

"The Executive Committee decided that the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Himachal Pradesh may be approached that the IHS be helped to continue its activity as it has expertise in the field of research work by way of allocating some funds from different government departments. It was also decided that an item may be placed before the Executive Council to allocate some funds to the IHS for its continuation after March 31, 2007 when the UGC funding will discontinue."

The matter was sent to the University. But so far IHS has not received any intimation in this regard.

The whole matter is placed before the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor for his information and consideration for getting permanent status to IHS and absorbing its existing staff (As Inter-Departmental Centre) particularly in view of its excellent performance in the past and the thrust areas relevant/significant for the holistic development of the state. It is also not out of place to mention here that the research work, status reports and documentation produced during this short period, besides other capacity building activities have brought wider recognition to the University at National and International fora.

Therefore, it is requested that IHS may be made permanent unit/department of the University.

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(Prof. Yoginder Verma)
Director, IHS

Vice-Chancellor

Discussed. IHS to be fully discussed.
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Discussed.

The Director will take up with UGC the matter regarding continuation of IHS's activities and the utilization of the balance money during the next plan. The UGC may also be requested to send expert committee for assessing its performance. Regarding the absorption of its staff and permanent status to IHS as inter-departmental centre, the matter will be placed before relevant bodies of the University. The matter will regard to financial autonomy to IHS out of university funds, particularly NRI funds will also

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