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Sir / Madam,

Sub: Office of the Controller of Examinations – Anna University, Chennai – Permission to use certain Calculators in University End Semester Examinations – Clarification issued – Reg.

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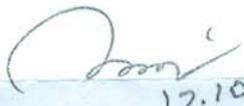
The Scientific calculators that are permitted in the continuous assessment test and End-Semester Examinations are as follows:

- I. Use of the following calculators in examinations is permitted: Non- Programmable, Silent hand-held, Self-contained, Single-Line Display or Dual-Line Display calculators.
- II. Use of the following calculators in examinations is prohibited.
  - a) Programmable calculators are prohibited. The term "programmable" includes any calculator that is capable of storing a sequence of keystrokes that can be retrieved after the calculator is turned off or powers itself off.
  - b) Calculators with any of the following mathematical features are prohibited: Graph Plotting, Equation Solving, Symbolic Algebraic Manipulation, Numerical Integration, Numerical Differentiation and Matrix Calculations.
  - c) Calculators with any of the following facilities are prohibited: Storing and retrieving text, Personal organizers, Graphical calculators, Data Banks, Dictionaries, thesauruses and language translators, Capability of Remote Communication.
- III. The use of prohibited calculators will be considered as misconduct/malpractice. The candidate must clear any stored memory from the calculator, if any; If the calculator is found to have items in the memory, this may be considered academic misconduct. Visual checks to ensure that calculators satisfy these requirements will be undertaken by the invigilators during the examination.

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IV. The list provided below identifies a sample set of calculators allowed in examinations. If a calculator is not on this list, then the calculator is not allowed unless it satisfies the requirements set out in the above rules.

- a) CASIO FX-991 MS
- b) CASIO FX-991 ES (Except for Numerical Methods)
- c) CASIO FX-991 ES plus (Except for Numerical Methods)
- d) TI -30 X-II S
- e) TI -30 XS- Multiview
- f) TI-36X- II (Except for Numerical Methods)
- g) TI-36X-Pro (Except for Numerical Methods)
- h) Caltrix CX-991S
- i) Caltrix CX82MS

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