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Dated Dehradun, May 15, 2020

NOTIFICATION

Miscellaneous

In pursuance of the provisions of Clause (3) of Article 348 of the Constitution of India, the Governor is pleased to order the publication of the following English translation of 'The Graphic Era Hill University (Amendment) Act, 2020' (Act No. 17 of 2020).

As passed by the Uttarakhand Legislative Assembly and assented to by the Governor on 4 May, 2020.

The Graphic Era Hill University (Amendment) Act, 2020

(Uttarakhand Act No. 17 Year, 2020)

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ACT

further to amend the Graphic Era Hill University Act, 2011

Be it enacted by the Uttarakhand State Legislative Assembly in the Seventy first Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

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| Short title and commencement | 1. | (1) This Act may be called the Graphic Era Hill University (Amendment) Act, 2019.
(2) It shall come into force at once. |
| Amendment of section 4 | 2. | For the clause (a) of subsection (3) of section 4 of the Graphic Era Hill University Act, 2011 the following clause shall be substituted, namely:—
“(a) The University shall four campuses, the headquarters and one campus of the university shall be in Garhwal division district Dehradun and second campus shall be in village Bilkhet district Pauri Garhwal and third campus shall be in Bhimtal area in Kumaun division, district Nainital and the fourth campus shall be establish in any one district Nainital or district Udham Singh Nagar; |

Provided that admission limitation of plain areas campus shall be one third and of hill areas campus two third for students of Uttarakhand shall be essentially reserved;

Provided further that the University before establishing a campus outside the main campus, shall comply with the University Grants Commission (Establishment of and Maintenance of Standards in Private Universities) Regulations 2003 (as amended from time to time).”

By Order,

PREM SINGH KHIMAL,
Secretary.

Statement of objective and reasons

It is demanded to establish another campus of Graphic Era Hill University to encourage continuous advancement of the state in the field of professional and higher education and to increase higher technical education opportunities for the youth of Uttarakhand. In keeping the aforesaid situation, it is inevitable to establish other campus in Nainital or Udham Singh Nagar, with an aim to facilitate youth of Udham Singh Nagar, Nainital, Almora, Bageshwar, and Pithoragarh to avail industry oriented education easily.

2. The proposed bill fulfills the above objectives.

Dr. Dhan Singh Rawat
Minister