

**GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA  
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

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**NOTIFICATION**

Bhubaneswar Dated 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2020  
No.HE-FE1B-POLICY-0015-2019- 9608 /HE

**CHANGING THE STATUS OF KHALLIKOTE UNIVERSITY FROM  
CLUSTER UNIVERSITY TO UNITARY UNIVERSITY**

Whereas, the State Government have established a Cluster University at Berhampur, called Khallikote University, by altering the territorial jurisdiction of the Berhampur University, vide Higher Education Department Notification No.11612-HE-FE1B-MISC-9/2015 dated the 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2015, having jurisdiction over the following constituent colleges.

1. Khallikote (A) College, Berhampur – Lead College- Govt. College
2. S.B.R.G (A) College, Berhampur – Cluster College – Govt. College
3. Binayak Acharya College, Berhampur–Cluster College–Govt. College
4. Govt. Science College, Chhatrapur –Cluster College –Govt. College
5. Gopalpur Degree College, Gopalpur – Cluster College – Aided College

And whereas, it is felt that the Khallikote University is not functioning as per the true spirit of a Cluster University;

And whereas, it is felt necessary to rather convert the Khallikote University into a Unitary University, which will focus on intensive research activities so as to evolve as a research-intensive University of Odisha;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub sections (1) and (2) and clause (g) of sub section (3) of section 32 of the Odisha Universities Act, 1989 (Odisha Act 5 of 1989), the State Government do hereby alter the status of the Khallikote University to a Unitary University and direct that the five constituent colleges shall be disaffiliated from the Khallikote University and be re-affiliated to the Berhampur University at Berhampur with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2020. The students already enrolled in the five constituent colleges under the banner of Khallikote University shall continue their studentship under the Khallikote University till completion.

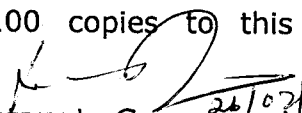
By order of the Governor

  
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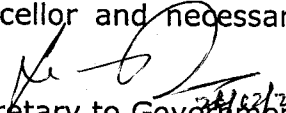
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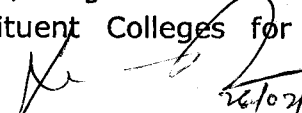
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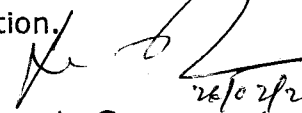
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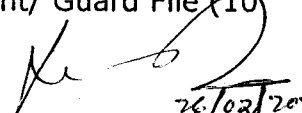
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