

Conduct of Surprise Physical Expert Visit (EVC) to all AICTE approved Institutions – reg.

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Sir/Madam,

Greetings from AICTE!

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AICTE has further been empowered to ensure the implementation of these rules & regulations in the field of technical education.

AICTE while granting Approval carries out verification of documents in respect of the availability of facilities/faculty etc. through scrutiny / re-scrutiny. Further Expert Visit Committee visits the institute premises to verify the infrastructure/classroom and the other facility. Since the year 2020, these visits are carried out virtually in online mode. Only in case of receipt of a complaint/ Court Direction or in case of any other extraordinary circumstances physical visits are conducted. In recent years, particularly in the current year Approval Process has been made simple, fast, transparent, and institute friendly. In the majority of the cases, approval to the institute has been granted based on mutual trust on self-disclosure basis.

Over the years, AICTE has transformed from a Regulator to a Facilitator, a friend, philosopher, and guide to the technical institution. In fact, after the introduction of the National Education Policy 2020, AICTE has initiated several proactive measures towards ease of doing business for Technical Institutions. AICTE has decided to repose trust in the institutions. Approval to the institution is being granted on the basis of mutual trust between AICTE and our Education Partner. This liberal environment is in line with National Educational Policy 2020 and to help in the growth of quality Technical Education in India.

However, the foremost duty and role of AICTE is to ensure global standard Technical Education in India. We are sure that most of our education partners are following AICTE norms. However, like in all other fields, there may be black sheep in the Education Sector also. These institutes may take advantage of the liberal environment and might have violated the norms and standards prescribed by AICTE. Hence, to ensure global standard technical education and to bring these errant/delinquent institutes to book, it has been decided to conduct random physical visits to AICTE Approved institutions.

In view of the above, all AICTE Approved Institutions/ Universities are requested to give the utmost importance to compliance of AICTE norms and be ready for a *Surprise Physical Expert Visit Committee* at their institutions which shall be conducted at randomly selected 5% AICTE-approved institutions.

We are sure our Colleges/ Institutions / Universities will cooperate in this respect. We are also confident that there will be rare instances of delinquent/deficient institutes and the outcome of EVC will prove that AICTE is moving in the right direction of liberalization of the Approval Process.

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