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File No. 33-308/2014-NBA

Date 05-04-2023

To
The Vice Chancellor
Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS),
Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram,
Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu

Subject: Further accreditation status on the basis of Compliance Report of the programs in Tier I offered by Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu.

Sir,

This is regarding Compliance Report submitted by **Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu** for the UG Engineering programs which were accredited by NBA in Tier-I for academic years 2020-21 to 2022-23 i.e., upto 30.06.2023.

2. An Expert Team conducted data verification of the programs on 25th February, 2023. The report submitted by the Expert Team was 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 Program(s) (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Marine Engineering	Tier-I January 2016 Document	Accredited	Academic Years 2023-2024 to 2025-2026 i.e. upto 30-06-2026	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.	Mechanical Engineering		Accredited		
3.	Computer Science & Engineering		Accredited		

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4. The programs have been granted accreditation for further 3 years. **Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu** should submit fresh online application under Tier I SAR January 2016 document through eNBA portal at least five months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above.

5. The accreditation status awarded to the programs as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to **Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu** 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 program accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously.** Complete name of the program(s) accredited, level of program(s) and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the Academic Year from which the accreditation is effective should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

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6. The accreditation status of the above programs is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programs as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of the Institute.
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8. A copy each of Report of the Visiting Team in respect of the above programs is enclosed.

Yours faithfully,



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File No. 33-308/2014-NBA

Date 02-08-2023

To

The Registrar

Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS),

Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road,

Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117,

Tamil Nadu

Subject: Further accreditation status on the basis of Compliance Report of UG-Pharmacy program offered by Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu.

Sir,

This is regarding Compliance Report submitted by **Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu** for the UG-Pharmacy program which was accredited by NBA for academic years 2019-20 to 2022-23 whose validity of accreditation has expired on 30.06.2023

2. An Expert Team conducted data verification of the program on 6th May, 2023. The report submitted by the Expert Team was considered by the concerned Committees constituted for the purpose in NBA. The Competent Authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the program as given in the table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Program (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Pharmacy	January, 2016 Document	Accredited	Academic Years 2023-2024 to 2025-2026 i.e. upto 30-06-2026	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

3. 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.

4. The program has been granted accreditation for further 3 years. **Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu** should submit fresh online application under SAR January 2016 document through eNBA portal at least five months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above.

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F.No- 33-308/2014-NBA

Date: 16-02-2022

To
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Vels Institute of Science
Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS)
Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road,
Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117,
Tamil Nadu

Subject: Accreditation status of programs applied by Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu.

Sir,

This has reference to your application I.D. No. 5271-20/01/2021 seeking accreditation by National Board of Accreditation to UG Engineering programs (Tier I) offered by **Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu.**

2. An Expert Team conducted online evaluation of the programs from **17th to 19th December, 2021**. The report submitted by the Expert Team was 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 Program(s) (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Information Technology (Cloud & Mobile Based Application Development)	Tier-I January 2016 Document	Accredited	Academic Years 2021-2022 to 2023-2024 i.e. upto 30-06-2024	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.	Electronics & Communication Engineering		Accredited		
3.	Electrical & Electronics Engineering		Accredited		
4.	Biomedical Engineering		Accredited	Academic Years 2021-2022 to 2026-2027 i.e. upto 30-06-2027	

3. 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.

4. In case of the programs which have been granted accreditation for 3 years, **Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu** should submit the Compliance Report for these programs at least six months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above so as to be eligible for consideration by the concerned Committee in NBA for further processing of the accreditation status.

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5. The accreditation status awarded to the programs as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to **Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu** 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 program accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously.** Complete name of the program(s) accredited, level of program(s) and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the Academic Year from which the accreditation is effective should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

6. The accreditation status of the above programs is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programs as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of the Institute.

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8. A copy each of the Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team and Evaluators' Reports in respect of the above programs is enclosed.

9. If the Institute is not satisfied with the decision of NBA, it may appeal within thirty days of receipt of this communication giving reasons for the same and by paying the requisite fee.

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F.No. 33-308/2014-NBA

Date: 08. 02.2024

To,
The Vice Chancellor
Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS),
Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road,
Pallavaram,
Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu

Subject: Accreditation status of Management program applied by Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu.

Sir,

This has reference to your Application ID No. 8063-11/05/2023 seeking accreditation by National Board of Accreditation to the Management program applied by **Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu.**

2. An Expert Team conducted onsite evaluation of the program from 22nd to 24th December, 2023. The report submitted by the Expert Team was considered by the concerned Committees constituted for the purpose in NBA. The Competent Authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the program as given in the table below:

S. No.	Name of the Program (PG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Master of Business Administration	July, 2017 Document	Accredited	Academic Years 2023-2024 to 2025-2026 i.e. up to 30-06-2026	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.

3. 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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Date: 20-02-2024

To

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Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS),

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Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu

Subject: Accreditation status of programs applied by Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu.

Sir,

This has reference to your application I.D. No. 8063-11/05/2023 seeking accreditation by National Board of Accreditation to UG Engineering programs applied by **Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu.**

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1.	Automobile Engineering	Tier-I January 2016 Document	Accredited	Academic Years 2023-2024 to 2025-2026 i.e. upto 30-06-2026	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.	Civil Engineering		Accredited (Marks and Grades are revised as per the observations made and indicated in the Annexure to this letter)		

3. 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.

4. The programs have been granted accreditation for 3 years. **Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu** should submit the Compliance Report at least six months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above so as to be eligible for consideration by the concerned Committee in NBA for further processing of the accreditation status.

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Name of Program (UG)	Observations										
Civil Engineering	<p>Marks are recalculated as per formula in Criterion 4 in Enrolment Ratio and Grades revised.</p> <p>The revised Grades and Marks are as follows:</p> <table><tr><th><u>Grades</u></th><th><u>Marks</u></th></tr><tr><td>Y=5</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>C=4</td><td>699</td></tr><tr><td>W=1</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>D=0</td><td></td></tr></table>	<u>Grades</u>	<u>Marks</u>	Y=5		C=4	699	W=1		D=0	
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Subject: Further accreditation status on the basis of Compliance Report of the programs in Tier I applied by Vels Institute of Science, Technology and Advanced Studies(VISTAS), Velan Nagar, P.V.Vaithiyalingam Road, Pallavaram, Chennai- 600 117, Tamil Nadu.

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2.	Electrical & Electronics Engineering		Accredited		
3.	Information Technology (Cloud & Mobile Based Application Development)		Accredited		

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