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MORIGAON COLLEGE Morigaon: Assam Estd. 1964

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POLICY DOCUMENT

POLICY TITLE: Barrier-Free and Comprehensive Campus for Persons with Special Need

POLICY NUMBER: MC/IQAC/2020/0005

INTRODUCTION:

After India signed and ratified the UNCRDP IN 2007, the process of enacting a new legislation in place of persons with Disabilities Act, 1995 (PWD Act, 1995) began in 2010 to make it complaint with UNCRPD. After a series of meetings and draftingprocess, the Rights of PWD Act, 2016(RPWD Act, 2016) was passed by both houses of the Parliament. It was notified on December 28, 2016 after receiving the Presidential assent. The Act provides for the access to inclusive education, vocational training and self-employment of disable persons without discrimination and building, campuses and various facilities are to be made accessible to the PWD and their special needs are to be addressed. The University Grant Commission (UGC) enjoins higher educational institutions, Colleges and Universities to support and empower the Differently Able persons. The UGC started the scheme of assistance to Universities/Colleges for higher education for the persons with Special Needs (HEPSN). This policy is being prepared in pursuance with the 2016 Act and the UGC scheme to make Morigaon College as an institution for Persons with Special Need friendly.

POLICY STATEMENT:

Morigaon College

Morigaon College is doing its best effort to enable Specially Able students, teaching and non-teaching staff to equally participate in the academic, social and cultural life of the college by providing infrastructural facilities and creating non-discrimination environment.

OBJECTIVES OF THE POLICY

- 1. To make Special Abled & friendly environment to choose to study and work at Morigaon College without any hesitance.
- 2. To support differently-abled students and teachers to participate on an equal basis in the teaching-learning process.
- 3. To eradicate barriers, discriminatory practices and social exclusion.
- 4. To promote the rights, dignity and self-worth of all individuals.

FEATURES OF THE POLICY

- 1. Strict implementation of Admission reservation policy for the Pwd framed by Government of Assam.
- 2. Inclusion of Specially Abled Students and Teacher in the organization of academic and cocurricular and facilitating their participation in the same.

Infrastructural Support

- * Making the College campus friendly for Specially Abled:
 - Ramps.
 - Accessible washrooms.
 - Rest Room.
 - Railings
- * Making provision to physically and technologically support the Specially Abled:
 - Wheel chairs
 - Writers during the examination
 - Digitized audio books.

PROCESS AND PROCEDURE

- 1. The identification and classification of the Disability will be done through the Government of Assam rules and regulations.
- 2. Circular and notification will be issued, wherever required.

NB:*The policy is subject to periodic review.