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Open Letter to All Students From Vice Chancellor

Dear Students,

I am sure all of you are in fine fettle and good health.

On 16th March 2020, the university was shut down at an unexpected call from the State Government. The situation was such that every one of you was asked to go home. At that time none of us knew what would happen in days to come. However, at that time we were all hopeful that the situation would soon become normal and we will soon get back to work and studies normally. In fact no body anticipated such a long lockdown and we will see such a spread of the pandemic. Accordingly many of you residing in hostels did not take your books and other belongings with you.

Today after three months of lockdown the uncertainty still prevails and all of you are now worried about your exams and future. Believe it we at the university are fully aware and conscious of your mental state. Recently many of you have expressed your worry through mails and calls to us. From your mails we find that your major concerns are as under:-

- 1. When and how will your examinations conducted by the university;
- 2. Majority of you are not prepared to come physically to take the examination due to fear of catching the infection;
- 3. But nonetheless many of you who resided in the hostel want to come to take your book and other belongings to continue your studies and preparation for the examinations.

Before I address your above concerns, let me assure you that we are going to adopt a **ZERO RISK POLICY** in opening the university and holding your exams. As your guardian on the campus I cannot put any of you my children in to danger of risk to life.

Examinations: We have twice held meetings of all the Heads and Deans to discuss modalities of conducting your examinations. Several options have come up. We will soon conduct the Meeting of the Academic Council (The Highest Statutory Body to take decisions for modification of examination ordinances). Friends, here you will have to understand that the university has to ensure international credibility of the degrees awarded to you.

Rest assured in next two weeks we will let you know how you will be exactly examined. But take it from me we will examine you and will not promote you without exams. So please get down preparing for the exams which you will have to face in July and August, 2020.

Note: If you have any suggestions or ideas for the conduct of your examinations, please write them to the Controller of Examinations. We will discuss your suggestions in the Academic Council Meeting.

Carrying Belongings from the Hostel:

Yes, you must take them as you need them. For this, it is important that proper Social Distancing with adequate hygiene is maintained when you come to take your belongings. For this, I have asked the Dean of Students Welfare to prepare a full-proof mechanism which ensures your full safety and security. He will issue the guidelines in this regard separately.

CUSB is yours you CUSBIANS, so let's dream big and correct. We will come out as winners howsoever difficult the situation might emerge. नियमित व्यायाम करो, अच्छा भोजन करो, घर में रहकर अध्ययन करो। जीवन की हर परीक्षा धीरज, धैर्य और धुन से उत्तीर्ण की जा सकती है।

My best wishes for your good health and bright future.

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