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PATNA UNIVERSITY

पटना विश्वविद्यालय

NAAC Accredited B+ Grade

Letter No. Acad/420/AKS/878

Dated: 19-08-26

To

The Principals of the Colleges, Patna University
(except Patna Law College, Patna Training College, Women's Training College,
College of Arts & Crafts)

Subject:- Implementation of amended provisions of UG Ordinance and Regulations under NEP-2020 regarding Programme Duration, Exit Options and admission to 7th Semester as per letter No. BSU (UGC)-02/2023 (Part)-1107/GS (I) dated 05.06.2026

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to inform you that, in accordance with the provisions of **NEP-2020** and the modifications proposed in the existing **Ordinance and Regulations of the Four Year CBCS Undergraduate Programme**, certain changes have been made with regard to **Exit Options and progression of students to the 7th Semester**. The modifications are intended to bring the Undergraduate Programme of the University in conformity with the relevant UGC provisions and NEP-2020. Accordingly, you are requested to ensure implementation of the following provisions in your college:

1. Eligibility for admission to 7th Semester

Students of the **2023-27 session** who satisfy the following conditions shall be eligible for admission in the **7th Semester**:

- Attended all courses in Semester VI and sent up for the Semester VI examination.
- The candidate must earn total credit of III & IV Semester and secured at least **108 credits** taken together in MJC, MIC, MDC, AEC, SEC, VAC, Internship out of the total **120 credits** prescribed up to the 6th Semester.

2. Exit after 6th Semester

Students who have successfully completed the 6th Semester and **do not wish to continue to the 7th Semester**, and who satisfy the prescribed academic requirements, may exercise the Exit Option after the 6th Semester. Such students shall be awarded the **Bachelor's Degree in Science/Arts/Commerce** in the Major discipline.

Every student has to mandatorily undergo Internship (Area wise) as per Internship Guidelines of 4 Credit (during Summer Vacation after 4th Semester).

3. Students having CGPA below 7.5

Students who have successfully completed the 6th Semester but have a **CGPA below 7.5** shall continue into the 7th Semester, subject to fulfilment of the prescribed credit and other eligibility requirements. On successful completion of the 8th Semester, such students shall be eligible for the award of **B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. (Honours)**, as applicable.

4. Students having CGPA 7.5 or above

Students who have successfully completed the 6th Semester and have obtained a **CGPA of 7.5 or above** shall be eligible to continue in the 7th Semester. Such students may opt for the **Research Stream** in the fourth year, subject to fulfilment of the requirement relating to the Research Project/Dissertation. On successful completion of the 8th Semester, they shall be eligible for the award of: **B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. (Honours with Research)**.

The above provisions are to be strictly adhered to by all concerned. You are, therefore, directed to ensure that the provisions are implemented in your college with the necessary arrangements, accordingly with due intimation to all concerned teachers and students.

Shalin
19-8-2026
Registrar

Patna University, Patna

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Copy forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

1. The Dean, Student's Welfare, Patna University, 2. The Controller of Examinations, Patna University, and 3. The In charge, I. T. Cell, Patna University (for uploading on the University website).

Shalin
19-8-2026
Registrar

Patna University, Patna

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