Bapatla Engineering College : Bapatla

Minutes of the Governing Body meeting held at 11-30 a.m. on 15-12-2012

1) To apprise the members about the visits of National Board of Accreditation.

The members were informed that two different expert committees constituted by the National Board of Accreditation, AICTE, New Delhi visited the college this year for renewal of accreditation to eight B.Tech. Courses and the reports are awaited.

2) To apprise the members about the progress of Autonomous system and achievements of the college during the academic year 2011-12.

Dr. N.Sudhakar, Principal of the college & Member-Secretary of the Governing Council apprised the members regarding the sanctioned intake for the year 2012-13, construction activity, procurement of equipment and furniture, AICTE Projects being executed, paper presentation by faculty and students, educational tours, guest lectures and seminars on career guidance arranged and achievements of students in games & sport events. The members were also apprised about the addition of e-resources and new volumes in the library.

Dr. J.V.Prabhakara Rao, UGC Nominee congratulated the college for completing 3 years under Autonomous stream. He further stated that autonomy will give good opportunity to the colleges to have better syllabi and examination system. He further suggested to the Management to encourage Research activities and advised to organize more guest lectures and workshops in collaboration with faculty of IITs & NITs.

Dr. J.V.Prabhakara Rao suggested to the Management to invite Dr. A.P.J.Abdul Kalam, Ex. President of India to the college.

3) To discuss the activities of Bosch Rexroth Center of Competence, Siemens Center of Excellence and Microsoft Innovation Center.

The members were given a detailed report about the Research Park and the Centres started for providing training to the students and faculty. They were also apprised about the vision and objectives of the college for establishing these state-of-art facilities in the Research Park. The members were further informed about the MoU exchanged by Microsoft and Bapatla Engineering College at Hyderabad on 7th December, 2012.

Dr. J.V.Prabhakara Rao, UGC Nominee congratulated the Management for bringing Microsoft Innovation Centre to the college which is a great achievement.

4) To apprise the members about Campus placements during the academic years 2011-12 and 2012-13.

The members were informed about the campus interviews conducted by different reputed companies and organizations during the academic years 2011-12 and 2012-13. The members were also informed about the training and other programmes conducted for the benefit of the students.

5) Reconstitution of Academic Council.

As the term of the present College Academic Council is over, the Governing Body is requested to accord permission for reconstitution of the Academic Council. The Governing Body has unanimously resolved to nominate the following four experts as Members of the College Academic Council.

- 1. Dr. Phani Kondepudi, Developer Platform Evangelist, Microsoft India
- 2. Sri D.Rama Krishna, Managing Director, Efftronics Pvt. Ltd., Vijayawada
- 3. Prof. G.Nageswara Rao, Principal, ASN College of Engg. for Women, Tenali
- 4. Prof. K.Lakshmi Prasad, Principal, B.V.S.R. Engineering College, Chimakurthy

The Chairman thanked the members upon completion of the term of the College Governing Body.

PRINCIPAL & MEMBER-SECRETARY, COLLEGE GOVERNING BODY