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File No. 11-162-2010-NBA

Date: 29.12.2023

To,
The Principal
University College of Engineering, Kakinada,
Pithapuram Road, Kakinada, East Godavari,
Andhra Pradesh- 533003

Subject: Decision on appeal against non-accreditation to the PG-CAD/CAM program offered by University College of Engineering, Kakinada, Pithapuram Road, Kakinada, East Godavari, Andhra Pradesh- 533003.

Sir,

This has reference to Appeal dated 03.11.2023 filed by University College of Engineering, Kakinada, Pithapuram Road, Kakinada, East Godavari, Andhra Pradesh- 533003 against non-accreditation to the PG-CAD/CAM program of your Institution communicated vide NBA's letter of even number dated 11-10-2023.

2. The Appeal has been considered in NBA. The Representatives of the Institution also presented case before the Appellate Committee of NBA in its meeting held on 14-12-2023. The recommendation of the Appellate Committee has been considered by the Competent Authority in NBA. Based on the decision taken, accreditation status of the **PG-CAD/CAM** program, in supersession of NBA's letter of even number dated 11-10-2023, is given in the table below:

SI. No.	Name of the Program(s) (PG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	CAD/CAM	May 2017 Document	*Accredited	Academic Years 2023-2024 to 2025-2026 i.e. upto 30-06-2026	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col.5 or till the program has the approval of the Competent Authority, whichever is earlier

^{*}Observations made by the Appellate Committee are indicated in Annexure to this letter.

- 3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.
- 4. The accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to University College of Engineering, Kakinada, Pithapuram Road, Kakinada, East Godavari, Andhra Pradesh-533003 as a whole. As such the Institution should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because it is program accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the program(s) accredited, level of program(s) and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the Academic Year from which the accreditation is effective should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.
- 5. The accreditation status of the above program is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited program as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of the institute.

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6. The accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa) Member Secretary

Copy to:

- The Registrar
 Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University,
 Kakinada, Andhra Pradesh- 533003
- The Commissioner
 Department of Technical Education
 ANS Towers, Jammi Chettu Rd,
 Prasadampadu, currency nagar,
 Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh -521108
- 3. Accreditation File
- 4. Master Accreditation file of the State.

Annexure

University College of Engineering, Kakinada, Pithapuram Road, Kakinada, East Godavari, Andhra Pradesh-533003

Name of the program (PG)	Observations Based on the documents presented and justification provided by the Institute, required program specific faculty with PhD is available in CAY & CAYm1.		
CAD/CAM			

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