GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION ANDHRA PRADESH::MANGALARI

Dated: 24.03.2023

Memo. No. H/3312/2021

Sub: Technical Education – Academic- Government Polytechnics – Introduction of New Courses – Apply for AICTE approval – Renaming of certain courses in all Polytechnics in A.P. - Certain Instructions Issued – Reg.

- **Ref:** 1. Minutes of the Meeting with Hon' Minister, Skill Development and Training, Dated: 01-11-2022.
 - 2. Minutes of the Meeting with Hon' Minister, Skill Development and Training, Dated:07-12-2022,
 - 3. Minutes of the meeting on restructuring of courses held at O/o CTE, Mangalagiri on 23-02-23
 - 4. Item No. 27 in 61st Board Meeting held on 16-12-2022

It is informed that, introduction of new courses in emerging area(s) would help the student community in their goal of employability or entrepreneurship. Several meetings have been conducted by the Director of Technical Education, A.P in order to introduce new courses and revamp the existing syllabus.

It is informed that in the reference 1st, 2nd and 3rd cited above it was suggested to introducing the following new courses in Govt. Polytechnics.

S. No.	Name of the Polytechnic	Course Proposed	Introduction/Phase Out
1	SVGPT TIRUPATHI	Electronics and Communication Engg (Industry Integrated)	Introducing ECE (Industry Integrated) program in place of Chemical Sugar Technology.
2	GPT SATYAVEDU	Mechanical Engg (R&AC)	Introducing Mechanical Engg(R&AC) in place of Mechanical Engineering.
3	GPT GANNAVARAM	Computer Science Engg	Introducing Computer Science Engg program
4	GPW GUNTUR	Apparel Design and Fashion Technology	Introducing Apparel Design and Fashion Technology in place of Garment Technology.

Further, it is informed that in the reference 4 cited above it was resolved to rename Computer Engineering as Computer Science and Engineering (CSE) and Applied Electronics and Instrumentation as Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering.

It is also informed that the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) has released the approval process handbook for the 2023-24 academic session. The application process for obtaining extension of approval and no objection certificate (NOC) will start from March 23. All the Principals of Govt. and Private Polytechnics in Andhra Pradesh are requested to read carefully and thoroughly the AICTE Approval Process Handbook (APH) 2023-24 and All India Council for Technical Education (Grant of approval for Technical Institution) Regulations, 2020 & 1st Amendment Regulations, 2021 which are available @ www.aicte-india.org before submitting online applications on AICTE Web Portal for the Academic Session 2023-24.

In this connection, Principals of aforesaid Govt. Polytechnics are instructed to apply for approval from AICTE to the aforesaid new courses. Further, all the Principals of Govt. and Private Polytechnics in A.P., are instructed to apply for Computer Science and Engineering (CSE) in place of Computer Engineering and Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering in place of Applied Electronics and Instrumentation.

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To all the Principals of Govt. and Private Polytechnics in the State of Andhra Pradesh Copy to Secretary, SBTET, A.P., Mangalagiri for information Copy to Regional Joint Directors, SVU and AU region for information

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