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To,
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Sub: - Quarterly Review Meeting on Mandatory 10% Gross Budgetary Support (GBS) expenditure by major Non-exempted Ministries/ Departments in North Eastern Region for 2022-23

Dear Mr. Kaushik,

Inviting reference to the subject mentioned above, Statement showing Allocation and Expenditure under 10% GBS for the North Eastern Region during 2022-23 (upto 30.03.2023) is given below:

(Rs. in Crore)

Account Head	Grant Received	Actual Expenditure upto 1st Quarter (2022-23)		Actual Expenditure upto 2nd Quarter (2022-23)		Actual Expenditure upto 3rd Quarter (2022-23)		Actual Expenditure upto 4th Quarter (2022-23)		Total expected expenditure upto 31.03.2023		Reasons for low Expenditure, if any
		Schematic	Administrative	Schematic	Administrative	Schematic	Administrative	Schematic	Administrative	Schematic	Administrative	
OH 31	180.51		31.74		52.84		54.04		41.80	-	180.42	
OH 35	57.44	4.84		9.00		7.60		32.28		53.71	-	
OH 36	221.78		51.50		55.28		53.00		58.22	-	218.00	
		Total										

With regards,


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To,
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Ministry of Education

Sub: Study-visit of the Public Accounts Committee (2022-23) to Guwahati, Tezpur, Tawang and Shillong from 19th to 25th April, 2023.

Dear Ms.Chauhan,

With reference to the above, the para was raised by C&AG during audit for the financial year 2017-18 & 2018-19. The Institute reply which was submitted to C&AG Audit in this regard can be summarized as follows:

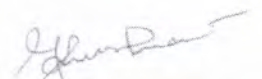
The employer i.e. IIT Guwahati is not the owner of the accommodation as provided to its employees in its campus as these accommodations were built from the grant received from Government of India. As per the OM No. 8(18)/E11(A)/2010, dated 25.06.2010 of Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance, Govt. of India, the Ministries and Departments of the Government of India and Autonomous Bodies under these administrative control are custodians of assets and resources owned by the Government or created from Government funds, hence IIT Guwahati being an autonomous body under the administrative control of the Ministry of Education is only the custodian of the accommodation of the campus as built by the grant received from the Government, whereas the owner of the said accommodation is the Govt. of India. Therefore, when the accommodation is not owned by the employer i.e. IIT Guwahati, then the value of the accommodation determined at the specified rate in terms of section-17 (2) (ii)-Explanation-I (a) (i) of the IT Act, 1961- is not applicable, resulting calculation of 'Nil' perquisite. Therefore, the Rule-3 of the Income Tax Rules, 1962 is also not applicable as the perquisite amount will be "Nil" as per the Section-17 (2) (ii) of the Income Tax Act. Further, the Income Tax Authority has not issued any demand Notice for the periods as mentioned in the audit para to the IIT Guwahati as the same was not applicable under the Section-17 of the IT act as mentioned above. Accordingly, the audit para in this regard may kindly be dropped being not supported by the applicable provision of the IT Act as mentioned.

The matter of valuation of Perquisite Tax to the employees of the Institute residing in the rent free accommodation in the campus has been discussed at length in the 51st meeting of the IIT Council held on 27.04.2017 chaired by the then Hon'ble Minister for Human Resource Development and agreed to take up the matter with the IT Department for exemption from the tax. Accordingly, the then Hon'ble Minister of Human Resource Development also wrote to the Hon'ble Minister of Finance to consider the employees of IITs at par with those in the Govt. of India in regard to the tax on perquisite.

Communications in this regard at regular intervals are received from C&AG and Ministry and accordingly, replies are also forwarded to them. The latest communication with C&AG dated 18th August, 2022 which was forwarded to the Ministry on 18th January' 2023 is enclosed herewith for perusal please.

Director shall attend the meeting on 19th April 2023 along with Registrar and other officials of IIT Guwahati.

With regards,


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दिनांक: 11/04/2023

सेवा में,
सुश्री कविता चौहान
भारत सरकार के अवर सचिव
तकनीकी खंड
उच्च शिक्षा विभाग, शिक्षा मंत्रालय

विषय: 19 से 25 अप्रैल, 2023 तक गुवाहाटी, तेजपुर, तवांग और शिलांग की लोक लेखा समिति (2022-23)
का अध्ययन-दौरा।

प्रिय सुश्री चौहान,

उपरोक्त के संदर्भ में, वित्तीय वर्ष 2017-18 और 2018-19 के ऑडिट के दौरान सी एंड ए जी द्वारा पैरा उठाया गया था। इस संबंध में सी एंड ए जी लेखापरीक्षा को प्रस्तुत किया गया संस्थान का उत्तर निम्नानुसार सारांशित किया जा सकता है:

नियोक्ता, यानी आई आई टी गुवाहाटी अपने परिसर में अपने कर्मचारियों को प्रदान किए गए आवासों का मालिक नहीं है क्योंकि ये आवास भारत सरकार से प्राप्त अनुदान से बनाए गए थे। व्यय विभाग, वित्त मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार के कार्यालय ज्ञापन संख्या 8(18)/ई11(ए)/2010, दिनांक 25.06.2010 के अनुसार। भारत सरकार, भारत सरकार के मंत्रालय और विभाग और इन प्रशासनिक नियंत्रण के तहत स्वायत्त निकाय सरकार के स्वामित्व वाली या सरकारी निधि से बनाई गई संपत्ति और संसाधनों के संरक्षक हैं, इसलिए आई आई टी गुवाहाटी मंत्रालय के प्रशासनिक नियंत्रण के तहत एक स्वायत्त निकाय है। शिक्षा केवल सरकार से प्राप्त अनुदान से निर्मित परिसर के आवास की संरक्षक है, जबकि उक्त आवास की स्वामी भारत सरकार है। इसलिए, जब आवास नियोक्ता यानी आई आई टी गुवाहाटी के स्वामित्व में नहीं है, तो धारा -17 (2) (ii) - स्पष्टीकरण- I (a) (i) के अनुसार निर्दिष्ट दर पर निर्धारित आवास का मूल्य आई टी अधिनियम, 1961- लागू नहीं है, जिसके परिणामस्वरूप 'शून्य' अनुलाभ की गणना होती है। इसलिए, आयकर नियम, 1962 का नियम-3 भी लागू नहीं होता है क्योंकि आयकर अधिनियम की धारा-17 (2) (ii) के अनुसार अनुलाभ राशि "शून्य" होगी। इसके अलावा, आयकर प्राधिकरण ने आई आई टी गुवाहाटी को ऑडिट पैरा में उल्लिखित अवधि के लिए कोई डिमांड नोटिस जारी नहीं किया है क्योंकि यह आई टी अधिनियम की धारा-17 के तहत लागू नहीं था, जैसा कि ऊपर उल्लेख किया गया है। तदनुसार, इस संबंध में ऑडिट पैरा को कृपया उल्लेखित आई टी अधिनियम के लागू प्रावधान द्वारा समर्थित नहीं होने के कारण हटा दिया जाए।

तत्कालीन माननीय मानव संसाधन मंत्री की अध्यक्षता में दिनांक 27.04.2017 को आयोजित आई आई टी परिषद की 51वीं बैठक में परिसर में किराया मुक्त आवास में रहने वाले संस्थान के कर्मचारियों के लिए अनुलाभ कर के मूल्यांकन के मामले पर विस्तार से चर्चा की गई है। संसाधन विकास और कर से छूट के मामले को आई टी विभाग के साथ उठाने पर सहमत हुए। तदनुसार, तत्कालीन माननीय मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्री ने भी माननीय वित्त मंत्री को आई आई टी के कर्मचारियों को सरकार के समकक्ष मानने के लिए लिखा था। भारत के अनुलाभ पर कर के संबंध में।

इस संबंध में सी एंड ए जी और मंत्रालय से नियमित अंतराल पर पत्र प्राप्त होते रहते हैं और तदनुसार उन्हें उत्तर भी भेजे जाते हैं। सी एंड ए जी के साथ दिनांक 18 अगस्त, 2022 का नवीनतम पत्र जो मंत्रालय को 18 जनवरी, 2023 को भेजा गया था, कृपया अवलोकन के लिए इसके साथ संलग्न है।

निदेशक 19 अप्रैल 2023 को आई आई टी गुवाहाटी के रजिस्ट्रार और अन्य अधिकारियों के साथ बैठक में भाग लेंगे।

शुभकामनाओं सहित

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To,
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Sub: Study-visit of the Committee on Papers Laid on the Table, Rajya Sabha to Imphal, Shillong and Guwahati from 17th to 21st April, 2023

Madam,

Inviting reference to the subject, I am hereby forwarding details of official nominated from IIT Guwahati as Liaison Officer for the committee's visit, for your information please:

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With regards,

REGISTRAR (i/c)

O. Contractual Employees

29.(a) Kindly furnish post-wise of total employees and years of working on contract basis in the University.

Reply: The list is provided as **Annexure 1(Project mode under R&D Section)**.

(b) Whether the employees of such agencies are provided adequate salary as per Minimum Wages Act, medical and PPF facilities etc. Kindly enumerate the existing mechanism to ensure payment of minimum wages to such employees as per Minimum Wages Act.

Reply: Yes, Payment of wages is as per norms of the funding agency. The wages of the employees are as per the Salary structure under R&D Section. **List is provided as Annexure 2.**

(c) Whether the interests of serving employees, especially the SCs/STs employees are being adversely affected as a result of such contractual appointments. If so, the remedial measures being taken by the University

Reply: Not applicable.

(d) Whether there are any cases of contractual employee(s) working for more than 10, years in the University? If so, details thereof with the reasons for not to regularize them.

Reply: Not applicable.

(e) Whether the University is aware that there is provision to provide reservation on Contractual engagement as per DoPT OM issued on 24.09.1968 and reiterated on 15.05.2018? If so, what is the status of implementation of above DoPT orders?

Reply: Not related as it is fully Contractual post (Project mode) under Research & Development.



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To,
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Ministry of Education / शिक्षा मंत्रालय

Sub: - Lok Sabha Unstarred Diary no:1385 dated 24.07.2023 on Indian Educational Institutions in QS World Ranking

Dear Ms. Chauhan,

With reference to subject, please find the appended reply:

- IIT Guwahati was ranked 364 in World University Ranking globally and in 'Research Citations per Faculty' category was ranked 32nd rank globally
- IIT Guwahati has been on the path of improvement in the QS ranking Global Rankling. IIT Guwahati has gained rank 364 in World University Ranking globally in 2024 which marks an improvement of 20 places by the IIT Guwahati, which was ranked 384 in the 2023 edition of the QS World University rankings. In 'Research Citations per Faculty' category IIT Guwahati was ranked 32nd rank globally in 2024, which was an improvement of 5 places (37th in 2023)
- As above
- Ministry may please like to respond
- Ministry may please like to respond
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With regards,


REGISTRAR (i/c)

Submitted in google form

Research and Development (R&D) in Higher Education

1. *What are the steps being undertaken by the Ministry towards the strategic focus and vision of our institutions regarding research and development activities?*

Response: The Ministry has taken several steps for improvement of Higher Education Institutes of Northeast. Specifically, Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Samagra Shiksha, Assam, (SSA) under the Rashtriya Avishkar Abhiyan of the Ministry of Education to develop scientific temper and strengthen students' ability to handle challenging environment. This would lead to development of scientific temper among school students. Under the Rashtriya Avishkar Abhiyan of the Ministry of Education, the Institute is collaborating with other higher education Institutes of the state for mentoring higher secondary schools across Assam.

As India marked 75 years of independence and celebrated Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati organized "The North-Eastern Research Conclave" from 20-22nd May 2022 with the help of the Ministry. In this, mass awareness was created on Research and Innovation for Sustainable Society. There was knowledge exchange and dissemination leading to establishing centres of Excellences in Research and Innovation. The Conclave brought together over 5000 participants with a footfall of more than 15000 participants. It revolutionized the R&D road map of all the NE states through various dissemination of policies, which will benefit the sustainable development of all NE states. Multiple collaborations have been established for the benefit of the Institute in particular and the North East in general.

IIT Guwahati had recently hosted the first Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission (ABDM) workshop with other northeastern states to understand the challenges faced by the states and support them to prepare a future roadmap. The state mission directors and their representatives from Assam, Meghalaya, Manipur, Mizoram, Arunachal Pradesh, Nagaland, Tripura and Sikkim participated in this workshop and showcased their way forward and support required from the National Health Authority, Government of India.

The Ministry of Education regularly seeks for research proposals from IIT Guwahati for bringing about a major development in the Northeast and transforming it to a technologically advanced, cleaner and greener state.

2. *Are there specific mechanisms in place to foster collaboration between our institution and external stakeholders, such as industry partners, government agencies, or non-profit organizations?*

Response: Indeed there are specific mechanisms in place. The Ministry initiates several Schemes and proposals through its Departments for which an Institute can get grant and support such as Infrastructural support and financial support. These schemes often require collaborations with other institutes, industry partners and other agencies. IIT Guwahati has signed several MoUs with different Government stakeholders.

IIT Guwahati has submitted a DST SATHI Scheme proposal for Infrastructural support and facilities in the form of equipment focusing on Healthcare and sustainable energy. For this scheme, IIT Guwahati has formed a cluster along with USTM Meghalaya, AIIMS Guwahati, NIPER Guwahati, IASST, Guwahati Biotech Park and Kaziranga University.

IIT Guwahati has demonstrated progress in every possible area of academic and research growth and has also ensured the enhancement of outreach with Govt. of India and Govt. of Assam; industries; other institutions, PSUs, International agencies etc. for contributing towards nation- building. Installation of PARAM KAMRUPA Super Computer Facility by the President of India, collaboration with state authorities for setting up a medical school to improve the healthcare infrastructure of the North East region, in addition to the agreement with national and international academia and industry, and record-high placements, improved research output, supporting startups to boost entrepreneurship ecosystem in North East region are some highlights of achievements of IIT Guwahati since the year 2022. In August 2022, IIT-Guwahati established the ICMR-DHR Centre of Excellence for Biomedical Device and Diagnostics Innovation and Commercialization to cater the technological needs of rural India with a focus on healthcare delivery to the last-mile population.

IIT Guwahati has set up a TePP Outreach cum Cluster Innovation Center, which is an outreach centre of the Department of Scientific & Industrial Research that helps in promoting innovations specially using local indigenous technologies. There is also a Scheme for Promoting Innovations, Start-ups and MSME's (PRISM) that helps individual innovators to become technology-based entrepreneurs. PRISM scheme helps to fund technology development as per the needs of the innovators. The other key institutions in this area include Gauhati University, NIPER, NEIST, Dibrugarh University, Assam University, North Eastern Hill University, Nagaland University and many more. The universities are collaborating amongst themselves through different platforms and focusing on job oriented programmes. With the support of UGC and Government in the form of funds, there has been a constant striving towards innovations using indigenous technologies.

IIT Guwahati and Government of Assam signed a MoU in May 2022 to establish The Assam Advanced Health Innovation Institute (AAHII). This will involve setting up a Research Institution to leverage advanced

technologies to transform medical science. The scope of this collaboration involves establishing a Research Institute and Post Graduate Medical College Offering Advanced Medical Degrees - DNB, MD, PhD, MS and MD-PhD, 350- bedded Connected Multi-Specialty Hospital spread over 50000 sq. meter in existing IIT, Guwahati campus with an Outlay of Rs. 546 Crores.

For student exchanges and collaborative research, IIT Guwahati has established MoU with 130+ national and international institutes of repute and is a member of various international networks such as Asia Technological University network and European Union's Heritage Network.

There are various other multilateral collaborations and we are working on several more.

3. Are there initiatives or programs in place to promote the dissemination of research findings through publications, conferences, and other knowledge-sharing platforms?

Response: The Research & Development Section of IIT Guwahati is publishing quarterly newsletters to share and disseminate the research activities of IITG to all the stakeholders. In the Newsletter, the MoUs, Projects and achievements of the Institute are mentioned. There is conduction of workshops, seminars and conferences by different departments, centers and schools at IIT G. There are round-table discussions and brainstorming sessions during these conferences and workshops in which we identify potential partners, collaborators and champions who can help in implementing specific interventions in future.

The Ministry of Education has recently started a scheme for MOOC-compliant e-content creation. MOOC expands as Massive Open Online Course, which refers to the process of course delivery through an online portal open for anyone with an Internet connection. Thousands of students and schoolteachers can actively enroll for such open, online course offerings. In the first phase of the NPTEL project, IITG has developed 05 video courses and 15 web courses and in the second phase, IITG has developed 16 video courses and 64 web courses. These courses enable all the eight states of Northeast to avail its quality courses. More of such course materials can be created in the near future in order to meet the requirements. These courses can even be collaborated with Higher Education Institutes of high repute in North East such as Gauhati University, North Eastern Hill University, Tezpur University, Mizoram University and many more.

The Centre for Educational Technology (CET) was established in the year 2003 at IIT Guwahati. It is a central facility of the institute to assist Teaching-Learning Process. It is involved in developing Educational Technology besides conducting Academic, Soft skill & Welfare Training programs for Faculty, Staff and Students. It administers projects under

the National Mission for Education through Information Communication Technology (NMEICT). Prestigious national projects such as NPTEL, Virtual Laboratory, Ekalpa etc. are coordinated under CET. It collaborates with other IITs & Institutions under the NMEICT. It also administers national Quality Improvement Programs under QIP as a Zonal Centre for the Northeast.

The Institute is in the process of framing more effective R&D policies that will strengthen the research management structure in a more comprehensive manner.



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Dated: 18.07.2023

To,
Ms. Kavita Chauhan / कविता चौहान
Under Secretary (IITs) / अवर सचिव
Department of Higher Education / उच्चतर शिक्षा विभाग
Ministry of Education / शिक्षा मंत्रालय

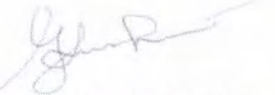
Sub: - Provisionally Admitted Rajya Sabha Question Diary No.S454 to be answered on 26.07.2023 regarding the "Rising number of migration of Indian students to foreign countries"- reg.

Dear Ms. Chauhan,

With reference to subject, please find the appended reply:

- Number of students who pursued their higher studies in foreign countries in the last five years – 160.
Number of students who have started working outside India in the past five years – Data not available.
- Whether the government has any data or studies that analyse the reasons behind the migration of Indian Students, particularly those with advanced degrees, details thereof – Ministry may reply suitably.
- Whether the government has undertaken any initiatives to strengthen collaborations between Indian educational institutions and foreign universities to reduce the need for them to seek education abroad, details thereof – Ministry may reply suitably.
- If not, the reason thereof – N/A

With regards,


REGISTRAR (i/c)

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (IITS)

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			UG	PG	Ph.D		UG	PG	Ph.D	
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Date: 28.07.2023

To,
Mr. Ashwini Kumar
Assistant Section Officer
Technical Section-I (IITs)
Department of Higher Education,
Ministry of Education
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

Sub: Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No 1965 regarding Abuse against LGBTQI community

Dear Mr. Kumar,

With reference to subject, following is the information pertaining to the Institute:

SI No	Query	Reply
1	Whether it is cognizant that 64% students from the third gender or LGBTQI community faces abuse and discrimination in Educational Institutions in the country	No.
2	If so, the present status of gender sensitization programme available in educational institutions in the country, State-wise	We have gender equality committee, which conducts programme for gender sensitization
3	The details of the number of educational institutions with gender-neutral restrooms, State-wise?	Yes, but in few selected places.

प्रभारी कुलसचिव/ Registrar (i/c)



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सेवा में,

संदर्भ : AD/493/MoE/2021/Vol.IV/2206
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अवर सचिव
शिक्षा मंत्रालय
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तकनीकी अनुभाग -1

विषय: अनुसूचित जाति और अनुसूचित जनजाति के कल्याण पर संसदीय समिति की गुवाहाटी की अध्ययन यात्रा।

महोदय,

विषय का संदर्भ आमंत्रित करते हुए, आपके ईमेल दिनांक 18.10.2023 के जवाब में टिप्पणियों पर उत्तर निम्नलिखित हैं:-

प्रश्न डी-12: पिछले 10 वर्षों में विद्यार्थियों को दी गई एस सी/एस टी छात्रवृत्ति की संख्या में कमी के कारण।

उत्तर : एस सी टी/एस टी आवेदकों की संख्या हर वर्ष घट रही थी। उदाहरण के लिए, वर्ष 2022-23 में प्राप्त आवेदन 137 थे। सभी पात्र विद्यार्थियों (124 संख्या) को छात्रवृत्ति प्रदान की गई।

प्रश्न ई-18: कृपया शिक्षण और गैर-शिक्षण संवर्ग के लिए अभ्यर्थियों के चयन हेतु चयन समिति की प्रक्रिया का विवरण प्रदान करें।

उत्तर: भर्ती नियम के अनुसार शिक्षण संवर्ग के लिए अभ्यर्थियों के चयन हेतु चयन समिति की चरण दर चरण प्रक्रिया इस प्रकार है:

1. संबंधित विभाग/स्कूल/केंद्रों से संकाय की आवश्यकता प्राप्त करना।
2. संस्थान की वेबसाइट पर विज्ञापन जारी करना।
3. विज्ञापन की अंतिम तिथि के बाद, विभाग संकाय सलाहकार समिति (डीएफएसी) द्वारा शॉर्ट-लिस्टिंग और अनुमोदन के लिए संस्थान संकाय सलाहकार समिति (आई एफ ए सी) को भेजा जाता है।
4. आई एफ ए सी की मंजूरी के बाद, साक्षात्कार की तारीख तय करना और शॉर्ट-लिस्ट किए गए अभ्यर्थियों को सेमिनार और साक्षात्कार में भाग लेने के लिए कॉल लेटर जारी करना।
5. चयन समिति का गठन एवं चयन समिति की बैठक निर्धारित कार्यक्रम के अनुसार।
6. चयन समिति की अनुशंसा।



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7. शासी मंडल (बीओजी) या अध्यक्ष, बीओजी द्वारा सिफारिश का अनुमोदन।

8. चयनित अभ्यर्थियों को ऑफर लेटर भेजना।

'केंद्रीय' गजट अधिसूचना शैक्षणिक संस्थान (शिक्षक संवर्ग में आरक्षण) अधिनियम-2019, जारी होने के उपरांत आई आई टी गुवाहाटी में शिक्षण पदों के लिए आरक्षण नीति अपनाई गई है। वर्ष 2019 के बाद अंतिम चयन समिति के कार्यवृत्त की प्रतियाँ इसके साथ संलग्न हैं। (परिशिष्ट-बी)

गैर-शिक्षण संवर्ग के लिए अभ्यर्थियों के चयन के लिए चयन समिति की चरण-दर-चरण प्रक्रिया इस प्रकार है:

1. 10:1.1 के अनुपात का पालन करते हुए बीओजी के अनुमोदन से पदों की स्वीकृति।
2. भर्ती प्रक्रिया शुरू करने का प्रस्ताव प्राप्त किया जाएगा।
3. पदों के आरक्षण के संबंध में संपर्क अधिकारी से सत्यापन प्राप्त किया जाएगा
4. संस्थान की वेबसाइट और समाचार पत्रों में विज्ञापन जारी करना।
5. विज्ञापन की अंतिम तिथि के बाद, सक्षम प्राधिकारी द्वारा शॉर्ट-लिस्टिंग समिति का गठन किया जाना है।
6. शॉर्टलिस्टिंग समिति की रिपोर्ट का अनुमोदन प्राप्त करना।
7. भर्ती नियम के अनुसार चयन समिति का गठन एवं चयन समिति की बैठक अनुसूची।
8. चयन समिति की अनुशंसा।
9. सक्षम प्राधिकारी द्वारा अनुशंसा का अनुमोदन।
10. चयनित अभ्यर्थियों को ऑफर लेटर भेजा जाना।

प्रश्न जी-22 (i)-(ii): कृपया पद और अदालती मामले का संक्षिप्त विवरण प्रदान करें।

उत्तर: परिशिष्ट -ए के रूप में संलग्न।

प्रश्न एच-23 (बी): कृपया प्रश्न में मांगी गई संकाय पदों के रोस्टर की स्थिति भी प्रदान करें।

उत्तर: इसके लिए गठित एक समिति ने पहले ही रोस्टर की तैयारी से संबंधित अपनी रिपोर्ट प्रस्तुत कर दी है और अनुमोदन के लिए प्रेषित है।

समिति द्वारा तैयार किया गया ड्राफ्ट रोस्टर इसके साथ संलग्न है। (परिशिष्ट - बी)



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प्रश्न 29 (ए): अपेक्षित जानकारी प्रदान की जा सकती है।

उत्तर: परिशिष्ट – सी के रूप में संलग्न।

भवदीय

कुलसचिव (प्रभारी)

परिशिष्ट-ए

तकनीकी अधिकारी ग्रेड II (अभिकल्प विभाग) के पद के संबंध में विस्तृत विवरण इस प्रकार है:

1. समाचार पत्र में क्रमांक आईआईटीजी/आर/06/2016 दिनांक 30.05.2016 के माध्यम से एक विज्ञापन प्रकाशित किया गया था। पदों की संख्या 03 थी (कम्प्यूनिकेशन लैब के लिए - 01 पद और मीडिया लैब के लिए - 02 पद)। पद के लिए आरक्षण था: यू आर = 02; एस टी = 01.

विज्ञापन में तकनीकी अधिकारी ग्रेड II के पद के लिए सामान्य भर्ती नियम के अनुसार आवश्यक योग्यता और अनुभव का उल्लेख किया गया था: प्रासंगिक विषय में बी ई/बी.टेक/एम.एस सी. अधिमानतः एक वर्ष का कार्य अनुभव। चूंकि, डिज़ाइन विभाग के लिए आवश्यक योग्यता बी.डेस/एम.डेस है, योग्यता में बदलाव के लिए अनुरोध प्राप्त हुआ था। इसलिए, वेबसाइट में शुद्धिपत्र देने का निर्णय लिया गया है।

2. विज्ञापन संख्या आई आई टी जी/आर/11/2016 दिनांक 15.09.2016, के माध्यम से पद को फिर से विज्ञापित किया गया था। योग्यता में परिवर्तन इस प्रकार किया गया - बी.डेस/एम.डेस या डिज़ाइन प्रासंगिक विषयों में मास्टर्स और अधिमानतः एक वर्ष के कार्य अनुभव के साथ। पदों की संख्या 03 थी (कम्प्यूनिकेशन लैब के लिए - 01 पद और मीडिया लैब के लिए - 02 पद)। पद के लिए आरक्षण था: यू आर = 02; एस टी = 01।

इस विज्ञापन में कहा गया है - "जिन लोगों ने हमारे विज्ञापन क्रमांक आई आई टी जी/आर/06/2016 दिनांक 30.05.2016 के लिए आवेदन किया है उन्हें दोबारा आवेदन करने की आवश्यकता नहीं है। हालाँकि, यदि वे चाहें तो डाक द्वारा आवश्यक जानकारी भेजकर अपने आवेदन को अपडेट कर सकते हैं।

3. आवेदनों की जाँच के लिए एक शॉर्टलिस्टिंग समिति का गठन किया गया था। शॉर्टलिस्टिंग समिति ने पद के लिए आवेदन करने वाले 30 आवेदकों में से 09 आवेदकों को शॉर्टलिस्ट किया। रिपोर्ट में, शॉर्टलिस्टिंग समिति ने कहा था कि "एसटी वर्ग के लिए कोई उपयुक्त अभ्यर्थी नहीं प्राप्त नहीं हुए हैं"।

4. चयन समिति की बैठक 20.02.2017 को हुई थी। समिति ने इस पद के लिए दो यू आर श्रेणी के अभ्यर्थियों का चयन किया था।

5. उसके उपरांत, संस्थान ने विज्ञापन संख्या क्रमांक आई आई टी जी/आर/05/2017 दिनांक 24.04.2017, के माध्यम से तकनीकी अधिकारी ग्रेड II (अभिकल्प विभाग) के रिक्त बैकलॉग एस टी पद का विज्ञापन दिया था। हालाँकि शॉर्टलिस्टिंग समिति द्वारा किसी भी अभ्यर्थी को शॉर्टलिस्ट नहीं किया गया था।

6. इस बीच, श्री मृणाल कांति चक्रवर्ती, जो दिनांक 15.09.2016 के उक्त विज्ञापन के लिए अभ्यर्थियों में से एक थे, ने 1701/2019 दिनांक 12.03.2019 द्वारा एक रिट याचिका दायर की। उनके द्वारा माननीय उच्च न्यायालय के समक्ष विज्ञापन संख्या आईआईटीजी/आर/11/2016 दिनांक 15.09.2016 और विज्ञापन संख्या आईआईटीजी/आर/05/2017 दिनांक 24.04.2017 के लिए किए गए चयन पर प्रश्न उठाने और/या उसे रद्द करने की प्रार्थना की गई।

7. इसके उपरांत, विज्ञापन गया। क्रमांक आईआईटीजी/आर/11/2019 दिनांक 14.10.2019, के माध्यम से पद को बैकलॉग पोस्ट (एस टी के लिए आरक्षित) के रूप में पुनः विज्ञापित किया गया।

8. उसके उपरांत, सहायक कुलसचिव (कानूनी मामलों) दिनांक 18.10.2019 का एक नोट, जिसे तत्कालीन उप निदेशक द्वारा अनुशंसित किया गया था, प्राप्त हुआ है, जिसमें कहा गया है कि उक्त पद के लिए भर्ती प्रक्रिया को रोका जा सकता है। माननीय गौहाटी उच्च न्यायालय ने अपने आदेश दिनांक 15.03.2019 के माध्यम से कहा है कि, यदि बाद के विज्ञापन के संदर्भ में अब तक कोई नियुक्ति नहीं की गई है, तो माननीय न्यायालय की अनुमति के बिना आगे कोई नियुक्ति नहीं की जानी चाहिए।

9. तदनुसार उक्त पद (विज्ञापन संख्या आईआईटीजी/आर/11/2019 दिनांक 14.10.2019 के माध्यम से विज्ञापित) को रद्द करने के लिए प्राधिकरण को एक नोट दिया गया था। प्राधिकरण ने संस्थान के लीगल सेल से कानूनी राय ली और विज्ञापन रद्द करने की मंजूरी प्रदान किया।

LSUQ 90 for 04.12.2023 regarding Vacant Post of Assistant Professors, Associate Professors of SCs and STs in Central Universities/IIMs and IITs

S.No.	Name of the IITs	2016-17	2017-18	2020-21	2021-22	Posts filled as on date					
						2016-17	2017-18	2020-21	2021-22		
6	IIT Guwahati	SC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	5	
		ST	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	2	
		SC	NA	NA	NA	NA	SC-81ST-46	SC-88ST-50	SC-93ST-52	SC-93ST-52	4
		ST	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1

*includes vacancy of Assistant Professor / Associate Professor / Professor in view of the flexi cadre being followed.



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Technical Section -I

Sub: Provisionally Admitted Question for the Rajya Sabha Diary No. - U1110 for 06.12.2023 regarding negative perceptions regarding mathematics

Dear Sir,

Inviting reference to the subject, following is the reply to the queries:

- a) Whether the government has taken note of the fact that the negative perceptions regarding mathematics are often carried into adulthood with students developing fear and prejudice towards science, technology, engineering and mathematic (STEM) disciplines?

Reply: no such information is available pertaining to the subject matter.

- b) If so, the details of the corrective steps that are proposed to be taken by the government keeping in mind that STEM education can prepare students for careers in fields such as computer science., engineering, biotechnology and other emerging technologies?

Reply: Ministry may reply suitably

With regards,


REGISTRAR (i/c)



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Technical Section -I

Sub: - Rajya Sabha Starred/Unstarred Question Diary No. S1033 to be answered on 13/12/2023 regarding " Extension of campuses IITs in the country"

Dear Sir,

With reference to subject, please find the appended reply:

- a) Whether Government have undertaken for extension of campuses of IITs in the country for the benefit of students, details thereof IIT-wise;

Reply: Government may reply suitably.

- b) What is the status of extension of campus on IITs and whether there is any timeline for completion of work, IIT-wise, details thereof;

Reply: There is no plan to extend the campus of IIT Guwahati as of now.

With regards,


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Sub: - Lok Sabha Starred/Unstarred Question Diary No. 3534 to be answered on 11/12/2023 regarding " Enrollment of Ph.D Programmes".

- (a) whether it is true that enrollment of Ph.D programmes at IITs has come down
Reply: No
(b) if so, the reasons behind this downward trajectory among best STEM colleges in the country;
Reply: NA
(c) the number of Ph.D applications in IISc during the last five years and the current year, year-wise;
Reply: NA
(d) the reasons that above premier Institutions in spite of having record faculty strength and huge research funds students are not registering for Ph.D programmes;
Reply: NA
(e) the efforts being made by the Government to reverse this trend?
Reply: NA

With regards,

REGISTRAR (i/c)



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Sub: - Rajya Sabha Starred/Unstarred Question Diary No. S209 to be answered on 13/12/20233 regarding " Research Papers retracted by IITs"

Dear Sir,

With reference to subject, please find the appended reply:

(a) Whether Indian Institutes of Technology had to retract a number of research papers in the last two decades; if so the reasons thereof;

No such information is available.

(b) Whether this action on the part of IITs has affected on the scientific reputation of the country;

No applicable.

(c) What are the corrective measures taken in this regard;

As precautionary measures, Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati is subscribing to one of the most reputed anti-plagiarism software since April 2014.

(d) Whether any advisory has been issued to the authors of the research papers;

No.

With regards,

REGISTRAR (i/c)



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Sub: - Lok Sabha Starred/Unstarred Question Diary No. 3534 to be answered on 11/12/2023 regarding " Enrollment of Ph.D Programmes".

- (a) whether it is true that enrollment of Ph.D programmes at IITs has come down
Reply: No
- (b) if so, the reasons behind this downward trajectory among best STEM colleges in the country;
Reply: NA
- (c) the number of Ph.D applications in IISc during the last five years and the current year, year-wise;
Reply: NA
- (d) the reasons that above premier Institutions in spite of having record faculty strength and huge research funds students are not registering for Ph.D programmes;
Reply: NA
- (e) the efforts being made by the Government to reverse this trend?
Reply: NA

With regards,

REGISTRAR (i/c)

	Admitted Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No 1363 for 11.12.2023 regarding 'Increase of Suicide cases of Students in HEIs, IITs, IIMs & NITs'	
	Institute	(h) the number of students dropped out from IIT Madras since 2014 till dated alongwith reasons (Only IIT Madras)
8	IIT Guwahati	<p>(g) whether there have been instances where students from marginalised communities were being asked their entrance test ranks during campus recruitment in various IITs and if so, the details thereof;</p> <p>No such official complaint has been received from the marginalizd communities. Besides, IIT Guwahati has not mandated the students to fill thier entrance test ranks in the campus recruitment.</p>



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Sub: - Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 346 for 06.12.2023 regarding 'Drug abuse in educational Institutions reg.

Dear Sir,

With reference to subject, please find the appended reply:

Questionnaires	Reply from IIT Guwahati
(a) Whether Government is aware of the accelerated rate of drug abuse among school and college students?	No, IIT Guwahati is not in a position to answer if government is aware of accelerated drug abuse as no such survey was performed at our institute.
(b) Whether there is any pragmatic and Student-centric action plan to address this serious social issue;	There is a proper student friendly plan in place at IIT Guwahati to prevent substance abuse.
(c) If so, details thereof?	1. IIT Guwahati has a team of highly experienced counselors who are dedicated to monitoring and supporting the mental health of students. 2. The proactive approach of the institute ensures that students are less likely to resort to substance abuse at the first instance. 3. A supportive and positive environment is created to enable students to approach consultant psychiatrists whenever required. 4. Furthermore, the Students Welfare Board is dedicated round the clock to maintain vigilance and preventing substance abuse. 5. The staff and security are also sensitized on handling issues of substance abuse and all are proactively involved in organizing awareness programs aimed at promoting well-being.
(d) whether Government is planning to undertake a nationwide awareness programme to curb the problem of drug abuse among students and if so, the details thereof?	Ministry may please like to reply suitably

With regards,


REGISTRAR (i/c)



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Sub: - Lok Sabha Starred Question Diary No. 2625 to be answered on 11/12/20233 regarding " Discriminatory Recruitment Practices Complaints of Reserved Category Students".

Dear Sir,

With reference to subject, please find the appended reply pertaining to IIT Guwahati:

Question	Response
(a) Whether the IIT's of the Country/Government received complaints of discriminatory recruitment practices to sideline Reserved Category students like SC/ST and Backward Classes?	No
(b) If so details thereof;	NA
(c) the steps taken by the Government to check such alarming situation in Government owned Higher institutes of the country?	IIT Guwahati does not discriminate students on the basis of caste.
(d) the details of such private companies who forced the students to reveal their caste and entrance rank list details?	No such information available

With regards,


REGISTRAR (i/c)

Rajya Sabha for 13/12/2023 Starred/Unstarred Diary No.S3066 regarding Post Doctoral Fellowship in the Country

Sl.No.	Name of the Institute	(a) What is the total number of post-doctoral research position available with various national institutes and universities in the country	(b) Provide the number of subject-wise seats available at each universities/institutes for Post-Doctoral research	(c) Details of fellowship given to Post doctoral fellows and the amount allocated by the union government	(d) whether government is considering to increase the total number of post doctoral positions and fellowships in the country?
8	IIT Guwahati	IPDF: 39 ; ICMR RA: 1 ; NPDF: 14 ; DBT Women Scientist : 1 ; Inspire Faculty: 1 ,Ramanujan Fellow: 3;	There is no subject-wise breakup at this time.	IPDF Salary: 54000+18% HRA + NPDF: 55000+ 16/18% HRA; Inspire Faculty: 135000(consolidated) + DST :55000+ 18% HRA ; DBT RA: 47000+18% HRA	Ministry may please like to reply suitably

Admitted version unstarred Question no. 1428 regarding "Making Education and Employment Accessible for PwDs".

Sl.No.	Name of the Institutions	Steps taken to make education accessible for People with Disabilities (PwDs)
6	IIT Guwahati	<p>The following steps have been taken for Making Education and Employment Accessible for persons with benchmark disabilities by IIT Guwahati:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Policy of 5% reservation in admission and recruitment to various programmes and posts is being followed by IIT Guwahati. b) An additional time @ 20 Minutes per hour of examination to persons with benchmark disabilities. c) Provision for scribe during examination to persons with benchmark disabilities. d) Laptops as learning equipment are provided to first year BTech/BDes/MA/MSc students of PwD category. e) Book Allowance of ₹2,500/- per semester is provided to BTech/BDes/MA/MSc students of PwD category. f) PhD assistantship of ₹34,000/- is provided for one year to PwD Research Scholars, who could not complete their Research work within IIT Guwahati norms. g) Classrooms and lecture halls are wheelchair accessible and equipped with assistive technology. h) Providing accessible learning materials, including softcopy of lecture notes, ebooks, etc. i) Providing assistive technology and software such as screen readers and alternative input devices in computer labs and libraries. j) PwD students are provided with campus transportation facilities to the student with disabilities. k) Physical infrastructure on campus are made accessible- including ramps, restrooms, elevators, and pathways. l) Every year, International Day of Persons with Disabilities is celebrated in IIT Guwahati.

S. No.	Institutes	(a) total-number of persons appointed so far as "Professor of Practice" in the higher educational institutions by way of lateral entry recruitment recently introduced by UGC as per National Education Policy 2020	(b) the details thereof, state-wise and category-wise	(c) whether extant reservation policy is applicable for such recruitments	(d) if not, the reasons thereof	(e) the number of persons belonging to SC, ST and OBC categories appointed as 'PoP' till dated either under general category or under reservation	(f) the details thereof, state-wise and category-wise
6	IIT Guwahati	5	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Name of IIT	Subject	Cadre	Faculty vacancies available during March, 2019 to July, 2021					No. of eligible applications received for each vacancy					Vacancies filled during March, 2019 to July, 2021							
			UR	SC	ST	OBC	EWS	Total	UR	SC	ST	OBC	EWS	Total	UR	SC	ST	OBC	EWS	Total
			127	45	22	80	29	303								11	1	0	2	0

IIT Guwahati has a "rolling web-based advertisement" for faculty positions. Applications are accepted at any time during the year. Selections are being held regularly for each Department/School based on the requirement. As such, it is not possible to provide the number of applications received within a specific period.

* Similar to all other IITs, IIT Guwahati follows a flexible cadre structure for the appointment of faculty (i.e. Professor, Assoc. Professor & Asst. Professor) with faculty/student ratio of 1:10 and a subject-wise cadre structure is also not possible. Faculty positions are filled keeping the flexible structure of the cadre and based on the specialization required by a particular Department/ School.

S.No.	Name of the IITs	(a) Whether Indian Institutes of Technology at many places in the country had to retract several research papers in the last few years;	(b) If so the reasons thereof	(c) Whether this action on the part of IITs had affected the scientific reputation of hte country;	(d) What are the corrective measures taken in this regard;and	(e) Whether any advisory has been issued to the authors of the research papers;
6	IIT Guwahati	IIT Guwahati doesnot maintain such record.	NA	NA	NA	NA

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 63 ANSWERED ON-22/07/2024

FOR THE YEAR 2021-22

Sl.	Name of the IIT's	UG		PG		Ph.D	
		No. of students admitted	No. of Seats Vacant	No. of students admitted	No. of Seats Vacant	No. of students admitted	No. of Seats Vacant
1	IIT Guwahati	1024	0	860	43	442	90



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Sub: Lok Sabha Provisionally Admitted Question regarding "Multilingual assessments in Design Education" to be answered on 22/07/2024


Sir,

In response to the question we would like to inform you the following:

The Department of Design, IIT Guwahati is keen to incorporate multilingual issues in the academic activities. Our faculty members take attention to this issue in lecture and studio sessions. In various assignments and projects of the students of undergraduate, post graduate and PhD levels we try to address multilingual issues. For example, as a part of the Typography and Graphic Design courses, we do introduce our students to Indian Typography and give them couple of assignments in Indian scripts. In interaction design projects in Indian context, we consider multilingual issues during user study, contextual inquiry, product and system development and final deployment.

Thanking you,

With regards,


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Sub: PARLIAMENT QUESTION: Lok Sabha D.No. 158 for 22.07.2024 regarding "Restoring India as Global Hub of Education".


Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above, we would like to inform you that:

- As a part of Govt. of India's initiative, IIT Guwahati is also committed for restoring the place for India as a global Hub of Education. Collaboration on Research, Student & Faculty Exchange with Foreign Educational Institutes is making India a preferred destination of Education.
- Comprehensive information about Indian Higher Education Institution is facilitated by Study in India initiative.
- Foreign students may apply through Study in India Portal, appear in interview and get selected to get offer of admission into various educational Institutes in India.

Thanking you,

With regards,


Registrar (In-charge) /
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Urgent: Inputs for PART(B) and PART(C) for Rajya Sabha Parliament Question No. 211 for 24.07.2024 on " NEW HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS"

S.No.	Name of the IITs	the information on partnerships with international Universities and institutions to enhance the quality and accessibility of higher education in the country; and	the impact of increased higher education enrollment on the quality of education and employment outcomes, supported by relevant statistics
6	IIT Guwahati	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. University of Pardubice 2. Universidad Carlos III De Madrid 3. Technische Universitate Munchen 4. Kyoto University 5. HoF University 6. KAGAWA University 7. Gifu University 8. Chubu University 9. Shibaura Institute of Technology 10. Universidad Catolica San Antonio De Murcia 11. National ILAN University 12. National Institute for Materials Science 13. Chonnam National University of South Korea 14. Sherubtse College 15. NOVA SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY And NOVA.ID.FCT Lisbon 16. Edith Cowan University 17. Intelligently Interactive Inc. 18. Ecole Central De Nantes 19. Southern Cross University 20. University of Connecticut 21. SOUTH DAKOTA SCHOOL OF MINES AND TECHNOLOGY 22. University of Geneva 23. University of Technology Sydney 24. Gachon University 25. UNIVERSIDADE FEDERAL DE SANTA CATARINA (UFSC) 26. University of Glasgow 	<p>Recently, IIT Guwahati has introduced few new academic programs viz., MBA, M.Tech.(Biomedical Science and Engineering) and B.Tech.(Data Science and Artificial Intelligence).They are doing good in terms of placement and internships activities.</p> <p>In the year 2023-24, the placement and internship statistics are quite impressive. Out of 16 students in full time MBA 13 students secured placement. In M.Tech.(Biomedical Science and Engineering) 10 students received their placement out of 17 students. In B.Tech.(Data Science and Artificial Intelligence) 16 students received internships offer out of 22 students.</p>

27. BAHIR DAR INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, BAHIR DAR
28. INDIA JAPAN LABORATORY, KEIO UNIVERSITY
29. NTT AT
30. DURHAM UNIVERSITY
31. UNIVERSITY OF ST. ANDREWS
32. INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY PETRONAS SDN. BHD
33. Saint Petersburg Electrotechnical University "LETI" RUSSIA
34. PARISTECH
35. KANAZAWA UNIVERSITY
36. LONDON SOUTH BANK UNIVERSITY
37. FACULTY OF ARCHITECTURE AND THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT, TU DELFT
38. University of Peradeniya
39. Max-Planck-Gesellschaft (MAX PLANCK SOCIETY/MAX PLANCK INSTITUTE)
40. Dzongkha Development Council
41. College of Engineering, Hanyang University
42. HANYANG UNIVERSITY ERICA
43. L N GUMILYOV EURASIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY KAZAKHSTAN
44. AALTO UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF BUSINESS
45. FEDERAL UNIVERSITY WUKARI
46. SHRAMAN FOUNDATION
47. UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS
48. UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS
49. CONSORTIUM OF FINNISH UNIVERSITIES
50. University of Tsukuba
51. National Taiwan Ocean University
52. Loughborough University
53. Technical University Munich
54. MDS IndoCan Inc.
55. IHE DELFT – Institute for Water Education



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ADMINISTRATION

Ref: AD/249/PQ/LS-RS/08/1348

Dated: 23.07.2024

To,
Mr. Nilesh Chandra Srivastava
Under Secretary
Ministry of Education
Department of Higher Education

Sub: Admitted Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 196 to be answered on 24/07/2024 regarding
"Retraction of Research Papers by IITs"

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above, we would like to inform you that, there is no record of retracted papers also the Total publications that can be attributed to IIT Guwahati in the last three years (2021-2024) is 9781, as such the reply to rest of the queries is not applicable. We have already filled the required information in the provided google sheet.

Thanking you,

With regards,

M. Ghosh
23/7/24

Registrar (In-charge) /
कुलसचिव (प्रभारी)



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ADMINISTRATION

Ref: AD/249/PQ/LS-RS/08/1352
Dated: 23.07.2024

To,
Mr. Nilesh Chandra Srivastava
Under Secretary
Ministry of Education
Department of Higher Education

Sub: Pr. Admitted Unstarred_Starred Dr No. S2404 for 31.07.2024 for Rajya Sabha - Career Support for Short-term UG Programs.

Sir,
With reference to the subject cited above, we would like to inform you that, there is no such collaboration between the Andhra Pradesh Government and IIT Guwahati.

Thanking you,

With regards,

Meghad
23/7/24

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Ministry: **EDUCATION**

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Sitting on: **29/07/2024**

Question Type: **STARRED**

D.No : 1677

R&D Projects in IIT Guwahati and Kharagpur

Will the Minister of EDUCATION

list of research and development (R&D) projects that Indian Institutes of Technology (IIT) Guwahati and Indian Institutes of Technology (IIT) Kharagpur completed for the development of technology-based businesses using local resources for the development and prevention of disasters within 2000 km of their campuses?

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Project No.	Title	PI Name	Department	Category	Funding Agency	Amount	Start date	Duration(months)	Completion Date
xxCESPNMHRD01117xAJD002	Risk assessment of moraine dammed glacier lakes due to climate	Ajay Dashora	Civil Engineering	Research projects	Ministry of Education	5959000	05/07/2017	36	05/07/2020
xDESSPNMOEF01081xPCK001	Bamboo bricks/laminates from BMFs (Bamboo Micron Fibres) for low cost housing structures for	Pratul Chandra Kalita	Design	Research projects	MoEF	1156000	06/04/2018	36	06/04/2021
BSBESPNxDBT00498xxRC007	SEEDLESS PLANT PRODUCTION AND MASS SCALE PROPAGATION OF MUSA BALBISIANA (BHIMKOL BANANA) OF NER USING IN VITRO	Rakhi Chaturvedi	Biosciences & Bioengineering	Research projects	DBT	4562000	19/04/2018	36	19/04/2021
xxCESPNGRSP01097AKSG003	Safer Roads for Safer Childhood (SRSC), Jorhat City	Anjan Kumar Siddagangaiah	Civil Engineering	Research projects	International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent	3040651	22/06/2018	24	22/06/2020
BSBESPNDRDO00857xBBM017	Production and development of silk gel and powder as a material for the development of haemostatic and other	Biman Behari Mandal	Biosciences & Bioengineering	Research projects	DRDO	987000	24/06/2018	12	24/06/2019
xxCESPNEPSA00415xxSD011	Integrated use of WRF-Hydro and space based inputs for flood	Subashisa Dutta	Civil Engineering	Research projects	ISRO	2763600	27/11/2018	30	27/05/2021
xCEESPNxDBT00491xVSM007	Design, Optimization and Intensification of a Bioprocess for Converting North East Natural Gas into Liquid	Vijayanand S. Moholkar	School of Energy Sciences and Engineering	Research projects	DBT	2250000	27/02/2019	36	27/02/2022
xxCESPNCSIR00671xHBK006	Seismic Strengthening of Unreinforced Masonry Buildings using Ferrocement Bands	Hemant B. Kaushik	Civil Engineering	Research projects	CSIR	1696000	05/09/2019	36	31/03/2024

xxCLESPPxNRL00860x xVK013	INKL-Centre of Excellence on Sustainable Materials [NRL-COE-SUSMAT] for Development of Biodegradable Plastics from Oil and Bio-Refinery	Vimal Katiyar	Centre for Sustainable Polymers	Research projects	Numaligarh Refinery, PSU	40000000	21/10/2019	24	31/07/2023
xxCESPNxDST00054x xCM004	Study of Glacial Dynamics and Sustainable Hydrological Resources in Arunachal	Chandan Mahanta	Civil Engineering	Research projects	DST	26923690	22/05/2020	36	12/11/2023
BSBESPNSERB00857 xBBM020	Injectable bioresorbable silk hydrogel system for localized breast cancer therapy and post-	Biman Behari Mandal	Biosciences & Bioengineering	Research projects	SERB	4691240	01/05/2020	36	29/06/2023
xxCESPNMH00415 xxSD012	CUMULATIVE IMPACT ASSESSMENT FOR CASCADING INTERVENTIONS IN	Subashisa Dutta	Civil Engineering	Research projects	Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate	24501040	06/10/2020	36	31/03/2024

**Rajya Sabha Starred Question No. 94 for 31.07.2024
Regarding "Professors of Practice" in higher educational institutions"**

Sl.	Name of the IITs	(a) Whether reservation policy is applicable for engagements as "Professors of Practice" in your institute recently introduced	(b) if not, the reasons therefor;	If the institute is not following UGC guidelines as mentioned in Col (a), please mention the guidelines being followed alongwith reservation norms,if any.	(c) the number of persons belonging to GEN, SC, ST and OBC categories engaged as "Professors of Practice" till date or still being engaged				Remarks
					GEN	SC	ST	OBC	
6	IIT Guwahati	No	At IIT Guwahati, the position of Professor of Practice is not a regular faculty position, unlike other regular faculty positions (Assistant Professors/Associate Professors/ Professors). Hence it does not change or affect the number of sanctioned positions for faculty members. The position of Professor of Practice was instituted for facilitating a strong and robust collaboration between the institute and industry or civil society, established with an aim to bring external perspective to regular teaching; in order to make classes more interesting and to further enrich existing knowledge of faculty members. This is in complete resonance with the National Education Policy aimed towards skill-based education. The domain knowledge of an expert nominated and selected for this position, is expected to add significant value to the academic division to which he/she is affiliated. As of today, a total of nine (9) offers have so far been made from IIT Guwahati, for Professor of Practice, across different disciplines. They have a minimum of 10 years of experience in their service area and showcase exceptional service/innovation in leading industries or in civil society.	Not applicable, in view of the reply given in column (a) & (b).					Till date 9 offers for the Practice was made. In the process of nomination, 1 joining of Professors of Practice have not collected the certificate of the person, as it was redundant to the position a regular position of the rather it is a short-term position, that does not carry regular salary.
7	IIT Roorkee	No	Positions of Professors of Practice (PoP) are not counted towards the sanctioned posts of faculty.	The institute follows guidelines duly approved by the Board of Governors.	-	-	-	-	Category-wise details are
8	IIT (BHU) Varanasi								
9	IIT (ISM) Dhanbad	No	Professor of Practice (PoP) is a contractual position. As on date only one PoP is engaged at IIT (ISM), Dhanbad		1	0	0	0	
10	IIT Gandhinagar	IIT Gandhinagar is not governed by UGC	NA	IIT Gandhinagar follows the reservation guidelines issued by MoE	5	0	0	0	
11	IIT Bhubaneswar	No	Regular position. This position is similar to Adjunct Professor. As they are bringing industrial expertise and there are very few available	Not applicable in view of reply given in (a) and (b)	1	0	0	0	
12	IIT Hyderabad	No at IITH		BoG approved guidelines being followed	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	
13	IIT Jodhpur	No	Professor of Practice is temporary position and contractual in nature for one year. Therefore, there is no reservation policy in place.	BoG approved guidelines being followed	3	-	-	-	
14	IIT Ropar	No	Professor of Practice are not counted towards the sanctioned strength	Not applicable in view of reply given in (a) and (b)	3	0	0	0	
15	IIT Patna	PoP positions are not against sanctioned strength (for regular faculty positions) as per norms approved by the Council of IITs. However, we try to maintain a representation from various categories.	No	Guideline framing is under progress	0	0	0	0	
16	IIT Indore	No	PoP positions are not counted towards the sanctioned strength of regular faculty	BoG approved guidelines being followed	0	0	0	0	

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Dated: 26.07.2024

To,
Mr. Nilesh Chandra Srivastava
Under Secretary
Ministry of Education
Department of Higher Education

SUB: INPUTS FOR LOK SABHA ADMITTED QUESTION DAIRY NO. 1790 FOR 29.07.2024

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above, following is the point wise reply to the queries:

a The number of startups operating in the country at present, State/UT-wise details thereof

As on this date, Assam has a total of 879 DPIIT registered startups

b Whether the Government is providing any kind of assistance to the youth for launching new startups?

Yes, Govt. is assisting innovators, students and aspiring entrepreneurs through Govt. funded Incubation centres like AICs (Atal Incubations Centre), BioNESTs (Funded by BIRAC, Govt. Of India), State Startup Initiatives by DPIIT, Biotech parks, Innovation centres at the Universities/Institutions etc.

c If so, details thereof

The above listed organizations are established in every State of India mostly associated with Academic Institutions. These incubators provide 360⁰ support to students/entrepreneurs from ideation to incorporation of the company and handholding the Founders from product development to market entry. Most incubators also provide initial grants from various Govt. schemes (like Startup India SEED Fund, BIRAC-BIG, TIDE, DST-NIDHI, EIR, SEED etc.) to the startups and help them raise funds in form of equity investments from Venture Capital or Angel Funding.

d The role of startups in economic development and employment generation in the country

- Indigenous technology development epitomizing Govt. of India initiatives; Make in India, *Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, Atmanirbhar Bharat, Ayushman Bharat* etc.
- Employment generation
- Contribution to the development of manufacturing units
- Contribution towards GDP

Thanking you,

With regards,


JR (ADMN.)/REGISTRAR (i/c)

URGENT: Seeking inputs of LSUSQ No. 1003 for 29.07.2024 regarding "Bi-annual Admission Process"

Name of the IITs	(a) whether the Government has conducted any research/survey/study for allowing educational institutions to implement a bi-annual admission process as seen in foreign institutions;	(b) If so, the details thereof indicating the commencement of such bi-annual admission processes in educational institutions across the country;	(c) the details of the educational institutions that have been authorised to carry out bi annual admissions, State-wise especially from Andhra Pradesh;	(d) whether the Government has carried out any promotional/awareness campaign for this purpose, if so, the details thereof including the funds allocated and utilised for the same; and	(e) whether the Government has considered setting up any mechanism to overview institutions allowed to take students via bi-annual admissions, if so, the details thereof?
6 IIT Guwahati	Bi-Annual admissions in Ph.D program	Continuing for more than two decades.	IIT Guwahati, Assam	Advertisements are uploaded through Institute websites and leading news papers and expenses are borne by the Institute	The MoE may like to comment.



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Ref: AD/249/PQ/LS-RS/08/1367
Dated: 29.07.2024

To,
Mr. Nilesh Chandra Srivastava
Under Secretary
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Department of Higher Education

Sub: Admitted Rajya Sabha STARRED Question No. 101 to be answered on 31/07/2024 regarding " Special Recruitment Drive".

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above, the relevant information is furnished for your kind perusal please.

Query (a): Whether Government has taken adequate steps to fill up the vacancies under the Ministry's subordinate and Allied offices.

(b): if so, the details thereof.

Reply (a) & (b): For Faculty positions: -

Reservation policy for teaching positions has been adopted in IIT Guwahati after the issuance of the gazette notification, 'The Central Educational Institutions (Reservations in Teachers' Cadre) Act 2019' and IIT Guwahati has started to fill up all the vacancies against the reserved category after implementation of the Act accordingly as detailed below:

1. IIT Guwahati had advertised for faculty recruitment through the Special Recruitment Drive against reserved vacancies in faculty positions.
2. Followed by the Special Recruitment Drive, IIT Guwahati has also advertised for faculty recruitment under Mission Mode Recruitment as well.
3. Recently, IIT Guwahati has also published a rolling advertisement for faculty recruitment.

The Institute is trying to fill the vacancies (including reserved categories) as much as possible under all the recruitment drives at the earliest possible. The interviews under the special recruitment drive as well as for mission mode recruitment have already been started and going on.

For non-faculty positions: -

IIT Guwahati has filled up 137 non-faculty vacancies under Mission Recruitment Mode initiative of Government of India from October 2022 to 13.02.2024. Out of which, 37 non-faculty vacancies were filled with persons in reserved category. For the financial year 2024-25, the Institute is planning to fill up 20 non-faculty vacancies (including reserved category) under Direct Recruitment as per of Mission Recruitment Mode. The Institute is trying to fill the vacancies (including reserved categories) as much as possible under the Direct Recruitment.

Query (c): The details of the incumbency position as on 01.07.2024 in respect of all Aided Institutes, all Public sector Undertakings under the aegis of the Ministry; and

Reply (c): Not Applicable for Faculty positions.

For non-faculty positions:-

Sanctioned strength	Men in Position	GEN	SC	ST	OBC	EWS	PWD	Women	Minority
644	562	256	60	69	161	9	7	138	32



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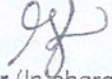
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Query (d): Whether Government has initiated any special recruitment drive for filling up of vacancies in SC/ST/OBC and minority categories and if so, the details thereof and if no the reasons therefor?

Reply (d): Please refer to Reply (a) & (b) provided above.

Thanking you,

With regards,


Registrar (In-charge) /
कुलसचिव (प्रभारी)

Admitted Lok Sabha Unstarred No. 2137 (Diary No. 4610) for 05/08/2024 regarding SC/ST Cells in IITs

S.No	Name of the IITs	Whether SC/ST Cell is constituted YES/NO	Is it Functional YES/NO	Composition of SC/ST Cell	Events conducted by SC/ST Cell in recent past	Whether required infrastructure and logistics provided for functioning of SC/ST Cell ? Please provide details.
6	IIT Guwahati	YES	YES	<p>The Equal Opportunity cum Special Reservation cell of IIT Guwahati has one committee. The members of the committee are</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Prof. S K Majumder, (Chairman). 2. Prof. D. Pamu, (Member). 3. Dr. Ramesh K. Sonkar, (Member) 4. Dr. Sushanta Karmakar, (Member) 5. Mr. Dilip Boro, (Member) 6. Mr. T. Haokip, (Member) 7. Mr. Jiten Sarma, (Member) 8. Ms. Manoshee Neog, (Member) 9. Mr. Gunamani Das, (Member-Secretary) <p>Besides, IIT Guwahati has 3 Liaison Officers separately for SC, ST and OBC respectively. Currently, the cell has one Nodal Officer and 3 Administrative Staff.</p>	<p>Some events from March 2023 to till date- 1. Orientation meeting in September 2023, 2. Celebration of Janajatiya Gaurav Divas in November 2023, 3. Celebration of International Day of Persons with Disabilities in December 2023, 4. Recently in April, 2024 a two day long programme was organised on the occasion of birth anniversary of B R Ambedkar.</p>	<p>Yes, all logistics and infrastructure facilities are provided by the institute as per the cell's requirement. For any other events related to SC/ST, institute provides the required space and support to carry out the function smoothly.</p>



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Dated: 31.07.2024

To,
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Under Secretary
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Sub: Reply to Rajya Sabha Query no. 2071.

Sir,


In response to the query mentioned above, we would like to inform you that the Center for Indian Knowledge System was established on November 21, 2021 at IIT Guwahati. It is doing a lot of activities related to indigenous knowledge particularly for the tribes of Northeast. Center organized exhibition of pot makers and silk manufacturers of Assam. Prof. Sukanya Sharma of the center has compiled some craft traditions of Arunachal Pradesh. Some research is going on traditional foods and medicines as well as architecture of Assam. There is a plan to make one museum of indigenous knowledge.

The School of Agro and Rural Technology (SART) at IIT Guwahati has carried out a study of local Indigenous flora, also documented the various indigenous knowledge of north eastern region in the form a peer reviewed publication in 'Environmental Management' journal by Springer publishers. SART is also planning to initiate a work to help the local farmers to produce quality indigenous scented flowers and produce quality oil. In this regard, a concept has been submitted to the DONER. Indigenous leafy vegetables and other crops are being researched for developing various value added products which could potentially generate income for the farmers.

Additionally, IIT Guwahati has developed several indigenous methods for managing degraded watershed under Centre of Excellence on "Integrated Landuse Planning and Water Resources Management" funded by MoUD and implemented those with people's participation.

Thanking you,

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