

**Direction No. 1 of 2018**

(Issued under provision of section 12(8) of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016)

**RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR CONDUCT OF BUSINESS AT MEETINGS OF  
THE SENATE DIRECTION, 2018**

(As per Section 71(5) of the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016.)

**Whereas,** the Maharashtra Public Universities Act, 2016 has come into force with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> March 2017 (hereinafter referred to as the Act).

**AND**

**Whereas,** the Act has repealed the Maharashtra Universities Act, 1994 with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> March 2017

**AND**

**Whereas,** the Act has been made applicable to the Gondwana University, Gadchiroli with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> March 2017;

**AND**

**Whereas,** the Senate is the authority of the university as per provision made under section 26(1) of the Act;

**AND**

**Whereas,** constitution of the Senate is provided under provision of section 28(2) of the Act;

**AND**

**Whereas,** section 28(4) of the Act provides that the Senate shall meet atleast twice a year on the date to be fixed by the Chancellor. One of the meetings shall be the annual meeting.

**AND**

**Whereas,** section 71(5) of the Act provides that the rules of procedure for conduct of business at the meetings of the authorities of the university shall be the subject matter of the Statute;

**AND**

**Whereas,** the Senate being an authority of the University, the business at the meetings of the Senate is required to be regulated by the rules of procedure for conduct of business at the meeting to be prescribed under the Statute;

