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C I R C U L A R/TRG/NO. 17 /2011

Subject : Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between CISF & IGNOU.

This is to inform that CISF has entered into MoU with IGNOU on 30.05.2011. This Memorandum of Understanding seeks to confer educational certifications to officers and personnel of the CISF within the parameters laid down by IGNOU for Community Colleges, recognizing the training undergone by them.

The salient features of the MoU are as under :-

- (a) CISF personnel, who possess Intermediate degree, shall be eligible to enroll for **Bachelors Degree Program in Security Operations** from IGNOU consisting of 96 credits as under :
 - i) 32 credits (on successful completion of basic training at NISA/RTCs)
 - ii) 64 credits to be earned in 2nd and 3rd year with IGNOU. On successful completion of 2nd year (32 credits), personnel will be awarded an Associate Degree in Security Operation. Examination for this portion will be conducted by IGNOU at mutually agreed centers.
- (b) Officers serving in the CISF who possess Bachelor's degree shall be eligible to enroll for M.Sc. (Security Operations) from IGNOU. The details of compulsory courses and elective courses for the Masters degree and 2nd and 3rd years of B.Sc. (Security Operations) degree program shall be worked out jointly between IGNOU and CISF through Academic Committee constituted under this MoU.
- (c) Credits from in service courses as approved by the Joint Academic Committee from time to time will be transferred to the program and partially counted towards the 64 credits to be earned in the second and third year with IGNOU for the Bachelor Degree.

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- (d) **Non 10+2 learners:** Individuals who have not completed 10+2 examination prior to joining the CISF will be required to do a Bridge Programme of at least one semester of 16 credits simultaneously along with registration for Bachelors degree. The list of courses for this purpose will be drawn by the CISF-IGNOU academic committee for getting registered in the Bachelor's Degree.
- (e) **Fees:** The Academic Committee as constituted under this MoU shall fix the fee structure for CISF-IGNOU Community Colleges on the guidelines of Community College Scheme of IGNOU as defined hereunder:-
- i) Registration fee for Associate Degree : Rs.750.00 per student.
- ii) 2nd/3rd year Registration fees and Examination fees, as applicable under IGNOU rules while pursuing second/third year Bachelor's Degree Programme.
- iii) Registration fee & examination for M.Sc (Security Operations) will be decided and applicable as per IGNOU norms.
- (f) IGNOU will facilitate registration of CISF/IGNOU Community Colleges (Training Institutes of the CISF) to recommend grant of Degrees in Security Operations. If opted for by the candidate, it would also award relevant Bachelor/Masters degree in streams available at IGNOU. The degree awarded would be similar to the one awarded to other students.
- (g). Out of the 96 credits required for a graduate degree, 32 would be transferred from CISF Training/Courses being conducted by the CISF-IGNOU Community Colleges. These would be awarded credit weightage by the CISF-IGNOU Academic Committee. The balance 64 credits will be earned by the individual by undertaking existing or to be introduced (on mutual consultation) courses of IGNOU and /or appropriately weighted and recognized CISF courses. This would be over a period of minimum two years and may take the form of distance education/online/study centre/ campus based education. Examinations for this portion will be conducted by IGNOU through mutually decided examination centres.

3. The date of commencement of course and the procedure for admission will be informed in due course.

4. The above details may be brought to the notice of all the personnel working under your jurisdiction.



(H.V.CHATURVEDI)
INSPECTOR GENERAL/ADM

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