

Minutes of the 6th Meeting of Project Approval Board (PAB)

Minutes of the 6th meeting of RUSA Project Approval Board (PAB) held on 27th day of March 2015 at 1100 hours in the Conference Hall of India International Centre (IIC), New Delhi under the Chairmanship of Shri. Satya N. Mohanty, Secretary, Higher Education, MHRD. The list of participants is placed at **MOM Table -1**.

The chairman welcomed all members of the PAB to the meeting and requested the Member Convener Smt. Ishita Roy, Joint Secretary (HE) and National Mission Director (NMD), RUSA to go ahead with the agenda of the meeting who started with the opening statement for RUSA being a reform driven scheme and must function in that direction.

The minutes of the meeting are as follows:-

ITEM 1:

Passing of the minutes of 4th & 5th meeting of PAB held on 5th and 10th December 2014 respectively

Decision of PAB: The PAB approved the Minutes of the 4th & 5th meeting of PAB

ITEM 2:

Action Taken on the 4th & 5th Meeting of PAB decision of 5th and 10th December 2014 respectively

PAB was apprised of the action taken and plans for further action and the PAB took note of it.

Director RUSA informed the PAB that the allocation for the year 2015-16 inclusive of the submission on Polytechnic is Rs. 1155 Cr. He also mentioned that RUSA would adopt a system of dynamic fund flow based on the performance of states with respect to fund utilization as there is a mixed response across the country on utilization of preparatory grants.

General Discussion during the course of the meeting:

1. In case of Component 1: Upgradation of an Autonomous College to University, PAB suggested that the university so formed must be unitary in nature and not affiliating as affiliation may bring in additional administrative responsibility resulting in degradation of academic performance of the college. Any college under this head should preferably have a CPE/ COE status.
2. In Case of Component 2: Creation of Universities by conversion of Colleges in a cluster, PAB decided that colleges that are to be clustered must be chosen in a way that they complement each other and fill in the gaps of other colleges. The

colleges chosen must be inter disciplinary. This would then help inclusion of cross registration that would benefit students. Also, it was suggested that colleges chosen for clustering should have a PG dept. as the main function of a University is to conduct research.

3. In Case of Component 3: Infrastructure Grants to Universities: Funding shall be approved only for those Universities that have valid NAAC accreditation of grade A and B. Submission of Letter of Intent (LOI) would not be considered as fulfilment of eligibility. The state should submit proofs of accreditation grade before funds are released. Exceptions would be made for Universities with Potential for Excellence which are only 15 in India. It was also decided that those institutions which are recommended by TSG but not approved by PAB on account of not having acquired valid accreditation may inform TSG once accreditation has been acquired and approval may be done on file with supporting documents.
4. Component 7: Infrastructure Grants to Colleges: Funding shall be approved for only for those Colleges that have valid NAAC Accreditation of grade A and B. Submission of LoI would not be considered as fulfilment of eligibility. The state should submit proofs of accreditation grade before funds are released. It was also decided that those institutions which are recommended by TSG but not approved by PAB on account of not having acquired valid accreditation may inform TSG once accreditation has been acquired and approval may be done on file with supporting documents.
5. It was decided by PAB that a strategic framework be developed for effective utilization of RUSA funds and achieving of physical targets. It was also decided that good practices within states must be shared.

ITEM 4:

Appraisal of State Higher Education Plan

The SHEPs of Andhra Pradesh, Goa, Tripura, Karnataka and Kerala were taken in alphabetical order.

The decision and approval of PAB on the proposal of **Kerala** is placed at **Annexure**.

ANNEXURE

SHEP APPRAISAL FOR THE STATE OF ANDHRA PRADESH

Component 1: Upgradation of autonomous college to University

State had proposed Govt. Arts College, Rajmundhry and PR Govt. College, Kakinada to be upgraded to University.

TSG has not recommended any college for upgradation as the respective districts already have existing functional Universities.

However, PAB decided that 1 college may be upgraded subject to the college attaining CPE status. The state may come back with the revised proposal for upgradation to a unitary university once the CPE condition is fulfilled.

Component 3: Infrastructure Grants to Universities

The state had proposed infrastructure grants to Andhra University, Venkateshwara University, A. Nagarajuna University, Krishna Devraya University, Yogi Vemana University and Rayalseema University.

After appraisal of the SHEP and consulting with state officials, the RUSA TSG recommended 5 universities for the infrastructure grants. 1 university Rayalseema University was not recommended as it did not have valid NAAC grade.

The PAB approved Infrastructure Grants to the University (ies) to all the 5 universities recommended out of which 4 were approved unconditionally and Yogi Vemana University was conditionally **approved** subject to they getting B or above grade during NAAC accreditation.

Sl. No.	Name of University(ies)	Location	Year of Establishment	NAAC Status	Funding Approved (Rs. Cr.)	
					Current Financial Year	Plan Period
1	Andhra University	Visakhapatnam	1926	A	10	20
2	Venkateshwara University	Tirupati	1954	A	10	20
3	A. Nagarajuna University	Guntur	1976	B	10	20
4	Krishna Devraya University	Anantpur	1983	B Valid	10	20
5	Yogi Vemana University	Kadapa	2006	SSR	10	20

				Total	50	110
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Component 4: New Model Colleges (General)

The state had proposed construction of following New Model Colleges in districts of Srikakulam, Vizianagaram and Ananthpur

After appraisal of the SHEP and consulting with state officials, the RUSA TSG did not recommend any district for MDC, because AP state had already been allotted 4 MDCs out of the total basket of 60 MDCs for the Plan Period.

However, PAB approved 2 MDCs cited the priority of establishing MDCs in the EBDs. The PAB approved location of New Model Degree Colleges in the districts as given below:

Sl. No.	Name of the District	Conditions, if any	Funding Approved (Rs. Cr.)	
			Financial Year	Plan Period
1	Srikakulam	Detailed Project Report	6	12
2	Vizianagaram	Detailed Project Report	6	12
		Total	12	24

Component 5: Upgrading existing Degree College to Model Degree College

The state had proposed upgrading Degree Colleges into MDCs in the following districts of GDC (W) Vishakhapatnam, GDC Mylavaram, Krishna, GDC Repalle, Guntur, GDC Kuppam, Chittoor and GDC Rajampet, Kadapa

After appraisal of the SHEP and consulting with state officials, the RUSA TSG recommended 3 colleges namely in the districts of Vishakhapatnam, Kadapa and Guntur to be upgraded as Model Degree Colleges. The other two colleges in districts namely chittoor and Kadapa were not recommended as the colleges did not have a valid NAAC Grade.

PAB did not approve any college under this component as the state has been allocated 6 Model Degree Colleges, including two in this PAB. as the state has already received four MDC for which the utilization certificate is yet to be received.

Component 6: New Professional College

The state has given proposal for 3 districts namely Vishakhapatnam, East Godavari and Ananthapur.

TSG did not recommend any professional College as the districts proposed had high number of professional colleges.

The PAB **did not approve** any professional college since AP is already saturated with Professional Colleges and hence must focus on other components.

Component 7: Infrastructure Grants to Colleges:

The state had proposed providing of infrastructure grants to 50 colleges. After appraisal of the SHEP and consulting with state officials, the RUSA TSG recommended all 50 colleges for infrastructure grants to colleges as they either had valid NAAC grade or were under process of NAAC Accreditation.

The PAB approved infrastructure grants to colleges to 43 colleges. The approval is subject to submission of valid NAAC documents. 2 colleges with C grades were not approved and five colleges whose accreditation was under process too were not approved. The list of approved colleges is given below:

Colleges approved for Infrastructure Grants for Andhra Pradesh

S.No	District	Name of the College	Category	NAAC Accredited year	Cycle	Grade	Status	Year of Est.
1	Kurnool	SJGDC, Kurnool	Govt.	2014	C2	A	Autonomous, A grade & CPE	1972
2	East Godavari	PR GDC, Kakinada	Govt.	2011	C2	B	Autonomous, B grade & CPE	1884
3	East Godavari	GDC, Rajahmundry	Govt.	2011	C2	A	Autonomous & A grade	1873
4	Guntur	GDC(W), Guntur	Govt.	2011	C2	A	Autonomous & A grade	1944
5	Visakhapatnam	GDC, Visakhapatnam	Govt.	2011	C2	B	Autonomous & B grade	1968
6	Kadapa	GDC(M), Kadapa	Govt.	2012	C2	B	Autonomous & B grade	1948
7	Anantapur	GDC(M), Anantapur	Govt.	2011	C2	A	A grade College	1916
8	Kurnool	GDC(W), Kurnool	Govt.	2011	C2	A	A grade College	1958
9	Nellore	GDC(W), Nellore	Govt.	2011	C2	A	A grade College	1964
10	Srikakulam	GDC(W), Srikakulam	Govt.	2011	C2	A	A grade College	1968

11	Visakhapatnam	GDC, Yellamanchili	Govt.	2015	C2	A	A grade College	1987
12	Krishna	GDC, Vijayawada	Govt.	2011	C2	B	B grade College	1937
13	Srikakulam	GDC(M), Srikakulam	Govt.	2011	C2	B	B grade College	1951
14	Chittoor	GDC(M), Chittoor	Govt.	2011	C2	B	B grade College	1961
15	East Godavari	GDC(W), Kakinada	Govt.	2011	C2	B	B grade College	1962
16	Nellore	GDC, Gudur	Govt.	2014	C2	B	B grade College	1965
17	West Godavari	GDC, TP Gudem	Govt.	2013	C2	B	B grade College	1966
18	Prakasam	GDC(W), Chirala	Govt.	2012	C2	B	B grade College	1966
19	Prakasam	GDC, Kandukur	Govt.	2014	C2	B	B grade College	1966
20	Chittoor	GDC(M), Srikalahasti	Govt.	2011	C2	B	B grade College	1966
21	East Godavari	GDC, Razole	Govt.	2013	C2	B	B grade College	1968
22	West Godavari	GDC(M), Palakol	Govt.	2013	C2	B	B grade College	1968
23	West Godavari	GDC, Tanuku	Govt.	2012	C2	B	B grade College	1968
24	Nellore	GDC, Venkatagiri	Govt.	2014	C2	B	B grade College	1968
25	Anantapur	GDC, Guntakal	Govt.	2013	C2	B	B grade College	1968
26	West Godavari	GDC(M), Nidadavole	Govt.	2013	C2	B	B grade College	1971
27	Kurnool	GDC(M), Kurnool	Govt.	2011	C2	B	B grade College	1972
28	Kadapa	GDC(W), Kadapa	Govt.	2014	C2	B	B grade College	1973
29	Chittoor	GDC, Nagari	Govt.	2014	C2	B	B grade College	1978
30	East Godavari	GDC, Kothapet	Govt.	2014	C2	B	B grade College	1979
31	East Godavari	GDC, Tuni	Govt.	2014	C2	B	B grade College	1980
32	Chittoor	GDC, Piler	Govt.	2013	C2	B	B grade College	1980
33	Kadapa	GDC, Rajampet	Govt.	2015	C2	B	B grade College	1980
34	East Godavari	GDC, Ravulapalem	Govt.	2013	C2	B	B grade College	1981
35	Nellore	GDC, Sullurpet	Govt.	2015	C2	B	B grade College	1981
36	Chittoor	GDC, Puttur	Govt.	2013	C2	B	B grade College	1983
37	Kadapa	GDC, Kodur	Govt.	2015	C2	B	B grade College	1983

38	Vizianagaram	GDC, S Kota	Govt.	2014	C2	B	B grade College	1984
39	Krishna	GDC, Movva	Govt.	2011	C2	B	B grade College	1984
40	Prakasam	GDC(W), Ongole	Govt.	2014	C2	B	B grade College	1984
41	Prakasam	GDC, Addanki	Govt.	2013	C2	B	B grade College	1984
42	Anantapur	GDC(W), Anantapur	Govt.	2013	C2	B	B grade College	1984
43	West Godavari	GDC, Chintalapudi	Govt.	2015	C2	B	B grade College	1987

ABSTRACT FOR ANDHRA PRADESH

Sl. No.	Component	Physical Units Approved (number)	Total Outlay 12 th Plan	Funding Approved by the PAB 2015-16	Conditions for Release
1	Infrastructure Grants to Universities	5	100.00	50.00	NAAC Accreditation of A or B
2	New Model Degree College	2	24.00	12.00	Submission of DPR
3	Infrastructure Grants to Colleges	43	86.00	43.00	
Total			210.00	105.00	

Decision of PAB

The PAB approved a total amount of Rs. 105 crore for 3 components to the State of Andhra Pradesh for the financial year 2015-16.

ANNEXURE

SHEP APPRAISAL FOR THE STATE OF GOA

Component 3: Infrastructure Grants to Universities

The state had proposed infrastructure grants to the Goa University. After appraisal of the SHEP and consulting with state officials, the RUSA TSG recommended Goa University for infrastructure grants. Goa University is a 30 Year old University with valid NAAC Grade 'A.' Multidisciplinary teaching University with 2,106 students at PG and Research levels. Physical and Financial plan adheres to RUSA norms. Also, it is the single State University affiliating all 53 Colleges in Goa. The proposal was recommended unconditionally.

The PAB approved Infrastructure Grants to Goa University unconditionally as below:

Sl. No	Name of University	Location	Year of Estb.	NAAC Status	Funding Approved (Rs. Cr.)	
					Financial Year (2015-16)	Plan Period(2014-16)
1	Goa University	North Goa District	1985	A Grade (Valid till 2019)	10 cr	20 cr

Component 5: Upgrading existing Degree College to Model Degree College

The state had proposed upgrading Degree Colleges into MDCs in South Goa district.

After appraisal of the SHEP and consulting with state officials, the RUSA TSG recommended the college in South Goa district for upgradation as it is a Non EBD district with high % of tribal population.

The PAB approved Upgradation of Government College of Arts, Science & Commerce, Quepem into Model Degree College in the South Goa district, subject to the submission of Detailed Project Report.

Sl. No.	Name/Number of Colleges	Location District/Whether Non-EBD or not	District GER	District HE CPI	Funding Approved (Rs. Cr.)	
					Current Financial Year (2015-16)	Plan Period
1.	Government College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Quepem (1)	South Goa district, Non EBD	24	17.64 (Gen. Colleges)	2 cr	4 cr

Component 7: Infrastructure Grants to Colleges:

The state had proposed **for** infrastructure grants to **24** Colleges. After appraisal of the SHEP and consulting with state officials, the RUSA TSG recommended 19 colleges for infrastructure grants. All Colleges recommended are old with teaching programs in Arts, Science or Commerce. 7 Colleges had valid NAAC Grade, 1 Engineering College with NBA score by 600-750, 7 Colleges had LoIs accepted by NAAC and 4 Colleges had LoI submitted for acceptance by NAAC. Rest 5 Colleges were not recommended since they were uni-disciplinary (Law & Education), or would be considered for up gradation to University in 2016-17.

The PAB approved infrastructure grants to total 8 colleges which include 7 General Education Colleges having Valid NAAC Grade 'A' or 'B' & 1 Goa Engineering College, unconditionally at the rate of Rs. 2 crore per college for the entire Plan Period and **Rs. 1 crore per college** for 2015-16.

The list of 8 approved Colleges for infrastructure grants is given below:

Colleges approved for Infrastructure Grants for Goa

S. No.	Name of the College	NAAC Accreditation	Whether included under 12B of UCG Act	Year of Establishment
1	St. Xaviers College of Arts, Science & Commerce, Mapusa	A	Yes	1963

		Valid till 2019		
2	Rosary College, Navelim, Salcete	A Valid till 2016	Yes	1990
3	Dhempe College of Arts and Science	A Valid till 2015	No	1966
4	Goa College of Engineering, Ponda	NBA (Score bw 600-750)	Yes	1967
5	Dnyanprassarak Mandel College of Arts, Bardez	B Valid till 2015	Yes	1974
6	S.S. Dempo College of Commerce and Economics, Panaji	B Valid till 2016	Yes	1966
7	S.V. Sridora Caculo College of Commerce and Management	B Valid till 2019	Yes	1991
8	Cuncoim Education Society's College of Arts and Commerce, Cuncoim	B Valid till 2018	Yes	1987

ABSTRACT OF GOA

S. No.	Component	Physical Units Approved (No.)	Total Outlay 12th Plan	Funding Approved by the PAB (2015-16)	Conditions for Release
1	Infrastructure Grants to Universities	1	20 cr	10 cr	None
2	Up gradation of Existing Colleges to Model Degree Colleges	1	4 cr	2 cr	Detailed Project Report needs to be submitted for the College
3	Infrastructure Grants to Colleges	8	16 cr	8 cr	None
Total			40	20	

Decision of PAB

The PAB approved a total amount of Rs. 20 crore for 3 components to the State of Goa for the financial year 2015-16.

ANNEXURE

SHEP APPRAISAL FOR THE STATE OF TRIPURA

Component 2: Creation of university by conversion of colleges in a cluster.

The State has proposed upgradation of 4 colleges into a cluster University. The lead college was MBB College, West Tripura and cluster colleges as BBM Colleges, Womens colleges and Ram Thakur College.

The TSG has recommended Cluster University as Tripura State has no State University and the proposal adheres to key RUSA norms for this component.

PAB did not approve this component as the colleges did not have CPE/autonomy status. Also the colleges proposed for the cluster University did not possess any PG dept.

Secretary HE pointed that for a University the main function is to engage in research and Academic activities. Hence the proposals under this component should comprise of colleges that can conduct research and other academic activities.

Component 4: New Model Colleges (General)

The state had proposed construction of following New Model Colleges in West Tripura District. After appraisal of the SHEP and consulting with state officials, the RUSA TSG recommended west Tripura District for setting up a New Model Degree College. It's an EBD district where the State has proposed for New MDC. Due to increase in demand for higher education the present 6 GDCs cannot cater to the need of all the HS pass out students for enrolment within the district.

The PAB approved location of New Model Degree Colleges in West Tripura district subject to submission of Detailed Project Report.

Sl. No.	Name/Number of MDCs	Location District/ Whether EBD or not	District Category (A or B)	District HE CPI	Funding Approved (Rs. Cr.)	
					Current Financial Year (2015-16)	Plan Period
1.	One MDC (English Medium General Degree College.	West Tripura District. EBD	Category B	27.58	6	12

(Note) The State has already been sanctioned 3 Model Degree Colleges on 31st March, 2014 for which the Utilization Certificate is still pending

ABSTRACT OF TRIPURA

Sl. No	Component	Physical Units Approved (number)	Total Outlay 12th Plan	Funding Approved by the PAB 2015-16	Conditions for Release
1	New Model Degree Colleges (General)	1	12	6	Detailed Project Report (DPR) to be submitted.
Total			12.00	6.00	

Decision of PAB

The PAB approved a total amount of Rs. 6 crore for 1 component to the State of Tripura for the financial year 2015-16.

ANNEXURE

SHEP APPRAISAL FOR THE STATE OF KARNATAKA

Component 3: Infrastructure Grants to Universities

The state had proposed infrastructure grants to 18 Universities. After appraisal of the SHEP and consulting with state officials, the RUSA TSG recommended 10 universities that either have valid NAAC accreditation of grade A or B, or applied for accreditation, which have been accepted by NAAC.

The PAB approved Infrastructure Grants to the 5 Universities with Valid NAAC A or B. Though Kannada University has valid NAAC accreditation of grade A, the University is majorly focussed on promotion and research of Kannada language and culture. As Kannada has been declared as a classical language, the state was advised to explore possibilities of obtaining funds from the Central Institute of Indian Languages, which offers financial support for classical languages. The universities thus approved are as listed:

Sl. No.	Name of the University(ies)	Conditions, if any	Funding Approved (Rs. Cr.)	
			Financial Year (2015-16)	Plan Period (2015-17)
1	University of Mysore	None	10.00	20.00
2	Karnataka University	None	10.00	20.00
3	Mangalore University	None	10.00	20.00
4	Kuvempu University	None	10.00	20.00
5	Tumkur University	None	10.00	20.00
	TOTAL		50.00	100.00

Component 1: Creation of Universities by way of upgradation of existing autonomous colleges

The State proposed to upgrade the following Government college into a university:

S. No	Name of College	12B/ Non-12B Status	NAAC Status	Funds Requested (Rs in crore)	
				2015-17	2015-16
1	Govt. College,	12B	A	55.00	27.50

	Mandya district				
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After appraisal of the SHEP and consultation with the State Govt. officials, the RUSA TSG recommended upgrading the college into a university at a total cost of Rs 55 crore for 2015-17 and at Rs 27.50 crore for 2015-16.

The PAB did not approve the proposal as the college has only applied for “College with Potential for Excellence (CPE)” and has not yet been granted the CPE status by the UGC. Further, the college does not offer any inter-disciplinary degree programme. The PAB also advised the State Govt. against converting autonomous college into an affiliating university, as it may place additional burden on the proposed new university.

Component 7: Infrastructure Grants to Colleges:

The state had proposed providing of infrastructure grants to 411 colleges. After appraisal of the SHEP and consulting with state officials, the RUSA TSG recommended infrastructure grants to 205 colleges that either have valid NAAC accreditation of grades A or B, or whose LoIs have been accepted. The other colleges were not recommended as they did not have NAAC grade and had not applied for accreditation.

The PAB approved infrastructure grants to 60 colleges at the rate of Rs. 2 crore per college for the entire Plan Period and **Rs. 1 crore per college** for 2015-16. **All the Colleges in the Approved list have valid NAAC Grade of A or B grades.** The list is as below:

Colleges approved for Infrastructure Grants for Karnataka

S. No	Name of the College	District	Grade
1	Government College (Autonomous), Mandya, Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Mandya	A
2	Government Arts College Hassan, (Second Cycle)	Hassan	A
3	Government College, Rajapur Road, Gulbarga -585105 (Second Cycle)	Gulbarga	A
4	Government First Grade College, Krishnarajapuram, Bangalore -560036	Bangalore	B
5	Government College for Boys Kolar, Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Kolar	B
6	Government College for Women, Chintamani, (Second Cycle)	Chikkaballapura	B
7	Government Science College, Salagame Road, Hassan -	Hassan	B
8	Government College for Boys, Chintamani, (Second Cycle)	Chikkaballapura	B
9	Government Arts and Science College, Karwar, (Second Cycle)	Uttara Kannada	B
10	Government First Grade College, Davanagere, 577004 Karnataka	Davanagere	B
11	Smt. Saraladevi Satishchandra Agarwal Government First Grade College, Bellary (Second Cycle)	Bellary	B
12	Government First Grade College, Dist. Dharwad, Alnavar – 581103	Dharwad	B

13	Smt. Indira Gandhi Government First Grade Women's College, Dist. Shimoga, Sagar -577401 (Second Cycle)	Shimoga/ Shivamoga	B
14	Government First Grade College & PG Centre for PG Studies, Udupi, Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Udupi	B
15	Government First Grade College, Sulikunte Road, Dist Kolar Bangarpet - 563114 (First Cycle)	Kolar	B
16	Dr. K. Shivarama Karantha Government First Grade College, Bellare -	Bellary	B
17	Government First Grade College for Women, Bailhongal - 591102 (First Cycle)	Belgaum	B
18	Government First Grade College Belthangady Dakshina Kannada Dist 574214, Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Dakshina Kannada	B
19	Government Arts College, Bangalore, (Second Cycle)	Mandya	B
20	Manjunatha Pai Memorial Government First Grade College of Professional and Business Management , Karkala, (Second Cycle)	Udupi	B
21	Government of First Grade College, Tumkur (Second Cycle)	Tumkur	B
22	Sri. D. Devaraja Urs Government First Grade College, Hunsur, Mysore, 571105 Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Mysore	B
23	Lal Bahadur Shastri Government First Grade College, R.T. Nagar, Bangalore, 560032 Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Bangalore	B
24	Government First Grade College, Shivmogga, 577301 (First Cycle)	Shimoga/ Shivamoga	B
25	Government First Grade College, M. G. Road, Chickballapura - 562101	Chikkaballapura	B
26	Government First Grade College Koratagere, Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Tumkur	B
27	Vedavathi Government First Grade College, Hiriyur - 577598	Chitradurga	B
28	I. D. S. G. Government College, Chikmagalur, (Second Cycle)	Chikmagalur	B
29	Shri Siddheshwar Government First Grade College, Nargund, Karnataka	Gadag	B
30	Government First Grade College, Doddaballapur Taluk, Bangalore Rural, Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Bangalore Rural	B
31	Government First Grade College, Mulbagal, Kolar Dist, Karnataka	Kolar	B
32	Smt. & Sri Y E Rangaiah Setty Government First Grade College Pavagada, Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Tumkur	B
33	Government First Grade College, Shikaripura, Shimoga, 577427 Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Shimoga/ Shivamoga	B
34	Government First Grade College, Bettampady (Second Cycle)	Dakshin Kannada	B
35	Government First Grade College, Haliyal, (Second Cycle)	Uttara Kannada	B
36	Government First Grade College, Channapatna Town, Ramanagara, 562160 Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Ramanagara	B
37	Government First Grade College, Ramanagar Dist, 562120 (First Cycle)	Ramanagara	B
38	Government First Grade College, Tal. Kundapura, Dist. Udupi, Shankaranarayana -576227 (Second Cycle)	Udupi	B
39	Government First Grade College, Kamalapur, Gulbarga -585313	Gulbarga	B
40	Govt. First Grade College, Malur (Second Cycle)	Kolar	B
41	Government First Grade College Srinivasapur, Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Kolar	B
42	Government First Grade College, Chamarajanagar (Second Cycle)	Chamarajanagara	B

43	Sir. M. V. Government Arts and Commerce College Bhadravathi,	Shimoga/	B
44	Dr. G. Shankar Government Women's First Grade College & Post Graduate Centre, Udupi - 576101 (First Cycle)	Udupi	B
45	Government First Grade College for Women, Mysore, 570018	Mysore	B
46	Government First Grade College, Kushalnagar (Second Cycle)	Coorg/ Kodagu	B
47	Government First Grade College, Hoskote, (Second Cycle)	Bangalore Rural	B
48	Government First Grade College, Vamadapadavu, (Second Cycle)	DakshinKannada	B
49	Government First Grade College K.R. Nagar, Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Mysore	B
50	Government First Grade College, Kaup, Udupi Dist, 574106 Karnataka	Udupi	B
51	Government First Grade College, Karkala Taluk, Udupi Dist, 576112 Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Udupi	B
52	Sri Mahadeshwara Government First Grade College Kollegal, Karnataka	Chamarajanagara	B
53	Government First Grade College, Holenarasipura, Hassan Dist, 573211	Hassan	B
54	Government College for Women Kolar, Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Kolar	B
55	Government First Grade College, Dist. Belagavi, 591239 (First Cycle)	Belgaum	B
56	Y.D.D. Government First Grade College, Belur, Hassan Dist, 573115 Karnataka (Second Cycle)	Hassan	B
57	Government First Grade College, T.Narasipura, Mysore, 571124 Karnataka (First Cycle)	Mysore	B
58	Government First Grade College, Mangalore, (Second Cycle)	Dakshin Kannada	B
59	Government First Grade College, Puttur Taluk, Dakshina Kannada Dist, 574241 Karnataka (First Cycle)	Dakshina Kannada	B
60	Government First Grade College Sulibele, Hosakote Tq Bangalore Rural Dist 562129, Karnataka (First Cycle)	Bangalore Rural	B

ABSTRACT OF KARNATAKA

Sl. No	Component	Physical Units Approved (number)	Total Outlay 12th Plan	Funding Approved by the PAB 2015-16	Condition for Release
1	Infrastructure Grants to Universities	5	100.00	50.00	None
2	Infrastructure Grants to Colleges	60	120.00	60.00	None
Total			220.00	110.00	

Decision of PAB

The PAB approved a total amount of Rs. 110 crore for 2 components to the State of Karnataka for the financial year 2015-16.

ANNEXURE

SHEP APPRAISAL FOR THE STATE OF KERALA

Component 3: Infrastructure Grants to Universities

The state had proposed infrastructure grants to the following six universities viz. Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit, Kalady, Mahatma Gandhi University, University of Kerala, University of Calicut, Cochin University of Science and Technology Kannur University.

After appraisal of the SHEP and consulting with state officials, the RUSA TSG recommended all the 6 universities for Infrastructure Grants as they had been either accredited by NAAC or had their LoI accepted by NAAC.

The PAB approved Infrastructure Grants to the four universities namely University of Kerala, Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit, Mahatma Gandhi University and University of Calicut. All the Universities in the Approved list have valid NAAC A or B grades. 2 universities that did not possess valid NAAC Grade were not approved by PAB.

Sl. No.	Name	Location	Year of Establishment	NAAC Status	Funding Approved (Rs. Cr.)	
					Current Financial Year	Plan Period
1	Sree Sankaracharya University of Sanskrit, Kalady	Ernakulam	1993	A	10	20
2	Mahatma Gandhi University	Kottayam	1983	B	10	20
3	University of Kerala	Thiruvananthapuram	1937	A	10	20
4	University of Calicut	Malappuram	1968	B	10	20
				Total	40	80

Component 7: Infrastructure Grants to Colleges:

The state had proposed providing of infrastructure grants to 63 colleges. After appraisal of the SHEP and consulting with state officials, the RUSA TSG recommended infrastructure grants for 30 colleges out of which 24 were general colleges, 4 Teacher Education College and 2 Engineering Colleges based on NAAC & NBA accreditation.

The PAB approved infrastructure grants to 15 out of which 14 are general colleges with valid NAAC accreditation and 1 engineering college with NBA have accredited programmes. All the Colleges in the Approved list have valid NAAC A or B grades. The engineering college in this list has valid NBA Accreditation for the majority of its programs. The approvals are as below:

Colleges approved for Infrastructure Grants for Kerala

Sl. No.	Name of College	District	Accreditation Status	Amount Approved for 2015-16 (Rs. crore)
1	Govt. College, Kasargod	Kasargod	Cycle 2,A	0.50
2	Govt. Victoria College	Palakkad	Cycle 3,A	0.50
3	SNGS Govt. College, Pattambi	Palakkad	Cycle 2,A	0.50
4	Govt.College, Mananthawady	Wayanad	Cycle 1,B	0.50
5	Govt.Arts and Science College, Meenchandha	Kozhikode	Cycle 2,B	0.50
6	Govt. College, Madappally	Kozhikode	Cycle 2,B	0.50
7	Govt.College, Kodenchery	Kozhikode	Cycle 2,B	0.50
8	KMM Womens Govt. College	Kannur	Cycle 2,A	0.50
9	Govt. Brennan College	Kannur	Cycle 2,A	0.50
10	C A Govt.College, Kuttanallur	Thrissur	Cycle 2,B	0.50
11	Govt. College, Chalakkudy	Thrissur	Cycle 2,B	0.50
12	University college	Thiruvananthapuram	Cycle 2,A	0.50
13	Govt. College,Nedumangadu	Thiruvananthapuram	Cycle 1,B	0.50
14	Maharaja's college	Ernakulam	Cycle 3,A	0.50
15	College of Engineering,	Thiruvananthapuram	NBA Accreditation	0.50
	Total			7.5

ABSTRACT OF KERALA

Sl. No.	Component	Physical Units Approved (number)	Total Outlay 12th Plan	Funding Approved by the PAB 2015-16	Conditions for Release
1	Infrastructure Grants to Universities	4	80	40	None
2	Infrastructure Grants to Colleges	15	30	7.5	None
Total			110	47.5	

Decision of the PAB

The PAB approved a total amount of Rs. 47.5 crore for 2 components to the State of Kerala for the financial year 2015-16.

Approval given by Project Approval Board (PAB) RUSA in its 6th Meeting held on 27th March, 2015

Sl. No.	Component	Andhra Pradesh		Goa		Tripura		Karnataka		Kerala		Total	
		Physical	Funds approved for 2015-16	Physical	Funds approved for 2015-16	Physical	Funds approved for 2015-16	Physical	Funds approved for 2015-16	Physical	Funds approved for 2015-16	Physical	Funds approved for 2015-16
1	Infrastructure Grants to University	5	50	1	10.00			5	50.00	4	40.00	15	150.00
2	Infrastructure Grants to Colleges	48	48	8	8.00			60	60.00	15	7.50	131	123.50
3	New Model Degree Colleges	2	12			1	6					3	18.00
4	Upgradation of existing Colleges to MDCs			1	2.00							1	2.00
	Total	54	100	10	20	1	6	65	110	19	47.5	150	293.50

MoM Table - 1**List of Participants who attended the meeting is given below:**

Sl. No.	Name	Designation	State/Ministry/Organisation
1.	Shri Satya N. Mohanty	Secretary (HE)	MHRD
2.	Shri Ved Prakash	Chairman	UGC
3.	Dr. Prabhu Ullagaddi	Advisor	AICTE
4.	Shri Fazal Mahmood	DS(Fin.) MHRD	MHRD
5.	Smt. Ishita Roy	JS(HE) & National Mission Director (RUSA)	MHRD
6.	Shri Harpreet Singh	Director (HE)	MHRD
7.	Dr. Pitam Singh	Jt. Advistor (HE)	NITI Aayog
8.	Dr. Shailendra Raj Mehta	VC	Ahmedabad University
9.	Prof. Venkatesh Kumar	Professor	TATA Institute of Social Sciences
10.	Shri B. Srinivas	Secretary (HE)	Govt. of Kerala
11.	Dr. Christy Clement	Research Office, HE	Govt. of Kerala
12.	Shri Bhaskar Nayak	Director (HE)	Govt. Of Goa
13.	Smt. Sumita Dawra	Secretary (HE)	Govt. of Andhra Pradesh
14.	Smt. CH. Tulasi	Academic Advisor, CCE	Govt. of Andhra Pradesh
15.	Shri Rajesh Bhattacharjee	Jt. Director (HE)	Govt. of Tripura
16.	Shri Manoranjan Debnath	UDC of (HE)	Govt. of Tripura
17.	Shri Bharat Lal Meena	Principal Secretary, (HE)	Govt. of Karnataka
18.	Dr. S.A. Kori	Executive Director, SHEC	Govt. Of Karnataka
19.	Shri C.R. Francis	State Coordinator RUSA (HE)	Govt. of Karnataka
20.	Shri Simanta Mohanty	Chief Consultant, RUSA	RRC
21.	Smt. Sugandha Gupta	Consultant, RUSA	RRC
22.	Kum. Sarika Dixit	Consultant, RUSA	RRC
23.	Kum. Julie Singh	Consultant, RUSA	RRC
24.	Kum. Suman Shukla	Consultant, RUSA	RRC
25.	Shri Rohit Srivastava	Consultant, RUSA	RRC

ITEM 3

Release of Preparatory Grants

The National Capital Territory (NCT) of Delhi submitted its willingness along with undertaking and other prerequisites as per the RUSA norms to participate under RUSA. 50 % (of the central share) of the preparatory activity amount had been proposed for released.

Secretary HE observed that Delhi already has many higher educational institutions, most of which are funded by UGC. Certain data like population, 18-23 population, institutional density, status of UGC fund flow to different institutions must be taken into account while deciding on Delhi's claims under RUSA. Chairman UGC hence suggested that consideration may be given to public institutions which are poorly funded.

Decision of PAB:

PAB decided that the state government of Delhi would be addressed to undertake survey on the above points to identify critical areas that may be supported under RUSA.