

POINTS OF PAB MEETINGS

FIRST PAB MEETING WAS HELD ON 6TH NOVEMBER, 2013

- Gujarat State had submitted proposal for Preparatory grant before start the PAB Meeting with the fulfilling the criteria of undertaking and checklist.
- The PAB approved release of Rs. 3.25 Crores as a Central Share to the Gujarat State.

SECOND PAB MEETING WAS HELD ON 12TH MARCH, 2014

- In the second PAB Meeting held on 12th March, 2014 approved KCG to function as SHEC for Gujarat State.
- The State of Gujarat submitted its State Higher Education Proposal (SHEP) to MHRD on 12th February, 2014.

THIRD PAB MEETING WAS HELD ON 13TH MAY, 2014

- Main agenda was sanctioning of funds under new components to the states that have submitted SHEPs to the Project Directorate.
- It was decided that the allocation of fund would be based on:
- State's willingness, Adherence to timelines and submission of SHEPs.
- It was also decided that:
- 100% grants will be given to the states which have fulfilled all timelines
- 66.66% to those which have fulfilled two of the timelines and
- 33.33% to those who have fulfilled one of the timeline.
- The appraisal for the State of Gujarat:
- PAB approved a total amount of Rs. 121 Crores for six Components to the State of Gujarat for the financial Year 2014-15, with the Central Share of Rs. 78.56 Crores.
- Component 3: Infrastructure Grants to Universities
- Component 6: New Colleges (Professional)
- Component 7: Infrastructure Grants to Colleges
- Component 9: Equity Initiatives
- Component 11: Faculty Improvement
- Component 12: Vocationalization of Higher Education
- The State of Gujarat was requested to have a workshop to prepare templates for Key Performance Indicators(KPIs). The state agreed for the same.

FOURTH PAB MEETING WAS HELD ON 5TH DECEMBER, 2014

- No further grants will be released to those States/UTs which have not yet utilized the preparatory grants released to them.
- PAB approves the revalidation of funds released to NAAC.
- It was suggested that colleges which have not applied for accreditation should apply immediately and those who have applied for it should try to get accredited as soon as possible.

FIFTH PAB MEETING WAS HELD ON 10TH DECEMBER, 2014

- NAAC accreditation would be insisted upon for considering any proposal. On this account, the 12B status of an institutions should not be a factor if it qualifies for RUSA support.
- Two components of upgradation of a college to Model Degree College(MDC) and setting up of new MDCs need to be re-examined.
- It should be left to the states to decide which district needs a new MDC and which one has a deserving existing college which can be proposed for upgradation.

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- This would be restricted to the 2011 Census and one MDC per district.

SIXTH PAB MEETING WAS HELD ON 27TH MARCH, 2015

- The Project Approval Board(PAB) may consider and approve released of funds to the Gujarat State for the financial year 2014- 2015
- Determination of Fund Equalization formula in order to upgradation and improvement of State Performance Examination based funding.

SEVENTH PAB MEETING WAS HELD ON 28TH MARCH, 2015

- Upgradation of Autonomous Colleges to the Universities
- Creating of Universities by clustering of Colleges
- The enhance the focus on faculty improvement like Administration, Staff Colleges, Vocationalization of Higher Education, capability Building and Leadership reforms.
- Under the component the specialized and higher research and innovation would be supported.

EIGHT PAB MEETING WAS HELD ON 2ND SEPTEMBER, 2015

- The Accreditation has to be done in time bound manner.
- PAB approve infrastructure grant to two universities for a total amount of Rs. 40 Crore for the respective tenure under Component No. 3
- PAB granted approval of Rs. 12 Crores to three proposed colleges under Component No. 5
- PAB granted approval to 2 colleges for recommended assistance for total of Rs. 4 Crore. Under Component No. 7

NINTH PAB MEETING WAS HELD ON 1ST DECEMBER, 2015

- The General improvement among various Social group in the Gross Enrollment Ratio
- An also encourage State to actively participate in the process of filling up AISHE data.
- PAB approved a total amount 0.90 Crores as 100% Central Share for equity Initiative for Dadra and Nagar Haveli.

TENTH PAB MEETING WAS HELD ON 2ND FEBRUARY, 2015

- The state has carried out comprehensive baseline survey during preparing the State Higher Education Plan and focusing on Vocationalization of Higher Education.