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Creation of Chairs

- (a) Establishment of the Professorial /Research Chairs for Creating Focused Seats/ Institutions of Higher Learning
 - (i) A Chair may be established by the Government, Public Sector Undertakings, Autonomous Organizations, Universities, Trusts, Societies, Memorial Committees or similar organizations or an individual or a group of individuals for the furtherance of the objectives of the University.
 - (ii) The organizations or individual or group of individuals intending to establish the Chair may do so in the name of any person of eminence at the national and / or international level in the field of education, science, social sciences, arts, literature, religion, sports or any other field who has contributed to human progress and happiness.
 - (iii) The establishment of the Chair and the name in which it is proposed to be established will require the approval of the Board of Management.
- (b) In furtherance of the objective of the establishment of a Chair, the University.
 - (i) Shall appoint a Professor in the appropriate discipline in the manner and terms and conditions laid in the M.O.U. approved while establishing the Chair.
 - (ii) Provided further that the appointment of the professor occupying the Chair would be on the basis of a contract for a period to be specified at the time of appointment, but not exceeding three years in the first instance.
 - (iii) May institute in the relevant areas of studies pertaining to the objectives of the establishment of the Chair, specified research fellowships, at the time of establishment of the Chair.
 - (iv) May establish and / or augment laboratory and library facilities depending upon the requirements of research studies associated with the establishment of the Chair.
 - (v) May also engage supporting staff essentially required for realizing the objectives of the establishment of the Chair.
 - (vi) May also procure essential raw material and consumables in furtherance of the objectives of establishment of the Chair, provided that substantial funds are available for the purpose, out of the interest earned from the donated amount, up to the limit specified in this statute. The staff so appointed shall help the University in other activities such as teaching and other duties, as applicable, as per the decision of the Vice-Chancellor.

- (vii) The establishment of the Chair shall require one time donation amounting to at least Rs. 2.0 crore or as decided by the Board of Management, by the donor, which can be supplemented subsequently at his / their discretion.
- (viii) The donation shall be deposited in the University Endowment Fund and the amount of interest earned annually shall be utilized to compensate the expenditure to be incurred to the extent possible.