## KERALA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY

**Proceedings** 

KAU – Edn – Giving honorarium for the external examiner to conduct the qualifying vivavoce examination for PG/Ph.D at a time in a Subject/Department – Modified – Orders issued.

## DIRECTORATE OF EDUCATION

No.Acad.B2/2018/101/16258

Vellanikkara, Dated: 19/06/2020

Read: - 1. This office order of even no. & dtd. 22.07.2019.

2. Decision of the 134<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Academic Council held on 31.12.2019.

## ORDER

As per the paper read 1<sup>st</sup> above, orders were issued for giving honorarium to the external examiner for conducting the qualifying viva-voce examination for PG/Ph.D at a time in a Subject/Department and it was decided that the amount that can be given for PG or (and) Ph.D at a time in a subject/department is limited to a maximum of Rs. 5000/- per day per individual expert at the rate of Rs. 1,500/- per student with a minimum of 6 student's viva conducted per day.

While considering the confirmation of minutes of the 133<sup>rd</sup> meeting of Academic council held on 31.12.2019, the following modifications were suggested in the Order No. Acad.B2/2018/101/16258 dtd. 22/07/2019 and the same was approved by the 134<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Academic Council held on 31.12.2019.

"The amount that can be given as honorarium for the external examiner to conduct the qualifying viva-voce examination for PG or (and) Ph.D at a time in a subject/department is limited to a maximum of Rs. 10,000/- per day per individual expert at the rate of Rs. 3,000/- per student with a minimum of four students viva (qualifying and final) conducted per day. The duration of Viva for Ph.D is two hours."

In consonance with the decision of 134<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Academic Council held on 31.12.2019, following order is issued

"The amount that can be given as honorarium for the external examiner to conduct the qualifying viva-voce examination for PG or (and) Ph.D at a time in a subject/department is limited to a maximum of Rs. 10,000/- per day per individual expert at the rate of Rs. 3,000/- per student with a minimum of four students viva (qualifying and final) conducted per day. The duration of Viva for Ph.D is two hours."

The order read 1<sup>st</sup> above stands modified to this extent.

// By Order of the Academic Council //

6.2020

Dr Gopakumar S Director of Education

To

- 1. All Deans/Associate Deans under KAU.
- 2. Special Officer, ACCER.
- 3. All Academic Officers (P.G) of the colleges under KAU.
- 4. CeG, KAU (for publishing in the website).

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