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## **GUIDELINES FOR ONLINE EXAMINATION**

### **(For Mercy Chance/ Division Improvement/ Backlog (2008-2015) and Fresh Private (2016-2017) candidates of MA Islamic Studies enrolled with University of Kashmir through Private Mode)**

In view of COVID-19 outbreak and implementing the Standard Operating Procedures (SOP's) issued by Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD), Govt. of India vide No.F16-16/2020-UIA, dated 6<sup>th</sup> July 2020, and UGC guidelines for conducting examinations dated 29/04/2020 and revised guidelines titled “*UGC Revised Guidelines on Examinations and Academic Calendar for Universities in view of COVID-19 Pandemic*”, dated 6<sup>th</sup> July 2020, the University of Kashmir in adherence to these guidelines framed a comprehensive guideline titled “*Mode and Method of Examination, Guideline-2020*” wherein all the departments of university are entrusted to conduct the external examinations in general and terminal/end semester examinations in particular in order to save the carrier of thousands of students. After threadbare discussion, the Departmental Committee of Directorate of Distance Education at its meeting held on 8<sup>th</sup> June, 2020, unanimously decided to conduct the pending and due examination of MA/ M. Sc. / M. Com, / PG Diplomas/ Diploma/ Certificate Courses / backlog/ mercy chance/ division improvement candidates through online mode in adherence to the SOP's issued from time to time.

Keeping in view the successful conduct of various online examinations by the Directorate of Distance Education, the Controller of Examination University of Kashmir has requested this Directorate to conduct the examination of Mercy Chance/ Division Improvement/ Backlog (2008-2015) and Fresh Private (2016-2017) candidates of MA Islamic Studies enrolled with University of Kashmir through Private Mode to save the future of concerned students in these testing times. Therefore, this Directorate shall conduct the examination of said candidates of Islamic Studies through **ONLINE** mode, and date sheet to this effect stands issued on 11/09/2020. Hence, the following guidelines have been drafted in consonance with UGC Guidelines issued from time to time. Candidates are advised to read these points carefully:

1. There shall be online examination in which only those candidates can participate who have submitted their examination forms and deposited prescribed fee.
2. Pattern of Question Paper to be asked shall be based on Multiple Choice Question's (MCQ's) wherein a candidate shall be required to tick the most appropriate one.
3. Time duration and marks distribution for Mercy Chance/ Division Improvement/ Backlog (2008-2015) and Fresh Private (2016-2017) candidates of MA Islamic Studies enrolled with University of Kashmir through Private Mode shall be as under:

No. of MCQ's	Max Marks for MCQ's	Min. Marks	Time
40	100	40	50 Minutes

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4. The request of missed candidates for examination can be entertained only after ascertaining the genuineness of cases.

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**Director**

**Prof. Tariq A. Chisti**

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