## Indira Gandhi National Open University Student Evaluation Division

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## ADVISORY

It has come to the attention of the Student Evaluation Division (SED), IGNOU, that fraudulent individuals are taking fake applications from university students for the early declaration of term end results of the CLIS course. These individuals are using a fake email ID (<u>ignouprojectpractical@gmail.com</u>) and requesting application fees via a QR code. They are also falsely claiming that this process is necessary for eligibility to appear in the Librarian Recruitment Examination 2025 of Bihar and Rajasthan.

All concerned are strictly advised the following:

- IGNOU, New Delhi & all its RCs, does not require any student to fill out exam forms or participate in any evaluation-related activities through:
  - Email (including Gmail or any unofficial email IDs)
  - Google Forms
  - QR codes for payment
  - WhatsApp or any other social media platform
- All official notifications, exam forms, and evaluation-related activities are conducted exclusively through the official IGNOU website and authorized university channels.

## **Action Points**

- Do **not** respond to emails or messages from unofficial/unverified sources regarding examination or evaluation matters other than email received from <u>xxxxx@ignou.ac.in</u>.
- Do **not** make any payments through QR codes, Google Forms, or links received via email or social media.
- Report any suspicious communication immediately to the university authorities.

For any doubts or to verify official communication, please contact the Student Evaluation Division, IGNOU, New Delhi or their concerned RC, through the official university website (<u>https://www.ignou.ac.in</u>), emails (<u>xxxxx@ignou.ac.in</u>) or helpline numbers before making any payments.

## "Stay vigilant. Protect yourself from fraud".

Note: IGNOU & SED shall not be held responsible for any payment made through such fraudulent calls/person/notification etc. regarding Term-end-Examination, Assignments, Practical, Project etc. done by the students through any link/portal/google forms/QR Code/Whatsapp or any other social media platform by unverified sources.

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