



MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY, KERALA

Abstract

Mahatma Gandhi University – Request for equivalency of M.Sc. Medical Microbiology with M.Sc. Microbiology – Recommendations of the Dean, Faculty of Modern Medicine, and the Convener, Expert Committee (M.Sc. Medical Microbiology) – Approved by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, exercising the powers conferred under Section 10(17), Chapter III of the Mahatma Gandhi University Act, 1985 – Orders issued.

ACADEMIC A 12 SECTION

No. 6179/AC A 12/2026/MGU

Priyadarsini Hills, Dated: 17.06.2026

Read:- 1. Request submitted by Ms. Sanju Jose
2. Letter from Dean, Faculty of Modern Medicine
3. Letter from the Convener, Expert Committee (M.Sc. Medical Microbiology)
4. Order of the Vice Chancellor under section 10(17), Chapter III of the Mahatma Gandhi University Act 1985, dated 17.06.2026

ORDER

As per the request read as (1) above, an application has been received from Ms. Sanju Jose, who completed her M.Sc. in Medical Microbiology from the School of Medical Education, Gandhinagar, Kottayam, requesting the issuance of an Equivalency/Higher Qualification Certificate certifying that the M.Sc. Medical Microbiology qualification is equivalent to, or higher than, the M.Sc. Microbiology programme offered by Mahatma Gandhi University, for submission before the Kerala Public Service Commission.

Expert opinion in the matter was sought from the Dean, Faculty of Modern Medicine, and the Convener, Expert Committee (M.Sc. Medical Microbiology). The Dean (Faculty of Modern Medicine), vide letter read as (2) above, opined that the M.Sc. Medical Microbiology qualification may be considered equivalent to M.Sc. Microbiology for the purposes of higher education and employment. The Convener, Expert Committee (M.Sc. Medical Microbiology), vide letter read as (3) above, opined that M.Sc. Medical Microbiology may be considered equivalent to, or a higher qualification than, M.Sc. Microbiology in terms of academic preparation and professional competency in the field of Microbiology.

Considering the above expert opinions, as read as (4) above, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, on 17.06.2026, exercising the powers conferred under Section 10(17), Chapter III of the Mahatma Gandhi University Act, 1985, approved the recommendation to equate M.Sc. Medical Microbiology with M.Sc. Microbiology.

Orders are issued accordingly.

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