UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 11th July, 2016

No.F.1-2/2016(PS/Amendment) -In exercise of the powers conferred under clauses (e) and (g) of subsection (1) of Section 26 of University Grants Commission Act, 1956 (3 of 1956), the University Grants Commission hereby frames the following amendment Regulations, namely: -

APPENDIX - III: TABLE VII

ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE INDICATORS (API) FOR PROMOTIONS OF ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN IN UNIVERSITIES / FOR COLLEGE LIBRARIAN UNDER CAREER ADVANCEMENT SCHEME (CAS) AND FOR DIRECT RECRUITMENT OF DEPUTY LIBRARIAN AND LIBRARIAN IN UNIVERSITIES

Direct Workload and weightage to be given to different levels of Librarians

	Direct working hours per week	Weightage
Assistant Librarian/College Librarian	40	100
Deputy Librarian	36+4*	90
Librarian	32+8*	80

^{*} Hours spent on administrative responsibilities, innovation, upgradation of services, extension services etc.

CATEGORY I: Procurement, organization, and delivery of knowledge and information through Library services to be filled for each year separately

Year:

		ssistant an/College an	Deputy	Librarian	Libraria	n
	Max. Score	Actual Score	Max. Score	Actual Score	Max. Score	Actual Score
 a) 1. Library resources organization and maintenance of books, journals, reports; Provision of library readerservices, Literature retrieval services to researchers and analysis of reports; Provision of assistance to the departments of University / College with the required inputs for preparing reports, manuals and related documents; Assistance towards updating institutional website with activity related information and for bringing out institutional Newsletters, etc. (Maximum 40 points) 	70		60		55	

Development, organization and management of e-resources including their accessibility over Intranet / Internet, digitization of library resources, e-delivery of information, etc (Maximum 15 Points) 3) User awareness and instruction				
 orientation lectures, users' training in the use of library services as e-resources, OPAC; knowledge resources user promotion programmes like organizing book exhibitions, other interactive latest learning resources, etc. (Maximum 15 Points) 				
b) ICT and other new technologies'	15	15	15	
application for upgradation of library				
services such asautomation of catalogue,				
automation of catalogue,learning resources				
procurement functions,				
circulation operations including				
membership records,				
serial subscription system,reference and information				
services,				
library security (technology				
based methods such as RFID,				
CCTV),				
 development of library management tools (software), 				
 Intranetmanagement 				
c)	15	 15	 10	
Additional services such as oxtending library facilities on				
extending library facilities on holidays,				
 shelf order maintenance, 				
 library user manual, 				
 building and extending 				
institutional library facilities to				
outsiders through external membership norms				
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Note: Calculation of API Score: The actual hours spent for the academic year is considered for each category a, b and c. and shall be supported by the relevant letters / certificates / orders. Any one day event is considered as 8 hours.

To calculate the API score for category a, is: The actual hours spent is divided by a factor of 20 for Uni. Assistant Librarian / College Librarian, Deputy Librarian and Librarian.

To calculate the API score for category b and c is: the actual hours spent is divided by a factor of 10 for Uni. Assistant Librarian / College Librarian, Deputy Librarian and Librarian.

Example for score calculation for b: 15 score means 15 hours of automation of catalogue per academic year.

#API score is calculated by dividing the actual score by 10 which is 1.5 API score.

CATEGORY II: PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT, CO-CURRICULAR AND EXTENSION ACTIVITIES TO BE FILLED FOR EACH YEAR SEPARATELY

Year:

Nature of Activity	Actual score	API Score
a) (Maximum 15 Marks)		
Student related co-curricular,		
 extension and field based activities (such Cultural exchange and 		
Library service Programmes)		
 various level of extramural and intramural programmes); 		
 extension, library-literary work through different channels. 		
b) (Maximum 15 Marks)		
Contribution to Corporate life and management of the library units		
and institution through participation in library and administrative		
committees and responsibilities.		
c) Professional Development activities: (Maximum 15 Marks)		
 such as participation in seminars, 		
• conferences,		
 short term, e- library training courses, 		
 workshops and events, 		
talks,lectures,		
 membership of associations, 		
 dissemination and general articles, 		
Any Others		

Note: To calculate the API score for category II a, b and c is: the actual hours spent is divided by a factor of 10 for Uni. Assistant Librarian / College Librarian, Deputy Librarian and Librarian.

Category III: Research and Academic contributions.

(A) Publications in Journals and Books

Activity	University/College Librarians	Maximum	API
		score	score
Research papers	Refereed Journals	25 / publication	
	Reputed Journals	10 / publication	
Books & Chapters	International Publishers	30 / book single author	
in Books	National Publishers	20 / book single author	
	Local Publishers	15 / book single author	
	Chapters in Books in National and Internationals publishers	Int. National – 10 and National – 5 per chapter	

Wherever relevant to any specific discipline, the API score for paper in refereed journal would be augmented asfollows: (i) paper with impact factor less than 1 - by 5 points; (ii) papers with impact factor between 1 and 2 by 10 points; (iii) papers with impact factor between 2 and 5 by 15 points; (iv) papers with impact factor between 5 and 10 by 20 points: (v) papers with impact factor above 10 by 25 points. The API for joint publications shall be calculated in the following manner: Of the total score for the relevant category of publication by the concerned teacher, the First and Principal / corresponding author /supervisor / mentor would share equally 70% of the total points and the remaining 30% would be shared equally by all other authors.

(B) Research Projects

University/College Librarians	Maximum score	API
,		score
Major Projects above Rs. 5 lakhs	20 / Project	
Major Projects above Rs. 3 up to 5 lakhs	15 / Project	
Minor Projects above Rs. 1 up to 3 lakhs	10 / Project	
Amount mobilized with a minimum of Rs. 2 lakhs	10 / Consultancy	
	Project	
Major Policy document of Central / State Govt. Bodies prepared	Patent: 30 for International and 20 for National. Policy document: 30 for International bodies, Central Govt. – 20, State Govt10	
	Major Projects above Rs. 5 lakhs Major Projects above Rs. 3 up to 5 lakhs Minor Projects above Rs. 1 up to 3 lakhs Amount mobilized with a minimum of Rs. 2 lakhs Major Policy document of Central / State Govt.	Major Projects above Rs. 5 lakhs Major Projects above Rs. 3 up to 5 lakhs Minor Projects above Rs. 1 up to 3 lakhs Amount mobilized with a minimum of Rs. 2 lakhs Major Policy document of Central / State Govt. Bodies prepared Patent: 30 for International and 20 for National. Policy document: 30 for International bodies, Central Govt. – 20,

(C) Research Guidance

Activity	University/College Librarians	Maximum	API
		score	score
M. Phil.	Degree awarded	5 / candidate	
Ph.D.	Degree awarded	15 / candidate	
	Thesis submitted	10 / candidate	

(D) Fellowships, Awards and Invited lectures delivered in conferences / seminars

University/Colleg	University/College Librarians		API
		score	score
	International Award / Fellowship	15 / Award	
		15 / Fellowship	
National Award	/ Fellowship / Membership in Academic Bodies	10 / Award	
		10 / Fellowship	
		10 / Academy	
		membership	
	State / University level Award	5 / Award	
Invited Lectures /	International level	7 / Lecture	
Papers		5 / Paper	
	National level	5 / Lecture	
		3 / Paper	
	State / University level	3 / Lecture	
		2 / Paper	

(E) Development of e-learning delivery process / materials

University/College Librarians	Maximum	API
	score	score
e-learning content development and delivery process	10 / module	

Total API Score combining Category I, II and III -

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