

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

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ADMISSION IN ENGINEERING COLLEGES
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

whether the Government is aware that AICTE is giving approval for admissions in Engineering Colleges even after September;

(a) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons therefor;

(c) the number of colleges that have been allowed to admit students after September; and

(d) the measures being adopted by the Government of AICTE in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KANTI SINGH)

(a) to (d): The admission of students in the AICTE approved institutes is made as per the policies of the State Governments/Union Territory Administration concerned. In so far as AICTE is concerned, the approvals for establishment of new technical institutes for 2005-06, were granted by AICTE inter-alia subject to the condition that if the letter of approval is received by the institute after the closing date of State/National level central counselling for admission in the State/UT concerned, the same will not be valid for making any admission. The AICTE has issued letters of approval with the above condition to 11 applicants after September 2005 for establishment of new technical institutes. From the year 2006- 07, the AICTE has abjured the calendar-based approach and implemented 'Any Time Round the Year' approval process for setting up new technical institutes. It shall be the responsibility of the applicant institute to obtain necessary affiliation/permission from the affiliating university/state government concerned before the commencement of the courses including fulfilling the prescribed schedule of the university/admission authority.