INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY <u>BHUBANESWAR</u>

No. IIT/Acad/DualDegree/ Dated 2nd March, 2020

Sub : Guidelines for 5 year Dual Degree students (B.Tech & M.Tech).

I am directed to bring the pertinent regulations for the 5 year Dual Degree students, to the notice of all the faculty members and dual degree students for their information and adherence. Students of the first batch of Dual Degree students would register for their 9th semesters in the next Autumn Semester 2020-21. They will pursue 9th and 10th semester in continuation of their 8th semester. These students have no summer vacation since the summer vacation would be utilized for their Project Part-1 of M.Tech part. However, their formal registration would be done as usual with other students at the commencement of the Autumn Semester registration, as per academic calendar. The dual degree students are entitled for Assistantship as per the MHRD guidelines [details are attached hereto].

Head of the Schools are requested to kindly bring this to the notice of the 9th semester dual degree students for their specific information and others for general awareness.

Enc : As above

Assistant Registrar (Academics)

<u>All Head of the Schools</u> <u>Notice Board</u>

Copy to : Dean (Academics)

Warden – for information with a request for arranging display the notice in the Halls Respective File

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BROAD GUIDELINES FOR DUAL DEGREE (B.Tech. & M.Tech) Senate Reference No.30.A.B.0

1. The curriculum will remain same as that of the respective B.Tech programme upto 3rd year.

2. For the 4th year and 5th year, there will be a combination of core and elective subjects from both the respective B.Tech and M.Tech programmes. All core subjects of B.Tech and M.Tech programmes are included.

3. There will be a final year B.Tech project Part-1 and Part-2 in the 7th and 8th semesters respectively, similar to B.Tech programme.

4. There will be M.Tech Thesis Part-1 and Part-2 in the 9th and 10th semesters respectively, similar to M.Tech programmes.

5. There will be theory courses along with M.Tech thesis work.

6. M.Tech Thesis Part-1 and Part-2 will have a 12 and 13 credits respectively.

7. Total credit range : 220-225

8. The dual degree students will get monthly fellowship in the 5th year of the programmes as per the MHRD regulations for M.Tech students [Ref.S.No.10 of MHRD letter F.No.17-2/2014-TS-1 dated 18th February, 2015 vie Sl.No.2.4 'The assistangship/scholarship/fellowship would be provided to the Scholars on the basis of GATE scores above the prescribed cut-off level. B.Tech graduates from the IITs getting a CGPA score of 8 or above (on scale of 10) would also be entitled to the assistantship without having to appear in GATE'. They will get monthly fellowship of Rs.12,400/- in the 5th year of the programme.].

9. Dual Degree students are not entitled for any summer vacation after their VIII semester, since the summer vacation after VIII semester is meant for undertaking project work, for the dual degree M.Tech part. [Ref.41st UGPEC meeting, vide Item No.7].

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