

The following Act of the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly received the assent of the Governor on the 16th July 2018 and is hereby published for general information:—

ACT No. 41 of 2018.

An Act to establish and incorporate in the State of Tamil Nadu a University of unitary nature in private sector by SSN Trust to promote, conceptualise and bring about a paradigm shift through development of outstanding leadership, research, knowledge and ideas for education and allied development sectors.

BE it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Tamil Nadu in the Sixty-ninth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

Short title and commencement.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Shiv Nadar University Act, 2018.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

Definitions.

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,—

(a) "Academic Council" means the Academic Council of the University constituted under section 22;

(b) "Chancellor", "Vice-Chancellor" and "Pro-Vice-Chancellor" means, respectively, the Chancellor, the Vice-Chancellor and the Pro-Vice-Chancellor of the University;

(c) "Deans and Directors" means the Head of Department or an Institution, a Centre or a School, or the person appointed for the purpose to act as such in his absence;

(d) "Department" means a Department of Studies of the University and includes a Centre of Studies and Research;

(e) "Employee" means any person appointed by the University, and includes a teacher or any other member of the staff of the University;

(f) "Executive Council" means the Executive Council of the University constituted under section 21;

(g) "Faculty" means a Faculty of the University;

(h) "Governing Council" means the Governing Council constituted under section 20;

(i) "Government" means the State Government;

(j) "hostel" means a unit of residence for students of the University maintained or recognized by the University;

(k) "Institution" means a college or an institution established or maintained by or associated or constituent to the University in accordance with this Act and the Statutes;