## PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY STUDENTS' COUNCIL ELECTION 2013

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

1. Who can take part in the election?

**A regular student** on the rolls of the university enrolled in a full time degree course of duration of at least one year can take part in theelection process in any capacity.

2. Whether **the only Add-on course** students are eligible to contest the election?

No

3. Whether the <u>only Add-on course</u> students can cast their votes?

No

4. Whether **the Distance Mode** students are eligible to contest the election?

No

5. Whether **the Distance Mode** students can cast their votes?

No

6. Whether we can take number of students of the Department alone for arriving the number of school representatives?

No. The total strength of the students of the particular school must be taken into account.

7. What is the cut-off age in respect of calculation of Age?

The nomination date is the cut-off date

8. Who can file a nomination?

The students falling in a particular Category can file the nomination in that particular category.

9. Whether a student of a particular categorycan file a nomination in another category?

10. Whether a student of a particular category can cast his/her vote in another category?

11. Whether the contestant, proposer and seconder must belong to the same category? **Yes** 

12. Whether the proposer or seconder can propose/second more than one candidate? **Yes** 

13. Whether proposer can also second for the **same** candidate?

## No. Either he/she has to propose or second. He/she cannot do both.

14. Whether "no academic arrears certificate" has to be produced for the previous two semesters or all the semesters?

## All the previous semesters

15. Whether the first year student under going first semester has to produce "no academic arrears certificate"

No

16. Whether the male students should cast their vote to the male candidates and female students to female candidates?

No. The students have the right to exercise their franchises as they deem it fit.

**17.** How many votes one student can exercise?

The total number of school representatives shall be the total number of votes one can cast

For instance, If a particular school has 4 representatives then students can cast 4 votes.