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Sub: Organizing of two days' book exhibition to select Text and Reference books for the collection of College Libraries affiliated to VTU-reg.,

- Ref: 1. Decision of the Principals' Meeting held on 31st August 2017**
2. Decision of the Governing Council Meeting of the VTU Consortium held on 8-11-2017
3. Hon'ble Vice Chancellor approval dated 19-12-2017

Adverting to the above cited subject and references, The Governing Council Meeting of VTU Consortium held on 8th November 2017 under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, VTU, Belagavi based on the proceedings of the Principals' meeting held on 31st August 2017 has decided to organize 2 to 3 days Book Exhibition in Bangalore and Belagavi to select Text and Reference Books for the collection of College Libraries affiliated to VTU. The Hon'ble Vice Chancellor was requested by all the Principals during the last Principals' Meeting held on 31st August 2017, to negotiate the price of Text Books and Reference Books also to get better price benefit to the colleges by negotiating the higher discounts similar like VTU Consortium.

In this connection, the University has constituted a subcommittee of Governing Council of VTU Consortium to organize the Book Exhibition. The subcommittee has recommended to invite proposals from each of the publishers, a list of books in soft copy in a prescribed format. After consolidating and subject wise divided them, the University shall again communicate the same to all the colleges to select the books which are worth to be brought to the book exhibition by the publishers. The Publishers will be informed to bring one copy of those books selected by the colleges for the exhibition. All the Principals, BOS Chairpersons, Subject Experts, and Librarians will be invited to select the books worth to be bought to the Engineering College Libraries. The proposed book exhibition will be held at Bengaluru and Belagavi during January and February 2018 (The dates of the Exhibitions shall be informed later). In this regard all the Principals and Librarians Chairpersons of BOS, the HODs and selected subject experts shall be deputed from your colleges to the book exhibition to select the books.

The books which are selected during the course of exhibition shall be sorted/ listed by the publishers for further negotiation either for higher discount or printing the foreign books in India with negotiated price. After the negotiation, the finally selected list of books shall be circulated to all the colleges for placing order for at least 5 copies in case of text books and 2 copies in case of reference books.

Hence, all the Principals are also requested to send the list of books (in MS excel sheet as per the enclosed format) which are to be included in the book exhibition.


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To
All the Principals affiliated to VTU Belagavi

Copy to:

1. The Hon'ble Vice Chancellor through Secretary to VC, VTU, Belagavi for kind information.
2. The Registrar (Evaluation), VTU, Belagavi for kind information.
3. The Finance Officer, VTU, Belagavi for kind information.
4. The Special Officer, CNC, VTU, Belagavi for to upload the information in the VTU website
5. Guard file.