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**IMPORTANT DECISIONS TAKEN BY THE COUNCIL OF THE ICSI
AT ITS 278TH MEETING HELD ON 26TH JULY, 2021**

1. Approved the amendments to the ICSI Unique Document Identification Number (UDIN) Guidelines, 2019 as under:
 - a) Guideline 3 (b) (xiv)- “Signing of Annual Return in Form MGT-7 through digital signature certificates (DSC) under Section 92(1) of the Companies Act, 2013 and Rule 11(1) of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014.”
 - b) Addition of second proviso to Guideline 3 (b) (xiv) - “Provided further that the UDIN generated for all e-forms, including Form MGT – 7 shall remain valid for further period of seven days from the effective date of UDIN and the same can be digitally signed by the PCS during those seven days.”
2. The Council deliberated the draft ICSI (Formation, Functioning and Regulation of Multi-Disciplinary Firms) Guidelines, 2021 and forwarded its comments to the PCS Committee of the ICSI for further deliberations of the draft guidelines. After deliberations, in the PCS Committee, the draft guidelines be circulated to the Members of the Institute for comments.
3. Approved the Computer Based Examination (CBE) for CS Foundation Programme through Remote Proctoring Mode, in addition to the existing mode.

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Vision

“To be a global leader in promoting good corporate governance”

Motto

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“To develop high calibre professionals facilitating good corporate governance”

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