

कॉलेज ऑफ आर्ट को लेकर वीसी को पत्र

नई दिल्ली। डीयू के कॉलेज ऑफ आर्ट्स को अंबेडकर विवि में शामिल करने को लेकर डीयू के शिक्षकों ने विरोध जताया है। शिक्षकों ने डीयू कुलपति प्रो. योगेश सिंह को अच्छे वकीलों द्वारा विश्वविद्यालय का पक्ष कोर्ट में रखने का अनुरोध किया है। डीयू के कार्यकारी परिषद से डॉ. सीमा दास व राजपाल सिंह पंवार समेत अन्य शिक्षकों ने पत्र लिखते हुए कहा है कि कोर्ट में डीयू की ओर से कानूनी सहयोग न मिलने के कारण कोर्ट का आदेश अंबेडकर विश्वविद्यालय के पक्ष में रहा था। ब्यूरो

'COA का मामला टॉप वकीलों के जरिए कोर्ट में ले जाए डीयू'

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कॉलेज ऑफ आर्ट (सीओए) के लिए आवेदक यूनिवर्सिटी दिल्ली (एयूडी) की एडमिशन प्रक्रिया के ऐलान के बीच डीयू के एग्जक्यूटिव काउंसिल (ईसी) और अकेडमिक काउंसिल (एसी) के मेम्बर ने डीयू वीसी को लिखा है कि अच्छे वकीलों के जरिए एडमिशन प्रक्रिया पर रोक लगाने के लिए अदालत की मदद ली जाए। बुधवार को डीयू के कुछ ईसी और

एसी मेम्बर ने डीयू वीसी प्रो योगेश सिंह को लिखा है कि दिल्ली हाई कोर्ट में डीयू की तरफ से वकीलों ने अच्छी तरह से पक्ष नहीं रखा जिस वजह से इस मामले में फैसला आवेदक यूनिवर्सिटी दिल्ली के पक्ष में गया।

डीयू के ईसी और एसी मेम्बर ने वीसी से मांग की है कि टॉप वकीलों के जरिए अदालत में डीयू का पक्ष रखा जाए

ताकि अदालत कॉलेज ऑफ आर्ट की एडमिशन प्रक्रिया में रोक लगा सके। टीचर्स ने कहा है कि कोर्ट में मामला लंबित होने पर भी आने वाले सेशन में कॉलेज ऑफ आर्ट में एडमिशन डीयू के अंतर्गत ही होने चाहिए, इसके लिए वकीलों के जरिए दिल्ली हाई कोर्ट में मामला मजबूती से रखना जरूरी है।

डीयू ईसी मेबर सीमा दास, राजपाल सिंह पंवार समेत एफसी, मेबर जेएल गुमा, एसी मेबर सी एस नेगी, आलोक

पांडे, कपिला मल्लाह, सुभांशु गुमा, समेत कई मेम्बर शामिल हैं। इससे पहले भी ये टीचर्स एडमिशन प्रक्रिया इस मामले में तुरंत एक्शन लेने का कह चुके हैं। इनका कहना है कि दिल्ली सरकार उल्लंघन करते हुए गलत तरीके से इस कॉलेज को डीयू से छीन रही है और डीयू नॉट में है। इसी बीच कॉलेज अपनी आइडेंटिटी खो रहा है।

तिलक बिज स्थित इस कॉलेज के कर्मचारी संगठन और स्टूडेंट्स भी डीयू

से राज्य यूनिवर्सिटी का कॉलेज में जाने के लिए तैयार नहीं हैं। संगठन की ओर से प्रधानमंत्री और उपराष्ट्रपति से दखल की पहलें ही अनुरोध किया जा चुका है।

एक तरफ डीयू का कहना है कि कॉलेज ऑफ आर्ट को डीयू से डी-एफिलिएट नहीं हुआ है, तो दूसरी तरफ आवेदक यूनिवर्सिटी दिल्ली इस कॉलेज का डीन नियुक्त कर चुकी है और इसी महिने एडमिशन प्रक्रिया करने की बात कर चुकी है

DU teachers write to V-C for 'best legal representation' in CoA affiliation case

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Contending that Ambedkar University (AU) is "stealthily snatching" College of Art (CoA) from Delhi University, 11 members of DU Academics for Action and Development have urged Vice-Chancellor Yogesh Singh to secure the "best legal representation" for the varsity in the matter. In a letter to Singh, they said the CoA is facing a "harsh situation of losing its identity and existence".

"In the last hearing in Delhi High Court on May 17, due to poor representation on behalf of the DU, the order went in favour of AU. The university has been asked to conduct admission to CoA as part of AUD. We have asked the vice-chancellor for proper representation," said

Seema Das, a member of the DU's Executive Council and one of the authors of the letter.

In the letter to the VC, the teachers noted that the interim order "went in favour of AUD" as far as the admission for the current session is concerned.

"The same order has given two weeks to DU for filing an appeal and nowhere does it endorse the merger of CoA with Dr B R Ambedkar University," the letter pointed out.

The letter comes a day after Ambedkar University, which is funded by the Delhi government, announced that a committee has been constituted to ensure a "smooth" process for admission in various courses of College of Art for the academic year 2022-23.

The teachers have requested VC to secure the

best legal representation for Delhi University through top lawyers and seek a stay of the order directing the admission process under AUD as well as for the appointment of the dean by filing the appropriate appeal against such order in the competent court.

"Get an order of the competent court that in the pendency of the matter before the Delhi High Court and a judicial order on merits, the admission process for the coming year (s) in College of Art to be carried out under the aegis of the University of Delhi," the letter read.

In April, the DU had asked the College of Art to start its admission process and had informed the institute that it would not be de-affiliated from the university.

**DSEU to add 6
new campuses**

New Delhi, May 25: Delhi Skill and Entrepreneurship University will add six new campuses this academic year that will increase the seat strength by 800 across courses, its vice-chancellor Neharika Vohra said on Wednesday. Vohra said the university is also launching several new undergraduates and postgraduate courses in the academic year 2022-23.

"In the first batch started last year, 6,000 students, including those in diploma programmes, were admitted. We have 35 different programmes in total," Vohra said.

— PTI

AUD sets up committee to fast-track admissions in College of Art amid row

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New Delhi: Ambedkar University Delhi (AUD) has constituted a committee to fast-track the admission process at the College of Art (CoA). The registration process is expected to begin soon for aspirants.

However, a day after the panel was formed on Tuesday, a group of DU teachers, arguing that CoA has not yet been de-affiliated from their university, wrote to vice-chancellor Yogesh Singh seeking a stay on the order directing admissions under AUD.

Senior AUD officials told TOI: "A meeting was held on Wednesday with CoA officials and the forms will be made available soon. For the time being, a scroll will also be added to AUD's website which will ultimately lead candidates to the CoA website so that the registration process can begin."

Officials added that there will be no change in the fee structure and admissions will be conducted by the CoA as per past practice.

"Approximately 400 seats are being offered for various undergraduate and postgraduate programmes. Deliberations and meetings were also held accordingly and the admission brochure will be released soon. Efforts are being made for initiating online admission forms as early as possible, before the end

of May. Suitable time will be given to candidates applying for various programmes," the official said.

For the 2021-22 academic session, no admissions had taken place at CoA due to a tussle between Delhi government and DU over the affiliation of the college. However, while DU has not yet given its nod for the de-affiliation, the admission process is set to begin under AUD.

Meanwhile, in their letter to the DU VC, executive council member Seema Das and other teachers said, "College of Art is still an affiliated college of DU and any attempt to snatch it stealthily by AUD is tantamount to the violation of (relevant university) acts and statutes as well as the decision of the executive council."

Referring to matters pending before Delhi high court, the letter further urged the VC to "immediately take action and get an order of the competent court that in the pendency of the matter before Delhi HC and a judicial order on merits, the admission process for the coming year(s) in CoA should be carried out under the aegis of DU."

The professors, including executive council member Rajpal Singh Pawar, said, "The DU administration seems to be in slumberland. This flagship institute of fine arts in India is facing a harsh situation where it could lose its identity and existence."

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