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To Consider and approve the reservation of seats in U.G Courses for students from Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Lakshadweep and Minicoy Islands, the eight North Eastern States, etc. in Indian Maritime University Campuses  

The Executive Council accepted the suggestion of the Academic Council that starting an IMU Campus in Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Lakshadweep and Minicoy Islands or the eight North Eastern States [Assam, Meghalaya, Arunachal Pradesh, Mizoram, Nagaland, Manipur, Tripura and Sikkim] may not be a feasible proposition, and the only way by which opportunities for maritime education and employment can be assured to the students of these regions is by reserving a certain number of seats in UG courses in IMU Campuses.

The Executive Council therefore resolved that candidates native to Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Lakshadweep and Minicoy Islands, the eight North Eastern States and Jammu and Kashmir or those domiciled in these regions for at least 5 years shall be eligible for the reservation provided the candidates have cleared IMU’s Common Entrance Test (CET).

The Executive Council enhanced the limits prescribed by the Academic Council and resolved that the maximum number of seats reserved in a
given academic year for all UG Programmes put together in all IMU Campuses put together shall be as follows:

1. Andaman and Nicobar Islands - 20 seats
2. Lakshadweep and Minicoy Islands - 10 seats
3. Eight North Eastern States (including Sikkim) - 40 seats
4. Jammu & Kashmir - 10 seats

The reserved seats will be allotted to the eligible candidates based on their CET rank and their preference(s) for UG course(s)/IMU Campuses. If the reserved seats are not filled up in a given academic year, they shall not be carried over to the next academic year and the unfilled seats shall be filled up from the General list of CET-passed candidates.

The E.C suggested that the V.C may explore the possibility of reserving seats for NRI/PIO/Foreign Students subject to adherence of due procedures for admission of foreign students.