



## ALL INDIA COUNCIL FOR TECHNICAL EDUCATION

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### PUBLIC NOTICE FOR APPROVAL PROCESS 2018 - 19

AICTE invites applications for approval from all the existing and proposed Technical Institutions for conducting technical Programmes/Courses including courses of Management for the academic session 2018-19 as per the following:

- (a) Applications for "Setting up New Technical Institutions Offering Technical Programmes in Engineering and Technology/Pharmacy/Architecture/Planning/Applied Arts and Crafts/Hotel Management and Catering Technology/Management/MCA at Diploma/Post Diploma/Under Graduate Degree/Post Graduate Degree/Post Graduate Diploma Levels affiliated to University/Board".  
The Institutions approved by the Council of Architecture in the previous Academic Years/ Non-Technical Institutions conducting MCA/MBA seeking approval for the first time from AICTE shall submit an application as a new Technical Institution.  
Institutions Deemed to be Universities seeking approval for the first time from AICTE (in compliance to the order dated 03.11.2017 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court Order CA No. 17869-17870/2017) shall submit an application as a new Technical Institution.  
University Departments/Constituent Colleges/Private Universities seeking approval for the first time from AICTE may submit an application as a new Technical Institution.
- (b) Applications from Existing Technical Institutions offering Technical Programmes in Engineering and Technology/Pharmacy/Architecture/Planning/Applied Arts and Crafts/Hotel Management and Catering Technology/Management/MCA at Diploma/Post Diploma/Under Graduate Degree/Post Graduate Degree/Post Graduate Diploma Levels affiliated to University/Board for "Change of Site/ Location/Closure of Institution/Conversion of Women's Institution into Co-Ed Institution and vice-versa/Conversion of Diploma Level into Degree Level and vice-versa/Extension of Approval/ Continuation of approval after a break in the preceding Academic Year/Restoration/Increase in Intake/ Additional Course(s)/Addition of Integrated/Dual Degree Course/To start Diploma in Degree Pharmacy Institutions and vice-versa/Introduction of Pharm.D. Course/Conversion of Management Institutions running PGDM Course into MBA Course/Conversion of Second Shift Course(s) into First Shift Course(s)/Introduction of Part Time Course(s)/Introduction of Fellowship Programme in Management/Introduction/Continuation of supernumerary seats for OCI/PIO/Foreign Nationals/ Children of Indian Workers in the Gulf Countries/Introduction/Continuation of seats for sons/ daughters of NRIs/Change in name of the Course(s)/Reduction in Intake/Closure of Programme(s) and/or Course(s)/Change in name of the Institution or Affiliating University/Board/Change in name (including merging) of the Trust/Society/Company/Introduction/Continuation of Twinning and Collaboration Programme".
- (c) Applications from Existing Institution offering Technical Programmes at Diploma/Under Graduate Degree and affiliated to Board/University for seeking approval for Introduction of Vocational Education Programme(s) leading to Diploma/Degree in Vocational Education under NSQF.
- (d) **Submission of online applications for the session 2018-19** in respect of all approvals as above shall **begin on 1<sup>st</sup> January, 2018** and **end on 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2018**. The last date for submission of online application for Extension of Approval with penalty (as per the provisions of APH 2018-19) for **existing Institutions only**, is permitted up to **5<sup>th</sup> February, 2018**. It may be noted that there will be no further extension of date under any circumstances.
- (e) **Processing of all applications submitted online for the session 2018-19** in respect of all approvals as above shall **begin on 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2018** and **end on 10<sup>th</sup> April, 2018**.

All applicants are requested to read the AICTE Approval Process Hand Book 2018-19, All India Council for Technical Education (Grant of approval for Technical Institution) Regulations, 2016 and the 1<sup>st</sup> Amendment, 2017 carefully and thoroughly, before submitting online applications on AICTE Web Portal [www.aicte-india.org](http://www.aicte-india.org) for the Academic Session 2018-19.

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Member Secretary, AICTE