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**1. Purpose:** This procedure outlines receiving telephone calls to ensure that callers are given quality

service by minimizing delays on telephone.

**2. Scope:** This procedure shall be used by the telephone operators.

#### 3. Reference:

3.1. Telephone Control Sheet

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#### 4. Terms and Definitions:

For the purpose of this procedure the following terms shall apply in addition to those already found in the CUEA Quality Management Manual

- 4.1. MR Mail & Reception
- 4.2. Operational Procedure
- 4.3. DVC- Deputy Vice Chancellor
- **5. Responsibility:** It is the responsibility of the telephone operators to ensure the procedure is followed.

#### 6. Method:

- **6.1. Telephone** Operator shall receive the call by saluting and identifying the institution in a polite tone of voice.
- 6.2. The telephone operator shall record the incoming calls on a telephone control sheet (**Appendix 7.2**).
- 6.3. Telephone Operator shall ask the caller to whom/which department to be connected to.
- 6.3.1. If the concerned person/ department is ready to attend to the caller, the telephone operator shall transfer the call to the concerned person to attend to it.
- 6.3.2. If the concerned/department is not ready to attend to the caller, the telephone operator shall inform the caller with reasons and ask the caller to try later, book an appointment or take a message.
- **6.4.** The concerned person shall attend to the call.

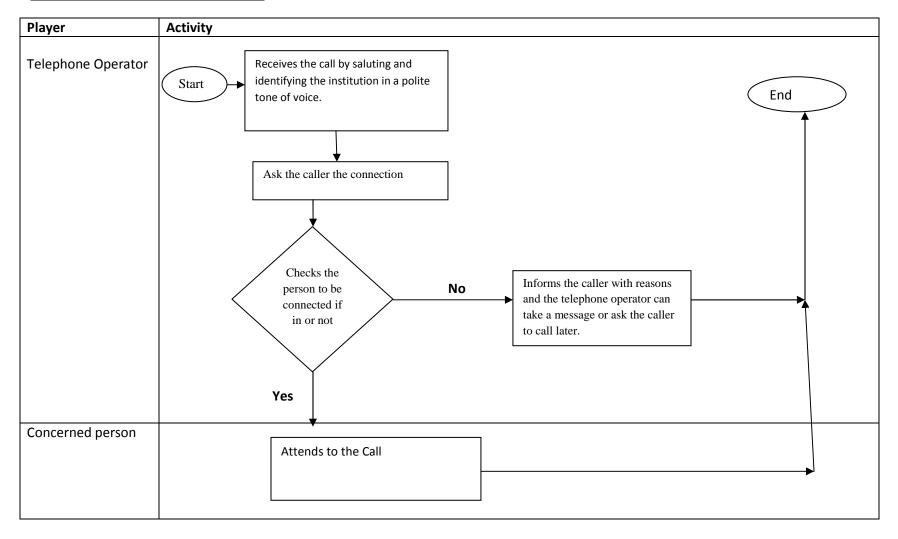
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Appendix A.: Process Map

## **Procedure for receiving Telephone call**



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