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INDIAN AUTHORITIES WARN AGAINST SEEKING ADMISSION INTO 20 FAKE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

The National Universities Commission is in receipt of a letter, Ref. W.VS.22/XVII/197 and dated 04 October, 2023 from the Office of the Secretary to the Government of the Federation on the above subject.

The OSGF has drawn the Commission's attention to the advisory by the Indian Authorities of the existence of 20 fake higher educational institutions which are not recognized or valid for higher education and employment purposes in the country. Prospective students seeking admission into universities in India are advised to check the country's University Grant Commission (UGC)'s website: www.ugc.ac.in, for their selection of accredited institutions.

This is to bring the above to the attention of Vice-Chancellors of all Nigerian Universities, as well as Directors of Inter-University Centres, for wide circulation in their respective institutions.

The fake institutions are as listed below:

1. Christ New Testament Deemed University;
2. Badaganvi Sarkar World Open University Education Society;
3. Bible Open University of India;
4. All Indian Institute of Public and Physical Health Sciences (ALLPHS) State Government University;
5. Raja Arabic University;
6. Commercial University Ltd.;
7. Sree Bodhi Academy of Higher Education;
8. United Nations University;
9. Gandhi Hindi Vidyapith;
10. Vocational University;
11. National University of Electro Complex Homeopathy;
12. ADR-Centric Juridical University;
13. Netaji Suhash Chandra Bose University (Open University);

14. Indian Institute of Sciences and Engineering;
15. Bhartiya Shiksha Parishad;
16. Viswakarma Open University for Self-Employment;
17. Indian Institute of Alternative Medicine;
18. Adhyatmik of Vishwavidyalaya (Spiritual University);
19. John's University; and
20. Institute of Alternative Medicine and Research.

Degrees from these institutions are not recognized or valid for higher education and employment purposes.

Thank you.

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