

Proceedings of the 11<sup>th</sup> Technical Support Group (TSG) meeting held on 23<sup>rd</sup> May, 2017 at 2.30 PM through Video Conference under the Chairmanship of Dr. S.A.Kori, Executive Director, KSHEC & Chairman RUSA TSG. The following members were present.

*The members who have attended the meeting at KSHEC:*

1. Dr. Ajay Nagabhushan N., IAS, Commissioner, Department of Collegiate Education, Bangalore, GOK- Special Invitee
2. Sri Vijayakumar Toragal, RUSA Administrative Officer, Dept. of Collegiate Education, Bangalore
3. Sri Satish Huddar, RUSA Nodal Officer, Dept. of Technical Education, Bangalore
4. Sri S.G.Allagi, Special Officer, Government Engineering College, Naragund
5. Sri Ramesh L.S., Special Officer, KSHEC.
6. Dr. Tejaswini B.Y., Special Officer, KSHEC.
7. Sri Rajashekhar T., Special Officer, KSHEC.
8. Prof. Ravindra Reshme, Special Officer, Mandya Unitary University and Maharani's Cluster University, Bengaluru

*The members who have attended the meeting held at KSHEC through video conference:*

1. Registrars of Mangalore University , Mangalore and Akkamahadevi Women's University, Vijayapur
2. RUSA Nodal Officers of Mangalore University, Mangalore; Tumkur University, Tumkur; Kuvempu University, Shivamogga; Kannada University, Hampi; Gulbarga University, Kalaburgi; Akkamahadevi Women's University, Vijayapur and Davanagere University, Davanagere.

The Chairman welcomed all the members and took up agenda for discussion:

**Subject 1:- Progress regarding the utilization of RUSA grants**

The institution wise progress regarding **the utilization of RUSA grants** was reviewed and informed to speed up the work in the Universities and Government First Grade Colleges which are lagging behind to avail the next installment.

**Subject 2:- Submission of Utilization Certificates**

All the RUSA funded Universities, Department of Collegiate Education, Bangalore and Dept. of Technical Education, Bangalore have submitted the Utilization Certificates in GFR 19-A formats as on 31st March, 2017. The details regarding the total funds utilized and Central & State share utilization is given in Table 1 and Table 1A respectively:

**Table 1: Details regarding Total funds released and utilized**

Particulars	Universities	Colleges	Unitary university	Cluster University	Model degree Colleges	New Govt Engineering Colleges
Total Amount Released (In Rs.)	68,19,57,720	63,96,92,280	27,18,75,000	27,50,00,000	2,00,00,000	13,00,00,000
Total Amount Utilized (In Rs.)	57,56,82,984	38,56,23,095	0	0	0	0
Total Amount to be Utilized (In Rs.)	10,62,74,736	25,40,69,185	27,18,75,000	27,50,00,000	2,00,00,000	13,00,00,000
% age Utilization of total amount released	84.42%	60.28%	0	0	0	0

**Table 1A  
Details regarding Utilization of Central & State Share**

Particulars	Universities	Colleges	Unitary university	Cluster University	Model degree Colleges	New Govt Engineering Colleges
Central Share	42,34,72,518	40,09,50,000	16,31,25,000	16,50,00,000	1,20,00,000	7,80,00,000
Central fund Utilized	41,71,71,470	30,51,97,622	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
% age Utilization of Central Share	99%	76.12%	0	0	0	0
State Share	25,84,85,202	23,87,42,280	10,87,50,000	11,00,00,000	80,00,000	5,20,00,000
State fund Utilized	15,33,65,859	8,04,25,473	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
% age Utilization of State Share	59	33.68%	0	0	0	0

**Subject 3:- Status of uploading of high quality photographs related to institutional progress On Bhuvan App**

The Chairman gave University wise and Government First Grade Colleges information regarding the Status of Uploading of quality photographs on Bhuvan RUSA Portal as on 23<sup>rd</sup> May, 2017.

The details are given in Table 2A and 2B

**Table 2A  
BhuvanAPP Status As On 23<sup>rd</sup> May, 2017 of Universities & Colleges**

Sl. No.		Total Points Uploaded	Yet to Moderate	Level-1 Accepted	Level-1 Rejected	Level-2 Accepted
1	Universities	224	19	73	131	5
2	Colleges	346	91	36	212	3
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>570</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>343</b>	<b>8</b>

**Table 2B**  
**Bhuvan APP Status Of Universities As On 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2017**

Sl. No.	6th PAB	Total Points Uploaded	Level-1 Accepted	Level-1 Rejected	Level-2 Accepted
1	University of Mysore	23	11	5	3
2	Karnataka University	24	8	13	0
3	Mangalore University	18	3	14	1
4	Kuvempu University	14	8	5	
5	Tumkur University	13	8	5	
	<b>9th PAB</b>				
6	Kannada University	58	20	31	
7	Gulbarga University	11	2	9	
8	KS Women University	46	12	33	1
9	Davanagere University	17	1	16	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>5</b>

It has been observed that only few photographs are accepted by MHRD. He advised all RUSA Nodal Officers to take more number of high quality functional photographs which are relevant to the nature of RUSA works carried out. Also proper attributes should be added to the geo-tagged photographs. Hence, proper care should be taken while uploading photographs with Bhuvan App to avoid rejection. He also further informed that if they find any difficulties in uploading photographs in Bhuvan App, they may approach Special Officers of KSHEC to clarify and resolve the issues.

**Subject 4:- Display of 3-5 minutes RUSA videos by the Universities**

The University RUSA Nodal Officers were informed to submit 3-5 minutes RUSA videos of their respective Universities to KSHEC by 10<sup>th</sup> June, 2017.

Officials of Dept. of Collegiate Education, Bangalore were informed to submit 10 minutes RUSA video consisting of information regarding the activities undertaken in Government First Colleges with RUSA Grants to KSHEC by 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2017.

The videos should include information regarding New construction, Up-gradation/Renovation and Procurement of new equipment undertaken with RUSA Grants; Testimonials of Stakeholders, Outcome of RUSA Grants etc.

It was informed to view RUSA State Video and the Videos produced by other states which are hosted in the RUSA Karnataka state portal [www.rusa.co.in](http://www.rusa.co.in) to access and to take the inputs while preparing the documentation.

**Subject 5:- Submission of detailed document regarding implementation of RUSA program**

The University RUSA Nodal Officers and the officials of Dept. of Collegiate Education, Bangalore were informed to submit detailed document regarding the implementation of RUSA program in Universities and Colleges by 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2017 which should include New construction, Up-gradation/Renovation and Procurement of new equipment undertaken with RUSA Grants,

best practices, photographs, newspaper reports, testimonials of stakeholders, list of officials associated with RUSA, events organized under RUSA program etc.

**Subject 6:- Status of uploading information in RUSA funds tracker**

The fund tracker mobile App of RUSA was launched by the Hon’ble HRD Minister on 17.04.2017. The mobile App is aimed at bringing more transparency in funds release and utilization both at the State and Central level. It is, however, noticed by MHRD that there is missing data in the information provided by the State and it has informed that this is hampering the process of enabling MHRD to track the utilization of funds and making the App fully functional. Hence, **all the RUSA funded institutions are informed to complete the process of filling the information in the fund tracker positively by 25.05.2017** as per the mail received by Joint Secretary, MHRD dated 09.05.2017.

It was informed to the members that **only complete data from the State with regards to the fund tracker and geo-tagged status on Bhuvan RUSA portal would make the institutions eligible for further release of funds.**

The fund tracker details are given below:

Kindly replace the text "[rusa.thegraylab.com](https://rusa.thegraylab.com)" in all the links with "[rusamhrd.tiss.edu](https://rusamhrd.tiss.edu)".

An illustration is given below:

**Old Link:** [https://rusa.thegraylab.com/institute-form/58ac35d1\\*\\*\\*2749a19](https://rusa.thegraylab.com/institute-form/58ac35d1***2749a19)

**New Link:** [https://rusamhrd.tiss.edu/institute-form/58ac35d1\\*\\*\\*2749a19](https://rusamhrd.tiss.edu/institute-form/58ac35d1***2749a19)

The individual Links have already been forwarded to all the Universities and Colleges to the email ids as entered in the basic details of the RUSA Fund Tracker.

The necessary changes in the individual Links may be made as shown above.

Information regarding the status of amount utilized by the respective Universities and data filled in the fund tracker is given in Table 3.

**Table 3**

Sl. No.	Name of the University	Total Amount released (InRs.)	Total amount Utilized out of released(in Rs.) as on (31-03-2017)	Total amount Utilized out of the released fund (%)	Amount Entered in the fund tracker as on (23-05-2017) (In Rs.)
1	University of Mysore, Mysore	5,71,91,544	5,52,96,824	97	5,01,51,169
2	Karnatak University, Dharwad	5,71,91,544	4,93,49,651	86	77,248
3	Mangalore University, Mangalore	5,71,91,544	5,71,91,544	100	0
4	Kuvempu University, Shimoga	5,71,91,544	5,71,91,544	100	1,64,56,163
5	Tumkur University, Tumkur	5,71,91,544	3,70,07,854	65	1,52,71,762
6	Kannada University, Hampi	9,90,00,000	7,03,79,967	71	9,84,583
7	Davangere University, Davanagere	9,90,00,000	9,90,00,000	100	9,82,22,840

8	KSW University, Bijapur	9,90,00,000	9,70,00,000	98	2,25,10,441
9	Gulbarga University, Gulbarga	9,90,00,000	5,32,65,600	53.80	25,11,655
	<b>Total</b>	<b>68,19,57,720</b>	<b>57,56,82,984</b>	<b>84.42%</b>	<b>20,61,85,861</b>

Chairman informed the Nodal Officers to visit the neighboring University if they find any difficulty in completing the process of filling information in the fund tracker. They can also interact with the Special Officers of KSHEC for further information required.

Chairman also requested Dr. Ajay Nagabhushan N., IAS, Commissioner, Department of Collegiate Education, Bangalore, GoK to direct RUSA Nodal Officer to take up the fund tracker issue on top priority as none of the colleges have completed the process of filling data in the RUSA fund tracker.

**Subject 7:- List of activities undertaken under RUSA program which are ready for launch**

The University RUSA Nodal Officers and the officials of Dept. of Collegiate Education, Bangalore were informed to submit the list of New buildings and labs constructed with RUSA Grants which are ready for launch by 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2017.

**Subject 8:-Physical progress of work at Unitary and Cluster Universities, GFGC Jewargi and Govt. Engineering College, Naragund**

Detailed discussion was held on the progress of the work at Unitary University, Mandya, Maharani's Cluster University, Bengaluru and GFGC Jewargi. Since, the fund was released on March 2017 no fund was utilized yet for the purpose for which it was released.

The construction work of Unitary University, Mandya has been assigned to RITES Ltd. And it has submitted the estimate and blueprint amounting Rs.42, 01, 17,109/- .The scanned copy is given below:

Proposed Construction of Upgradation of Autonomous College to University at Autonomous College For Boys At Mandya, Mandya District.		
SUMMARY		
Sl. No.	Description of items	Total Amount
	Part: -A	
A	Academic Block	18,66,92,510.80
B	Admin Block	8,17,73,936.00
C	Commerce Block	4,40,39,237.00
	<b>Total :-</b>	<b>31,25,25,703.80</b>
D	Cost of internal electrical works (10% of Total )	3,12,52,570.38
E	Cost of Compound Wall	36,10,920.00
F	Total Cost of external Electrification Works--L.S.	1,05,00,000.00
G	Raising main	5,20,000.00
H	External sanitary	10,00,000.00
I	Security room	2,76,415.00
	<b>Total :-</b>	<b>35,96,85,609.18</b>
	Cost escalation @ 7% on Total	2,51,77,992.64
	<b>Total:-</b>	<b>38,48,63,601.82</b>
	RITES Fees @ 8%	3,07,89,089.00
	Service Tax @ 14.5% on RITES Fees	44,64,418.00
	Round off	
	<b>Grand Total Amount</b>	<b>42,01,17,109.00</b>

*Prakash*  
28/5/17

*7.4.2017*  
Sr. Dy General Manager  
RITES Ltd. BANGALORE

Commissioner, Department of Collegiate Education, Bangalore, GoK had given valuable suggestions for the judicious utilization of funds as per the approved DPR. They directed to prepare blueprint by giving highest priority to academic infrastructure development and also for overall improvement in the quality of Higher education.

RUSA Nodal Officer, Dept. of Technical Education, Bangalore has informed that the agency Karnataka Housing Board (KHB) has been identified for the construction of the building of Govt. Engineering College, Naragund, also the tender process is in progress and is in the examination stage by the Technical Committee.

**Subject 9:- Submission of new proposals under Component 7**

Officials of Dept. of Collegiate Education were informed to submit the proposals of following 29 Government First Grade Colleges which have been successfully accredited by NAAC with A and B grades recently under Component 7: Infrastructure Grants to Colleges by 05<sup>th</sup> June, 2017.

**Government First Grade Colleges with NAAC Accreditation  
(from 19<sup>th</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> Standing Committee Meeting of NAAC)**

Sl. No	College Name	District	Sl. No	College Name	District
1	Government First Grade College, Byndoor-576214	Udupi	16	Lakshmi Soma Bangera Government First Grade College.Kota Padukere-576221	Udupi
2	Government First Grade College, Kushtagi -583277	Koppal	17	Govt First Grade College, Bangaruthirupathi, Bangarpet	Kolar
3	Government First Grade College, Kampli 583132	Bellary	18	Shri R.N. Deshpande Govt First Grade College, Mulagunda -582117	Gadag
4	Government first grade College, Yelahanka	Bangalore Urban	19	Government First Grade College, Kumareshwar Nagar, Dharwar-580008	Dharwar
5	Government First Grade College, Chitguppa, Bidar- 585412	Bidar	20	Government First Grade College, APMC yard, Sandur-583119	Bellary
6	Government First Grade College, Bidadi-562109	Ramanagar	21	Government First Grade College, Bada Road, Santebenur, Channagiri-577552	Davangere
7	Government First Grade College, Hunnur, Jamkhandi Tq -587119	Bagalkot	22	Government First Grade College, Gandasi, Arasikere Tq- 573164	Hassan
8	Government First Grade College, Arasikere-573103	Hassan	23	Government First Grade College, Hulsoor, Basavakalyan-585416	Bidar
9	Govt First Grade College, Haveri -581110	Haveri	24	Government First Grade College, Ainapur, Athani-591303	Belgaum
10	Government First Grade College For Women,	Ramanagara	25	Government First Grade College, Kumta-581343	Uttar Kannada

	Ramanagar- 562159				
11	Government First Grade College For Women, Holenarasipura-573211	Hassan	26	Government First Grade College, Rajnagara, Hubli-580032	Dharwad
12	Government Womens College, Hunsur - 571105	Mysore	27	Government First Grade , College, Virajpet- 571218	Kodagu
13	Government First Grade College, Vemgal-563102	Kolar	28	Government First Grade, Yelaburga-583236	Koppal
14	Government first grade college, Nelamangala -562123	Bangalore Rural	29	Government First Grade, Shorapur, Yadgir- 585224	Yadgir
15	Smt. Rudramba M.P. Prakash Government First Grade College, Huvinahadagili - 583219	Bellary			

### **Subject 10:-Gender Atlas**

The University RUSA Nodal Officers were informed to submit information pertaining to Gender Atlas of the PG Departments and all the affiliated Colleges (Govt. Aided, Private, autonomous and Constituent) on or before 05<sup>th</sup> June, 2017. The RUSA Nodal Officer of Department of Collegiate Education and the RUSA Nodal Officer of Department of Technical Education were informed to provide the same on or before 05<sup>th</sup> June, 2017. The statistics should be for 5 years (2012-2013 to 2016-2017)

### **Subject 11:-Any other matter with the permission of the Chair**

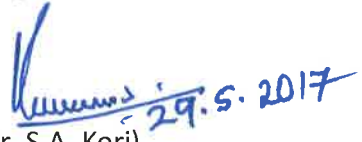
It was decided to organize one day workshops for the faculty members of colleges on the following topics at RUSA funded Government First Grade Colleges.

- a. Capacity building in Higher Education
- b. Internationalization of Higher Education
- c. Choice Based Credit System in Higher Education
- d. Workshop on NET/SLET
- e. Workshop on NAAC/NBA/IQAC
- f. Innovations in promoting Skill Development, Vocationalisation, Employability, Entrepreneurship and developing links with industry
- g. Workshop on FDP on Curriculum Development
- h. Promoting Research and Innovation in Science, Technology and Social Sciences
- i. Role of ICT in Higher Education
- j. Bridging Regional Gender, Socio-Economic and other disparities
- k. Cyber Security or Cyber Crimes & Prevention, Awareness of Cyber law
- l. Quality Management in Higher Education
- m. IPR and Patents
- n. Institution Building and Good Governance
- o. Innovations in Higher Education
- p. Women in Higher Education
- q. Regulations and Governance in Higher Education
- r. Privatization of Higher Education
- s. Role of Higher Education in Rural and Regional Development.

- t. Any advanced areas of topics in respective Science and Technology & Social Science Disciplines.

In this connection, Application and Utilization Certificate formats and Guidelines for organizing workshop have been uploaded in the RUSA Karnataka state portal [www.rusa.co.in](http://www.rusa.co.in)

The meeting ended with thanks to the Chairman and the members.

  
(Dr. S.A. Kori)

Executive Director, KSHEC & Chairman, RUSA TSG

To,

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1. PS to Hon'ble Minister for Higher Education, VidhanaSoudha, Bengaluru.
2. PS to Vice-Chairman, Karnataka State Higher Education Council, Bengaluru.
3. PS to Principal Secretary, Higher Education Department, GoK and Chairman, State Project Directorate, M.S.Building, Bengaluru-01.
4. PS to Commissioner, Department of Collegiate Education, Bengaluru.
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8. Sri Sarvanan, RUSA Consultant, MHRD, New Delhi.
9. Office copy.