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Minutes of the meeting of the Board of Studies in Chemical Engineering held on 4.12.2020 at 11.30 a.m. through online mode:

## Members Present:

1. Prof. J.K. Goswamy

Dean - Faculty of Engg. & Tech.

2. Prof. Amrit Pal Toor -

Chairperson

3. Prof. Anupama Thakur

4. Dr. Gaurav Rattan

5. Prof. S.K.Sharma (Fellow)

6. Prof. Ajay Bansal

7. Dr. Sanjeev Gautam

8. Prof. Seema Kapoor

Item No. 1. The committee deferred the agenda item No. 1.

Item No. 2. The committee approved the paper-setters/examiners of the following courses for the examinations of 2020-21:

1. B.E. (Chemical)

2. B.E. (Chemical with MBA)

3. B.E. (Food Technology)

4. M.E. (Chemical)

5. M.Sc. (Industrial Chemistry)

6. M.E. (Food Technology)

Item No. 3. The committee with majority decision approved the complete scheme and detailed syllabus of M.Sc. (Industrial Chemistry) as recommended by sub-committee constituted by the DUI, Panjab University. Only two members raised their objections. Prof. Seema Kapoor was of the opinion that the scheme should be circulated in advance. Prof. Anupama Thakur expressed that Chemical Technology subjects which was spread in two semesters in the earlier scheme should not have been combined as it is relevant for M.Sc. (Industrial Chemistry) students. Prof. Seema Kapoor said that Process Instrumentation (P.I.) should be compulsory subject and should not be placed in electives. To this Prof. Ajay Bansal objected saying that Analytical Technique is more important and industrially relevant subject then P.I. and M.Sc. students also need this for their further research and NFT examination. Prof. J.K. Goswamy apprised the members about the representation made by the M.Sc. students requesting inclusion of more Chemistry subjects which will be beneficial for the future prospects and court case.

Prof. S.K. Sharma expressed that we should go ahead with the scheme and if need be, it can be revised later next year. All committee members expressed that the scheme and syllabi for the 1st Semester is appropriately designed for further research & NET exam. and was approved unanimously.

Chairperson

Confirmed

Dean-Faculty of Engg. & Tech.