Ordinance No. 19 for

Governing the Award of Degree of

Master of Physical Education (M.P.Ed.)

Ordinance prepared as per the provisions given in Statute 28(1) (b) of The Central Universities Act, 2009)

1. TITLE AND COMMENCEMENT

This ordinance shall be called the Ordinance for the Degree of Master of Physical Education (M.P. Ed.)

2. DEFINITION & KEY WORDS

- 2.1 "Vishwavidyalaya" or "University" means Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya (A Central University established by the Central Universities Act, 2009 No. 25 of 2009) located at Koni,Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh;
- 2.2 "*Student*" means one who has been admitted in the two years programme of Master of Physical Education (M.P. Ed.) in this University through Vishwavidyalaya Entrance Test (VET) or by any other procedure notified by the University from time to time;
- 2.3 "Academic Year" means two consecutive (one odd and one even) semesters;
- 2.4 "Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)" means a program that provides choice for students to select from the prescribed courses (Core, Elective, Ability Enhancement courses, etc.) as per the guidelines issued by UGC/regulatory bodies where ever applicable and as approved by the appropriate bodies of the University;
- 2.5 "*Course*" means "papers" through different modes of delivery and is a component of a programme as detailed out in the respective program structure;
- 2.6 "Credit Point" means the product of grade point and number of credits for a course;
- 2.7 "*Credit*" means a unit by which the course work is measured. It determines the number of hours of instructions required per week. One credit is equivalent to one hour of teaching (lecture, seminar or tutorial) per week or two hours of practical work/field work/project etc. per week. The number of credits for each course shall be defined in the respective examination scheme;
- 2.8 "*Cumulative Grade Point Average* (*CGPA*)" means a measure of overall cumulative performance of a student in all semesters. The CGPA is the ratio of total credit points secured by a student in various courses in all semesters and the sum of the total credits of all courses in all semesters. It is expressed up to two decimal places;

- 2.9 "Grade Point" means a numerical weight allotted to each letter grade on a 10 point scale or as prescribed by the UGC/University from time to time;
- 2.10 *"Letter Grade"* means an index of the performance of students in a course. Grades are denoted by letters O, A+, A, B+, B, C, P, and F;
- 2.11 *"Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA)"* means a measure of performance of a student in a semester. It is the ratio of total credit points secured by a student in various courses registered in a semester and the total credits of all courses during the semester. It shall be expressed up to two decimal places;
- 2.12 *"Semester"* means an academic session spread over 15-18 weeks of teaching work with minimum 90 teaching days. The odd semester may normally be scheduled from July to December and even semester from January to June;
- 2.13 "*Grade Card*" means a certificate based on the grades earned. Grade certificate shall be issued to all registered students after every semester. The grade certificate will contain the course details (code, title, number of credits, grade secured) along with SGPA of the semester and CGPA earned till that semester. The final semester grade certificate shall also reflect the cumulative total of marks obtained by the student in all semesters out of maximum marks allocated for which the grades of the program were evaluated. However, the final result will be based on the grades/CGPA;
- 2.14 *"Transcript"* means a certificate issued to all enrolled students in a program after successful completion of the program. It contains the SGPA of all semesters and the CGPA;
- 2.15 "*Ex-student*" means a student failing to clear the backlog paper/s of I/II Semester/s after appearing in the full length special examination conducted after second semester.

3 DURATION

- 3.1 The M.P. Ed. programme shall be of duration of two academic years, that is, four semesters. However, the students shall be permitted to complete the programme requirements within a maximum of three years from the date of admission to the programme. If a student is unable to clear all the semesters of the program within the maximum duration (as specified above), he/she will automatically exit from the program.
- 3.2 The maximum total duration shall include the period of absence, withdrawn and different kinds of leave permissible to a student but it shall exclude the period of rustication/suspension/or any other penalty period imposed by the University.
- 3.3 The student after successful completion of the four semesters of the programme shall be awarded degree of Master of Physical Education (M.P. Ed.) for which he/she was enrolled.

4 NUMBER OF SEATS

The number of seats in the course shall be determined as per thenorms of NCTE /University. The reservation of seats will be strictly as per GOI/UGC norms.

5 ADMISSION PROCEDURE AND ELLIGIBILITY

- 5.1 Admission to the Master of Physical Education (M.P. Ed.) programme shall be made through the VET conducted by the Vishwavidyalaya or any other procedure (i.e Physical and Skill Proficiency Test) as notified by the university from time to time. The minimum qualification for admission to the specific programme will be as notified by the university from time to time.
- 5.2 Reservation and relaxation in minimum eligibility for admission for OBC/SC/ST and Kashmiri migrant candidates, as specified by Government of India/UGC and notified by the university shall be followed.
- 5.3 Foreign nationals either residing in India or abroad or Indian nationals residing abroad may be admitted to the programme according to the policy guidelines laid down by the Government of India/ University from time to time as per the number of seats available for this category. These seats will be supernumerary and shall be advertised separately in addition to the seats approved for each program.
- 5.4 A candidate must fulfil the eligibility criteria as prescribed by the University or NCTE.

6 ENROLMENT IN THE UNIVERSITY

Every student admitted to the programme shall be enrolled before appearing in the first semester examination through the procedure prescribed by the competent authority from time to time.

7 TYPES OF COURSES

- 7.1 The course structure shall be approved / modified by university board of studies from time to time as per the direction of the university/NCTE.
- 7.2 **Core Course:** A course, which is to be studied compulsorily by a candidate as a core requirement is termed as a Core Course.
- 7.3 Elective Course: Generally a course which can be chosen from a pool of courses and which may be very specific or specialized or advanced or supportive to the discipline / subject of study or which provides an extended scope or which enables an exposure to some other discipline/subject/domain or nurtures the candidate's proficiency/skill is called an Elective Course.

COURSE SEMESTER-WISE (M.P.Ed-I,II,III and IV Each)

PART-A THEORY COURSE							
CORE Course	Credit	Internal Marks	External Marks	Total Marks			
Theory 3 papers	3X3=9	3X30=90	3X70=210	3X100=300			
ELECTIVE Course							
Theory 1 papers Out of two	1X3=3	1X30=30	1X70=70	1X100=100			
PART-B PRACTICAL COURSE							
Practical 4 papers	4X3= 12	4X30=120	4X70=280	4X100=400			
	24		Total=800				

8. ATTENDANCE AND ELIGIBILITY TO APPEAR IN THE EXAMINATION

A student must have a minimum attendance of 75% of the total number of classes held during the semester including lectures, practical/teaching practice/tutorials etc., for appearing in the end semester examination. However, Students having attendance more than or equal to 65 % and less than 75% shall apply for condonation to the respective Dean of school through the Head of Department. The Dean of School may condone aforesaid shortage in attendance after due consideration of one or more of the following reasons:

- (a) Participation in NCC/NSS Camps, duly supported by a certificate from the Commanding Officer;
- (b) Participation in University Team(s)/Games in AIU tournaments or state, Interstate tournaments duly supported by a certificate from appropriate authority of the University/ Association/Federation;
- (c) Participation in educational excursion conducted on working days certified by the Dean or Head of the department. These excursions shall not include those organized for the class as a whole;
- (d) Participation in any of co-curricular activities organized by the Institute/Department/School, duly certified by competent authority;
- (e) Prolonged illness duly certified by the Registered Medical Practitioner;
- (f) Any other cogent reason up to the satisfaction of the Head of Department/ Dean.

The application must be supported by such documents as considered to be fit for granting such condonation.

9. MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION

The medium of instruction for examination shall be in English or Hindi.

10. EXAMINATION AND EVALUATION

- 10.1. The academic performance of a candidate shall be evaluated in respect of the courses of study prescribed for each semester through the evaluation The evaluation of students admitted M.P.Ed. Programme shall be based on (a) End Semester Examinations, and (b) Continuous Internal Assessment.
- 10.2. Out of the total marks, 70% shall be allotted for the end semester examinations and 30% shall be allotted to continuous internal assessments during the semester. The scheme of internal assessment shall be as :- There will be two compulsory internal exams of 15 marks each. If a student fails to give internal exam because of some emergencies / unforeseen situations, the Dean of the School may permit the student to appear in the special internal exam on the satisfaction of the reason mentioned by the student for not appearing in the regular internal exam.
- 10.3. The end semester examinations will be held on such dates as may be notified by the appropriate authority of the University.
- 10.4. The minimum percentage of marks to pass the courses in each semester shall be required to obtain at least 40% of marks in theory and 50% marks in practical examination separately. The student must score at least 50% marks in total aggregate in each paper (course).
- 10.5. The Programme shall have a specified number of credits in each semester. The number of credits along with grade points that the student has satisfactorily cleared shall measure the performance of the student. Satisfactory progress of a student is subject to his/ her maintaining a minimum Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA), as well as minimum grades in different courses of the programme as given in table-1 which a student if obtains is eligible for the award of degree.

Calculation of Semester Grade Point Average (SGPA) and Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA):

i. The SGPA is the ratio of sum of the product of the number of credits with the grade points scored by a student in all the courses taken by a student and the sum of the number of credits of all the courses undergone by a student, i.e

SGPA (S_i) = Σ (C_i x G_i) / Σ C_i

where, C_i is the number of credits of the course and G_i is the grade point scored by the student in the course.

ii. The CGPA is also calculated in the same manner taking into account all the courses undergone by a student over all the semesters of a programme, i.e.

$CGPA = \Sigma(C_i \times S_i) / \Sigma C_i$

where, S_i is the SGPA of the semester and C_i is the total number of credits in that semester.

iii. The SGPA and CGPA shall be rounded off to 2 decimal points and reported in the transcripts.

Grading System: The grading system, as detailed here under in Table 1 shall be applicable for each course:

Range of % of marks	Grade points	Letter Grade	GRADE
> 90- ≤ 100	10	0	Outstanding
>80- ≤90	9	A+	Excellent
>70- ≤ 80	8	А	Very Good
>60- ≤ 70	7	B+	Good
>50- ≤ 60	6	В	Above Average
=50	5	С	Pass
0- ≤ 50	0	F	Fail
Absent	0	Ab	Fail

Table - 1: Award of Grades Based on Absolute Marks on a 10 point scale

Description

- (i) Letter grades **O**, **A**+, **A**, **B**+, **B** and **C** in a course mean that the student has passed that course.
- (ii) The grade F and Ab denote FAIL; a student fails in the course due to poor performance or non-appearance/incomplete appearance in the examination of the course. A student has to appear at subsequent examination(s), if provided under the ordinances in all such courses, until a passing grade is obtained.
- (iii) One (01) grace mark will be given only once to improve the grade in overall result at the time of award of degree and "G" will be mentioned against the CGPA.

Declaration of Semester Examination Results up to Third Semester

Semester examination results will have in the followings categories:

- (i) **Passed**, i.e., those who have passed in all courses of the semester examination.
- (ii) **Promoted**, i.e., those who have not passed in all the courses of the Semester examination but have passed n/2 courses if n is even and (n+1)/2 courses if n is odd, *M.P.Ed., Department of Physical Education*

where n stands for the total number of courses in the concerned semester.

(iii) **Detained**, i.e., those who are not promoted as per the above provisions will be detained. Such students have to re-join the course of study in regular mode in the same semester in next session subject to not crossing maximum duration of the program as defined in the ordinance.

11. PROMOTION TO NEXT SEMESTER:

11.1. Students who have been promoted to the next semester as per the provisions mentioned in Clause 10 shall avail the chance of clearing the back log papers only in the next ATKT examination held along with the main examination (Odd Semester in Odd Examination and Even Semester in Even Examination). A Student who even fail to clear the backlog even in the ATKT examination will be promoted to the next semester if he/she clears the requisite number of papers as per the provisions mentioned in Clause 10 in the main examination of next semester upto the second semester.

At the end of the second semester one full ATKT examination will be conducted in which students have to clear all the backlog of first semester.

Any student who fails to clear his/her backlog in this examination shall not be promoted to the third Semester and shall have to take readmission in the first semester in the following academic session, subject to being eligible as per maximum duration of the course.

- 11.2. In case, a student fails/ fails to appear in the end semester exam for II Semester in the number of courses as applicable for the provisions of ATKT, he/she can take attempt in the next ATKT examination for requisite number of courses as per clause 10. A student will also be allowed to take the Special ATKT examination to be conducted after the last semester of his/her study, to clear the backlog of II, III and IV semester of his/her study.
- 11.3. In case, a student fails to clear the backlog, he/she will held up till the back log papers are cleared for which he/she can take attempt in the next appropriate examination as an Ex-student subject to the completion of degree upto maximum duration allowed for the course. Internal marks of such Ex-students will be carried forwarded for the corresponding course in which he/she is appearing as Ex-student.

Declaration of Results after IV Semester Examinations

After declaration of results of IV Semester as per the procedure described in clause 11, a candidate can be put in the following two categories:

Passed: A candidate who has passed in all the courses (including Project/ Elective/ practical/teaching practice) of IV Semester and obtained at least CGPA of 5.00

The students who have passed n/2 courses if n is even and (n+1)/2 courses if n is odd, where n stands for the total number of courses in the IV Semester shall be given ATKT chance just after the declaration of IV semester result (as far as possible within one month). Those who are unable to clear the courses in ATKT examination shall be revert back to IV semester in the next session.

Failed: All those students who have not passed minimum n/2 courses if n is even and (n+1)/2 courses if n is odd, where n stands for the total number of courses in the IV semester shall be categorized as *Failed*. These student will not get ATKT chance and have to re-join the IV semester in next session.

12. DECLARATIONOF DIVISION:

A student who has passed in all the courses of each I, II, III and IV Semesters and obtained at least CGPA of 5.00 shall be declared as **'Passed'**. The division will be awarded after successful completion of fourth semester according to the following criteria:

(i) First Division with distinction	: CGPA \geq 7.50
(ii) First Division	: CGPA \ge 6.00, but < 7.50
(iii) Second Division	: CGPA \geq 5.00, but < 6.00

13. TRANSCRIPT:

Based on the above Letter grades, grade points and SGPA and CGPA, the Vishwavidyalaya shall issue the transcript for each semester and a consolidated transcript indicating the performance in all semesters.

14. CONVERSION TO PERCENTAGE:

The conversion formula for converting CGPA to the corresponding Percentage (P) of Marks will be as follows:

$$P = 10 \times CGPA$$

15. RANKING

Only such candidates who complete successfully all courses in the programme in single attempt shall be considered for declaration of ranks, medals etc. declared and notified by the university, if any.

16. INTERPRETATION OF REGULATION

In any matter of interpretation of the provisions of this ordinance, the matter shall be referred to Vice-Chancellor who is the chairman of Academic Council. His/her decision shall be final.

17. RE-ADMISSION

(i). A student of First Year (Semester I/II) of a programme (enrolled in the University) found not eligible to appear in the End- Semester Examination of Odd or Even Semester of the programme due to shortage of attendance *less than 75% or* those who fail in either Odd or in Even Semester shall be permitted to take readmission to I-Semester of the same programme in the following academic year.

(ii). Students of III Semester to last Semester of all programmes, disallowed to appear in the End- Semester Examination due to shortage of attendance (< 75%) or those who fail in

either Odd or in Even Semester shall be permitted to take re-admission in the following academic year in the appropriate semester. However, students declared as Ex-student shall not be allowed to seek re-admission.

18. POWER TO REMOVE DIFFICULTIES

If any question arises related to the matters not covered in these provisions, the relevant provisions made in appropriate Act/Statute/Ordinance/Regulations/Rules/Notifications issued by the university shall prevail.