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ALL PARENTS AND STUDENTS

DATE

19 JANUARY 2018

FROM

PROF GORDON N. ZIDE

SUBJECT

2018 REGISTRATION AGREEMENT WITH THE SRC

1. INTRODUCTION

Having entered into a number of discussions and conversations, following the statement by the State President of the RSA, the Management and the SRC, worked tirelessly in ensuring that not only the 2018 Academic Year kicks off on a positive note but further ensured that the Registrations Processes runs off smoothly. This is a sign of mature leadership and we hope that this spirit will continue to prevail for the sake of the Institution.

2. AGREED UPON PRINCIPLES:

The State President of the Republic of South Africa, in his statement on Free Education defined a new category of poor as being those students who come from families with a combined annual financial income of R350 000 or less. For these students, the VUT Management and the SRC agreed on the following:

- 1) Students must provide the VUT Credit Management with confirmatory documentation to prove that they meet this criteria;
- 2) This documentation must be subject to accreditation which will take a minimum of three days;

- 3) Upon accreditation, the student will be allowed to register without making any payment in advance but:
- 4) The student must make arrangements with Credit Management together with their parents / guardians;
- 5) These arrangements will be monitored by a combined Management /Student Committee;

3. INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

All returning International Students must ensure that all historical debt has been cleared before they would be allowed to enter into a payment arrangement for the 2018 Academic year.

Thereafter, all new and returning students would be expected to comply with The Agreement as follows:

Category A: Semester Students

MONTH	%PAYMENT
January	35%
April	35%
June	30%
July	35%
September	35%
October	30%

Category B: Year Students

MONTH	%PAYMENT
January	35%
June	35%
September	30%

^{*} The VUT's payment arrangements for International Students are much more reasonable and fair as compared to other Universities where such students are expected to make a 100% upfront payment!

4. RESOURCE MOBILISATION TASK TEAM

The meeting further agreed on the establishment of a Resource Mobilisation Task Team to fastrack Funding efforts.

All enquiries regarding these arrangements and the contents of this Notice should be forwarded to the following VUT Employees:

^{*} Those students who may have challenges in terms of the above arrangements should immediately make representations with Credit Management for assistance.

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Signed at Vaal University of Technology on this 19th day of January 2018.

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