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**PART I : SECTION (I) — GENERAL**

**Government Notifications**

L.D.B 21/78 (xiii).

**THE UNIVERSITIES ACT, No. 16 OF 1978**

ORDINANCE made by the University Grants Commission under Section 23(2) read with Section 18 of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978.

Secretary,  
University Grants Commission.

Colombo,  
09th June, 2015.

**Ordinance**

1. This Ordinance may be cited as Open University of Sri Lanka (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 02 of 2015 and shall come into force upon publication in the *Gazette*.

2. The Open University of Sri Lanka Ordinance, No. 1 of 1990 published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 591/18 of January 05, 1990 as last amended by Ordinance published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 1839/41 of December 05, 2013 is hereby further amended in paragraph 16, of the Ordinance as follows :-

(1) by the repeal of sub-paragraph (1) of that paragraph and the substitution there for, of the following :-

“(1) The Open University shall have the following Faculties :-

- (a) Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences ;
- (b) Faculty of Natural Sciences ;
- (c) Faculty of Engineering Technology ;
- (d) Faculty of Education ; and
- (e) Faculty of Health Sciences. ”;



(2) by the renumbering of sub - paragraphs (6), (7) and (8) as sub - paragraphs (7), (8) and (9) of that paragraph respectively ; and

(3) by the insertion of the following new sub - paragraph (6) immediately after sub - paragraph (5) thereof :-

“(6) The Faculty of Health Sciences shall have the following Departments of Study :-

(i) Nursing ;

(ii) Pharmacy ;

(iii) Medical Laboratory Sciences ;

(iv) Basic Sciences ;

(v) Psychology and Counseling ; and

(vi) Health Education and Research.”.