



भारतीय विधिज्ञ परिषद् BAR COUNCIL OF INDIA

(Statutory Body Constituted under the Advocates Act, 1961)

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**The Registrar
Bilaspur Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur,
Old High Court Building Campus,
Near Gandhi Chowk, Bilaspur,
Chhattisgarh - 495 001**

Sub: Fresh recognition to Bilaspur Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh for the purpose of conferring the degree of law for imparting three year LL.B and five year integrated courses from the academic year 2012-13.

Sir,

The Legal Education Committee of the Bar Council of India at its meeting held on 23rd September, 2017 considered The Standing Committee considered the inspection report of Bilaspur Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh. After consideration, the Committee is of the view that as per **Section 7 (1) (i)** of the Advocates Act, 1961, **Bilaspur Vishwavidyalaya, Chhattisgarh be granted recognition for the purpose of conferring the degree of law for imparting three year LL.B and five year integrated courses from the academic year 2012-13** subject to the conditions mentioned in the inspection report as stated hereunder: -

Further as per University's stand because of non recognition from the year 2012-2013, the colleges affiliated to it are facing problems in admitting students, and thus all colleges were got/should be affiliated to the University. Now, if affiliation is granted to each one of them for the year/s in question, they can apply to the Bar Council of India for approval of affiliation.

1. The University authorities should follow the Rule 16 of the Legal Education Rules-2008 and visit the law colleges under its jurisdiction within a month and inform the status of the law colleges to the Bar Council of India within the same period.
2. The University authorities should ensure the affiliated colleges whether they are following the norms of the Bar Council of India.

The University/College shall comply with the following Rule of the Bar Council of India (Clause (iii) and Explanation 2 of Schedule IV in Part IV of new rules of the Bar Council of India):-

"Whenever approval of affiliation is granted to the Centres of Legal Education, it shall be necessary for the Centres of Legal Education to deposit Rupees Five Lakh in shape of guarantee to fulfill all the norms of the Bar Council of India. The same shall be liable to be

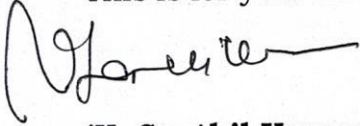
forfeited if norms are not complied with and same shall carry no interest."

This consent is being granted by the Standing Committee subject to the payment of guarantee amount.

The University/College authorities are also required to apply before the Bar Council of India for further extension of approval six months in advance before expiry of the period of approval of affiliation being presently granted by the Bar Council of India. i.e. on or before 31st December, 2018.

The above recommendations have been confirmed by the General Council of the Bar Council of India on 23rd September, 2017.

This is for your information and necessary action.



**(N. Senthil Kumar)
Asstt. Secretary
Head of the Deptt.**

Yours Sincerely,



**(Ashok Kumar Pandey)
Joint Secretary**

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