Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of Studies for English Literature and Communicative Studies (Meeting No. 2 for the Academic Year 2021-22)

Venue: Dept of English, CMS College

Date: 5 July 2021 (Monday)

<u>Time:</u> 4. 00 pm

The meeting provided provision for far-away members to attend the session online.

Members present:

Prof. Cinny Rachel Mathew (Head, Dept. of English) - Chairperson

Prof. Jacob Eapen Kunnath (Member, Dept. of English)

Dr Anju Sosan George (Member, Dept. of English)

Dr Joji John Panicker (Member, Dept. of English)

Dr Aleena Manoharan (Member, Dept. of English)

Prof. Anju Susan Kurian (Member, Dept. of English)

Prof. Selin Samuel (Member, Dept. of English)

Prof. Betty Elsa Jacob (Member, Dept. of English)

Dr Susan Mathew (Member, Dept. of English)

Prof. Ditto Prasad (Member, Dept. of English)

Dr Appu Jacob John (Member, Dept. of English)

Dr Jentle Varghese (Member, Dept. of English)

Online Attendance:

Ms. Jibi Annie Jacob, Head, Content and Editorial Services, DIACRI Tech Pvt Ltd, Kottayam – Industry Specialist

Intimation for Absence:

Dr. M Krishnan (Director, School of Letters) - University Expert

Dr. Anne Angeline Abraham (Associate Professor, Bishop Moore College, Mavelikara) – Subject Expert

Dr S R Sanjeev, HoD, Journalism and Mass Communication, Mar Ivanios College, Thiruvananthapuram) – Subject Expert

Decisions:

The meeting evaluated the current academic situations:

The slow return to offline mode of classes is welcomed by the students and teachers.

Performance of students in written examinations has fallen below earlier standards.

Reduced attention span in lecture sessions

Difficulty for social involvement and team work

The Board decided to work through the teachers to provide students with proper orientation so that they are capable to handle the new normal.

Prof. Cinny Rachel Mathew proposed the Vote of Thanks.

Recorded by

Dr Aleena Manoharan (Member Secretary)