Meeting of the Members of the Cell for Persons with Disability and Elderly Persons on 8.8.19

## Members Present:

Supatra Sen
Subhasri Ghosh
Ashis Sahu
Antika Sinha
Rwiti Basu
A.R. Md. Mustafizur Rahaman
Parikshit Dutta
Niladri Sekhar Karan
Debabrata Chanda
Sanchali Bose
Ashim Sarkar
Manorama Chatterjee
Sraboni Roy (invitee)

The first meeting of the cell suggested that the main focus should be on the disability component and the cell should work towards catering to the needs of the students with special needs. In this context, it was also suggested if the guardians of such students could be included in the cell.

It was also suggested by the members if accessible toilets and basins of low heights could be constructed.

Wheelchair provisions for all the buildings need to be ensured.

Ramps with railings and supports should be constructed in all the buildings of the college.

The corridors and the corners should be marked for the visually-challenged Main building lift should be made accessible from the ground floor.

Helpdesk and helpline numbers should be circulated. NSS might be given the responsibility

A workshop with experts in the field of disability should be organised for awareness generation and sensitization

A pool of writers and volunteers should be created

Database of PH students should be maintained

Regular counseling sessions to be organised

Department of Psychology should be more actively involved