



## MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY, KERALA

## **Abstract**

Three Year Unitary Unitary LLB regulations (2018 onwards) / Five Year Integrated Double Degree LLB (2018 onwards) - Recommendations of the Board of Studies in Law - Modifications of internal re-do/clinical papers - Inclusion of new guidelines - Approved by the Academic Council - Orders issued.

#### **ACADEMIC A 4 SECTION**

No. 3180/AC A 4/2025/MGU

Priyadarsini Hills, Dated: 04.04.2025

Read:-(1). Application submitted by Sri. Ameer Khan on 06.06.2024

(2). Minutes of the meeting of the Academic Council , held on 25.02.2025, Item No.66/53810/AC A4-  $\frac{2}{2024}$ .

#### **ORDER**

Sri. Ameer Khan (PRN:183241510191, BBA LLB, Co-operative School of Law) had submitted an application to the Vice-Chancellor to allow relaxation in the conditions related to the Internal redo provisions laid down in LLB regulations 2018.

As per the Orders of the Vice-Chancellor, remarks of the Committee of experts in law were sought in this regard.

The following recommendations submitted by the Committee of experts in law were placed before the Academic Council.

The Amendments suggested to Regulation for the Three Year Unitary LL.B. Degree Course, 2018 and Common Regulation for the Five Year Integrated Double Degree LL. B. (Honors) Degree Courses, 2018 incorporating the above are as follows:

1). Clause19, sub-clause (1) of the Regulation for the Three Year Unitary LL.B. Course, 2018 and Common Regulation for the Five Year Integrated Double Degree LL. B. (Honors) Degree Courses, 2018 titled as Pass minimum and classification may be amended by way of addition. The text of the clause as it stand amended as per the recommendation may be read as follows:

A candidate who secures not less than 40% marks in the external examination separately and fifty percent (50%) in the aggregate of the total marks for that paper shall be declared to have passed the examination in that paper. A Candidate who secures Fifty Percent (50%) of the aggregate marks of each Compulsory Clinical / practical paper shall be declared to have passed the paper. A Candidate who secures Fifty Percent (50%) of the aggregate marks in the Course Viva Voce Examination shall be declared to have passed the examination.

**2).** Clause 18, sub-clause (6) of the Three Year LL.B. Regulation, 2018 and Common Regulation for the Five Year Integrated Double Degree LL.B. (Honors) Courses, 2018, titled as **Examination** and **Promotion** may be amended by way of addition. The text of the Clause 18, sub-clause (6) as

it stands amended as per the recommendation may be read as follows:

A candidate who has failed in a written theory paper shall be eligible to write the paper in the subsequent regular examinations alone. A candidate who has failed in a Clinical/ Practical paper shall be eligible to avail single Supplementary Chance for fulfilling the requirements of each such paper in complete alone. The conduct of the supplementary examination shall be strictly adhering to the Guidelines for the same incorporated in the **Annexure II** to this Regulation.

The existing Regulations may be amended to include **Annexure II** to incorporate the Guidelines for the conduct of Supplementary Examination in Compulsory Clinical Papers so as to form part of the Regulations.

#### **Annexure II**

Guidelines for the conduct of Supplementary Examination in Compulsory Clinical Papers governed by the Regulation for the Three Year Unitary LL.B. Degree Courses, 2018

- 1. A student governed by the Regulation for *Three Year Unitary LL.B*. Degree Course, 2018 who was not able to secure 50% and hence failed in any of the Compulsory Clinical Paper(s) alone will be eligible to avail supplementary chance to fulfill the requirement.
- 2 There shall only be a Single Chance as Supplementary Chance for the students who have failed in the regular Compulsory Clinical Paper(s).
- 3 The supplementary chance in the Compulsory Clinical/ Practical papers can be availed only after completing the Program period (Three Years) and securing permission from the University for the same after remitting the prescribed fee by the University.
- 4 The candidates availing the supplementary Chances in the Compulsory Clinical/ Practical paper(s) need to necessarily secure 75% attendance in each such paper in their supplementary appearance as mentioned in Clause 12 of Regulation for the Three Year Unitary LL.B. Degree Course, 2018 and need to attend the instructions attending the class as per the Syllabus and undergo assessment along with the regular batch of students for whom the respective clinical papers are offered during the relevant time period.
- 5 The Records/ Diaries that the students have to necessarily submit while undergoing the compulsory clinical papers shall essentially contain the matters that they have accomplished while availing the supplementary chance and no part of the record/diary that that was part of the regular chance be utilized to accomplish the requirements while availing supplementary chance.
- 6 The students availing the supplementary chance in accomplishing the requirements of more than one Compulsory Clinical/ Practical papers may avail the chance simultaneously, if those papers are offered during the relevant period across semesters, provided the same shall not be prejudicial in accomplishing the requirements of each such paper.
- 7. The norms regarding issuance of Mark lists in the supplementary examinations for Theory Papers shall be followed in the case of supplementary examinations for Compulsory Clinical Papers

## **Annexure II**

Guidelines for the conduct of Supplementary Examination in Compulsory Clinical Papers governed by the Common Regulation for the *Five Year Integrated Double Degree L.L.B* (Honors) Degree Courses, 2018.

- 1. A student governed by the Common Regulation for the Five Year Integrated Double Degree LL. B. (Honors) Degree Courses, 2018 who was not able to secure 50% in the regular appearance and hence failed in any of the Compulsory Clinical Paper alone will be eligible to avail supplementary
- chance to fulfill the requirement.

- 2. There shall be only a Single Chance as Supplementary Chance for the students who have failed in the regular Compulsory Clinical Papers.
- 3. The supplementary chance in the Clinical/ Practical papers can be availed only after completing the Program period (Five Years) and securing permission from the University for the same after remitting the prescribed fee by the University.
- 4. The candidates availing the supplementary Chances in the Compulsory Clinical/ Practical papers need to necessarily secure 75% attendance in each such paper as mentioned in Clause 12 of the Common Regulation for the Five Year Integrated Double Degree LL. B. (Honors) Degree Courses, 2018 and need to attend the instructions attending the class as per the Syllabus and undergo assessment along with the regular batch of students for whom the respective clinical papers are offered during the relevant time period.
- 5. The Records/ Diaries that the students have to necessarily carry while undergoing the compulsory clinical papers shall essentially contain the matters that they have accomplished while availing the supplementary chance and no part of the record/diary that was part of the regular chance be utilized to accomplish the requirements while availing supplementary chance.
- 6. The students availing the supplementary chance in accomplishing the requirements of more than one Compulsory Clinical/ Practical paper(s), may avail the chance simultaneously, if those papers are offered during the relevant period across semesters, provided the same shall not be prejudicial in accomplishing the requirements of each such paper.
- 7. The norms regarding issuance of Mark lists in the supplementary examinations for Theory Papers shall be followed in the case of supplementary examinations for Compulsory Clinical Papers.

# Amendments suggested in the Common Regulation for The Five Year Integrated Double Degree LL.B. (Honors) Courses, 2018.

The Amended Clause 21(5) of the Common Regulation for The Five Year Integrated Double Degree LL.B. (Honors) Courses, 2018 shall be as follows.

Redoing of internal assessment – Subject to the strict adherence of the Guidelines in Annexure 1 of this Regulation, Redoing of Internal Assessment is enabled.

The Common Regulation for The Five Year Integrated Double Degree LL.B. (Honors) Courses, 2018 may be amended by way of addition to include Annexure 1 and to place the Guidelines For Redoing Internal Assessment Under Common Regulation For The Five Year Integrated Double Degree Ll.B. (Honors) Courses, 2018 in the said Annexure 1

#### **ANNEXURE 1**

GUIDELINES FOR REDOING INTERNAL ASSESSMENT UNDER COMMON REGULATION FOR THE FIVE YEAR INTEGRATED DOUBLE DEGREE LL.B(HONORS) COURSES, 2018

The students governed by this Regulation are allowed ONE chance per subject/paper (excluding clinical/practical papers) for redoing internal assessment strictly subject to the following Guidelines.

- 1. The entitlement to redo internal assessment will be available only to the candidates who have completed the study period of the respective Course/Programme (Five Years) for which they have enrolled as a student and there will be only be a single opportunity for the same.
- 2. The entitlement to redo internal assessment will be available only to the candidates who have failed in theory paper(s) in the regular or supplementary examination(s) and are yet to successfully complete and secure a pass in the Course/ Programme on account of that.
- 3. A candidate who fails to score more than 50% of the aggregate 25 marks (rounded of to 13

marks) in theory paper(s) in the regular internal assessment alone shall be eligible to redo the internal assessment.

- 4. An application for redoing internal assessment shall be made within one year from the date of written examination in the last subject in the final semester of the course concerned conducted by the University. Provided that, the limitation of one year shall be reckoned from the date of coming into effect of these Guidelines for students in whose case the one-year period cannot be availed due to lapse of time.
- 5. The eligibility for redoing internal assessment shall generally be limited to one paper for every semester. Provided that, if any student has not availed the benefit of redoing the internal marks in a paper in any semester, the eligibility for the same may be carried forward to any paper in any other semester, subject to a maximum of TEN papers in total for the entire Course/Programme.
- 6. Only one chance shall be allowed for re-doing internal assessment for a student in a particular subject/paper. If the candidate is eligible for re-doing internal assessment for more than one paper/subject and if he desires to do so, a single application should be made for the purpose for all the papers.
- 7. Each student who fulfills the above conditions and intends to re-do the internal assessment should make an application to the University and remit the prescribed fee per paper, as fixed by the University. The application for re-doing internal assessment for all papers/subjects (subject to the eligibility fixed) shall be done at a stretch. The fee at the prescribed rate for all the papers/ subjects for which the candidate desires to re-do internal assessment shall be paid at a single instance.
- 8. On verification of the eligibility of the student for re-doing internal assessment, the University may issue an order to the department/college/ institution concerned for the purpose.
- 9. The Head of the department/college/institution, on receipt of the University Order, shall make arrangements to enable re-doing the internal assessment subject to the condition that the teacher who evaluated the regular internal assessment of the candidate shall not be entrusted with the evaluation of the internal assessments when the same is redone.
- 10. The student shall re-do the required components (excluding attendance) of internal assessment as instructed by the teacher concerned in accordance with the Scheme, Syllabus and Regulations applicable to the candidate concerned. The component of marks for attendance, if any (including zero marks), awarded to the candidate in the regular internal assessment shall be carried forward and reckoned during redoing of internal assessment enabling an assessment for a maximum of 25 marks. A maximum of 90 working days may be given for completing the internal assessment process by the teacher concerned.
- 11. The Head of the department/college/institution shall maintain a purposive supervision of the modalities for redoing internal assessment and ensure that the same is accomplished on par with the regular internal assessment in all respects.
- 12. The revised marks shall be forwarded from the department/college/Institution to the University within 100 working days from receipt of the University order sanctioning redoing internal assessment.
- 13. All documents related to each application shall be properly maintained in the office for record keeping and future reference.
- 14. The marks secured while redoing internal assessment shall be added to the results of the written examination (regular or supplementary) in which the candidate has scored the highest mark in the subject. The candidate shall submit copy of the mark list(s) along with the application for redoing internal assessment.
- 15. The month and year of passing of the subject consequent to the redoing of internal assessment

shall be considered as the month and year of passing the subject and reflected in the mark sheet accordingly.

## Amendments in the Regulation for Three Year Unitary LL.B. Degree Course, 2018

The Amendment suggested to Clause 21(5) of the Three-Year Unitary LL.B. Degree Course, 2018, shall be as follows.

Redoing of internal assessment – Subject to the strict adherence of the Guidelines in Annexure 1 of this Regulation, Redoing of Internal Assessment is enabled.

The Regulation for Three Year Unitary LL.B. Degree Course, 2018 may be amended by way of addition to include Annexure 1 and to place the Guidelines For Redoing Internal Assessment Under Regulation for Three Year Unitary L.LB. Degree Course, 2018 in the said Annexure 1.

GUIDELINES FOR REDOING INTERNAL ASSESSMENT UNDER REGULATION FOR THE THREE YEAR UNITARY LL.B. DEGREE COURSE, 2018

The students governed by this Regulation are allowed ONE chance per subject/paper (excluding clinical/practical papers) for redoing internal assessment marks subject to the following Guidelines.

- 1. The entitlement to redo internal assessment will be available only to the candidates who have completed the study period of the Course (Three Years) for which they have enrolled as a student and there will be only be a single opportunity for the same.
- 2. The entitlement to redo internal assessment will be available only to the candidates who have failed in theory paper(s)/course(s) in the regular or supplementary examination(s) and are yet to successfully complete and register a pass in the Course on account of that.
- 3. A candidate who fails to score more than 50% of the aggregate 25 marks (rounded of to 13 marks) in theory paper(s) in the regular internal assessment alone shall be eligible to redo the internal assessment.
- 4. An application for redoing internal assessment shall be made within one year from the date of written examination in the last subject in the final semester of the course concerned conducted by the University. Provided that, the limitation of one year shall be reckoned from the date of coming into effect of these Guidelines for students in whose case the one-year period cannot be availed due to lapse of time.
- 5. The eligibility for redoing internal assessment shall generally be limited to one paper for every semester. Provided that, if any student has not availed the benefit of redoing the internal marks in a paper in any semester, the eligibility for the same may be carried forward to any paper in any other semester, subject to a maximum of SIX papers in total for the entire Course/Programme.
- 6. Only one chance shall be allowed for re-doing internal assessments for a student in a particular subject/paper. If the candidate is eligible for re-doing internal assessments for more than one paper/ subject and if he desires to do so, a single application should be made for the purpose for all the papers.
- 7. Each student who fulfils the above conditions and intends to re-do the internal assessment should make an application to the University and remit the prescribed fee per paper, as fixed by the University. The application for re-doing internal assessment for all papers/subjects (subject to the eligibility fixed) shall be done at a stretch. The fee at the prescribed rate for all the papers/ subjects for which the candidate desires to re-do internal assessment shall be paid at a single instance.
- 8. On verification of the eligibility of the student for re-doing internal assessment, the University may issue an order to the department/college/ institution concerned for the purpose. 9. The Head of the

department/college/institution, on receipt of the University Order, shall make arrangements to enable re-doing the internal assessment subject to the condition that the teacher who evaluated the regular internal assessment of the candidate shall not be entrusted with the evaluation of the internal assessments when the same is redone.

- 10. The student shall re-do the required components (excluding attendance) of internal assessment as instructed by the teacher concerned in accordance with the Scheme, Syllabus and Regulations applicable to the candidate concerned. The component of marks for attendance, if any (including zero marks), awarded to the candidate in the regular internal assessment shall be carried forward and reckoned during redoing of internal assessment enabling an assessment for a maximum of 25 marks. A maximum of 90 working days may be given for completing the internal assessment process by the teacher concerned.
- 11. The Head of the department/college/institution shall maintain a purposive supervision of the modalities for redoing internal assessment and ensure that the same is accomplished on par with the regular internal assessment in all respects.
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- 14. The marks secured while redoing internal assessment shall be added to the results of the written examination (regular or supplementary) in which the candidate has scored the highest mark in the subject. The candidate shall submit copy of the mark list(s) along with the application for redoing internal assessment.
- 15 The month and year of passing of the subject consequent to the redoing of internal assessment shall be considered as the month and year of passing the subject and reflected in the mark sheet accordingly.

As per the Paper read as (2) above, the Academic Council meeting held on 25.02.2025, discussed the matter in detail vide Item No.66/53810/AC A4-2/2024, and resolved to approve the recommendations regarding the amendment of regulations submitted by the Committee of experts in law.

Accordingly, Three Year Unitary LLB regulations (2018 onwards) and Five Year Integrated Double Degree LLB (2018 onwards) stands modified to this extent.

Orders are issued accordingly.

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