



FEE REGULATORY COMMITTEE (TECHNICAL)

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FEE ORDER

ORDER made in the matters of Babaria Institute of Technology, Varnama, Vadodara (11144) and 61 other institutions for determination of fee structure for the Academic Years 2017-2018, 2018-2019 & 2019-2020:

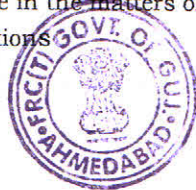
1. In pursuance of the powers conferred upon it, the Fee Regulatory Committee ("the Committee" for short) which is constituted under the provisions of **The Gujarat Professional Technical Educational Colleges or Institutions (Regulation of Admission and Fixation of Fees) Act, 2007 ("the Act" for short)** intimated all the institutions which are subject to the jurisdiction of the Committee, to submit their proposals for determining the fee structure for the block period of 3 years of 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20 together with necessary data. The proposals were invited through online portal in prescribed format vide e-mail and SMS communication dated 07/03/2017. In response to that the institutions as listed in Appendix-I to this order submitted their proposals together with necessary information in prescribed format.
2. Since the determination of fee structure of institutions numbering over 600 was likely to consume time, the Committee with a view to facilitate the process of admission of students to such institutions, issued Circular No.FRC/FeeBlock_2017-20/July-17/141 dated 5th July, 2017 and also other circulars subsequently directing the institutions to collect provisional fee for the year 2017-18 as prescribed by the Committee. The provisional fee of each institution was displayed on the website of the Committee. It was made very clear that it was only by way of an interim measure subject to the final determination of the fee structures of these institutions. It was also



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made clear that if the final fee fixed by the Committee was more than the provisional fee, the institution would be entitled to collect the balance amount from the students and if the final fee was less than the provisional fee, then the institution would be required to refund the difference to the students.

3. The Committee, as a part of exercise of determining the Fee Structure and in consonance with the provisions of the Act resolved to carry out inspection of the infrastructure provided by the Institution to assess the quality thereof in accordance with the norms and qualitative parameters set by the Committee and for that purpose teams of experts were formed. The Committee duly authorized those teams of experts to visit each institution where inspection was required to be carried out and submit their reports to the Committee. The Committee named this program as **"KNOW YOUR COLLEGE"** (**"KYC" for short**). The teams carried detailed inspection, prepared reports thereof and also furnished copies of the reports to the management of the concerned Institution. The teams submitted their reports to the Committee online and also hard copy thereof and the Committee in turn evaluated them and considered qualitative parameters as reflected from the report of the experts. Based on that it gave an appropriate merit percentage to the institution. This exercise has enabled the Committee to properly comply with the provisions of Section-11 of the Act. After due deliberation the Committee also decided to grant premium to the institution securing 60% and above and accordingly granted premium to such institutions subject to the recast of the cost per student for the year 2016-17.
4. The Committee, including its designated Chartered Accountant Member and also a team of duly qualified Chartered Accountants commenced the detailed scrutiny of each proposal. It carried out necessary exercise by following the standard accountancy practice as also its consistent policy and methodology adopted which are evolved essentially keeping in view the provision of the Act to determine the fee structure, while doing so the Committee also kept in view the



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document published on the Committee's website on 04/04/2017 named as "Approach towards determination of the fee for the period three years from 2017-18". Over and above this, as part of this exercise the Committee worked out the cost per student for the year 2016-17, on the basis of the financial data re-cast by team of duly qualified Chartered Accountants.

After due scrutiny as stated above of the proposal submitted by the institution, the Committee arrived at the following findings:-

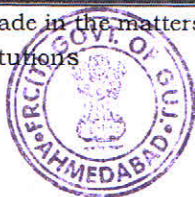
The first and foremost reason for rejection of the fee structure proposed by the institution is that the cost worked out by the institution per student is based on the actual number of the students admitted to the concerned program. This is not permissible because normally the cost should be distributed on the normative intake of the particular program. However, the Committee has not overlooked the present scenario that the actual admission of the students is quite less than the normative intake. The Committee has therefore evolved a via media to see that no injustice is done to the institution and therefore, it has worked out the average of normative intake and actual admission of the students for the particular program and has determined the cost per student accordingly. The result is that even after this exercise, the cost worked out by the Committee per student is less than the cost worked out by the institution per student. Secondly, the committee has taken into account only the expenditures which are directly related to imparting education, whereas the institutions have submitted the audited accounts which also include the expenditures which are not directly related to imparting the education. This is not permissible. Thirdly, the Committee has also found that the proposals of the institutions were based on the projected expenditure. However, on the scrutiny of the data furnished by the institution in support of its proposal it transpired that though in the past projections were granted, the same were not fulfilled and the surplus was generated in the subsequent years.



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Therefore the Committee had a reason to draw adverse inference against the institution and consequently it disallowed the projections. Fourthly, the KYC Score of some of the institutions was not up to the mark. Lastly, the committee has also taken into consideration the element of general inflation for successive years and has given appropriate effect to it.

5. This exercise was carried out for all the institutions as listed in Appendix-I to this order. Accordingly, the Committee arrived at a tentative fee figure for such institutions which was to be finalized subject to the outcome of the personal hearing. The Committee by its letter dated 11/10/2017 intimated these institutions that their tentative fee can be viewed through their login ID or login ID of their sponsoring body on the Fee Committee portal. The Committee also informed the institutions by the said letter that their sponsoring bodies may opt for personal hearing if they were not satisfied with the tentative fee figure arrived at by the Committee. It was also clarified in it that if nothing was heard from any sponsoring body, it would be presumed that the tentative figure of fee was acceptable to it and the same shall be considered as its final fee structure.
6. Sponsoring bodies of 62 institutions as listed in Appendix-1 to this order had opted for personal hearing and accordingly the team authorized by each sponsoring body comprising Head of the institution, Chartered Accountant and the concerned member was heard by the Committee. The team represented in detail its stand regarding the tentative fee arrived at by the Committee. Its main contention was that the tentative fee was inadequate and it required upward revision. It brought to the notice of the Committee relevant documents from the record submitted at the time of hearing in support of its submissions. After careful consideration of the submissions as well as the documents referred to by the team, the Committee found that there was considerable substance in the submissions of the team and therefore, the Committee, by general



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consensus, decided to relook into the issue and grant appropriate increase in the tentative fee.

7. In view of the above, the Committee has now determined the fee structures of the institutions listed in Appendix-I to this order for the block period of 3 years commencing from 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20 which is subject to the following conditions:

(a) The fee structure determined by the Committee shall be binding for a period of three years. The fee so determined shall be applicable to the students admitted in that academic year and shall not be revised till the completion of his/her professional course in the same institution.

(b) As per section 11 (2) of the Act, the fees indicated in Appendix-I to this order, include all types and kinds of fees such as Tuition fees, Library fees, Laboratory fees, Computer Fees, Caution Money, Gymkhana, Internet, Sports and Recreation and Self/Personality Centers fee, University Affiliation fees (if any) and the like. As such the institution shall not collect any other fee from the students except the fees as mentioned in Appendix-I to this order.

8 The institution shall also comply with following additional conditions:

a. If the final fee fixed by the committee is more than the provisional fee then the institution is entitled to collect the balance amount from the students and if the final fee is less than the provisional fee the institution shall refund the difference to the students.

b. The institution shall not take fees for the full course at the time of admission. The fees shall be collected per semester or term of 6 (Six) months as the case may be.

c. The institution shall not ask for any bank guarantee or security of any kind from students or their parents.



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- d. The institution shall not compel any student to avail any facility including hostel and transport as a part of the condition for admission or its continuity till the end of the full tenure of the course.
- e. The institution shall notify the Fees on its Notice Board and also display copy of this order on its Mandatory Disclosure Link on its official website.
- f. Additional fees charged from the students admitted under the NRI Quota shall be credited to separate bank account and the same will be used only for the benefits of the students belonging to economically weaker class and/or for increasing infrastructure facilities. The institution shall also furnish all the information pertaining to the utilization of excess fees from the NRI category students in the information memorandum which may be submitted along with the fee proposal for next block of 3 years.



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Member Secretary

Encl:- Appendix-I

Copy forwarded to:

- (1) The Principal of the institutions as listed in Appendix-I.
- (2) The Principal Secretary (Higher & Technical Education), Education Department, Block No.5, Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar.
- (3) The Director of Technical Education, Block No.2, 6th Floor, Karmayogi Bhavan, Sector 10-A, Gandhinagar.
- (4) The Registrar of affiliating University of the institution.

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1	11144	Babaria Institute Of Technology, Varnama, Vadodara	B.E/B.Tech	101000	106000	112000
2	11138	Chandubhai S. Patel Institute Of Technology, Changa	B.E/B.Tech	115000	121000	128000
3	11581	Dhirubhai Ambani Institute Of Information & Communication Technology, Gandhinagar	B.E/B.Tech	154000	162000	172000
4	11176	Faculty Of Engineering, Marwadi Edu. Foundations Group Of Institutions	B.E/B.Tech	89000	89000	89000
5	11561	Faculty Of Technolgy, Marwadi Edu. Foundations Group Of Institutions	B.E/B.Tech	89000	89000	89000
6	11131	Ganpat University, U. V. Patel College Of Engineering , Kherva, Mehsana	B.E/B.Tech	97000	102000	108000
7	11148	Indus Institute Of Technology & Engineering, Racharda, Ahmedabad	B.E/B.Tech	86000	90000	96000
8	11147	L.D.R.P. Institute Of Tech. & Research, Gandhinagar	B.E/B.Tech	97000	102000	108000
9	11576	Marwadi Education Foundation'S Group Of Inst. Faculty Of PG Studies & Research In Engineering & Technology,Rajkot	B.E/B.Tech	89000	89000	89000
10	11127	Sarvajanik College Of Engineering & Technology, Surat	B.E/B.Tech	106000	111000	118000
11	11570	School Of Engineering & Applied Science, Ahmedabad University, Ahmedabad.	B.E/B.Tech	155000	163000	173000
12	11582	School Of Petroleum Technology, PDPU, Gandhinagar	B.E/B.Tech	211000	221000	234000
13	11599	School Of Technology, GSFC University,Vadodara	B.E/B.Tech	100000	100000	105000
14	11901	School Of Technology, PDPU, Gandhinagar	B.E/B.Tech	211000	221000	234000
15	11184	Shri Swami Atmanand Saraswati Inst.Of Tech., Surat	B.E/B.Tech	66000	69000	73000
16	11179	Silver Oak College Of Engg. & Technology, Ahmedabad	B.E/B.Tech	78000	78000	78000
17	11128	V.V.P. Engineering College, Rajkot	B.E/B.Tech	84000	88000	93000
18	12234	A. R. College Of Pharmacy & G.H.Patel Institute OfPharmacy, (SFI), V.V.Nagar	B.Pharmacy	121000	127000	135000
19	12250	Babaria Institute Of Pharmacy, Varnama, Vadodara	B.Pharmacy	114000	120000	127000
20	12320	Department Of Pharmaceutical Science, Saurashtra University, Rajkot	B.Pharmacy	46000	48000	50000
21	12228	Ganpat University, Shree S. K. Patel College Of Pharmceutical Education And Research, Kherva,Mehsana	B.Pharmacy	85000	89000	95000



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23	12240	Ramanbhai Patel College Of Pharmacy, Changa	B.Pharmacy	116000	122000	130000
24	13102	CEPT University, Faculty Of Architecture, Ahmedabad	B.Arch	288000	302000	320000
25	13104	Faculty Of Architecture, Sarvajani College Of Eng. & Tech, Surat	B.Arch	118000	124000	132000
26	13120	Institute Of Architecture & Planning, Nirama University, Ahmedabad.	B.Arch	185000	194000	206000
27	13116	Institute Of Design Environment & Architecture, Indus University, Ahmedabad	B.Arch	105000	110000	117000
28	13112	Navrachana University, School of Environmental Design and Architecture	B.Arch	100000	105000	111000
29	13111	School of Architecture, Anant National University, Ahmedabad.	B.Arch	79000	83000	88000
30	13115	Shantaben Manubhai Patel School Of Studies & Res. In Architecture & Interior Design, Vallabh Vidyanagar	B.Arch	119000	125000	132000
31	15902	Institute Of Architecture & Planning, Nirama University, Ahmedabad.	B.Planning	115000	121000	128000
32	15901	School of Planning, Anant National University, Ahmedabad previously known as Anant Institute Of Planning, Sanand	B.Planning	72000	76000	81000
33	14102	State Institute Of Hotel Management, Kholvaad, Ta. Siddhpur, Dist. Patan	B.HTM	52000	60000	65000
34	17900	CEPT University, Faculty Of Technology, Ahmedabad	B. CONST. TECHNOLOGY	288000	302000	320000
35	18900	CEPT University, Faculty of Design, Ahmedabad	B.Int Design- 5 YEARS	288000	302000	320000
36	31983	Kalyan Polytechnic, Jamnagar	Diploma Engg.	38000	40000	42000
37	51144	Babaria Institute Of Technology, Varnama, Vadodara	M.E/M.Tech	107000	112000	119000
38	51900	CEPT University, Faculty of Technology, Ahmedabad	M.E/M.Tech	178000	187000	198000
39	51138	Chandubhai S. Patel Institute Of Technology, Changa	M.E/M.Tech	143000	150000	159000
40	51581	Dhirubhai Ambani Institute Of Information & Communication Technology, Gandhinagar	M.E/M.Tech	116000	122000	129000
41	51553	Dr Jivraj Mehta Institute Of Technology, Mogar, Anand	M.E/M.Tech	70000	70000	70000
42	51126	Institute Of Technology, Nirma University, Ahmedabad	M.E/M.Tech	216000	227000	241000



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44	51127	Sarvajanik College Of Engineering & Technology, Surat	M.E/M.Tech	136000	142000	151000
45	52320	Department Of Pharmaceutical Science, Saurashtra University, Rajkot	M.Pharmacy	86000	91000	96000
46	52228	Ganpat University, Shree S. K. Patel College Of Pharmceutical Education And Research, Kherva,Mehsana	M.Pharmacy	138000	144000	153000
47	52226	Institute Of Pharmacy, Nirma University, Ahmedabad	M.Pharmacy	335000	351000	372000
48	53900	Amrut Mody School of Management, Ahmedabad University, Ahmedabad.	MBA	137000	144000	152000
49	53827	Faculty Of Business Management, Marwadi Edu. Foundations Group Of Institutions, Rajkot.	MBA	85000	85000	85000
50	53734	Faculty Of Management, Marwadi Edu. Foundations Group Of Institutions, Rajkot.	MBA	85000	85000	85000
51	53918	Indukaka Ipcowala Institute Of Management, Changa	MBA	116000	122000	129000
52	53729	L J Institute Of Management Studies, Ahmedabad	MBA	77000	81000	86000
53	53738	Noble Engineering College(MBA), Junagadh	MBA	55000	55000	55000
54	53810	Shree Swaminarayan Institute Of Management, Porbandar	MBA	61000	64000	68000
55	54522	Faculty Of Computer Application,Marwadi Edu. Foundations Group Of Institutions	MCA	85000	85000	85000
56	54614	Institute Of Technology, Nirma University, Ahmedabad	MCA	135000	140000	148000
57	54517	L. J. Institute Of Computer Applications, Ahmedabad	MCA	73000	76000	81000
58	54519	L.J.Institute Of Management Studies (MCA), Ahmedabad	MCA	77000	81000	86000
59	54531	Sarvajanik College Of Engineering & Technology (MCA), Surat	MCA	77000	81000	86000
60	54613	Smt. Chandaben Mohanbhai Patel Institute Of Computer Application, Changa	MCA	100000	105000	111000
61	13121	Laxmi Institute Of Architecture, Sarigam, Valsad	B.Arch	66000	69000	74000
62	13109	Shri Gijubhai Chaaganbhai Patel Institute Of Architecture, Interior Design And Fine Arts, Verer Narmad University, Surat	B.Arch	50000	53000	56000



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