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## **NOTIFICATION**

Maheshkhola, 18/12/2024

F.No.TIUT/01/07/RGST/2024-25-Admin/973 This is for information of all concerned that in context of the University Grants Commission's notification vide D.O.No.13-19/2024(CPP-II), dated 11<sup>th</sup> September, 2024, relating to effective implementation of the Tobacco-Free Educational Institution (ToFEI) manual and guidelines, Techno India University, Tripura's (TIUT's) campus is hereby declared as a Tobacco Free Campus. The tobacco free campus policy defines tobacco products as including but not limited to cigarettes, cigars, bidis, smokeless tobacco, chewing tobacco, hookah, and electronic cigarettes. Individuals violating the policy may face strict disciplinary actions as per the university's code of conduct. The policy and its scope is described as under:-

- 1. The policy aims for a tobacco free campus.
- 2. The policy applies to all students, research scholars, faculty members, non-teaching staff members, casual workers and visitors.
- 3. Smoking/chewing tobacco products is strictly prohibited across the university campus including hostels, buses, canteens, playgrounds etc.
- 4. In case of visitors, they are to be made aware about the policy. They may either be requested not to smoke or be respectfully asked to leave the campus should they wish to smoke.
- 5. No smoking posters are to be displayed at all prominent places across the campus.
- 6. Awareness drives about usage of tobacco and its ill effects are to be conducted regularly.

Moreover, tobacco users are expected to adhere to the policy and be respectful and mindful towards non-tobacco users. **Dr. Animesh Bhattacharjee**, Assistant Professor, TIUT with additional charge of Security Officer, TIUT will be responsible for monitoring compliance of the policy and reporting of breaches if any.

This notification is issued with prior approval of Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, TIUT.

(Somnath Roy) Registrar (i/c)

## Copy to :-

- 1. PS to Chancellor, TIUT for kind information to Hon'ble Chancellor, TIUT.
- 2. PA to VC, TIUT for kind information to Hon'ble VC, TIUT.
- 3. Mr. Kaushik Sarkar, Deputy Director, TIG for kind information.
- 4. Dean of Academic Affairs, TIUT, for kind information.
- 5. Dean of School of Humanities and Social Sciences, TIUT for kind information,
- Dean (i/c), School of Engineering and Technology School of Engineering and Technology, TIUT for kind information.
- 7. Finance Officer, TIUT for kind information.
- 8. Controller of Examination (i/c), TIUT for information.
- 9. Security Officer, TIUT for information and needful action.
- 10. All HoDs/In-charge of all schools/departments of TIUT for information,
- 11. Website i/c with a request to upload this notification to the university's website.
- 12. Notice Board.
- 13. Guard File.

Registrar (i/c)