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-Ref:-Modification in honorarium for teachers and student prizes Prof. Sultana N. Nahar introduced

Dear VC Prof. Tariq Mansoor,

Assalamu alaikum.

Prof. Tariq Mansoor

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Vice Chancellor

The MOA guidelines mention fixed amounts for the honorarium of each prize but but also mentions variation, depending on the earrnings of the endowment capical. However, the amount of each honorarium has remained fixed with the original numbers. For steady, although slow, rise of the honorarium amount, I like to suggest that the numbers are quantified as specified below.

- 1. Honoraranium of the prizes in Physics, Mathematics, zoology, and microbiology should be distributed from 95% of the profit earned from the endowment capital, and 5% should should be added to the capital.
- 2. Since the ratio of the prize honorarium of a student and a faculty is typically (1 / 1.5), the available fund can be distributed in the following for a faculty and a student:

Faculty honorarium = total available fund /(1.5 \times number of faculty prizes + number of student prizes) \times 1.5

Student honorarium = total available fund $/(1.5 \times \text{number of faculty prizes} + \text{number of student prizes})$

Thank you for approving the modification.

Best regards and wishes,

Prof Sultana N. Nahar

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