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November 29, 2025

Sub: Re-constitution of the Board of Studies in the subject of Sanskrit of K J Somaiya Institute of Dharma Studies (KJSIDS), under Faculty of Dharma Studies, Somaiya Vidyavihar University, Mumbai, (SVU).

Ref: First Statutes of Somaiya Vidyavihar University, Mumbai

1. The Board of Studies in the subject of Sanskrit of K J Somaiya Institute of Dharma Studies under Faculty of Dharma Studies, Somaiya Vidyavihar University, Mumbai.- as approved by the Board of Management of the Somaiya Vidyavihar University, Mumbai.
2. The Constitution of Board of Studies is as per Clause No. 24 of First Statutes of SVU.
The Board of Studies in the subject of Sanskrit shall consist of the following members, namely:-
 - i. The Chairperson, Board of Studies
Dr. Bhagyashree Bavare,
Associate Professor, KJSIDS
 - ii. Faculty – Member (Professor)

 - iii. Faculty – Member (Associate Professor)
Dr. Rudraksha Sakrikar,
Adjunct Associate Professor, KJSIDS
 - iv. Faculty – Member (Assistant Professor)
 - a) Ms. Prachi Pathak,
Assistant Professor, KJSIDS
 - b) Mr. Balasaheb Wagh,
Assistant Professor, KJSIDS
 - v. Industry – Member
Dr. Vinaya Kshirsagar,
Director (Central Schemes), Dharohara, Rajasthan
 - vi. Academia – Member
Prof. Parimal Patil,
Wales Professor of Sanskrit, Harvard University.
 - vii. Research Organization – Member
Dr. Sudipta Munsi,
NCERT, Delhi

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Invitees

- a) The Dean of Faculty of Dharma Studies will be the permanent invitee.
- b) Dr. Rishit Desai, Visiting Faculty, KJSIDS.
- c) Coordinator, Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS)

3. The term of the nominated members and cessation of the membership will be August 31, 2028, as per Clause No. 41 (I) of the First Statutes of SVU.

The powers and functions of the Board of Studies shall be as per all the sub clauses of Clause No. 25 of the First Statutes of SVU.

Issued, as approved accordingly.

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29/11/2025
Prof. Nandkumar Gilke
Registrar



To:
All the members

Cc:

1. Office of the Vice Chancellor
2. Dean, Faculty of Dharma Studies
3. Coordinator, Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS)
4. CoE
5. CFO
6. Office File