

**(Abstract)**

University Grants Commission (Promotion of Academic Integrity and Prevention of Plagiarism in Higher Education Institutions) Regulations, 2017 - Committees to look into the issues related with plagiarism in higher education - Constituted - Orders issued.

**Research Directorate**

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Read:-(1) UGC (Promotion of Academic Integrity and Prevention of Plagiarism in Higher Education Institutions) Regulations - 2017

(2) Orders of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor in file of even no. dated 05/01/2022.

**ORDER**

As per read 1<sup>st</sup> above, University Grants Commission has formed regulation to promote academic research and deterrence from plagiarism by developing systems to detect plagiarism. The Regulation has put forward two committees to curb plagiarism by investigating about the allegation of plagiarism and by taking appropriate decision in higher education, namely

**1. Academic Misconduct Panel (AMP)** - It is a committee consisting of 4 members investigating about the allegation of plagiarism and submit the report to the PDA.

**2. Plagiarism Disciplinary Authority (PDA)** - It is a committee consisting of 3 members which consider the recommendation of the AMP and take appropriate decision after giving a hearing to the accused person.

Vide read 2<sup>nd</sup> above, members for the above two committees have been nominated and constituted as detailed below:

Sl.No.	Academic Misconduct Panel (AMP)	Plagiarism Disciplinary Authority (PDA)
1	Pro-Vice Chancellor (Chairman)	Vice Chancellor (Chairman)
2	Prof. Kesavan Veluthatt, Director, Institute of Studies in the Coastal Heritage of Kerala, Muzaris Research Centre, Pulit, Kodungallur	Director, Research Directorate
3	Chairman of Department Research Committee of all disciplines	Prof. J Devika, Centre for Development Studies, Ulloor, Thiruvananthapuram
4	Sri. Muhammed Najeeb V, HGCL, Kannur University	

Orders are issued accordingly.

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