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CIRCULAR

Sub: Clarification/corrections on CIE & SEE guidelines for 01 credit Ability Enhancement Course (AEC) for UG programme for 2023 Autonomous scheme.

Read this clarification in continuation to the earlier clarification/correction issued vide ref. SJBIT/Dean (Aca.)/2025/91 dated 12/05/2025.

With regard to the revised Scheme of Teaching and Examinations (STE) - 2023 w.e.f. 2025-26, note the following clarification with respect to conduction of CIE & SEE for the 01 credit AEC courses offered in 5th SEM.

S. #	Course Title	Course code	SEM	Cr.	CIE & SEE guidelines
1	Ability Enhancement course – 5	23xxAE5y	V	01	 i) If offered as Theory course – follow section 05 of CIE & SEE Annexure. ii) If offered as Lab course – follow section 04 of CIE & SEE Annexure. Correction: The laboratory SEE shall be conducted with only internal examiners.

Note: All other latest guidelines for CIE & SEE stands as defined.

The HODs shall take all measures for wide awareness of the clarification/corrections to all the stakeholders and effective implementation of the same without any hassles.

Please note that, any discrepancies shall be brought to the notice of the academic dean for needful.

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