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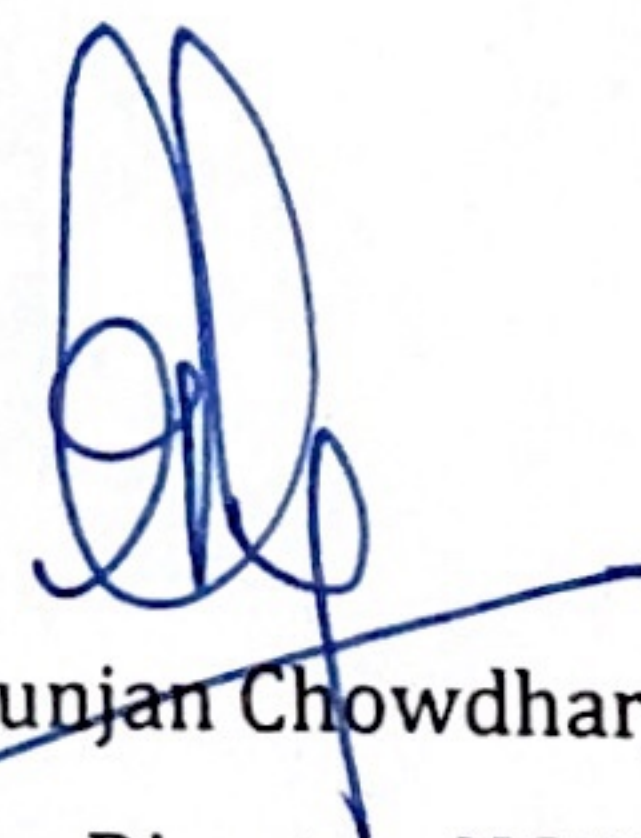
**Sub: Amendment of Guidelines for Recognition & Regulation of Assessment Agencies regarding Prior Experience**

In partial modification of "Guidelines for Recognition and Regulation of Assessment Agencies" issued vide Office Order No. 22003/04/2020/NCVET dated 28/10/2020, the following amendments to the guidelines are made:

**Section 5: Eligibility Criteria for the Recognition of Assessment Agencies**

1. Clause 3 of Section 5 of Guidelines for Recognition and Regulation of Awarding Bodies: Prior Experience

In consideration of the Covid 19 Pandemic and the subsequent impact on the businesses during the period as brought out by many applicant bodies, it was decided to consider the prior experience as "Entity should have conducted assessments of the following number of candidates in the jurisdiction for which it is seeking the Assessment Agency recognition in any 2 years in the last 4 years" for AA applicant bodies, while considering their eligibility. This may be continued till the end of the current financial year, 2022-23.

  
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