**REGULATION 7: OFFICERS OF THE UNIVERSITY**

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**1 The Chancellor**

(a) The Chancellor shall preside over meetings of its Court. In the absence of the Chancellor, the Chair of Council shall preside except for the conferment of degrees.

(b) The Chancellor shall be appointed by Council on the recommendation of a specially constituted Appointments Committee comprising Nominations Committee and two members e

maximum of ten years.

(d) The Chancellor may resign by writing addressed to the Secretary of the Court.

(e) The Chancellor shall confer degrees at a Congregation held for that purpose. The Chancellor may also confer Degrees in absentia.

**2 The Pro-Chancellor**

The Chairman of the Council for the time being shall be ex officio the Pro-Chancellor during his or her tenure of office as Chairman of the Council. In the absence of the Chancellor or during a vacancy in that office all the functions of the Chancellor (except the conferring of Degrees) shall be performed by the Pro-Chancellor.

**3 The Vice-Chancellor**

(a) The Vice-Chancellor shall be the chief Academic and Administrative Officer of the University and shall preside over meetings of Senate and who shall, in the absence of the Chancellor or during a vacancy in that office, confer Degrees.

(b) The Vice-Chancellor shall be appointed by Council at a meeting specially called for the purpose and shall hold office for such period and on such conditions as may be determined by Council. The appointment will ensure a representative group from Senate is part of a meaningful Engagement Process.

(c) During a vacancy in the office of Vice-Chancellor, Council may appoint an Acting Vice-Chancellor (normally the Deputy Vice-Chancellor) who shall exercise and perform such of the functions of the Vice-Chancellor and shall have such of his or her powers, privileges and duties as Council may specify.

(d) The Vice-Chancellor shall, subject to such policy and other rules as may be framed [1.3lo3TJ0 -4asy5ea8
g and promoting the efficiency and good order of the University.

(e) The Vice-Chancellor's power to suspend or exclude a student is set out in Section regulations 3 and 8 of Regulation 2 (Student Discipline).

(ii) conduct of an immoral, scandalous or disgraceful nature incompatible with the duties of the office; or

(iii) conduct constituting failure or persistent refusal or neglect or inability to perform the duties or comply with the conditions of office whether such failure results from physical or mental incapacity or otherwise.

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