



TAMIL NADU AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY

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To

Dr. Trilochan Mohapatra, Ph.D.,
Secretary, DARE & Director General
Indian Council of Agricultural Research,
Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi - 110 001.

Dear Sir,

Greetings!

I am delighted to know that the PG admission process is in progress in many Central Agricultural Universities despite the challenges posed by Covid-19. In this regard, I wish to inform that some of the aspiring students who have completed their Bachelor's Degree Programme in Agriculture and its equivalent from constituent Colleges of Tamil Nadu Agricultural University (TNAU), Coimbatore and its affiliated colleges have applied for admission to many Central Universities. Many of the applicants have informed me that the final semester marks are to be submitted immediately to these Universities failing which their applications are liable to be rejected. Despite the challenges arisen out of Covid-19 pandemic, TNAU conducted the final examinations online but the valuation process was hampered to certain extent due to Covid-19 pandemic. The results of final year students are being finalized and is expected to be released on 31st October, 2020. Considering the serious and wide prevalence of Covid 19 rampantly in Tamil Nadu till a few weeks ago, the process of finalization got delayed beyond the reach. If necessary directions could be given from your good office to the Central Agricultural Universities and premier Institutions like IARI, NDRI etc. to extend the deadline for submission of marksheets till 3rd November 2020, I am sure many of the bright students from TNAU would find their opportunity to pursue their PG programme in these Universities. If required, TNAU will email one scanned copy of the finalized mark list of the selected students directly to the different Universities on 31st October itself for fair consideration in the admission process.

Request your personal and kind consideration on this issue.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

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CC :Dr. R.C. Agarwal, (DDG Education), ICAR, New Delhi
Shri. Gagandeep Singh Bedi, I.A.S., Agricultural Production Commissioner & Principal Secretary
to the Government for kind information



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To
Hon'ble Vice-Chancellors of SAUs

Dear Vice-Chancellor,

Greetings from TNAU!

I am happy to know that the process of PG admissions is in progress in your University. I understand that some of the students who have completed their Bachelor's Degree programme in Agriculture and its equivalent from constituent and affiliated Colleges of Tamil Nadu Agricultural University (TNAU), Coimbatore have applied for admission in your esteemed University for further studies. Some of them have applied through ICAR quota also. Many of the students have informed that the final semester mark sheet is required to be submitted immediately failing which their applications are liable to be rejected. Despite the challenges arisen out of Covid-19 pandemic, the TNAU took measures to conduct proctored online examination and the results of these students are expected **to be released on 31st October, 2020 by the University**. Hence, it is requested that the applications of TNAU candidates **may be considered** for admission pending submission of final semester marksheet. If required, TNAU can directly send a scanned copy of the final semester mark sheet of the selected candidates directly to the concerned admission authority of your University by email on or before 3rd November 2020 positively itself so that due and fair admission process can be followed up further. If the deadline for final mark semester mark list is extended by a week, I am sure many of them will be able to submit and get the benefit of pursuing their PG programme promoting student's diversity.

Request your kind cooperation in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

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