



# SRI MANAKULA VINAYAGAR ENGINEERING COLLEGE

(An Autonomous Institution)

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Madagadipet, Puducherry - 605 107



## SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES

### Minutes of 1<sup>st</sup> Board of Studies Meeting

The First Board of Studies meeting for starting the programmes, **B.Sc.(Hons.) Agriculture and B.Sc.(Hons.) Horticulture** in **SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES** was held on **27<sup>th</sup> November 2021 at 12:30 PM** in the Conference Hall, Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College.

The following members were present in the BoS meeting

Sl. No	Name of the Member with Designation and Official Address	Members as per UGC Norms
1	<b>Dr. G. Mohammed Yassin, Ph.D</b> Dean, School of Agricultural Sciences Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College Madagadipet, Puducherry - 605107	Chairman
2	<b>Dr. S. Ramesh Kumar</b> Professor in Horticulture Faculty of Agriculture, Annamalai University, Chidambaram, Tamilnadu - 608002	Subject Expert (University Nominee)
3	<b>Dr. B. Karthikeyan</b> Associate Professor Dept. of Microbiology, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamilnadu - 608002	Subject Expert (Academic Council Nominee)
4	<b>Dr. R. RAMAN</b> Professor Dept. of Agronomy, Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar, Tamilnadu - 608002	Subject Expert (Academic Council Nominee)
5	<b>Dr.R.Narasimman,</b> Jr. Rice Breeder Perunthalaivar Kamaraj Krishi Vigyan Kendra (PKKV) Vazhudavoor Rd, Kurumbapet, Marie Oulgaret, Puducherry- 605009.	Representative from Industry
6	<b>Dr. S. Anbumalar</b> Dean Academics, Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College Madagadipet, Puducherry - 605107	Special Invitee
7	<b>Dr. R. Subramanian</b> Associate Dean (Academics) Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College Madagadipet, Puducherry - 605107	Special Invitee

## Agenda of the Meeting

1. **To seek the permission of the Board of studies for starting the new programmes in B.Sc. Agriculture and B.Sc. Horticulture**
  - i. The UGC has made the conferment of the Autonomous Status to Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College, Madagadipet, Puducherry-605107 affiliated to Pondicherry University vide its letter No. F.22-1/2017(AC) dated 26th September 2019 and the same was approved by Pondicherry University on 19th June 2020 vide its letter No. PU/AW4/17/MVEC/2020-21/166 dated 19.6.2020 for a period of ten years with effect from 2019-20 to 2028-2029
  - ii. The Provisions are made available to start new courses in the autonomous institutions as per the UGC regulations 2018 under section 10.1 and 10.2 and also specified in the Gazette notification March 2014 on specification of degrees.
  - iii. The Government of Puducherry accorded necessary NOC to start new undergraduate four year programmes, **B.Sc. Agriculture and B.Sc. Horticulture** with an annual intake of 100 students from the academic year 2021-22 in Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College, Madagadipet, Puducherry and also permitted to allot 50 percent of the total intake in each of the above courses to the Government quota and to be filled through CENTAC, Puducherry.
  - iv. The Pondicherry University nominated **Dr. S. Rameskumar**, Professor in Horticulture, Faculty of Agriculture, Annamalai University, Chidambaram as University Nominee for the Board of Studies of Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College (Autonomous Institution) in respect of the courses **B.Sc. Agriculture and B.Sc. Horticulture offered as per the UGC regulations 2018 for Autonomous Colleges.**
2. **To approve the change of nomenclature for B.Sc. Agriculture and B.Sc. Horticulture as B.Sc.(Hons.) Agriculture and B.Sc.(Hons.) Horticulture respectively.**

The Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) approved the final report of the committee while reviewing the essential qualification and degree Nomenclature of various programmes running in Agricultural Universities and recommended the existing nomenclature of B.Sc. Agriculture and B.Sc. Horticulture to be changed as B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture and B.Sc. (Hons.) Horticulture vide its letter no F.No.1(11) / 2009-Exam Cell (Part) dated 14.08.2012
3. **To approve the SMVEC Autonomous Regulations R2021 for the programmes, B.Sc.(Hons.) Agriculture and B.Sc.(Hons.) Horticulture, in School of Agricultural Sciences.**
4. **To approve curriculum, syllabi for first and second semesters of B.Sc.(Hons.) Agriculture programme under SMVEC Autonomous Regulations R2021.**
5. **To approve curriculum, syllabi for first and second semesters of B.Sc.(Hons.) Horticulture programme under SMVEC Autonomous Regulations R2021.**
6. **Any other item with the permission of the chair**

## Minutes of the Meeting

**Dr. G. Mohammed Yassin**, Chairman, BoS welcome the Board members and presented the agenda.

**BOS / 2021 / SAGS / 1.1**

The Chairman, BoS, appraised the agenda and seeking the permission of the members of the Board of studies for starting the new programmes in B.Sc. Agriculture and B.Sc. Horticulture for the academic year 2021-2022.

The BoS noted the Agenda and approved for starting of new programmes in B.Sc. Agriculture and B.Sc. Horticulture in the School of Agricultural Sciences, Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College for the academic year 2021. (Approval letters, NOC, etc are given in Annexure I)

**BOS / 2021 / SAGS / 1.2**

The BoS discussed the change of nomenclature for B.Sc. Agriculture and B.Sc. Horticulture as B.Sc.(Hons.) Agriculture and B.Sc.(Hons.) Horticulture respectively as per the recommendations of Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) and approved.

(Copy of the ICAR recommendation is given in Annexure II)

**BOS / 2021 / SAGS / 1.3**

The BoS approved the SMVEC Autonomous Regulations R2021 for the programmes, B.Sc.(Hons.) Agriculture and B.Sc.(Hons.) Horticulture, in School of Agricultural Sciences.

(Regulation R2021 is given in the Annexure III)

**BOS / 2021 / SAGS / 1.4**

The BoS approved the curriculum, syllabi for first and second semesters B.Sc.(Hons.) Agriculture programme under SMVEC Autonomous Regulations R2021 to be implemented from the academic year 2021-2022.

(Curriculum and syllabi for first and second semesters B.Sc.(Hons.) Agriculture programme is given in Annexure IV)

**BOS / 2021 / SAGS / 1.5**

The BoS approved the curriculum, syllabi for first and second semesters B.Sc.(Hons.) Horticulture programme under SMVEC Autonomous Regulations R2021 to be implemented from the academic year 2021-2022.

(Curriculum, syllabi for first and second semester B.Sc.(Hons.) Horticulture programme is given in Annexure V)

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The first BoS meeting approved the SMVEC Autonomous Regulations R2021, curriculum and syllabi of first and second semesters for the programmes, B.Sc.(Hons.) Agriculture and B.Sc.(Hons.) Horticulture, in School of Agricultural Sciences from the academic year 2021-2022 and the meeting was concluded at 5.15 PM. with vote of thanks by **Dr. G. Mohammed Yassin**, Chairman, Board of Studies, School of Agricultural Sciences, Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College.