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Sub: Secured Question Paper Delivery through VPN - reg.

VTU is establishing a secured Virtual Private Network between the University and Colleges for secured access of QPDS portal and transfer of Question Papers. In this connection, the Principals of Constituent and Affiliated Engineering colleges are hereby requested to arrange for the following infrastructure for the said purpose.

- 1) Computer with specification i5 processor with 4 GB memory, which should not be used for any other purpose.
- 2) OS : Windows 10 Professional with Internet Explorer 11 and Google Chrome (latest) version installed.
- 3) 4MBPS leased line with static IP address for the computer to be used for the QPDS. (dedicated to QPDS and independent of campus network)
- 4) Technical support personnel to be identified.
- 5) CCTV surveillance system (IP based) to be installed and should be viewable on internet and the network should be different from QPDS network.
- 6) Smart mobile with working SIM (Internet data enabled) to be placed in QPDS room near the computer with Sophos Mobile App authenticator installed (App is available in both Google Playstore and Apple APPstore, Support for App will be given from VTU). It must not have any other user installed apps.
- 7) There will be 2FA(two factor authentication) for VPN login and the mobile App will display the current OTP to be used.

The said infrastructure should be established and a report of readiness should be submitted to the office of the undersigned before **12th October 2019** through mail to prexam@vtu.ac.in The process of installation and operating methods will be intimated on receipt of the readiness report.

Sd/-

REGISTRAR (EVALUATION)

To, The Principals of Constituent and Affiliated Engineering colleges

Copy FWC's to:

1. Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor through the Sec. to VC, VTU Belagavi, for kind information.
2. The Registrar, VTU Belagavi, for information.
3. The Finance Officer, VTU Belagavi, for information.
4. The Incharge Regional Directors of VTU Regional Offices, for information & needful.
5. The Incharge Director, ITISMU, VTU Belagavi, for information and needful.

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