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F.No- 26-13-2010-NBA

Date: 19.12.2022

To,

The Principal  
Mar Athanasius College of Engineering  
Kothamangalam,  
Kerala – 686666

**Subject: Accreditation status of programs applied by Mar Athanasius College of Engineering Kothamangalam, Kerala – 686666.**

Sir,

This has reference to your application I.D. No. 5278-23/01/2021 seeking accreditation by National Board of Accreditation to UG Engineering programs applied by Mar Athanasius College of Engineering Kothamangalam, Kerala – 686666.

2. An Expert Team conducted onsite evaluation of the programs from **04<sup>th</sup> to 06<sup>th</sup> November, 2022**. The report submitted by the Expert Team was considered by the concerned Committees constituted for the purpose in NBA. The Competent Authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the programs as given in the table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Program(s) (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Civil Engineering	Tier II June 2015 Document	Accredited	Academic Years 2022- 2023 to 2024-2025 i.e. up to 30-06-2025	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col.5 or till the program has the approval of the Competent Authority, whichever is earlier
2.	Electrical & Electronics Engineering		Accredited		
3.	Mechanical Engineering		Accredited		

3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.

4. The programs have been granted accreditation for 3 years. **Mar Athanasius College of Engineering Kothamangalam, Kerala – 686666** should submit the Compliance Report at least six months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above so as to be eligible for consideration by the concerned Committee in NBA for further processing of the accreditation status.

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5. The accreditation status awarded to the programs as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to **Mar Athanasius College of Engineering Kothamangalam, Kerala – 686666** as a whole. **As such the Institution should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because it is program accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously.** Complete name of the program(s) accredited, level of program(s) and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the Academic Year from which the accreditation is effective should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.
6. The accreditation status of the above programs is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programs as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of the Institute.
7. The accreditation status awarded to the programs as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.
8. A copy each of the Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team and Evaluators' Reports in respect of the above programs is enclosed.
9. If the Institute is not satisfied with the decision of NBA, it may appeal within thirty days of receipt of this communication giving reasons for the same and by paying the requisite fee.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa)  
Member Secretary

- Encls.:**
1. Copy of Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team.
  2. Copy each of Expert Reports of the Visiting Team.

Copy to:

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Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala 695023
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File No. 26-13/2010-NBA

To,

The Principal  
Mar Athanasius College of Engg,  
P.O.Kothanangalam  
Kerala- 686666



May 18, 2015

**Subject: Accreditation status of programmes applied by Mar Athanasius College Of Engg, P.O, Kothanangalam , Kerala –686666.**

Sir,

This has reference to your application dated 31-03-2013 in Tier-II format seeking accreditation by National Board of Accreditation to the UG Engineering programmes offered by **Mar Athanasius College of Engg, P.O. Kothanangalam, Kerala – 686666.**

2. An Expert Team conducted an on-site evaluation of the programmes during 17<sup>th</sup> –18<sup>th</sup> April, 2015. The report submitted by the Expert Team was considered by the concerned Committees constituted for the purpose in NBA. The competent authority has approved the accreditation status to the following programme as given in the table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Programme (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity w.e.f. 01-07-2015	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1	Civil Engineering	Tier II Document	Provisionally Accredited	2 years	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col.5 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier.

3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.

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4. In respect of the programmes which have been granted provisional accreditation for 2 years, **Mar Athanasius College Of Engg, P.O. Kothanangalam, Kerala –686666**, should submit the Self-Assessment Report alongwith a Compliance Report at least after one year to be considered by the Engineering Evaluation and Accreditation Committee (EEAC) to formulate a view whether compliance report is enough to recommend for accreditation or a visit to the Institute is necessary. The recommendations of the EEAC will be considered by the Sub-Committee of the Academic Advisory Committee of Engineering for a decision.

5. The accreditation status awarded to the programme as indicated in the above Table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to **Mar Athanasius College Of Engg, P.O. Kothanangalam, Kerala –686666** as a whole. As such the Institute should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because it is programme accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the programme(s) accredited, level of programmes and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the date from which the accreditation is effective, should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

6. The accreditation status of the above programme is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programme as indicated in the Table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of your Institution.

7. The accreditation status awarded to the programme as indicated in Table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.

8. Copy of Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team and Evaluators' report in respect of the above programme are also enclosed.

9. If the Institute is not satisfied with the decision of NBA, it may appeal within thirty days of receipt of this communication giving reasons for the same and by paying the requisite fee.

Yours faithfully,



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F. No. 26-13/2010/NBA



Dated: 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2015

To,

The Principal,  
Mar Athanasius College of Engineering,  
P.O. Kothanangalam,  
Kerala -686666

**Subject:** Accreditation status of programmes applied by Mar Athanasius College of Engineering, P.O. Kothanangalam, Kerala -686666.

Sir,

This has reference to application dated 21-10-2013 in Tier-II format seeking accreditation from National Board of Accreditation (NBA) to UG Engineering programmes offered by Mar Athanasius College of Engineering, P.O. Kothanangalam, Kerala.

2. An Expert Team conducted an on-site evaluation of the programmes during 13<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> February, 2015. The reports submitted by the Expert Team were considered by the concerned Committees constituted for the purpose in NBA. The competent authority has approved the accreditation status to the following programmes as below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Programmes (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity w.e.f. 01.07.2015	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1	Mechanical Engineering	Tier-II	Provisionally Accredited	2 years	Accreditation Status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col. 5 or till the programme has the approval of the Competent Authority, whichever is earlier.
2	Electrical & Electronics Engineering		Provisionally Accredited	2 years	

3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.

4. The programmes have been granted provisional accreditation for 2 years. As such Mar Athanasius College of Engineering, P.O. Kothanangalam, Kerala, should submit the Self-Assessment Report alongwith a Compliance Report atleast after one year to be considered by the Engineering Evaluation and Accreditation Committee (EEAC) to formulate a view whether compliance report is enough to recommend for accreditation or a visit to the Institute is necessary. The recommendations of the EEAC will be considered by the Sub-Committee of the Academic Advisory Committee of Engineering for a decision.

5. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to Mar Athanasius College of Engineering, P.O. Kothanangalam, Kerala as a whole. As such the Institute should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because it is programme accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the programme(s) accredited, level of programmes and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the date from which the accreditation is effective, should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

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6. The accreditation status of the above programmes is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programmes as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of your Institution.

7. The accreditation status awarded to the programmes as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.

8. Copies of the Comprehensive Report submitted by the Chairman of the Expert Team along with the detailed reports submitted by the Expert Team which visited your institution for the programmes evaluated are enclosed for reference and to take necessary action to overcome the shortcomings, if any, pointed out by the Expert Team.

9. If the Institute is not satisfied with the decision of NBA, it may appeal within thirty days of receipt of this communication giving reasons for the same and by paying the requisite fee.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa)  
Member Secretary

**Encls:** 1. Copy of Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team.  
2. Copies of Expert Reports of the Visiting Team.

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File No. 26-13-2010-NBA

13<sup>th</sup> October, 2016

To,

The Principal  
Mar Athanasius College of Engineering  
P.O. Kothamangalam  
Kerala- 686666

**Subject: Extension of the Period of Accreditation Status granted to UG Engineering Program(s) offered by Mar Athanasius College of Engineering P.O. Kothamangalam, Kerala- 686666.**

Sir,

This has reference to NBA's letters of even number dated 23-03-2015 and 18-05-2015 under which some of the UG Engineering program(s) offered by your Institution were granted accreditation in Tier I by National Board of Accreditation.

2. National Board of Accreditation (NBA) has now decided that in all cases where UG Engineering program(s) of an Institution were granted provisional accreditation for a period of 2 years in Tier I/Tier-II format, the period of provisional accreditation of these programs shall be extended from 2 to 3 years subject to the condition that they meet the essential Pre-visit qualifiers. The Pre-visit qualifiers submitted by **Mar Athanasius College of Engineering P.O. Kothamangalam, Kerala- 686666** have been considered and approved by NBA in respect of the following UG Engineering program(s). Accordingly, the competent authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the program(s) as given in the Table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Program(s) (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of extended validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Electrical & Electronics Engineering	Tier-II Document	Provisionally Accredited	Academic Year 2017-2018, i.e., upto 30-06-2018.	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in col.5 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier
2.	Mechanical Engineering				
3.	Civil Engineering				

3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.

4. The programs have been granted provisional accreditation. **Mar Athanasius College of Engineering P.O. Kothamangalam, Kerala- 686666** should submit the Compliance Report at least six months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above to be eligible to be considered by the concerned Committee in NBA for further processing of the accreditation status. This could entail further extension of accreditation or a revisit, as deemed appropriate by NBA Committees.

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5. The accreditation status awarded to the program(s) as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to **Mar Athanasius College of Engineering P.O. Kothamangalam, Kerala- 686666** as a whole. As such the Institution should nowhere along with its name, including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because NBA only accredits program(s), and not Institutions. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the program(s) accredited, level of programs and the period of validity of accreditation, should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

6. The accreditation status of the above program(s) is subject to change on periodic review, as deemed necessary by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited program(s) as indicated in the Table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of your College/Institution.

7. The accreditation status awarded to the program(s) as indicated in Table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa)  
Member Secretary

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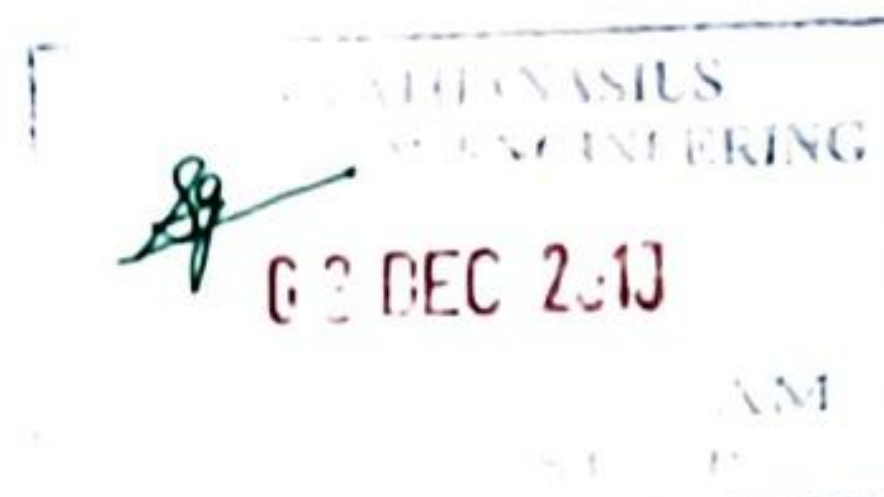


File No: 26-13-2010-NBA

Date 08-11-2018

To

The Principal  
MAR Athanasius College of Engineering,  
Kothamangalam,  
Kerala- 686 666



Subject: Further accreditation status of the program in Tier II offered by MAR Athanasius College of Engineering, Kothamangalam, Kerala- 686 666 on the basis of Compliance Report.

Sir,

This is regarding Compliance Report submitted by MAR Athanasius College of Engineering, Kothamangalam, Kerala- 686 666 for the UG Electrical & Electronics Engineering program which was provisionally accredited by NBA in Tier-II for academic years 2015-16 to 2017-18 whose validity has expired on 30.06.2018.

2. An Expert Team conducted data verification of the program on 26th June, 2018. The report submitted by the Expert Team was considered by the concerned Committees constituted for the purpose in NBA. The competent authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the program as given in the table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Program(s) (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Electrical & Electronics Engineering	Tier-II	Accredited	Academic Years 2018-2019 to 2020-2021 i.e. upto 30-06-2021	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col.5 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier

3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.

4. The accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to MAR Athanasius College of Engineering, Kothamangalam, Kerala- 686 666 as a whole. As such the Institution should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because it is program accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the program(s) accredited, level of program(s) and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the Academic Year from which the accreditation is effective should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

5. The accreditation status of the above program is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited program as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of the Institute.

6. The accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.

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7. A copy of Report of the Visiting Team in respect of the above program is enclosed.
8. If the Institute is not satisfied with the decision of NBA, it may appeal within thirty days of receipt of this communication giving reasons for the same and by paying the requisite fee.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa)  
Member Secretary

Encls: 1. Copy of Report of the Visiting Team in respect of the program.

Copy to:

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APJ Abdul Kalam Technological University,  
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Ambady Nagar, Thiruvananthapuram  
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2. Director Technical Education  
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F.No. 26-13-2010-NBA

To  
The Principal  
Mar Athanasius College of Engineering,  
Kothamangalam- 686666, Kerala



Dated: 25-07-2018

**Subject: Further accreditation status of the programs in Tier II offered by Mar Athanasius College Of Engineering, Kothamangalam- 686666, Kerala on the basis of Compliance Report.**

Sir,

This is regarding Compliance Report submitted by **Mar Athanasius College of Engineering, Kothamangalam- 686666, Kerala** for the UG Engineering programs provisionally accredited by NBA in Tier-II for academic years 2015-16 to 2017-18 whose validity has expired on 30.06.2018.

2. An Expert Team conducted data verification of the programs on 26<sup>th</sup> June, 2018. The report submitted by the Expert Team was considered by the concerned Committees constituted for the purpose in NBA. The competent authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the programs as given in the table below:

Sl. No	Name of the Program(s) (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Mechanical Engineering	Tier-II	Accredited	Academic Years 2018-19 to 2020-21 i.e. upto 30-06-2021	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col.5 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier
2.	Civil Engineering		Accredited		

3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.

4. The programs have been granted accreditation for three years. **Mar Athanasius College of Engineering, Kothamangalam- 686666, Kerala** should submit the Compliance Report at least six months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above to be eligible to be considered by the concerned Committee in NBA for further processing of the accreditation status. This could entail further extension of accreditation or a revisit, as deemed appropriate by NBA Committees.

5. The accreditation status awarded to the programs as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to **Mar Athanasius College of Engineering, Kothamangalam- 686666, Kerala** as a whole. As such the Institution should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because it is program accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the program(s) accredited, level of program(s) and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the Academic Year from which the accreditation is effective should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

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8. A copy each of Report of the Visiting Team in respect of the above programs is enclosed.
9. If the Institute is not satisfied with the decision of NBA, it may appeal within thirty days of receipt of this communication giving reasons for the same and by paying the requisite fee.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa)  
Member Secretary

**Encls:** 1. Copy each of Report of the Visiting Team in respect of the programs

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Ambady Nagar, Thiruvananthapuram,  
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F. No. 26-13-2010-NBA

Date:06-08-2021

To,  
The Principal  
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Kothamangalam,  
Kerala- 686666

**Subject: Grant of accreditation for one year to UG Engineering programs in Tier II offered by Mar Athanasius College of Engineering, Kothamangalam, Kerala- 686666 on the basis of pre-qualifiers.**

Sir,

This is regarding Pre-qualifiers submitted by **Mar Athanasius College of Engineering, Kothamangalam, Kerala- 686666** for the three UG Engineering programs in whose case the period of accreditation in Tier II has expired on 30.06.2021.

2. The National Board of Accreditation (NBA) has decided that in case of all UG Engineering programs which were accredited in Tier I/Tier II in January 2013 document for a period of 3+3 years upto 30/06/2021, the programs will be considered for accreditation for the Academic Year 2021-22 on the basis of the programs meeting the pre-qualifiers. The pre-qualifiers submitted by **Mar Athanasius College of Engineering, Kothamangalam, Kerala- 686666** in respect of the following UG Engineering programs have been considered. The programs meet all the parameters of pre-qualifiers. Accordingly, the Competent Authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the programs as given in the Table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Program(s) (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Electrical and Electronics Engineering	Tier II	Accredited	Academic Year 2021-2022 i.e. up to 30-06-2022	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col.5 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier
2.	Civil Engineering		Accredited		
3.	Mechanical Engineering		Accredited		

3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.

4. The programs have been granted extension of duration of accreditation for one year. **The Mar Athanasius College of Engineering, Kothamangalam, Kerala- 686666** is requested to apply afresh for accreditation of the programs in the new SAR Tier II Document. The application may be submitted online on e-NBA portal by 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2021.

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