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**Sub: Revised guidelines for the evaluation of MOOC courses- Group A Electives (18XX5AX) of V semester B.E. Programs - REG**

The issue of the NPTEL MOOC courses not being offered in the winter semester of NPTEL has occurred for the first time. **Therefore, the below mentioned amendment to the decision regarding the offline NPTEL exams of V sem Group A Electives for the current and upcoming semesters in the 2018 scheme is implemented.**

Further to the discussions regarding NPTEL courses offered as Group-A electives of V Sem B.E. Programs for the academic year 2020-2021 under the 2018 scheme, it is considered that:

- Keeping in line with the autonomous guidelines of RVCE, VTU and NPTEL framework, the institute initiates **OFFLINE FAST-TRACK EXAMS** for those students **FAILING IN THE ONLINE NPTEL COURSE** maintaining the quality of assessment inline with the assignments of the respective courses offered by NPTEL;
- For the students currently in the VII semester, those who have applied in NPTEL course will be offered **OFFLINE during Fast-track semester of 2022.**
- **SUBSEQUENT EXAMS SHALL BE CONDUCTED OFFLINE ONLY.**
  - ❖ The candidates once failed in the regular semester in online course (18XX5AX) have to take that course in **subsequent Fast-Track only** offered by the institution. **They are not permitted to register the courses online even if it is offered online by NPTEL in the subsequent sessions.**
  - ❖ Candidates have to register in Fast-Track and all Fast-Track regulations shall apply for offline courses offered by the institution.

As per the calender released by NPTEL for Jan-July 2022 semester, the courses offered by the departments in which the students have failed are not being offered till July 2022. **The VTU guidelines** regarding the NPTEL MOOC courses highlights the following points:

- NPTEL will not conduct supplementary exams; The college may look into creating a question paper using already published assignments for the particular course and grade it internally. This can perhaps be considered for the supplementary exam;
- In this case, NPTEL will not be issuing certificates for these students;
- In all matters concerning the exams, the decision taken by NPTEL Coordinators will be final and binding on all the applicants;

  
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