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NOTIFICATION

Sub: Amendment to the On-Demand Examination (ODE) Regulations – Maximum Number of Attempts and Duration for Completion of Degree – reg.

Ref: 1. Resolution No. 7.1 of the agenda of 192nd Executive Council meeting held on 25th September 2026.
2. Notification No. VTU/BGM/Reg(E)/PS/letters/2026-2027/1285 Dated: 04/11/2026.
3. Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor approval dated: 14/11/2026

By the directions of the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, it is hereby notified that the University has proposed amendments to the existing On-Demand Examination (ODE) Regulations with regard to the maximum number of attempts permitted and the time duration allowed for completion of the degree.

Existing regulation as per 26UGODE6.0	**New Amendment of regulation**
6.2 ODE Attempt Limit: Any number of ODE attempts per course shall be permitted in each academic year subject to 26UGODE 6.3, and these attempts shall be counted toward the prescribed limit. In any ODE window, registration to same course more than once shall be allowed. Each appearance to the ODE shall be treated as an attempt and a record of the attempts shall be maintained. All other academic consequences of examination attempts remain governed by the VTU Regulations Governing the UG Programmes.	6.2 Maximum Number of Attempts and Duration for Completion of the Degree There shall be **no restriction on the number of attempts** a candidate may avail of to successfully complete a course through the On-Demand Examination (ODE) facility. However, **the candidate shall fulfil all the prescribed academic requirements for the award of the degree within a maximum period of eight (8) years from the date of first-year admission or six (6) years from the date of second-year lateral-entry admission**, as applicable to the respective programme. Candidates who fail to complete all the degree requirements within the stipulated maximum period shall be classified under the 'Not Fit for the Technical Course' (NFTC) category and shall be governed by the applicable University regulations.
6.3 Maximum Number of Attempts per Course. A candidate shall be permitted a maximum of eight attempts to complete a course, inclusive of appearances in Regular, Arrears, Summer Semester-End Examinations (SEE) and On-Demand Examinations (ODE). All appearances in regular SEE and ODE for the respective course shall be counted towards this limit. Upon exhaustion of the maximum permissible attempts, the candidate shall not be permitted any further attempt to complete the course and is deemed 'Not Fit for Technical Course' (NFTC). subject to the applicable Programme Regulations.	

The contents of this notification may be brought to the notice of all the concerned.

Sd/-
REGISTRAR (EVALUATION)

To,
1. The Principals of Constituent, Autonomous and Affiliated engineering colleges.
2. Chairpersons and Program Coordinators of VTU University Departments.

Copy FWCs to:
1. Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor through the Secretary to VC, VTU, Belagavi for kind information.
2. The Registrar, VTU, Belagavi for information.
3. The Finance Officer, VTU, Belagavi for information.
4. The Regional Directors (I/C) of all the Regional Offices of VTU for kind information & needful.
5. The Director(I/C), ITISMU, VTU, Belagavi for needful.
6. The Special officer, Mangalore Extension Centre, VTU.

14/11/26.
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