

NATIONAL BOARD OF ACCREDITATION

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To,

The Director,
K. J. Somaiya Institute of Management Studies and Research,
Vidyanagar, Vidyavihar (E)- 400077,
Maharashtra

Subject: Accreditation status of programs applied by K. J. Somaiya Institute of Management Studies and Research, Vidyanagar, Vidyavihar (E)- 400077, Maharashtra.

Sir,

This has reference to your application Id. Nos. 1680 and 1681 dated 28/12/2015 seeking accreditation of National Board of Accreditation for Management programs offered by your Institute.

2. An Expert Team conducted on-site evaluation of the programs during 3rd to 5th February, 2017. The Reports submitted by the Expert Team were considered by the concerned Committees constituted for the purpose in NBA. The competent authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the programs as given in the table below:

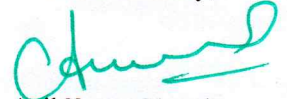
Sl. No.	Name of the Programme (PG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Post Graduate Diploma in in Management	November 2012 Document	Accredited	Academic Years 2016-2017, 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20 and 2020-21 i.e. upto 30-06-2021	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col.5 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier
2.	Post Graduate Diploma in Management - International Business		Provisionally Accredited	Academic Years 2016-2017 and 2017-2018 i.e. upto 30-06-2018	
3.	Post Graduate Diploma in Management (Retail Management)		Provisionally Accredited		
4.	Post Graduate Diploma in Management (Financial Services)		Provisionally Accredited		
5.	Masters in Management Studies		Provisionally Accredited		

4. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.

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4. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to **K. J. Somaiya Institute of Management Studies and Research, Vidyanagar, Vidyavihar (E)- 400077, Maharashtra** as a whole. As such the Institution should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because it is programme accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the programme accredited, level of programme and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the date from which the accreditation is effective should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.
5. The accreditation status of the above programmes is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programmes as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of the Institute.
6. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.
7. Copy of the Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team and Evaluators' Report in respect of the above programmes are also enclosed.
8. If the Institute is not satisfied with the decision of NBA in respect of provisionally accredited program(s), it may appeal within thirty days of receipt of this communication giving reasons for the same and by paying the requisite fee.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa)
Member Secretary

**Encls: 1.Copy of Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team.
2.Copy of Expert Report of the Visiting Team.**

Copy to:

- 1. The Director of Technical Education**
Mahapalika Marg, Dhobi Talao,
Chhatrapati Shivaji Terminus Area,
Fort, Mumbai,
Maharashtra 400001.
- 2. Master Accreditation Folder of the State.**