



भारतीय विधिज्ञ परिषद् BAR COUNCIL OF INDIA

(Statutory Body Constituted under the Advocates Act, 1961)

21, Rouse Avenue Institutional Area, Near Bal Bhawan, New Delhi - 110002

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1.	The Registrar, Vikrant University, Chittora Road, Ratwai, Near Badagaon Over Bridge, Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh-474006. registrar@vikramuniversity.ac.in
2.	The Dean/Principal School of Legal Studies, Vikrant University, Chittora Road, Ratwai, Near Badagaon Over Bridge, Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh-474006. registrar@vikramuniversity.ac.in

Sub: Approval Letter for recognition to Vikrant University, Gwalior as per Section 7(1) (i) of the Advocates Act, 1961 for the purpose of conferring the Degrees in Law and letter for extension of approval of affiliation for imparting 3-year LLB course and 5-year BALLB with intake of one section of 60 students in each course alongwith one additional section with intake of 60 students i.e. two sections of 60 students in each course with regularisation being done for the academic year/s 2023-24 and 2024-25 and approval of affiliation being granted for academic session 2025-26 subject to compliance of Rules of Legal Education, 2008 and all circulars/directives/guidelines/notifications issued from time to time by the Bar Council of India with respect to maintenance of standards of Legal Education.

Detailed letter with condition will follow.

Sir/Ma'am,

This is to bring to your kind knowledge that the Standing Committee of the Legal Education Committee of the Bar Council of India in its meeting dated 24.5.2025 has considered the inspection report of **School of Legal Studies, Vikrant University** submitted by the Inspection Team.

The CLE is a constituent unit (approved under Section 9A of MPPURC) of Vikrant University, which is a State Private University established under Madhya Pradesh Act No. 25 of 2022. The CLE converted into State Private University in September 2022 as per Madhya Pradesh Act No. 25 of 2022.

The Vikrant University, Gwalior, M.P. being a new University has applied for recognition as University as per Section 7(1)(i) of the Advocates Act, 1961 to award degree in law and approval for extension of approval of existing one section of 5-year BALLB and one Section for 3 year LLB with intake of 60 students in each Section.

The CLE has also applied for additional new one section for 5-year BALLB and two sections for 3-year LLB.

Deepak Kumar
Assistant Secretary

Earlier the CLE was known as Vikrant Institute of Law, Gwalior and was affiliated to Jiwaji University and was given provisional approval of affiliation vide letter dated 04.6.2024 for imparting three year LL.B degree course with intake of one section of 60 students and five year BALLB integrated degree course with intake of one sections of 60 students for the academic year 2022-2023.

It is seen that the CLE had not obtained BCI approval from the academic year 2023-24 and 2024-25 and also requested for regularization of 3-year LL.B course and 5-year BALLB integrated course from the academic session 2023-24 to 2024-25. The requisite fee has been duly paid by the CLE till the academic session 2025-2026.

It is observed that the College had taken admission in 3-year LL.B course and 5-year BALLB integrated course, without approval of BCI from the academic session 2023-24 to 2024-25.

This is in violation of Chapter III, Rule 14 of Rules of Legal Education which stipulates a minimum suspension for two academic years.

After consideration, recognition has been granted to School of Legal Studies, Vikrant University as per Section 7(1) (i) of the Advocates Act, 1961 for the purpose of conferring the Degrees in Law.

Further, keeping in view the interests and future of the students the academic year/s 2023-24 to 2024-25 are being regularised and extension of approval of affiliation is being granted for academic session 2025-26 for imparting 3 year LL.B degree course and 5-year BALLB integrated course with intake of one section of 60 students in each course along with one additional section with intake of 60 students i.e. two sections of 60 students in each course subject to the conditions as imposed by the Inspection Team of BCI and additional conditions imposed by the Standing Committee in order to ensure compliance with Rules of Legal Education 2008 and other stipulations/enumerations as per Rules of Legal Education & other guidelines/circulars issued in this regard from time to time by Bar Council of India.

NOTE

Public Meeting for Legal Education related Matters will be held from Monday to Thursday every week between 3.00 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. only at BCI office at 21 Rouse Avenue Institutional Area, New Delhi 110002 (2nd floor, Conference room) with Chancellor, Vice Chancellor, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Registrar, Director, Dean, Principal, Academician/Permanent Faculty of Law, Head of Department, /Member of Society/or Trust which has established the CLE, administrative personnel, attached to (permanently working with Center of Legal Education) and/ Society Registration documents and/or with owners whose name should be documented in Trust Deed. All

should carry CLE photo id cards as well as Aadhar/PAN/Passport for identity along with authority letter from authorised personnel like VC, Registrar, Dean, Principal or owner whose Identity should be clear from documents like Trust Deed, Society Registration papers, Photo Ids referred to above.

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Authority letter has to bear original signature as on Govt. id like PAN Card/Passport, FULL NAME, DESIGNATION, MOBILE NUMBER AND EMAIL ID of person issuing authority letter as well as of person who is being issued authority letter.

No agents/touts or unauthorised personnel shall be entertained at any cost.

All visitors will have to fill the following form with attachments before the meeting.

On behalf of BCI, the meeting will be attended by Principal Secretary Mr. Srimanto Sen and/or Mr. Nalin Raj Chaturvedi, Additional Secretary and/or in absence of one/both of them by Mr. Awanish Kumar Pandey, Additional Secretary.

No other BCI employee is authorised to discuss Legal Education Related Matters.

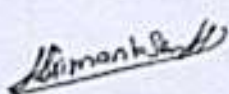
To ensure the integrity and quality of legal education, it is essential to prevent unauthorized personnel, agents and touts from interfering in academic and administrative matters. Unauthorized interference often leads to misinformation and compromises the standards of legal education. Therefore, ONLY SENIOR AND AUTHORISED PERSONNEL AS MENTIONED ABOVE WILL BE ENTERTAINED.

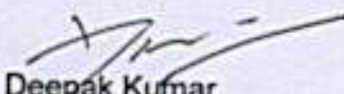
Your cooperation is required to maintain transparency and uphold the highest standards in legal education. This measure is in the best interest of all stakeholders and aims to promote an environment conducive to the betterment of legal education.

This is for your information, necessary compliance and action.


Nalin Raj Chaturvedi
Additional Secretary

Yours sincerely,


Srimanto Sen
Principal Secretary


Deepak Kumar
Assistant Secretary