F. No. 13-01-2010-NBA

Dated: 24.09.2021

To,
The Director
National Institute of Technology Silchar,
Cachar, Silchar- 788010,
Assam

Subject: **Grant of accreditation for one year to UG Engineering program in Tier I offered by National Institute of Technology Silchar, Cachar, Silchar- 788010, Assam.**

Sir,

This is regarding Pre-qualifiers submitted by **National Institute of Technology Silchar, Cachar, Silchar- 788010, Assam** for the UG Engineering program in whose case the period of accreditation in Tier I has expired on 30.06.2021.

2.   The National Board of Accreditation (NBA) has decided that in all cases of UG Engineering programs which were accredited in Tier I/Tier II in January, 2013 document initially for a period of 5+1 years upto 30/06/2020, and were granted accreditation for the Academic Year 2020-21 i.e. up-to 30/06/2021 on account of the current pandemic situation arising out of the Corona Virus and on the basis of meeting pre-qualifiers. The pre-qualifiers submitted by **National Institute of Technology Silchar, Cachar, Silchar- 788010, Assam** in respect of the following UG Engineering program has been considered. The Program meet all the parameters of pre-qualifiers. Accordingly, the Competent Authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the program as given in the Table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Program(s) (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	**Electronics & Communication Engineering**	Tier-I	Accredited	Academic Year 2021-2022 i.e. upto 30-06-2022	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.

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 program has been granted extension of duration of accreditation for one year. **National Institute of Technology Silchar, Cachar, Silchar- 788010, Assam** is requested to apply afresh for accreditation of the programs in the new SAR Document. The application may be submitted online on e-NBA portal by 31st December, 2021.

5.   The accreditation status awarded to the programs as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to **National Institute of Technology Silchar, Cachar, Silchar- 788010, Assam** 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.

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6.   The accreditation status of the above programs 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.

7.   The accreditation status awarded to the programs 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

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1.   Accreditation File

2.   Master Accreditation file of the State