

## THE CALICUT UNIVERSITY ACT, 1968\*

(Act 24 of 1968)

*An Act to establish and incorporate a University at Calicut*

*Preamble.*—WHEREAS it is expedient to establish a teaching, residential and affiliating University at Calicut for the urgent development of higher education in the comparatively poorly developed regions of the northern districts of the State of Kerala;

Be it enacted in the Nineteenth Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

1. *Short title and commencement.*—(1) This Act may be called the Calicut University Act, 1968.

(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 23rd day of July, 1968.

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

(i) “Academic Council” means the Academic Council of the University;

(ii) “Board of Studies” means a Board of Studies of the University;

(iii) “Chancellor” means the Chancellor of the University;

(iv) “College” means a College maintained by, or affiliated to, the University;

(v) “Dean” means the President of a Faculty of the University;

(vi) “department” means the department designated as such by the Ordinances or Regulations with reference to a subject or group of subjects;

(vii) “Faculty” means a Faculty of the University;

(viii) “prescribed” means prescribed by this Act or the Statutes, Ordinances, Regulations, rules or bye-laws made thereunder;

(ix) “Principal” means the head of a College;

(x) “Private College” means a College maintained by an agency other than the Government or the University and affiliated to the University;

(xi) “Pro-Chancellor” means the Pro-Chancellor of the University;

(xii) “Pro-Vice-Chancellor” means the Pro-Vice-Chancellor of the University;

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