BRAUSS Ordinance No.14

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1.0 Background:

Atta Deepo Bhava" means light unto yourself. This is the motto of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar University of Social Sciences, Dr. Ambedkar Nagar (M.P.). "Transforming our world: the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development" was the resolution adopted by the United Nations General Assembly on 25 September 2015 with a plan of action for people, planet and prosperity.

There are 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) The Government of India including the Government of Madhya Pradesh are also committed to achieving these goals by 2030. The State Planning Commission has already started working on the strategies with all Departments of the Government to work out strategies for ensuring achievement of SDGs in a time bound manner

Community Leadership is being envisioned as social action plan to translate the above motto towards sustainable development. The M.P.Vision-2018 document on "Inclusive growth" talks about "Developing social and political leadership through training and exposure to empower disadvantaged groups to wield effective power".

The aim of the Academic Degree Courses in Community Leadership is "Creation of trained and certified community volunteer leaders in every village/neighborhood to act as a bridge between the society and the government for taking the government programmes to the people and enlist the people's support and participation in development agenda and develop the village in to smart villages on a long term basis".

The University has, therefore conceptualized innovative Bachelor and Master degree programmes (Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Social Work and Master of Arts, Master of Social Work in Community Leadership and Sustainable Development.

2.0 Objectives:

Main objectives of **Bachelor and Master degree programmes in** Community Leadership & Sustainable Development, focus on -

- **Certified** and trained community leaders to act as link between the Community and welfare programmes;
- Career opportunities at their doorstep for the Rural Youth, particularly women who were denied opportunities of higher education;
- Cater trained man-power to Social Sector Departments and In-service training programme leading to academic qualifications
- Community Based Organizations at grass root level
- Continuum of the community leadership course at post graduation level (MA/MSW)
 to be designed and conducted by BRAUSS in regular mode with a synergy of the
 existing distance mode of graduation course BSW of MGCGV;
- **Covering** entire Madhya Pradesh as per the jurisdiction of BRAUSS ACT, 2015 through its Samajik Vigyan Kendras;
- Convergence of SDGs 17 goals for 2030 in the course curriculum with 50 % field work assignments adopting villages; and
- Confluence of Dr. Ambedkar's vision, BRAUSS Mandate & Objectives, Contemporary Thinkers, Issues of SCs, STs & OBCs and MP Vision 2018 with social action oriented reading modules and field assignments.

3.0 Nomenclature & Duration of Courses-

3.1 These courses will be called the CERTIFICATE, DIPLOMA, BACHELOR OF ARTS (BA), BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK (BSW), POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA (PGD), MASTER OF ARTS (MA), MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK (MSW), MASTER OF PHILOSOPHY (M.Phil) and DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY (Ph.D.) in Community Leadership & Sustainable Development.

- 3.2 All academic courses in Community Leadership and Sustainable Development will be regular courses of action oriented learning.
- 3.3 Certificate and Diploma will be full time courses of respectively six months and one year duration after 12th standard.
- 3.4 **Bachelor degree programmes** shall be full-time three years duration after 12th Standard.
- 3.5 Post Graduate Diploma will be of one year duration full time course after Graduation.
- 3.6 **Master degree programmes** shall be full-time Two years (4 Semesters) duration after Graduation.
- 3.7 Duration of M.Phil. and Ph.D. courses will be as per the relevant Ordinance.

4.0 Admission Procedure-

- 4.1 A candidate who has completed the 12th standard examination of a recognized Board will be eligible for Certificate, Diploma and **Bachelor degree programmes**.
- 4.2 Admission will be given in **Bachelor degree programmes** and after successful completion of One year Certificate and after successful completion of Two years Diploma and successful completion of three years Graduate Degree will be awarded.
- 4.3 A graduate from any stream of subjects with at least 55 % marks from the recognized University will be eligible for Post Graduate Diploma, **Master degree programmes** through an admission test conducted by the University.
- 4.3 Admission will be given in **Master degree programmes** and after successful completion of One year Post Graduate Diploma and after successful completion of Two years Post Graduate Degree will be awarded.

- 4.4 In MASTER OF SOCIAL WORK (MSW), candidates who have completed the BSW (Community Leadership) programme of the MGCGV, Chitrakoot under the CMCLDP may be given direct admission on merit basis.
- 4.4 The other necessary details of the admission test and the rules of admission shall be such as may be decided and notified by the University from time to time.
- 4.5 Admission to M.Phil. and Ph.D. courses will be as per the relevant Ordinance.

5.0 Reservation-

Reservation and Relaxations may be made in the case of SC, ST, OBC & Women candidates as per the admission rules of the MP State Government.

6.0 *Seats*:

- 6.1 There will be 40 seats each in **programmes** in Community Leadership & Sustainable Development programmes.
- 6.2 There will be another batch of 40 seats including 20 of Government Functionaries and those engaged with social sector departments implementing government schemes & programmes and remaining 20 seats will be open for all.
- **7.0** *Fee-* Fee will be charged as per University norms.

8.0 Semester System & Total Credits:

- 8.1 The Certificate, Diploma and **Bachelor degree programmes** will be annual pattern basis.
- 8.2 The Post Graduation Diploma will of two Semesters (one year) and **Master** degree programmes will be of four Semesters (2 Years).
- 8.3 One credit account for one hour teaching/week in one Semester. The Post Graduation Diploma will be of 48 Credits and **Master degree programmes** will

be 96 Credits in two years of four semesters with equal weightage of theory papers and field based assignments.

9.0 Classes & Field Assignments:

There will be 4 hours classes on three days in a week from 2 to 6 P.M. and 8 hours three days field work for field work based project assignments.

10.0 Attendance-

The minimum requirement to appear in end semester examination shall be 75% attendance of all theory, practicum and other curricular activities. However, 5% exemption of attendance may be granted to a student by the Head of the institution concerned under special circumstance to be noted while granting such concession.

11.0 Examination-

- 11.1 The Certificate, Diploma and **Bachelor degree programmes** examination shall be conducted on annual basis.
- 11.2 PG Diploma, **Master degree programmes** Examinations shall comprise four papers and one project field assignment in each Semester.
- 11.3. The examination pattern shall be as per the Ordinance 5 of the University.

12.0 Modules & Field Work Projects:

12.1 Semester-wise Modules, their Core & Allied Subjects in Certficate, Diploma, **Bachelor degree programmes** in Community Leadership & Sustainable Development will recommended by the Board of Studies and as prescribed and approved by the Academic Council.

12.2 Semester-wise Modules, their Core & Allied Subjects in PG Diploma, Master degree programmes -Community Leadership & Sustainable Development:

There will be total 20 Modules (40 Credits) in Master of Social Work (Community Leadership & Sustainable Development), 5 modules of 2 credits each in every semester. There will be 4 field work based project assignments (total 40 credits) of each of 10 credits in every semester on elective/choice basis.

Semesters	Module Title	Core Subject	Allied
First Semester:			
Module 1:	Dr. Ambedkar's Vision and Constitution of India	Dr. Ambedkar Thought	Political Science
Module 2:	Community Leadership Skills & Styles: Theories & Practices	Social Work	Journalism
Module 3:	Sustainable Development	Environmental Studies	Sociology
Module 4:	Community Based Research Methodology	Sociology	Psychology
Second Semester:			
Module 5:	Social Psychology & Human Behaviour	Sociology	Psychology
Module 6:	Panchayat Raj & Local Governance	Political Science	Political Science
Module 7:	Rural Technology Transformation	Social Work	Sociology
Module 8:	Environmental Education, Energy & Resources Conservation	Environmental Studies	Education
Third Semest	er:		
Module 9:	Women & Child: Education, Empowerment & Protection	Social Work	Home Science
Module 10:	Problems of Weaker Sections & Development Issues	Sociology	Social Work
Module 11:	Agricultural Extension, Food Processing & Value Addition	Environmental Studies	Geography
Module 12:	Micro Credit Finance & Entrepreneurship	Economics	Sociology
Fourth Semester:			
Module 13:	Budget Planning & Allocation	Economics	Social Work
Module 14:	Policy Planning & Programme Implementation	Sociology	Economics
Module 15:	Livelihood & Infrastructure Development	Social Work	Sociology
Module 16:	Environmental Laws, Social Justice & Legal Aid	Environmental Studies	Law

12.3 Field Work based Project Assignments: Village adoption Model

Elective/ optional, any one in each Year uotp Graduate level and in each Semester at Post Graduate Level of the following 12 by adopting a Panchayat/ Village of choice to demonstrate socio-economic & ecological change in 4 semesters, covering one project in each semester:

Field Work Project 1: Social Justice & Gender Equality

Field Work Project 2: Health & Nutrition

Field Work Project 3: Rural Technology & Transformation

Field Work Project 4: Livelihood & Economic Empowerment

Field Work Project 5: Environmental & Resources Conservation

Field Work Project 6: Non-conventional Energy & Conservation

Field Work Project 7: Social & Preventive Medicine

Field Work Project 8: Potable Water & Irrigation

Field Work Project 9: Sanitation & Waste Management

Field Work Project 10: Micro-Credit & Entrepreneurship

Field Work Project 11: Education & Skill Development

Field Work Project 12: Digital & Information Technology
