GOA UNIVERSITY

Taleigao Plateau, Goa

NOTIFICATION

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It is notified for the information of all concerned that the following part amendment to Statute SB-15.4.5 Minimum Qualifications for Direct Recruitment to the posts of Assistant Librarian / Deputy Librarian and Librarian, has been approved by the Executive Council of Goa University in its meeting held on 19th September, 2025 and the same has been assented to by the Hon'ble Chancellor on 29th October, 2025.

Part Amendment to Statute SB-15.4.5 Minimum Qualifications for Direct Recruitment to the posts of Assistant Librarian / Deputy Librarian and Librarian

SB-15.4.5

I. ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN

A Master's Degree in Library Science, Information Science or Documentation Science or an equivalent professional degree **related to Library Science, Information Science or Documentation Science** with at least 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point –scale, wherever the grading system is followed)

A consistently good academic record, with knowledge of computerization of a library. (No change)

Besides fulfilling the above qualifications, the candidate must have cleared the National Eligibility Test (NET) conducted by the UGC, CSIR or similar test accredited by the UGC like SET or who are or have been awarded a Ph.D. Degree in accordance with the University Grants Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M.Phil./Ph.D. Degree) Regulations, 2009 or 2016 and their amendments from time to time as the case may be: (No change)

Provided that the, candidates registered for the Ph.D. degree prior to July 11, 2009, shall be governed by the provisions of the then existing Ordinances / Bye-laws / Statutes of the Institution awarding the degree, and such Ph.D. candidates shall be exempted from the requirement of NET/SET for recruitment and appointment of Assistant Professor or equivalent positions in Universities/Colleges / Institutions subject to the fulfillment of the following conditions:- (No change)

The Ph.D. degree of the candidate has been awarded in the regular mode (No change)

The Ph.D. thesis has been evaluated by at least two external examiners; (No change)

Open Ph.D. viva voce of the candidate has been conducted; (No change)

The Candidate has published two research papers from his/her Ph.D. work, out of which at least one is in a refereed journal;(No change)

The candidate has presented at least two papers based on his/her Ph.D work in conferences/seminars sponsored /funded/supported by the UGC/ICSSR/CSIR or any similar agency. (No change)

Note: The fulfilment of these conditions is to be certified by the Registrar or the Dean(Academic Affairs) of the University concerned. (No change)

NET/SET shall also not be required for candidates in such Master's Programmes for which NET/SET is not conducted by the UGC, CSIR or similar test accredited by the UGC like SET. (No change)

03/2/2026

(Prof. Sunder N. Dhuri)
REGISTRAR

Place: Taleigao Plateau, Goa
Date: 04th February, 2026.

To,

1. The Secretary to Hon'ble Governor of Goa & Chancellor of Goa University, Lok Bhavan, Dona Paula, Goa.
2. The Director, Directorate of Higher Education, Govt. of Goa, Goa Education Complex, Alto - Porvorim, Goa.
3. All the Deans of Schools of Studies
4. All the Directors of recognized institutions.
5. All the Vice Deans of Schools of Studies.
6. All the Deans/Principals of affiliated colleges.
7. All the Divisional/Sectional Heads of University Offices.
8. The President, University College Teachers Association, Goa C/o Fr. Agnel College of Arts and Commerce, Pilar, Goa - 403601.
9. The Secretary, Goa University Teacher's Association.
10. The Registrar, High Court of Bombay at Goa, Penha De Franca, Porvorim, Bardez-Goa. Pin 403 521.
11. Senior Adv. A. A. Agni, University Counsel, Navelkar Trade Centre, 2nd Floor, Opp. Azad Maidan, Panaji, Goa.
12. The Under Secretary, Finance (Revenue & Control) Department, Secretariat, Porvorim, Goa.
13. The Assistant Registrar - Vice-Chancellor's Secretariat
14. The P.A. to Registrar
15. The Office copy
16. The Guard File.