

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

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AICTE APPROVAL FOR ENGINEERING COLLEGES
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether All India Council for Technical Education is granting approval for new Engineering Colleges not having recommendation of concerned State Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of colleges granted so far without recommendations of State Government;
- (d) whether the Government is aware that this unauthorised approval is creating problem in the States Engineering Technical Education; and
- (e) if so, the steps being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KANTI SINGH)

(a) to (e): As per the notification issued by the All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) on November 30, 2005, for establishment of new technical institutions, extension of approval for the existing institutions, introduction of additional courses and variation in intake capacity, the No Objection Certificate from the State Government concerned, is not required. However, while appraising the proposals, due consultation with State Government and affiliating university concerned, will be made by the AICTE as hitherto.