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Sub: - Extension of Autonomous Status to Dr. Mahalingam College of Engineering and Technology, Pollachi, Coimbatore affiliated to Anna University, Chennai

Sir/Madam,

This has reference to the proposal submitted by Dr. Mahalingam College of Engineering and Technology, Pollachi, Coimbatore affiliated to Anna University, Chennai for extension of autonomous status under the UGC Scheme for Autonomous Colleges.

As per the decision of the Standing Committee constituted by University Grants Commission, in its meeting held on 12.05.2022, the Competent Authority has decided to extend the autonomous status to **Dr. Mahalingam College of Engineering and Technology, Pollachi, Coimbatore** affiliated to **Anna University, Chennai** for a period of Ten (10) years from the session 2022-2023 to 2031-2032, as per provisions of Clause 6.5 of UGC Regulations, dated 12.02.2018.

The University is requested to issue necessary notification/order regarding extension of autonomous status to the College as per the UGC (Conferment of Autonomous Status Upon Colleges and Measures for Maintenance of Standards in Autonomous Colleges) Regulations, 2018 for Autonomous Colleges. The College, if eligible, shall apply for autonomy grant as per the norms laid down in the Regulations.

The Autonomous College is required to abide by all the provisions of the UGC Regulations for Autonomous Colleges. The Regulations are available on the UGC website, www.ugu.ac.in. Non compliance of the requirements and conditions in the said Regulations shall attract action as per Clause -14 of the UGC Regulations - 2018. Further, it may be noted that the above said college shall also apply in the prescribed format to University Grants Commission for extension of autonomous status six months prior to the expiry of the autonomous cycle.

Yours faithfully,

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**(Surender Singh)**

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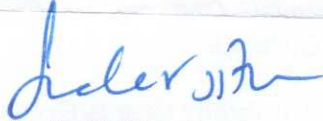
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- (i) The College is advised to go for the required NAAC/NBA grading and intimate the UGC about the award of NAAC/NBA grading within three months after the expiry of current validity.

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Under Secretary