



Pakistan Engineering Council

(Constituted under Pakistan Engineering Council Act, 1976 enacted by the Parliament)

Engineering Accreditation Department

Ataturk Avenue (East),
G-5/2, Islamabad

PEC/EAD/51-GB/P&C/004/2025

May 21, 2025

All Vice Chancellors/ Rectors/ Heads of HEIs

Offering Engineering Programs in Pakistan

Subject: **Extension in Duration to Complete Engineering Degree Upto Fall-2026 Semester beyond 07 Academic Years**

Ref: (i) PEC letter No.PEC/EAD/P&C/48-GB/2024 dated February 6, 2024 (copy enclosed)
(ii) PEC letter No.PEC/EAD/40-GB/004/2021 dated May 21, 2021 (copy enclosed)

In continuation to above referred letters, it is to inform that the PEC Governing Body in its 51st meeting held on April 11-12, 2025, again deliberated on Article 5(b) of PEC Regulations for Engineering Education in Pakistan, and the decision made is as under:

"Relaxation is granted upto Fall Semester-2026 to all those students enrolled in HEIs across Pakistan, who failed to complete their degree within seven years of period"

2. In light of above, the students who could not complete their degree in seven academic years and are registered enrolled by HEIs till Fall-2026 may be allowed to complete it till the end of Fall-2026 semester and will be considered for registration by PEC.

3. This is for information and compliance/ adherence, please.



(Engr. Aijaz Hussain Shah)
Additional Registrar/ Head EAD

Encl: as above

Copy to:

- a. The Convener, EAB
- b. The Executive Director, HEC
- c. PS to Chairman/ Registrar, PEC



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February 06, 2024

To:

All Vice Chancellor/ Rectors/ Heads
HEIs in Pakistan

Subject: Extension in Duration to Complete Engineering Degrees Upto Fall-2023 Semester beyond 07 Academic Years

Ref: PEC letter No. PEC/EAD/40-GB/004/2021 dated May 21, 2021 (Copy enclosed).

The PEC Governing Body in its 47th meeting held on September 30, 2023 deliberated on Article 5 (b) of PEC Regulations for Engineering Education in Pakistan to review the decision of 40th Meeting of Governing Body for relaxation in the duration to complete engineering degrees in more than seven (07) academic years till December 31, 2023 due to the ending of their semester in January, 2024 or onwards before the start of Spring-2024 semester in respective HEIs. On the directives of PEC Governing Body, the same was deliberated in EAB in its 112th meeting held on December 20, 2023, and the recommendations endorsed by Vice Chancellors Committee were placed in 48th meeting of PEC Governing Body held on December 30, 2023 for endorsement.

2. The decision is reproduced as below:

"The House approved the proposal to relax the cut-off-date i.e. December 31, 2023 in order to cover the students enrolled upto Fall-2023 semester only".

3. In light of above, the students, who could not complete their degree in seven academic years and are registered/ enrolled by HEIs till Fall-2023 may be allowed to complete it till the end of Fall-2023 semester (relaxing the cut-off-date of December 31, 2023) and will be considered for registration by PEC.

4. Forwarded for information and compliance/ adherence, please.

(Engr. Muhammad Ansar)
Sr. Deputy Registrar (P&C)

Encl: As above

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- c) HoD-ERD, PEC
- d) All PEC Regional/ Branch Offices



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May 21, 2021

All Vice Chancellors/ Rectors/ Heads
HEIs in Pakistan

Subject: Permission for Appearance of Students in the Exam to Complete Their Degrees
in more than Seven (07) Academic Years

Dear Sir/ Madam

The PEC Governing Body in its 40th meeting held on February 10, 2021, deliberated on Article 5(b) of PEC Regulations of Engineering Education in Pakistan and the decision made is as under;

"It was concluded that relaxation be granted to all those students for further three years up to December 31, 2023, who failed to complete their degree within seven years of time."

2. In light of above decision, all such students who could not complete their degree may please be approached to complete their degrees before 31-12-2023.
3. This is for information and compliance/ adherence, please.

(Engr. Dr Ashfaq Ahmed Sheikh)
Additional Registrar/ Head EAD

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- b. Section Heads (Zone I, II & III)
- c. PS to Chairman/ Registrar