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## THE SCHEDULE.

An Act to provide for the establishment and incorporation of a University at Alagappa Nagar in Santharapuram panchayat in Karaikudi taluk.

WHEREAS Late Dr. Rm. Alagappa Chettiar has constituted the Dr. Alagappa Chettiar Educational Trust and endowed certain properties for the said Trust and established certain colleges and other educational institutions at Karaikudi in which instructions in higher education is imparted ;

AND WHEREAS it is desirable to establish a University of unitary type for imparting higher education in teaching, physical training and post-graduate courses in Arts and Science ;

AND WHEREAS the Trustees of the said Trust have agreed with the Government to hand over Dr. Alagappa Chettiar Teachers Training College, the Alagappa College of Physical Education and the Alagappa College at Karaikudi, together with all the properties attached thereto to the Government ;

AND WHEREAS the Trustees of the said Trust have passed a resolution for transferring the lands and buildings of the aforesaid institutions along with other properties attached thereto in favour of the Government for the purpose of establishing a University at Karaikudi and a deed of transfer to this effect has been duly executed by the said Trust ;

AND WHEREAS the Government have decided to accept the aforesaid transfer and to take over certain liabilities of the said institutions administered by the said Trust, to establish a University consisting of Dr. Alagappa Chettiar Teachers Training College, the Alagappa College of Physical Education and the post-graduate departments of the Alagappa College at Karaikudi and to name the University as "the Alagappa University" ;

BE it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Tamil Nadu in the Thirty-sixth Year of the Republic of India as follows :—

#### CHAPTER I.

#### PRELIMINARY.

1. *Short title and commencement.*—(1) This Act may be called the Alagappa University Act, 1985.

(2) This section and sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 28, 29, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63 and 66 shall come into force at once and the rest of this Act shall come into force on such date as the Government may, by notification, appoint.

2. *Definitions.*—In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,—

(a) "college" means any college or any institution established or maintained by the University and providing courses of study for admission to the examinations of the University ;

(b) "constituent college" means any institution specified in the Schedule ;

(c) "Government" means the State Government ;

(d) "hostel" means a unit of residence for the students of the University maintained or recognised by the University in accordance with the provisions of this Act ;

(e) "notified date" means the date specified in the notification issued under sub-section (2) of section 1 ;

(f) "prescribed" means prescribed by this Act or the statutes, ordinances or regulations ;

(g) "principal" means the head of a college ;

(h) "professional college" means a college established or maintained by the University and providing courses of study leading upto the professional degrees of the University ;

(i) "Schedule" means the Schedule to this Act ;

(j) "statutes", "ordinances" and "regulations" mean, respectively, the statutes, ordinances and regulations of the University made or continued in force under this Act ;

(k) "teachers" mean such Lecturers, Readers, Assistant Professors, Professors, persons giving instruction in physical education and other persons giving instruction in University colleges or in laboratories in University colleges or in hostels, and Librarians as may be declared by the statutes to be teachers ;

(l) "teachers of the University" mean persons appointed by the University to give instruction on its behalf ;

(m) "University" means the Alagappa University ;

(n) "University area" means the area to which the jurisdiction of the University extends as specified under sub-section (4) of section 3 ;

(o) "University college" means a college or a college combined with a research institute maintained by the University, whether instituted by it or not, and providing courses of study leading upto the post-graduate and professional degrees ;

(p) "University Grants Commission" means the Commission established under section 4 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 (Central Act 3 of 1956) ;

(q) "University Laboratory" means a laboratory maintained by the University, whether instituted by it or not, and intended for the carrying on and advancement of research work ;

(r) "University Lecturer", "University Reader" or "University Professor" means Lecturer, Reader or Professor, respectively, appointed as such by the University ;

(s) "University Library" means a library maintained by the University, whether instituted by it or not.

## CHAPTER II.

### THE UNIVERSITY.

3. *The University.*—(1) There shall be a University by the name "the Alagappa University".

(2) The University shall be a body corporate, shall have perpetual succession and a common seal and shall sue and be sued by the said name.

(3) The University shall be of the unitary type.

(4) The jurisdiction of the University shall extend to the whole area comprised in the Alagappa Nagar in Sankarapuram panchayat in Karaikudi taluk.

4. *Colleges and institutions of the University.*—The University shall comprise of Dr. Alagappa Chettiar Teachers Training College, Karaikudi, the Alagappa College of Physical Education, Karaikudi and the institutions specified in the Schedule.

5. *Objects and powers of the University.*—The University shall have the following objects and powers, namely :—

(1) to provide for instruction and training in such branches of learning as it may determine ;

(2) to provide for research and for the advancement and dissemination of knowledge ;

(3) to institute degrees, titles, diplomas and other academic distinctions ;

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**REGISTRAR**  
ALAGAPPA UNIVERSITY  
KARAIKUDI - 630 002

*for*  
8/9/2012



# ALAGAPPA UNIVERSITY

(Established by an Act of the Govt. of Tamil Nadu and recognized by UGC)  
Accredited with A+ Grade by NAAC (CGPA : 3.84) in the Third Cycle



**Prof. V. BALACHANDRAN**, Ph.D.,  
Registrar i/c

## EXTRACT OF THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE SYNDICATE MEETING HELD ON 14.09.1991

Item No. 26 :


Syndicate considered the introduction of correspondence courses under a new Directorate of Distance Education.

RESOLVED that the introduction of the following correspondence courses and creation of a New Directorate of Distance Education be approved.

### List of Courses

1. B.Ed.
2. M.Ed.
3. M.Sc. Operations Research
4. M.C.S.
5. M.Com.
6. P.G. Diploma in Digital Electronics
7. P.G. Diploma in Labour Laws and Personal Relations
8. P.G. Diploma in Bank Management
9. P.G. Diploma in Computer System Management
10. P.G. Diploma in Sports Management

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3. RESOLVED to recommend to the Syndicate to amend the University Statutes para 2 of Chapter V as per Alagappa University Act, Chapter VI, Sec. 34 (viii) to incorporate the new names of the following existing departments already mentioned in the Statutes.

(i) Department of Physical Education as Department of Physical Education and Health Sciences (Syndicate Resolution No.25 dated 09.09.1995).

(ii) Department of Commerce as Department of International Business and Commerce (Syndicate Resolution No.6 dated 30.12.96).

(iii) Department of Chemistry as Department of Industrial Chemistry (Syndicate Resolution No.9 (5) dated 18.11.1985).

(iv) Department of Computer Studies as Department of Computer Science and Engineering (Syndicate Resolution No.18 dated 26.3.1995).

4. RESOLVED to recommend to the Syndicate to amend the University Statutes, para 2 of Chapter V as per Alagappa University Act, Chapter VI, Sec. 34 (viii) to incorporate the following Constituent Colleges which are functioning ever since the inception of the University.

(i) Alagappa University College of Education (Chapter II, para 4 of Alagappa University Act).

(ii) Alagappa University College of Physical Education (Chapter II, para 4 of Alagappa University Act).

5. RESOLVED to recommend to the Syndicate to amend the University Statutes to incorporate the 'University Library' concurrently in Chapter V, para 2, as the 'University Library' offers courses of study/teaching. (Syndicate Resolution No.32(2) dated 17.6.1995 with effect from 1995-96).

6. RESOLVED to recommend to the Syndicate to amend the University Statutes to incorporate the 'Directorate of Distance Education' in Chapter V, para 2. (Syndicate Resolution No.26 dated 14.09.91 with effect from 1992-93)

However, on merits, the Syndicate approved the selection of Dr.S.Mohan, as Resource Person.

Regarding nomination of Dr. R. Krishnaraj as a Resource Person, it was left to the Vice-Chancellor for further action.

In this context, the Syndicate wanted general instructions to be issued to all members of teaching and non-teaching staff that any official communication sent by them to outside authorities should be routed through the proper Channel (Head of the Department/Vice-Chancellor in the case of teaching staff and Registrar/Vice-Chancellor in the case of non-teaching staff) and a serious view would be taken if there was any violation of these instructions.

Item No.4

Amendments to the Statutes

The recommendations of the Special Meeting of the Standing Committee on Academic Affairs held on 3rd October 1997, for amendment of the Statutes were approved. The draft amendments may be sent to the Chancellor for approval as required under the Act.

  
REGISTRAR c/c  
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GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT

RAJ BHAVAN  
CHENNAI - 600 022

Dated 24.8.2001

Letter No.194/U2/98

From

Tmt.M. Sheela Priya, I.A.S.,  
Secretary to Governor

To

✓ The Vice-Chancellor,  
Alagappa University,  
ALACAPPA NAGAR,  
KARAIKUDI - 630 003.

Sir,

Sub: ALACAPPA UNIVERSITY - Amendments to Chapter  
V, Para 2 of Alagappa University Statutes -  
Assent of the Chancellor - Communicated.

- Ref: 1. Your letter No.Kc./A3/Assent/97, dated  
8.1.1998  
2. This Office letter of even number dated  
3.2.98  
3. Your letter No.A3/Assent/97, dated 17.2.98  
4. Govt.Letter No.16127/K1/98-21, Higher  
Education Department, dated 11.7.2001.

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With reference to your letter first cited, I am  
directed to inform you that His Excellency the Governor-  
Chancellor has given assent to the amendments to Chapter V,  
under para 2 of the Alagappa University Statutes as passed by  
the Syndicate at its meeting held on 4.10.1997.

The receipt of this letter may kindly be  
acknowledged.

Yours faithfully,

for SECRETARY TO GOVERNOR

Copy to:  
The Secretary to Government,  
Higher Education Department,

AMENDED STATUTE : CHAPTER V, PARA - 2

2. There shall be the following University Departments/Constituent Colleges/Centres/University Library/Directorate of Distance Education offering courses of studies and research and/or teaching:

1. Department of Tamil
2. Department of Mathematics
3. Department of Physics
4. Department of International Business and Commerce
5. Department of Education
6. Department of Physical Education and Health Sciences
7. Department of Industrial Chemistry
8. Department of Computer Science and Engineering
9. Department of Corporate Secretaryship
10. Department of Bank Management
11. Alagappa Institute of Management
12. Department of Women's Studies
13. Alagappa University College of Education
14. Alagappa University College of Physical Education
15. Computer Centre
16. Instrumentation Centre
17. Crystal Research Centre
18. University Library
19. Directorate of Distance Education and
20. Such other Departments/Centres as may be prescribed by the Statutes

*Rohanasakran*

REGISTRAR i/c

*P. K. S. S. S.*

VICE-CHANCELLOR

*S. S. S. S.*  
15/11/2016  
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