

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

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PROFESSIONAL COLLEGES

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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the criteria followed by the Government and AICTE for granting recognition to the engineering colleges ;
- (b) whether AICTE is aware that many Engineering Colleges are not following the norms prescribed by AICTE or the Government functioning in University Campuses and off Campuses particularly in Chowdhary Charan Singh University, U.P.;
- (c) if so, the number of such engineering Colleges identified during the last two years alongwith their names, State-wise, particularly in Uttar Pradesh and Kerala;
- (d) the action taken by the Government or AICTE against the defaulting institutions;
- (e) whether these institutes are being provided financial assistance by the AICTE/UGC/State Government ;
- (f) if so, the number of institutes which have been provided financial assistance during the last three years; and
- (g) if not, the manner in which these institutes manage financial resources for their expenditure?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT(SHRI M.A.A. FATMI)

- (a): The AICTE accords approval to technical institutes based on the prescribed norms and standards which include Society/Trust registration, required land area, approved building plan, availability of built up space/laboratories/library/computing facilities, availability of faculty etc.
- (b) & (c): There is no AICTE approved engineering college in the campus of Chaudhary Charan Singh University, U.P During 2004-05, action was taken by the AICTE against 62 engineering colleges for violation of norms, which did not include any engineering college in Uttar Pradesh and Kerala. During 2005-06, similar action was taken against 41 engineering colleges including Priyadarshni College of Computer Sciences, Greater Noida in Uttar Pradesh and Mary Matha College of Engineering & Technology, Thiruvanthapuram in Kerala.
- (d): the action against the above institutes included reduction in intake, putting under `no admission` category, withdrawal of approval etc.
- (e)to(g): Meeting the expenditure of running and maintenance of the institutions come under the purview of respective managements.