GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

From

No. 19271 /HE Date: 04.05.2021 HE-PTC-MISC-0004-2015

Saswat Mishra, IAS Principal Secretary to Government

To

Vice Chancellors of all State Public Universities (under H.E. Dept.) Principals of all Government Degree Colleges (under H.E. Dept.) Principals of all Non-Government Degree Colleges (under H.E. Dept.)

Sub: Summer Vacation 2021 - Regarding

Ref: (1) This Department Letter No. 73/HE dated 04.01.2021

(2) This Department Letter No. 4961/HE Dated 02.02.2021

Madam/Sir.

In partial modification of the contents of the above-referred letters, it is hereby decided that all Higher Education Institutions, coming under the administrative control of Higher Education Department, shall have summer vacation from 05.05.2021 to 31.05.2021. Standard vacation arrangements should be put in place for functioning of the Higher Education Institutions during the summer vacation, including the Covid-19 related Lockdown/Shutdown period falling within the summer vacation.

It is clarified that even online classes/examinations shall not be held during the summer vacation period. However, pre-scheduled viva-voce/interview of PhD and other research scholars, falling within the summer vacation period, should be held on the scheduled dates.

This is for your kind information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully

Principal Secretary to Government

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