

**THE PATNA
UNIVERSITY ACT,
1976**

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Registrar
Patna University

College, Bihar College of Engineering, the Patna Law College, the Patna Training College, the Magadh Mahila College, the Patna Women's College, the Women's Training College, Patna, the Bihar National College and the Vanijya Mahavidyalaya [Art and Craft College, Patna] and attached hostels and other buildings forming parts of such Colleges and hostels, and all the Departments maintained by the Patna University established under the Patna University Act, 1961 (The Bihar Act no. 3 of 1962) together with its buildings and other buildings forming parts of the University.

(2) The State Government may, by a notification published in Official Gazette, transfer any teaching institution situated within the limit, of Patna Development Authority on such conditions as the State Government and the University may deem fit to impose, and on such a transfer having been made such a College shall be admitted to the privileges of the University.

(3) The State Government may, by a notification published in the Official Gazette, withdraw any educational institution from the jurisdiction of the University on such conditions as the State Government and the University may think fit to impose.

(4) Persons of Indian nationality residing within the territories of the Indian Union shall be entitled to seek admission in the correspondence courses conducted by the University.

5. Purposes and powers of the University.—There shall be the following purposes and powers of the University :—

(1) To provide—

- (i) for instruction in such branches of learning as the University may think fit including professional studies and technology; and
- (ii) for research and for the advancement and dissemination of knowledge.

(2) To hold examination and to grant and confer degrees, diplomas, certificates and other academic distinctions to and upon persons who—

- (a) have pursued an approved course of study in the University and have passed the examinations of the University, under conditions laid down in the Statutes, the Ordinances or the Regulations;
- (b) are teachers, librarians and laboratory assistants in educational institutions or any other person, under such conditions as may be prescribed in the Statutes, the Ordinances and the Regulations and have passed the examinations of the University under like condition;
- (c) have carried on independent research under conditions laid down in the Statutes, the Ordinances or the Regulations;

(3) to confer honorary degrees or others distinctions upon persons approved in the manner prescribed in the Statutes;

(4) to provided such lectures and instruction for, and to grant such diplomas to persons not being members of the University, as, the University may determine;

(5) to inspect all Colleges, University departments and hostels.

(6) to co-operate with other University and authorities in such manner and for such purposes as the University may determine;

¹ Added by Act 4, of 2001.

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Director
Patna University

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