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PROCEEDINGS OF THE HEARING No. XIX

A hearing of Admission Regulatory Committee (ARC) under the Chairmanship of Sh. S.N. Sahai, IAS (Retired) was held on 26th November, 2025 (Wednesday) at 05:00 p.m. at Conference Hall, Room No. 216, Admin Block, Indira Gandhi Delhi Technical University for Women Campus, Kashmere Gate, Delhi-110006 to deliberate upon grievances/representations/complaints received from aspiring candidates/parents/other stakeholders.

The following Members of the Committee were present:-

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| 1. Sh. S.N. Sahai, IAS (Retired) | - Chairperson |
| 2. Ms. Anjali Sehrawat, IAS, Director (TTE/HE)
<i>(on behalf of Secretary (TTE/HE))</i> | - Member Secretary |
| 3. Prof. Ranjana Jha, Vice Chancellor, IGDTUW | - Member |
| 4. Dr. Munisha Aggarwal, Dean (MAMC)
<i>(on behalf of Secretary (Health))</i> | - Member |
| 5. Prof. Sheila Rai, Chairperson,
India Policy Foundation, New Delhi | - Member |

Besides above Members of the Committee, the following GGSIPU representatives were also present in the meeting: -

1. Prof. Kamal Pathak, Registrar, GGSIPU
2. Prof. Udyan Ghose, Director Academics/Admission In-charge, GGSIPU
3. Dr. Vijay Kumar, Dy. Registrar, GGSIPU
4. Sh. Narender Singh, Asstt. Registrar, GGSIPU

Apart from this, the following were also present regarding the complaint against irregularities in Management Quota Admission 2025-26 in the case of Bhagwan Parshuram Institute of Technology (BPIT):-

1. Sh. Aman Kumar Complainant of Complaint No. 764, 772 & 774 – reg. non admission of his son Sh. Harshil Bhagria in BPIT.

From Bhagwan Parshuram Institute of Technology (BPIT) following office-bearers were also present:-

2. Sh. Vinod Vats, Chairman, BPIT
3. Dr. Payal Pahwa, Principal, BPIT
4. Dr. Abhijit Nayak, Dean, BPIT
5. Sh. M.S. Vats, OSD, BPIT

At the outset, Director (DHE/TTE) welcomed the Chairman and Members of the Committee. Upon commencement of the hearing, Registrar, GGSIPU, apprised the Committee that the Inquiry Committee, constituted by GGSIPU under the Chairmanship of Sh. S.P. Singh, IAS (Retired), has conducted a thorough investigation into various complaints forwarded by ARC regarding alleged irregularities in the Management Quota (MQ) admission process for Academic Session 2025-26. The institutions covered include:

- Maharaja Agrasen Institute of Management Studies (MAIMS)
- Maharaja Agrasen Institute of Technology (MAIT)
- Dr. Akhilesh Das Gupta Institute of Professional Studies (ADGIPS)
- Bhagwan Parshuram Institute of Technology (BPIT)

The Committee has submitted its detailed report, and the same is placed before the Committee.

The ARC Committee reviewed the Inquiry Report and affirmed its core objective: ensuring equal, fair, and transparent Management Quota (MQ) admissions for all eligible students. The complaints highlighted lacks in transparency, underscoring the need for corrective measures. As the affiliating body, GGSIPU must ensure fair MQ processes across Self-Financing Institutes—or initiate strict action. The Committee deliberated on each complaint (institute-wise) vs. the Inquiry Report’s findings/recommendations.

Institute-wise recommendations are as follows:

(1) BPIT

The ARC Committee reviewed the major complaint against Bhagwan Parshuram Institute of Technology (BPIT) concerning the non-admission of Harshil Bhagria. Key points from the Inquiry Report:

Complaint : Sh. Harshil Bhagria (applied on 8th Aug, in merit) missed admission as on 08th August, 2025, zero general seats were shown left by BPIT and he wasn't aware of conversion of reserved category seats to General Category as no clear information was displayed. BPIT converted reserved-category seats to General Category on 9th August 2025 without adequate public notification. A student with lower percentage than Harshil was admitted.

Inquiry Report recommendations at page 40, point (x) states:

"BPIT did not create full information symmetry on the conclusion of counseling process on the first day by publishing availability of seats for the General candidates. Moreover, they posted a blurred list of the successful candidates for B. Tech. MQ admissions on the conclusion of second counseling on their website. This is not in consonance with the norms of transparency. A strict warning be issued to BPIT that all the information placed in public domain should be clear, legible and comprehensible."

Hearing:

- Complainant Sh. Aman Kumar (Harshil's father) was present, argued lack of transparency.
- BPIT Office Bearers cited Para-8.1.1 (Chapter-8, GGSIPU Admission Brochure 2025-26), claiming the rule was public. Sh. Aman countered he saw zero General seats on 8th Aug., 2025—so no reason to attend counselling on 09th August, 2025.

The ARC Committee feels that:-

- (a) The merit list stands vitiated as all eligible candidates were not duly informed of the conversion of unfilled reserved seats into General category seats. This failure resulted in a restricted turnout of General category candidates on the second day of counselling, including Harshil, thereby impairing the fairness of the admission process.
- (b) The plea that no violation of merit occurred, cannot be accepted. Once the test of merit itself is rendered defective due to procedural lapses, the question necessarily arises as to why Harshil should be made to suffer the consequences of an unfair and non-transparent process. The counselling procedure lacked fairness and transparency.

- (c) While it may not be possible to retrospectively justify or rectify the entire admission process, the ARC is of the considered view that BPIT ought to make appropriate provision to remedy the injustice caused to Harshil by denying him a fair opportunity to participate in the counselling process for Management Quota (MQ) admissions. The ARC accordingly recommends that BPIT create a supernumerary seat, should Harshil still seek admission.
- (d) During the proceedings, Sh. Aman Kumar (father of Harshil) submitted that he was unable to attend the hearing before the Inquiry Committee constituted by GGSIPU as the intimation email had allegedly been diverted to his “Spam” folder. To verify this claim, the Committee requested him to access his email account and display the said communication from the Spam folder. At this stage, Shri Aman Kumar expressed his inability to do so, stating that he lacked the technical knowledge to operate email accounts. This contradictory stance—first attributing non-attendance to a specific technical cause (the email being in the Spam folder), and thereafter pleading ignorance of basic email operations, renders his submission misleading and casts doubt on his conduct. In view of this, the Committee has directed him to tender an apology for making a false allegation.

ARC Committee Recommendations for BPIT:

- a) Sh. Aman Kumar to confirm in writing about Harshil’s willingness to join BPIT in this session 2025-26.
- b) If willing, BPIT must create a supernumerary seat for Harshil with the approval of DHE.
- c) GGSIPU to issue an SoP to all Self Financing Institutes :
- i. Mandate instant updates to all eligible students via SMS/WhatsApp/email/calls etc. for seat conversions to ensure fair chances to all.
 - ii. If de-reservation happens, then the Institutes must (a) Notify cut-off list immediately (b) Club unfilled reserved seats with General giving students enough time to attend counselling.

- d) No financial penalty on BPIT.
- e) GGSIPU to resume BPIT's MQ Admissions ratification process.

(2) ADGIPS/MAIT/MAIMS:

The ARC Committee reviewed allegations of admission irregularities at Dr. Akhilesh Das Gupta Institute of Professional Studies (ADGIPS), Maharaja Agrasen Institute of Technology (MAIT), and Maharaja Agrasen Institute of Management Studies (MAIMS).

Complaint:-

- Students couldn't fill Management Quota (MQ) online forms due to:
 - Non-functional portals, no offline downloads, no proper acknowledgments
 - ADGIPS-specific: Names missing from merit list.

GGSSIPU Inquiry Report Findings:

MAITS: Para (iii) - *From the details of submission of application - online/offline mode, submission time etc., it is evident that the online portal was usually functional and the technical issues did not restrict the opportunities for online applicants for any substantial length of time. Out of a total of 819 applications, 783 applications have been received online (i.e. 95.60% of the applications) and the success rate of online applications - 158/176 i.e. 89.77% is overwhelmingly higher than the success rate of offline applications (18/176 i.e. 10.22%). Therefore, there is no reason to believe that there was any erosion in the functionality of the online portal. We may, however, prevail upon MAIT to further technically upgrade their online portal so as to optimize student convenience and ensure an error free system.*

MAIMS: Para (iv) - *From the above details, we gather the impression that the complainants' argument about the non-functionality of the online portal of the Institute may be only partially true, as the portal was functional for a significantly larger period and the applicants had a fair opportunity to make applications online. However, we may direct the Institute to work out a significant technical upgradation in the online portal to ensure a more robust online portal.*

ADGIPS: Para (viii) - *Having regard to the Acts of Omission and Commission on the part of ADGIPS and keeping in view the interest of the students admitted under MQ in the Academic Session 2025-26, it is recommended that Institute be directed to pay a penalty of Rs. 10,00,000/- (Rupees 10 Lakh) into the Students Welfare Fund of GGSIPU University within a period of one month from the date of approval of the*

report by ARC. The Institute must conduct admission under MQ absolutely in accordance with DPCI rules 2007 and further strict action to be taken against the Institute if any deviation from the same comes to the notice of the University in future. Directions be issued to the Institute under Rule 8(2)(a)(x) of DPCI rule 2007 to comply with the above directions of the Inquiry Committee.

Committee Observations & Recommendations:

The inquiry report has confirmed that there were technical glitches and portal issues of these Institutes, so following is recommended: -

- (a) Student interest is priority. Institutes must add portal redundancy—no downtime, no missed admissions, Strengthen portals—handle traffic, smooth submissions.
- (b) DHE to consider submission of MQ applications to GGSIPU also, in addition to individual institutes, to provide additional facility to MQ applicants. Further, DHE to explore possibility of accepting online applications only for the MQ admissions.
- (c) GGSIPU, being affiliating authority to take strict action if similar incidents occur again.
- (d) GGSIPU to take action as per recommendations of Inquiry Committee against these Institutes and submit action taken report (ATR) within a week.

II. Thereafter, with the Chair's approval, SO (ARC) presented the Action Taken Report of the University with respect to the proceedings held on 30 October 2025 (received vide Dy. No. 2454/ARC dated 24.11.2025) and a Power Point Presentation outlining group-wise complaints before the Committee Members. After thorough deliberations on the Complaints, the Committee issued the following directives:-

Sl. No.	Comp. No.	Received from/Date of receiving	Subject	Directions of ARC
1.	673	Roshni Siddique 24.07.2025	Request for submission of management quota form B. Tech. admission 2022-26	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
2.	680	Sanjay Kumar 28.07.2025	DR AKHILASH DASS COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING – online portal not working, unable to upload document	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.

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3.	682	Khagesh B. Jha 28.07.2025	Complaint against MAIT and MAIMS Rohini Sector-22 about deliberate disobedience of Court order and ARC direction by planned glitches in the online admission Portal for Management seats	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
4.	683	Manish Chaturvedi 28.07.2025	Regular error show in MAIT website of management quota	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
5.	689	Manish Chaturvedi 29.07.2025	Regularly site is not working of Dr Akhilesh	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
6.	704	Neera Dahiya/ Shreshth Dahiya 04.08.2025	Not unable to fill MAIT Management quota Form (technical Issue)	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
7.	716	Harsh Mudgal 04.08.2025	inconvenience during filling the form	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
8.	723	Sachin Jain / Bhaavyansh Jain 05.08.2025	MAIT -Management quota admission - I have filled the application form of the (MAIT) for B-tech under management quota. And I have attached the receipt kindly inform us about the following	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
9.	742	SSP/ Sidharth Shankar Prasad Singh 07.08.2025	Non-Inclusion of Name in Merit List for B. Tech. Course through Management Quota – Swasti Siddhi - Dr. Akhilesh Das Gupta Institute of Professional Studies, New Delhi	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
10.	746	Gukesh Rana/ Nikhil Johari 07.08.2025	Name Missing from MQ Merit List – ADGIPS B. Tech.	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
11.	748	Pooja Singh 07.08.2025	Complaint against Dr. Akhilesh Das Gupta Engineering College	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.

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12.	749	Harsh Mudgal 07.08.2025	no subject - have applied offline under MQ for B. Tech. course at Akhilesh Das Institute of Professional Studies. At the time of form filling, not received any acknowledgment receipt regarding the form filling. They said we have taken your application form and your name will appear on the merit list. They have published the merit list on IPU website today morning and my name is not there.	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
13.	752	Prof. (Dr) Rajni Malhotra Dhingra, Director, MAIMS 07.08.2025	Representation to Defer Management Quota Admissions Until Completion of University Counselling Rounds	GGSIPU to submit its recommendations on the suggestions received from other institutes as directed in last meeting.
14.	757	Adv. Rajeev Rastogi 11.08.2025	Most urgent notice - legal notice	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
15.	764	Monika Sareen / Harshil Bhagria 11.08.2025	Concern Regarding Management Quota Counselling Process, Bhagwan Parshuram Institute of Technology, Request for Consideration	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
16.	772	Monika Sareen / Harshil Bhagria 14.08.2025	DECLARATION OF TENTATIVE VACANT SEATS STATUS FOR INFORMATION OF CANDIDATES FILLING CHOICE IN SECOND SPOT COUNSELLING	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
17.	774	Monika Sareen / Harshil Bhagria 18.08.2025	COMPLAINT TO DECLARE MANAGEMENT SEATS ADMISSIONS IN BTECH CETCODE 131 BY BHAGWAN PARSHURAM INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY BPIT ON DATE 09/08/2025 VOID (SECTION 14 OF DELHI PROFESSIONAL ACT 2007)	In view of Inquiry Report submitted by GGSIPU, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
18.	793	Dr. Nand Kishore Garg, Founder & Chief Advisor, MATES 29.08.2025	Concerns regarding Rank Capping in CET/NLT Admissions for various programs	GGSIPU is directed to provide all the details regarding this issue.

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19.	819	Sudhanshu Sharma 16.09.2025	UNFAIR PRACTICES IN ADMISSION PROCEDURE OF MAIT DELHI	GGSIPIU is directed to submit ATR in the matter.
20.	821	Aayushi Sharma 16.09.2025	Request for Withdrawal and Refund of Counselling Fee	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
21.	823	Kavita Gupta Malhotra 17.09.2025	Online withdrawal Option not live for B. Tech. Fees Paid	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
22.	824	Anushka Hooda 17.09.2025	request to release MBBS round 2 counselling result	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
23.	826	Srishti Bansal 22.09.2025	Request for Course Withdrawal and Refund Policy Information	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
24.	828	Priya Yadav 22.09.2025	Reason for seat cancellation	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
25.	829	Khushi Verma 23.09.2025	Choice filling complaint	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
26.	830	Khushbu Sharma 23.09.2025	Regarding B. Sc. (Nursing) result 2025	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
27.	831	Bhargavi Nagendra 23.09.2025	Grievance reg. LLM Admissions counselling	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
28.	832	Supriya Biswas 24.09.2025	Subject: Request for Review of Seat Allotment Discrepancy in 3-Year LLB Counselling (CET Code 238)	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
29.	833	Suresh Kumar 30.09.2025	QUERY IN RESULT OF ROUND 2 (GGSIPIU) OF MBBS CODE 103 GGSIPU	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
30.	834	Mohit Bhatia 06.10.2025	I want to edit my category in BHMS counselling correction window	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
31.	835	Sudhir Pandey / Anika Pandey 08.10.2025	Non-refund of fee in r/o B.Ed. Course code 122 in r/o Anika Pandey	No reply has been received from GGSIPU. GGSIPU is directed to refund the amount immediately under intimation to ARC.

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32.	836	Rujuta Shah 08.10.2025	Clarification on M. Phil. Clinical Psychology Application Submission	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
33.	837	Uday Chand Sharma 08.10.2025	To know the result of the PhD Mass Communication Entrance exam (CET 261)	No reply has been received from GGSIPU. GGSIPU is directed to send a reply immediately to the complainant and a copy to ARC.
34.	838	Himani Pant 13.10.2025	Urgent Request for Admission Consideration – BA/BBA LLB 2025–26	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
35.	839	Muskaan Punia 13.10.2025	REFUND OF APPLICATION FEE (LLM 181- WEEKEND BATCH 2025)	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
36.	840	Liina Kuutondokwa 17.10.2025	MBA	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
37.	841	Harmit Pahuja 17.10.2025	Request for admission on humanitarian grounds	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
38.	842	Vansh Sabharwal 24.10.2025	Query Regarding Refund of B. Tech. Seat Acceptance Fees - Application No. 131251025877	The Complainant has again sent an email. GGSIPU is directed to refund the amount immediately under intimation to the complainant and ARC.
39.	843	Sonam Singh 24.10.2025	Eligibility Inquiry for M. Phil. Clinical Psychology Programme 2025-26.	No reply has been received from GGSIPU. GGSIPU is directed to send a reply immediately to the complainant and a copy to ARC.
40.	844	Bakchod Entertainment 28.10.2025	How many EWS seats are vacant in BHMS counselling	The Complainant has again sent an email. GGSIPU to reply immediately with copy to ARC.
41.	845	Rujuta Shah 28.10.2025	Requesting confirmation of receipt: M. Phil. Clinical Psychology Application (2025–2026)	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
42.	846	Burger God / Rakshit/ Beena devi 28.10.2025	Non-issuance of My Enrolment Number at BPIT	In view of the directions to GGSIPU in ARC Recommendations for BPIT (Point-I above), the Committee decided to close this complaint.

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43.	847	Payal Sarkar 29.10.2025	Regarding CET - 157 (M. Phil in Clinical psychology) admit card issuance and exam date	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
44.	848	Ajay Malhotra 29.10.2025	Delay in Refund of Fees post the Admission Withdrawal for my son Aditya Malhotra in USAR, GGSIPU	The Complainant is again and again sending emails. GGSIPU is directed to refund the amount immediately under intimation to the complainant and ARC.
45.	849	Jayashree Bandopadhyay 29.10.2025	Query regarding M.Phil. in Clinical Psychology	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
46.	850	Bhavyasha Sharma 30.10.2025	Request for Urgent Issuance of Enrolment Numbers of Management Quota Students	In view of the directions to GGSIPU in ARC Recommendations for BPIT (Point-I above), the Committee decided to close this complaint.
47.	851	Diksha 31.10.2025	Request for Issuance of Enrolment Numbers of BBA Students admitted under management quota in the academic session 2025-26	In view of the directions to GGSIPU in ARC Recommendations for BPIT (Point-I above), the Committee decided to close this complaint.
48.	852	Nitin Sen 03.11.2025	Regarding problem in MBBS counselling	No reply has been received from GGSIPU. GGSIPU is directed to send a reply immediately to the complainant and a copy to ARC.
49.	853	Payal Pahwa, Principal, BPIT 17.11.2025	Request for Issuance of Enrolment Numbers for Management Quota Students (Academic Year 2025-26) – Request for appointment	In view of the directions to GGSIPU in ARC Recommendations for BPIT (Point-I above), the Committee decided to close this complaint.
50.	854	Madhur Deo Upadhyay F/o Daksha Upadhyay 24.11.2025	GGSIPU B Tech Seat acceptance fees refund status [B Tech (Code131) Refund order 3595	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
51.	855	Syona Jain 24.11.2025	URGENT ENQUIRY REGARDING UG BAMS/BHMS COUNSELING 2025	As GGSIPU has replied to this complaint, the Committee decided to close this complaint.
52.	856	Aman Kumar F/o Harshil Bhagria 24.11.2025	Refund of Management Quota Registration Fee charged by MSIT, without permission to conduct	As GGSIPU has directed the institute to process refund of all the applicants of B. Tech., the Committee

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			admissions in Management Quota	decided to close this complaint.

COMPLAINTS CLOSED IN EARLIER PROCEEDINGS BUT COMPLAINANTS HAVE AGAIN RAISED THE ISSUE AS UNRESOLVED

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1.	751	Manoj Pande 07.08.2025	Request to Withdraw Admission i.r.o. Enrolment No. 126251000004 - BA JMC	This complaint was closed but complainant is again and again sending emails. GGSIPU to reply immediately with copy to ARC.
2.	791	Tariq Hasnain 28.08.2025	Application Number: 251651013808, Admission Status Query !	Same as above.
3.	820	Atul Gupta 16.09.2025	Grievance for B. Tech. Special Spot Round - Withdrawal	Same as above.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair.

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Dean, MAMC
On behalf of Secretary (Health)
Member, ARC

Sd/-
(Prof. Sheila Rai)
Chairperson, India Policy
Foundation, New Delhi /
Member, ARC

Sd/-
(Anjali Sehrawat) IAS
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Govt. of NCT of Delhi
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