Title: Need to open a regional office of the All India Council of Technical Education (AICTE) in Andhra Pradesh.

SHRI M.V.V.S. MURTHI (VISAKHAPATNAM): Sir, this is an urgent issue which I would like to bring to your kind notice. The technical education is improving every year in our country. In Andhra Pradesh also, several technical colleges have been established and the workload has increased considerably. But the AICTE does not have any office in Hyderabad. Due to which, a lot of inconvenience is caused in developing the technical education. The AICTE is having offices in Chennai and Karnataka and the workload in Andhra Pradesh is much more than what they are having.

Therefore, I would appeal to you to impress upon the Government to open a regional office in Andhra Pradesh urgently so that it can cater to the needs of the people from this academic year itself.