To

The Principal
University College of Engineering (Autonomous),
Osmania University, Hyderabad-500007
Andhra Pradesh
Ph. No.: 040-27098254

Sub: Accreditation status of programmes applied by University College of Engineering (Autonomous), Osmania University, Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh

Dear Sir/Madam,

This is with reference to application dated 03-02-2010 from University College of Engineering (Autonomous), Osmania University, Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh seeking NBA accreditation to various UG Programmes.

2. An Expert Committee conducted an on-site evaluation of the programme on 05th – 7th October, 2012. The report submitted by the Expert Committee was considered by the Engineering Accreditation Evaluation Committee (EAEC) at its meeting held on 16-02-2013. The Executive Committee of the National Board of Accreditation considered the recommendations of EAEC at its meeting held on 05th August, 2013. The Executive Committee approved the accreditation status of each programme of the institute as given in the table below.

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<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Name of the Programmes (UG)</th>
<th>Accreditation Status</th>
<th>Period of validity w.e.f. 05-08-2013</th>
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<td>Biomedical Engineering</td>
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<td>Civil Engineering</td>
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Accreditation Status granted is valid till the programme has the approval of the Competent Authority or the period given in Col. ‘4’, whichever is earlier.

3. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to University College of Engineering (Autonomous), Osmania University, Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh as a whole. As such the Institution should nowhere alongwith its name including on its letter head etc., write that it is accredited by NBA because it is programme accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA’s notice, this will be viewed seriously. The complete name of the programme(s) accredited, level of programmes (UG or PG as the case may be) and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the date from which the accreditation is effective, should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

4. The accreditation status of the above programmes is subject to change on periodic review, if needed, by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programmes as indicated in the Table in paragraph 2 above, appears on the website and information bulletin of your institution.

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5. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.

6. Copies of the Comprehensive Report submitted by the Chairman of the Expert Committee alongwith the detailed reports submitted by the Expert team for the programme(s) evaluated which visited your Institution are enclosed for reference and to take necessary action to improve upon the shortcomings, if any, pointed out by the Expert Team.

7. If the Institution is not satisfied with the decision of NBA, it may appeal within thirty days of receipt of this communication giving reasons for the same and by paying the requisite fee.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. D.K. Paliwal)
Member Secretary

Note: Under Para 3.4.4 of Chapter 3 of the Manual of Accreditation, 2013, it is provided that the application for accreditation received in an academic year will be considered in next academic year. Therefore, the Institute may apply if it so desires, in the academic year 2014-15 for full accreditation of the provisionally accredited programme(s) in order to have continuation of accreditation.

Encls: 1. Copy of Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team

Copy to:

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2. The Principal Secretary (Higher Education) Government of Andhra Pradesh,
   J Block, 4th Floor, Secretariat Building, Hyderabad-500022.
3. The Director of Technical Education, Dept. of Technical Education,
   Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Vth Floor, BRK Complex, Tarbund Road,
   Hyderabad-500063, A.P.
4. Member Secretary, AICTE, Chanderlok Building, Janpath, New Delhi-110001
5. Accreditation File
6. Master Accreditation Folder of the State.