



CET records verification to begin on June 5

BENGALURU: The Karnataka Examinations Authority will conduct document verification at 16 centres across the state from June 5 for admission into professional courses, following the publication of Common Entrance Test (CET) results. The list of such centres has been uploaded on the KEA website.

This year, as many as 1,92,905 students appeared for the CET seeking admission into engineering, BSc Agriculture, Bachelor in Veterinary Science, BPharma and PharmaD courses. Out of them 1,46,063 have become eligible for engineering seats, 1,13,999 for agriculture, 1,15,364 for veterinary sciences, 1,47,543 for BPharma and 1,47,728 for Pharma D course.

While the counselling for engineering courses could commence soon, those who wish to opt for medical seats, seats in the Indian Systems of Medicine and architecture courses ought to wait for the results of National Eligibility and Entrance Exam 2018 and NATA and JEE paper 2 scores.

If the CET results of stu-

dents are withheld for want of second PU marks or marks card or poof of date of birth, such students should mail the photocopy or scanned copy of the document to keaauthority-ka@nic.in or submit it in person. Fresh ranks would be given to students after the revaluation results of second PU are given by the department of PU Education, should there be any changes in scores.

With the NEET results yet to be announced, the department said that as far as possible, the schedules would be integrated. "Based on the publication of NEET results, we will try and have the first round of counselling for medical following first round for engineering, and second round for medical courses after the completion of second round of of counselling engineering seats," said V Manjula, additional chief secretary to the government. Last year, after counselling, over 20,000 engineering seats remained vacant.

The admission process would be completed by August 18.

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No clarity yet on engineering course fee

BENGALURU, DHNS: Even as the Karnataka Examinations Authority announced the CET results on Friday, there is still no clarity on fee structure for engineering courses as well sharing of seats.

The department of higher education is yet to convene a meeting with private colleges for fixing of fee for the present academic year. Dr Rajkumar Khatri, principal secretary to higher education department said, "We will convene a meeting with private colleges next week and a call would be taken

on the seat matrix and fee before June 15."

Similar is the situation with medical seats in the state. The results of NEET are also awaited. Representatives of medical colleges, however said that they had been informed by the Karnataka Fee Regulatory Committee that the fee would be hiked by 8%.

Recently, the committee, headed by Justice Shylendra Kumar, had asked the colleges to submit their details on the basis of which the fee would be fixed.