



Letter No. 2585 /dt. 28/12/2023

To

Principals of all Polytechnics (Except Polytechnics of Cuttack and Khurda District excluding (BOSE, ITT, BPFTIO)).

Sub: Instructions for Packing the sealed Answer Book Packets for submission at Nodal Centres after Winter- 2023 Exams is over to be booked under Speed Post.

Sir/Madam

With reference to the above subject, I am to inform you that, like Summer Semester 2023 Exams, it has been decided to collect the sealed Answer Book Packets deposited at the Exams Nodal Centres of Each District (Except Cuttack and Khurda District excluding BOSE, ITT, BPFTIO, GTS Narsinghpur) through Speed Post service of Postal Department under BNPL scheme for **Winter Semester 2023 Exams of 3rd, 5th, 7th (P.T), 1st year Pharmacy and 1st Semester, 6th (B.P)**. Each day the deposited Answer Book Packets at the **Nodal Centres** shall be collected by Post Offices. As the sealed Answer Book Packets shall be transported through Postal Department services, special care is to be taken at each Examination Centre while packing to avoid damage to the answer book packets during Transit. The following guidelines are to be followed by each Examination Centre for packing and deposit at the Nodal Centre.

1. *All written Answer Books are to be packed in Brown paper and sealed as per the packing Instruction (to be issued separately). **Written Answer Books of Old syllabus & New syllabus Examinees shall be packed separately with cloth wrapping Branch wise & Semester wise. If separate cloth packing is not done for Old syllabus and New syllabus Examinees, then such sealed packets shall not be received at the Nodal Centre.***

2. *While depositing the written Answer Books at the Nodal Centre, the concerned Principal must submit a certificate that Answer Books of Old syllabus and New syllabus Examinees have been packed separately.*

3. Group of sealed answer book packets as in (1) above are to be wrapped in cloth, stitched and sealed in wax with signature of Centre Superintendent, so that One such resulting cloth packed Packet shall not weigh more than 10 kg under any circumstance, failing which the institution shall have to report at the nodal center and repack once again. Care must be taken so that the cloth used for the purpose must be strong enough for transportation and shall not be torn/damaged during transit.

4. Each Examination Centre (Polytechnic) shall put a list of Brown paper packets available inside the cloth packed packet with signature and seal of the Centre Superintendent in the cloth packet for matching the packets at the time of opening the cloth packed packet at the Council.



5. In case number of sealed cloth packet is more than one, those are to be numbered as sl.no/total number. For Example if number of cloth packed packets are 3, then the packets are to be numbered as 1/3, 2/3, 3/3. In each cloth packed packet on the Top Left Corner, Semester, Date of Exams and Sitting must be mentioned.
6. Sender's Name i.e Examination Centre, Polytechnic Name and address is to be mentioned under heading "From" and addressed to "Controller of Exams., SCTE&VT, Odisha, Bhubaneswar, PO: Nayapalli, Bhubaneswar-12". Exams. Centres are to write **BNPLNO. 6000012671** on the top of the packets to be deposited at the Nodal Centres.
7. All the sealed cloth packed packets are to be deposited at the Nodal Centre of the district under acknowledgement within 2 and half hours of completion of Examination. For Institution with a distance of more than 60 kms from the Nodal Centre, it should not be more than 03 hours from the completion of examination. For 2nd sitting examination, also it is to be deposited on the same day. *In no case, such 2nd sitting Answer Book packets are to be retained under the custody of Examination Centre.*
8. All Govt. Polytechnics except GP, BBSR is declared as Nodal Centres for collection of sealed Answer Book packets. UGIE, Rourkela shall be Nodal centre for Sundargarh district except SES, Kirei, who will deposit at JES, Jharsuguda Nodal Centre. UCPEs Berhampur is declared as Nodal Centre for Ganjam District. GP Gajapati shall be the Nodal Centre for Balaji Institute of Technology & Science, Gunupur.
9. Institutions coming under Cuttack and Khurda Districts (except BOSE, BPFTIO, Cuttack, ITT Choudwar and GTS, Narasinghpur) are to deposit the sealed Answer Book packets as
before at the council office.
10. GTS, Narsinghpur, SCITM Semilguda, Amaravati Polytechnic Mayurbhahj, SSIT Mayurbhanj being very far off from Nodal centres of the district, shall despatch sealed Answer Book Packets through nearby Post Office by Speed Post under BNPL scheme as per agreement with Postal Department.
- Hence, you are requested to follow the above guidelines strictly without any deviation and complete the deposit of sealed Answer Book packets as mentioned for smooth completion of **Winter Semester Exams. 2023.**

Yours Faithfully


Controller of Examinations.