esteemed member, suggested that before starting such a diploma or certificate course kindly get the recognition from the regulating bodies.</p> <p>All members were assured that before starting any such course University shall duly adhere with the requisite norms by the regulatory bodies.</p>	<p>Council members authorized the Vice-Chancellor to take a call in this regard and any proposal of certificate or diploma course shall be commenced only with due adherence to the applicable norms.</p>

<p>the same shall be placed before the Academic Council in its further meeting.</p>		
<p><b>Item No. 19.6</b></p>	<p><b>To consider and approve the proposal that all Professors of the University should be members of the Academic Council.</b></p>	
<p><b>Agenda Note</b></p>	<p><b>Discussion</b></p>	<p><b>Resolution</b></p>
<p>Submitted that under section 21 of the Himachal Pradesh National Law University Act 2016, the constitution of the Academic Council has been provided. Since, there is no clause which provides that all Professor(s) of the University be nominated as members of the Academic Council. Therefore, the University intends to propose to bring all professors of the University as members of the Academic Council.</p>	<p>Members were apprised about the Constitution of Academic Council as given under section 21 of the Himachal Pradesh National Law University Act 2016., which does not have any clause whereby the Professor of the University may be nominated as member of the Academic Council. The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor put forth before the members that the University intends to bring in the knowledge of the esteemed members so that it may propose to the appropriate authorities to bring necessary change in the Act, so that all professors of the University may be nominated as members of the Academic Council. However, it was further discussed by the members that rather than having all the Professors as members of the council, a selected number by rotation may be considered. However, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor further informed that since, as of now, revised roster there are only six (06) positions of Professor are there, therefore, all may be considered for nomination. It was further observed that clause (f) of section 21 also required change to bring two Associate Professors and two Assistant Professor rotation wise as member of the Academic Council. Further, the proviso to clause (f) of Section 21 needs to be deleted.</p>	<p>The Academic Council approved the proposed changes, as discussed to be placed before the appropriate authorities to amend section 21 of the Himachal Pradesh National Law University Act, 2016.</p>

<p><b>Item No. 19.7</b></p>	<p><b>To add the proviso to consider the Vice-Chancellor and Registrar of the University as full time Ph.D. Supervisor.</b></p>	
<p><b>Agenda Note</b></p>	<p><b>Discussion</b></p>	<p><b>Resolution</b></p>
<p>Board of studies in its 24<sup>th</sup> meeting held on Feb 12, 2025 has adopted UGC (Minimum Standard and Procedure for Award of Ph.D. Degree) Ph.D. Regulations, 2022 notified on November 07, 2022. Regarding allocation of supervisor, it provides</p> <p><i>‘Permanent Faculty working as Professor/Associate Professor/Assistant Professor of the higher education institution...’</i></p> <p>As per section 30 and 32 of the Himachal Pradesh National Law University Act 2016, Vice-Chancellor and Registrar respectively, both are required to be Professor of Law. In light of the above it is proposed that the Vice-Chancellor and Registrar, in case they are not regular faculty of the University, be</p>	<p>Esteemed members were apprised about the adoption of UGC (Minimum Standard and Procedure for Award of Ph.D. Degree) Ph.D. Regulations, 2022 notified on November 07, 2022.</p> <p>It was proposed and discussed that under section 30 and 32 respectively Vice-Chancellor and Registrar are necessarily to be Professor of Law. Since both may or may not be permanent faculty of the University but only for the tenure prescribed. Therefore, both should be considered eligible to supervise Ph.D. candidates. It will be beneficial for academic growth of the University as well.</p> <p>Hon’ble Vice-Chancellor further discussed that since LL.D. requires at least 10 years of experience to supervise, and She is the only Professor who fulfills the eligibility; therefore, Hon’ble Vice-Chancellor should be allowed to supervise LL.D. candidate.</p>	<p>After deliberation the Academic Council unanimously approved that the Vice-Chancellor and Registrar both are eligible, hence allowed to supervise Ph.D. candidates like other faculty members. Since the Vice-Chancellor has more than requisite experience to supervise LL.D. candidates, therefore the request of the Vice-Chancellor to supervise LL.D. candidates is also approved.</p>

considered eligible to supervise Ph.D. Scholars.		
<b>Item No. 19.8</b>	<b>To consider and approve the Professors as Eminent Professor's</b> <b>(List attached as (Annexure-XIV)).</b>	
<b>Agenda Note</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Resolution</b>
University is proposing to revise the list of eminent Professor's of HPNLU, Shimla for next three years. Esteemed members are requested to kindly consider and approve the names for the period of three years from the date of approval.	Council members were informed that the University wants to have renowned Professors of Law given in the list annexed as <b>Annexure-XIV</b> as eminent Professor of HPNLU, Shimla for a period of three (03) years. Out of ten (10) four are foreign professors. Members were asked by Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor to suggest any name if they wished.	List proposed was approved by all the members of the Council for a period of three years from the date of confirmation by the Executive council.
<b>Item No. 19.9</b>	<b>To consider and approve the conferring of HONORIS CAUSA (Honorary Doctor of Laws Degree) to Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sanjay Karol, Judge Supreme Court of India and Hon'ble Chief Justice of Himachal Pradesh (Retd.) Rajiv Shakhder, former Chancellor of Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla during the 2<sup>nd</sup> Convocation scheduled to be held on March 30, 2025</b>	
<b>Agenda Note</b>	<b>Discussion</b>	<b>Resolution</b>
Submitted that the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Convocation of the University is scheduled to be held on March 30, 2025. It will be great honor for the University if the esteemed council approves conferment of Honoris	All the esteemed members were informed that 2 <sup>nd</sup> Convocation of the University is scheduled to be held on Mar 30, 2025 and on this occasion Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor proposed to consider Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sanjay Karol, Judge Supreme Court of India and Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rajiv Shakhder, Former Chief Justice, High Court of Himachal Pradesh and former Chancellor of Himachal	All the members unanimously agreed with the proposed names and recommended to the Governing Council to kindly consider both the Judges, Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sanjay Karol,



<p>Causa Degree of Doctor of Laws on eminent legal luminaries in the light of section 44 of the Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla Act, 2016 which lays down as under</p> <p><i>“Honorary Degree – The Governing Council may, on the recommendations of not less than two-third of members of the Academic Council, confer by resolution, honorary degree or academic distinction, on a person who has eminent attainment and position.”</i></p> <p>It is proposed before the esteemed Academic Council to confer Honoris Causa Degree Doctor of Laws to <b>Hon’ble Mr. Justice Sanjay Karol, Judge Supreme Court of India</b> and <b>Hon’ble Mr.</b></p>	<p>Pradesh National Law University, Shimla for the conferment of <i>Honoris Causa</i> (Honorary Doctor of Laws Degree).</p> <p>As per section 44 of the Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla Act, 2016, Academic Council has to recommend the names for the conferment of <i>Honoris Causa</i> to Governing Council for consideration.</p> <p>For the reasons mentioned above esteemed members are requested to consider and recommend both the distinguished Judges for the conferment of <i>Honoris Causa</i>.</p>	<p>Judge Supreme Court of India and Hon’ble Mr. Justice Rajiv Shaktiher, Former Chief Justice, High Court of Himachal Pradesh and former Chancellor of Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla for the conferment of <i>Honoris Causa</i> (Honorary Doctor of Laws Degree).</p>
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<p><b>Justice Rajiv Shakdher, Former Chief Justice, High Court of Himachal Pradesh and former Chancellor of Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla.</b></p>		
<p><b>Item No. 19.10</b></p>	<p><b>To consider and approve the list of students of the following Programmes/Recognition of UG Programme i.e. B.A./B.B.A. LL.B. (Hons.) and PG Programme i.e. LL.M. (OYP) and Ph.D. Programme to whom the respective degrees are to be conferred in 2nd Convocation scheduled on 30-03-2025.</b></p>	
<p><b>Agenda Note</b></p>	<p><b>Discussion</b></p>	<p><b>Resolution</b></p>
<p>The University is happy to share the list of students with the esteemed members, to whom the degrees and medals are to be conferred in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Convocation of HPNLU, Shimla, scheduled to be held on March 30, 2025.</p> <p><b>A.</b> List of students of B.A.LL.B./B.B.A.LL.B. (Five-Year Integrated Programme-Hons.) of two batches: 2018-23 &amp; 2019-24.</p> <p><b>B.</b> List of students of LL.M.(One-Year Programme) of three</p>	<p>Controller of examination placed on record that there are five batches which are scheduled to be conferred with the degrees in the 2nd Convocation scheduled to be held on March 30, 2025. As given in the lists mentioned in the agenda note, other than the students selected for medals and Ph.D. awarded candidates, following batches are due for the conferment of degrees in the Convocation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Students of B.A.LL.B./B.B.A.LL.B. (Five-Year Integrated Programme-Hons.) of two batches: 2018-23 &amp; 2019-24.</li> <li>- Students of LL.M.(One-Year Programme) of three batches: 2021-22, 2022-23 &amp; 2023-24.</li> </ul> <p>Esteemed members were requested and authorize Hon'ble Vice-</p>	<p>Council members confirmed the names of students attached in the lists for the conferment of degrees and medals in the 2nd Convocation scheduled to be held on March 30, 2025.</p> <p>Further all the members unanimously authorized the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor to add those Ph.D. candidates who succeed in their Viva-Voce on or before March 28, 2025 and to</p>

<p>batches: 2021-22, 2022-23 &amp; 2023-24.</p> <p><b>C.</b> List of Students who have been conferred with Doctor of Philosophy</p> <p><b>D.</b> List of students to whom medal of recognition being conferred.</p> <p>Esteemed members are further requested to consider and authorize the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor of HPNLU, Shimla to modify/ and correct the list of above-mentioned candidates/students if required or comes in the knowledge, prior to the Convocation. Any changes, if made in the lists, will be reported to the esteemed Academic Council in its next meeting.</p>	<p>Chancellor to add those Ph.D. candidates who succeed in their Viva-Voce on or before March 28, 2025 and to modify or add any other student who qualify to be eligible for the conferment of degree on or before March 28, 2025.</p>	<p>modify or add any other student who qualify to be eligible for the conferment of degree on or before March 28, 2025.</p>
<p><b>Item No. 19.11</b></p>	<p><b>To consider and approve the modification of format and contents of Degrees to be conferred in the 2nd Convocation of the University, scheduled to be held on March 30, 2025.</b></p>	
<p><b>Agenda Note</b></p> <p>Submitted that the Academic Council in its meeting held on 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2022 approved the format and contents of</p>	<p><b>Discussion</b></p> <p>Esteemed members were informed that there are certain changes which have been incorporated in the format and contents of the degrees, which are scheduled to be conferred in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Convocation scheduled to be held on March 30,</p>	<p><b>Resolution</b></p> <p>All the members of Academic Council gone through the requisite changes incorporated</p>

<p>degree of all programmes. However, thereafter certain modifications have been considered necessary and proposed to be effected in the format and contents of the degrees proposed to be conferred upon eligible students in the 2nd Convocation scheduled to be held on March 30, 2025. Same are attached as <b>(Annexure-XX)</b> for kind consideration and approval by the esteemed members.</p>	<p>2025. Learned members were requested to consider and give their suggestions if they find any.</p>	<p>format and contents of the degrees and approved unanimously.</p>
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**Item No. 19.12**

**REPORTING ITEMS**

1. Implementation of Central Information Commission order No CIC/ SA/C/ 2015/900116 dated August 27, 2015 received from Association of Indian Universities (AIU) regarding providing certified copies of evaluated answer sheets only at cost of ₹ 2.00 per page under RTI Act. The Council resolved to show copies only up to 3 months after result declaration.



2. Following matters related to the Examinations Branch:

(a) **Students of the 1<sup>st</sup> Semester (B.A./B.B.A. LL.B. and LL.M.) those are admitted after 5<sup>th</sup> Sept., 2024 had been given option for the mid semester examination held in October 2024.**

In the Academic Session 2024-2025 the admission process continued, in accordance with UGC guidelines, till the month of October. There were several students who took admission towards the end of September and therefore could not attend classes. Neither was there any possibility of conducting remedial classes. Such students, on the recommendations of the Admission Committee, were given the option to opt out of the mid-term component of examinations. Accordingly, the end term examinations for such students were conducted having a weightage of 75 (through conversion formula) marks. The same is reported to the esteemed Council.

(b) **Rule regarding requirement of Review of the Answer Scripts securing more than 85 %.**

While implementing the Rule, it was found that external members/examiners would have to be called and there are a large number of such scripts falling under the Rule. Moreover, in the internal component of examinations, students are entitled to see their answer sheets. The process envisaged by the Rule requires huge time which delays the process of result declaration. Accordingly, the implementation of the Rule was put on hold with the approval of Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor and the same is reported here to the Esteemed Council.

(c) **Representation of Mr. Rajat Jhirwal (1020220150) Reappearing Student of B.A. LL.B. 3<sup>rd</sup> Semester regarding different questions for the Legal Method, Methodology and Legal Writing (LB-102) subject in the Mid term Re appearing Examination held in October 2023.**

The student applied for reappear examinations in the Course, Legal Method and methodology Academic Session- 2023-2024. Meanwhile, the course Content of the subject had undergone changes. out of the four modules of the syllabus, one was different. The question paper was framed as per the new syllabus. Accordingly, and in the interest of fairness, on the recommendations of the BOS grace of 5 marks were awarded to Mr. Rajat Jhirwal and Ms. Vasundhara Awasthi (1020220074) who had the identical case.

(d) **Difficulty in the Practical inapplicability of the Rule suggested in the Academic Council / Executive Council meeting held on 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2023.**



The Examination branch was faced with the problem while implementing the proposal regarding securing 45% marks in each of the components of the examinations. While implementing the Rule, it was found that in many cases students who may secure more than even 60% in aggregate were to be given "G" (i.e., Grace Marks reflecting in their marksheets which was against the normal logic of examinations. Accordingly, implementation of the rules were deferred with the approval of the Vice-Chancellor and the same is being reported as part of Agenda for consideration.

Not implemented.

Discussion: Controller of examination apprised all the members that the reporting items are connected with the agenda item 19.1 and as explained in the annexure, matter was considered and approved.

Resolution: Reporting items were confirmed.

<b>Item No. 19.13</b>	Any other item.
	No other item was taken up.

The Vice-Chancellor concluded the meeting by expressing her gratitude towards the esteemed members of the Academic Council.

  
**Registrar**  
**Ex-Officio Secretary**  
**Academic Council**  
**HPNLU, Shimla**

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**Proposed Names of Professor for Consideration  
as Eminent Professors of HPNLU, SHIMLA**

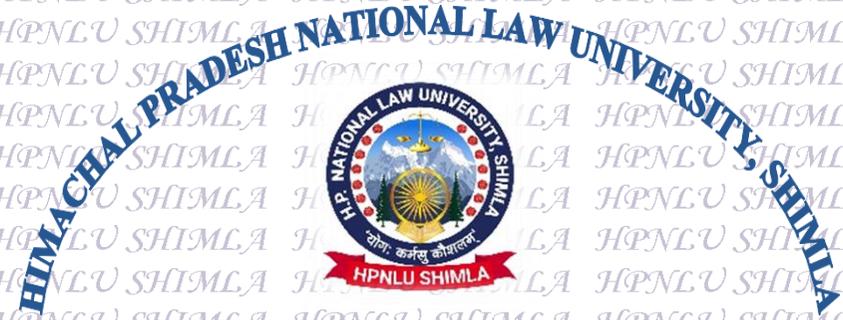
S. No	Name and Present Designation
1.	<b>Prof. (Dr.) V. Vijaya Kumar</b> Former Director, NLIU, Bhopal
2.	<b>Prof. (Dr.) Poonam Saxena</b> Former Vice-Chancellor NLU, Jodhpur
3.	<b>Prof. (Dr.) B.T. Kaul</b> Former Professor-in-Charge, Law Centre-II, Faculty of Law, University of Delhi
4.	<b>Prof. (Dr.) Ved Kumari</b> Vice-Chancellor, NLU, Odisha
5.	<b>Prof. (Dr.) Faizan Mustafa</b> Vice-Chancellor, Chanakya National Law University, Patna, (Bihar)
6.	<b>Prof. (Dr.) Manoj Kumar Sinha</b> Vice Chancellor DNLU, Jabalpur
7.	<b>Prof. (Dr.) Antonietta Raffaella Elia</b> Distinguished Professor of Law, Balsillie School of International Affairs, Senior Legal Advisor, Council of Europe
8.	<b>Prof. Desan Iyer,</b> Professor, University of Zululand, Natal, South Africa
9.	<b>Prof. Kharitonova Julia,</b> Professor of Legal Science, Lomonsov, Moscow State University of Russia
10.	<b>Prof. (Dr.) R.P. Gunpath,</b> Professor of Law, University of Mauritius

Sd./  
Registrar,  
HPNLU, Shimla

Sr. No.....

Enrollment No.: .....

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*Having been examined and declared successful in the courses prescribed under the University Regulations and upon the recommendations of the University Authorities,*

*the degree of*

**B.A./B.B.A.LL.B. (HONS.) FIVE YEAR INTEGRATED PROGRAMME**

**(Batch 20-----)**

*is awarded to*

*.... Name of Student....*

*S/o or D/o (Father's Name) Mr.*

*(Mother's Name) Ms.*

*He/She has passed the course in*

*Division with specialization in*

*The degree was conferred on him/her under the seal of this University at the Convocation held in 2025.*

Registrar

Vice-Chancellor

Chancellor

Leaf No.....

Gazette Notification Date: .....

Place: Shimla



*C.G.P.A (Cumulative Grade Point Average) of* \_\_\_\_\_ /10.

*Medium of instruction and examination: English.*

Prepared by: \_\_\_\_\_

Checked by: \_\_\_\_\_



Associate Controller of Examinations

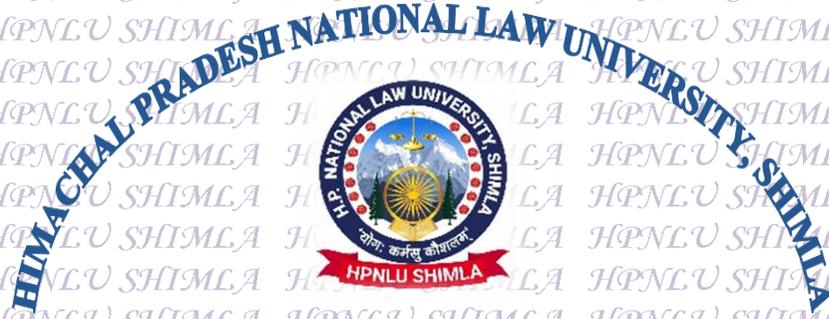
Controller of Examinations

Sr. No.:.....

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*Having been examined and declared successful in the courses prescribed under the University Regulations*

*and upon the recommendations of the University Authorities,*

*the degree of*

**MASTER OF LAWS (LL.M.) ONE YEAR PROGRAMME**

**(Batch 20-----)**

*is awarded to*

*.... Name of Student....*

*S/o or D/o (Father's Name) Mr.*

*(Mother's Name) Ms.*

*He/She has passed the course in*

*Division with specialization in*

*The degree was conferred on him/her under the seal of this University at the Convocation held in 2025.*

Registrar

Vice-Chancellor

Chancellor

Leaf No.....

Gazette Notification Date: .....

Place: Shimla



*C.G.P.A (Cumulative Grade Point Average) of* \_\_\_\_\_ /10.

*Medium of instruction and examination: English.*

Prepared by: \_\_\_\_\_

Checked by: \_\_\_\_\_



Associate Controller of Examinations

Controller of Examinations

S.No.:.....

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### Doctor of Philosophy in Law (Ph.D. in Law)

*This is to Certify that on the approval of University Authorities ... Name of Candidate ... has been admitted to Doctor of Philosophy in Law (Ph.D. in Law) after submitting the thesis titled " ...title of the thesis.... " Of this University and successfully completing all the requirements in the ...year... .*

*The degree was conferred on him / her under the seal of this University at the Convocation held in 2025.*

Registrar

Vice-Chancellor

Chancellor

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Gazette Notification Date: .....

Place: Shimla



Prepared by: \_\_\_\_\_

Checked by: \_\_\_\_\_

Associate Controller of Examinations

Controller of Examinations

Certificate No.: .....

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*Upon the recommendations of the Academic Council, and the Governing Council, the University hereby confers on*

*( \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Person \_\_\_\_\_ )*

*The Degree of Doctor of Laws, Honoris Causa*

*With all Honors, Rights and Privileges thereto appertaining*

*in testimony whereof, the undersigned have subscribed their names and affixed the authorized seal of the Himachal Pradesh National Law University, Shimla at the Convocation held in 2025*

Registrar

Vice-Chancellor

Chancellor

Leaf No.....

Date: .....

Place: Shimla



Prepared by: \_\_\_\_\_

Checked by: \_\_\_\_\_

Associate Controller of Examinations

Controller of Examinations