

APPENDIX-21

In exercise of the power vested in Section 20(1) (xxv) of the Gujarat Agricultural Universities Act, 2004 (Gujarat Act No. 5 of 2004) the Board of Management here by institutes a prize in the name of **"Prof. M. R. Varia Medal"** and approves following Regulations governing the said prize as recommended by the Academic Council.

Regulations governing Prof. M. R. Varia Medal

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Endowment |
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| 1. | Name of the prize shall be "PROF. M. R. VARIA MEDAL" | |
| 2. | The amount of endowment of Rs. 25,000/- received from the donor shall suitably be invested by the Comptroller in the form of fixed deposit in any nationalized Bank. | |
| 3. | The annual realization of the endowment shall be credited to the "University Fund". The Medal shall be awarded annually from the annual interest realized. | |
| 4. | (1) The prize shall be awarded every year to a student of B.V.Sc. & A.H. degree programme, who secures the highest Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) in the subjects of Veterinary Pathology, Microbiology and Parasitology of B.V.Sc & A.H. up to the end of sixth semester. In case more than one student are found to have secured same CGPA, in such case the highest OGPA at the end of ninth semester shall be considered to determine the awardee.
(2) A student shall not be eligible for the above prize if he/she:
(i) secures less than 5.0 grade point or secures "F" (Fail) or "US" (Unsatisfactory) or "I" (Incomplete) grade at any course of Veterinary Pathology, Microbiology and Parasitology of B.V.Sc. & A.H. including Quality Assurance course,
(ii) has dropped (barring withdrawal) any course of Veterinary discipline as a regular student,
(iii) discontinued at any time the B.V.Sc.& A.H. degree programme in between and
(iv) was punished by the University for breach of any rules, regulations, discipline during and up to the end of final year examination. | Eligibility |
| 5. | The prize shall be awarded in the form of a Gold Plated Silver Medal engraved with the words "PROF. M. R. VARIA MEDAL" | Form of the prize |
| 6. | (1) The Registrar shall prepare the list of students pursuing the course of B.V.Sc. & A.H. of Anand Agricultural University who fulfill the condition mentioned in 4 (1) & 4 (2) above and shall present the same to the committee constituted to decide the awardee.
(2) Following committee shall decide the awardee for the "Prof. M. R. Varia Medal":
(a) Dean, Faculty of Veterinary Science, Anand Agricultural University - Chairman
(b) The Director of Students' Welfare, Anand Agricultural University
(c) Professor & Head Veterinary Pathology, Veterinary College, Anand
(d) One representative from Prof. M.R.Varia
(3) The decision of the Committee shall be final. | Procedure |
| 7. | (1) The prize shall be announced and awarded to the Awardee on the occasion of the Convocation of the University.
(2) The endowment shall suitably be acknowledged by the Anand Agricultural University on the occasion of Convocation of the University. | Committee |
| 8. | The endowment shall suitably be incorporated in the annual report of the Anand Agricultural University. | Announcement of prize |