

UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION

COMMISSION CIRCULAR NO: 13/2022 (i)

No. 20, Ward Place Colombo 07

28.02.2023

Vice Chancellors of Universities Rectors of Campuses Directors of Institutes

Retirement Age of the Employees other than Teachers in the University System

Your attention is drawn to the Section No. 5(II) of Commission Circular No.13/2022 dated 16.09.2022 which is mentioned as follows;

"Employees in University System other than a Teacher, who are at present serving beyond the age of 60 years and those who complete the age 60 years on or before 31.12.2022 as per provisions in the Commission Circular No. 07/2022 should retire on their option on or before 31.12.2022."

- 2. The University Grants Commission at it's 1096th meeting held on 23.02.2023 after having obtained clarifications from the Ministry of Public Administration, Home affairs, Provincial Councils and the Department of Public Enterprises related to inquires made by the Universities and the Higher Educational Institutes on the above clause decided that in implementing the section 5 (II) of the Commission Circular No. 13/2022 the Universities and the Higher Educational Institutes should consider 30.12.2022 as a date in service and 31.12.2022 should be considered as the retirement date, in the retirement of employees who are over 60 years of age in the University System by 31.12.2022.
- 3. The other provisions of the Commission Circular No. 13/2022 remain unchanged.

Please take action accordingly.

Senior Prof. Sampath Amaratunge

Chairman

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