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CIRCULAR

28.07.2026

Subject: Enforcement of Strict Anti-Malpractice Measures in Examinations

In order to uphold academic integrity, fairness, and discipline in the examination process, the Institute hereby reiterates its strict enforcement of punitive measures against any form of malpractice or unfair means adopted during Continuous Internal Assessment and End Semester Examinations.

The Institute maintains a zero-tolerance policy toward examination malpractice. All students are required to strictly adhere to the prescribed examination rules. Any violation will invite severe penalties, as detailed below:

Nature of Malpractice	Punishment
As per Annexure – I (attached)	(i) Invalidating the examinations of all the theory & practical subjects of the Continuous Internal Assessment and End Semester Examinations registered by the candidate. (ii) Imposition of a financial penalty of Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand Only).

This circular shall come into force with **immediate effect** and shall apply to all examinations conducted from the **Academic Year 2026–27** onwards.

Controller of Examinations
(Dr. P. S. Satheesh Kumar)

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Annexure - I

Nature of Malpractice

- The candidate communicating with neighbour candidate orally or non-verbally: the candidate causing suspicious movement of his/her body.
- The candidate writing answer on his/her question paper or making use of his/her question paper for rough work.
- The candidate possessing of cell phone/programmable calculator(s) /any other electronic storage device(s) gadgets.
- The candidate facilitating the other candidate(s) to copy from his/her answers script.
- The candidate possessing any incriminating material(s) (whether used or not). For example:- Written or printed materials, bits of papers containing written information , writings on scale, calculator, handkerchief, dress, part of the body, hall ticket etc.
- The candidate possessing cell phone(s)/programmable calculator(s)/any other electronic storage device(s) gadgets and containing incriminating materials (whether used or not).
- The candidate possessing the question paper of another candidate with additional writing on it.
- The candidate passing his/her question paper to another candidate with additional writing on it.
- The candidate passing incriminating materials brought into the examination hall in any medium (hard/soft) to other candidate(s).
- The candidate copying from neighbour candidate.
- Appeal by the candidate in the answer script to show mercy by way of awarding more than deserving marks.
- The candidate writing his/her name in the answer script.
- The candidate writing his/her registration number / college name in place other than specified in the answer script.
- Any special marking in the answer script by the candidate.
- Irrelevant writing by the candidate in the answer script.
- The candidate taking out of the examination hall answer booklet(s), used or unused.

- Appeal by the candidate in the answer script coupled with a promise of any form of consideration.
- Vulgar/offensive writings by the candidate in the answer script.
- The candidate possessing the answer script of another candidate.
- The candidate passing his/her answers script to another candidate.
- Candidate destroying evidence relating to an alleged irregularity.
- The candidate substituting an answer booklet prepared outside the examination hall for the one already distributed to the candidate.
- The candidate misbehaving in the examination hall.
- The candidate indulge in any disruptive conduct including, but not limited to, shouting assault of invigilator. Officials or students using abusive and/or threatening language, destruction of property.
- The candidate harass or engage others to harass on his/her behalf an invigilator, official, witnesses or any other person in relation to an irregularity by making telephone calls , visits mails or by any other means.
- Candidate possessing any firearm/ weapon inside the examination hall.