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File No. 33-226/2010-NBA

8th February, 2014

To,

The Principal,
V.S.B. Engineering College
Karudayampalayam, Karur – 639 111
Tamil Nadu

Subject : Decision on appeals against non-accreditation of programmes of V.S.B. Engineering College, Tamil Nadu.

Sir,

This has reference to appeal dated 11th November 2013 filed by you in response to NBA's letter of even number dated 04th October 2013 conveying accreditation status of 4 UG Engineering programmes of your college.

2. The Appeals were considered by the Appellate Committee of NBA in its meeting held on 18th December 2013. The recommendations of the Appellate Committee were considered by the Sub-Committee of General Council of NBA at its meeting held on 4th February 2014. Based on the decision taken by the Sub-Committee, accreditation status of the programmes is given in the Table below :

| Sl. No. | Name of the Programme | Accreditation Status | Period of Validity w.e.f. 04.02.2014 | Remarks |
|---------|---|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) |
| 1 | B.E. Computer Science & Engineering | Provisionally Accredited | 2 years | Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col. 4 or till the programme has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier. |
| 2 | B. E. Electronics & Communication Engineering | Provisionally Accredited | 2 years | |
| 3 | B.E. Mechanical Engineering | Provisionally Accredited | 2 years | |

3. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to V.S.B. Engineering College, Tamil Nadu as a whole. As such the College should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc., write that it is accredited by NBA because it is programme accreditation and not institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the programme(s) accredited, level of programmes (UG or PG as the case may be) and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the date from which the accreditation is effective, should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

4. The accreditation status of the above programmes is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programmes as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of your College.

5. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. A. K. Nassa)
Member Secretary

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