



To
The Principal Secretary,
(Education Department),
Govt. of Tamil Nadu
Secretariat, Fort St. George,
Chennai - 600 009

F.No. 730-52-290(E)/ET/97
June 24, 2005

Sub: Extension of approval to Pallavan College of Engineering Thimmasamudram, Kancheepuram Taluk & Dist. Tamil Nadu - 631 502 for the year 2005-06-reg.

Sir/ Madam,

As you are aware, **All India Council for Technical Education** has been mandated under the AICTE Act, 1987 to ensure **maintenance of norms and standards** with regard to technical education in the country. In exercise of this mandate, the Council insists on fulfillment of the minimum requirements prescribed for imparting technical education by the institution so that **quality of courses** is not compromised and stakeholders are satisfied. The Council also undertakes an **annual Inspection** of the institutions and conveys deficiencies to them for **rectification**.

It has been observed however that notwithstanding the Council's **repeated advice** to comply with minimum norms and standards, many institutions continue to be **complacent** about taking steps to remedy the deficiencies.

Such institutions suffer from **critical deficiencies** of faculty in proper cadre ratio, qualification, experience and other requirements. Feed back of students with regard to quality of education imparted by such institutions has evoked grave concern. The Expert Committees, following **holistic appraisal** during inspections, have also pointed out severe shortcomings

The institution has been found to be suffering from certain deficiencies, which are listed in Annexure-A for your perusal. Shortage of faculty is of gravest concern.

The deficiencies in respect of faculty (including proper cadre ratio & qualification etc.) could have rendered your institution liable for punitive action including being placed in no admission/ reduced intake category. However the Council has decided to take a lenient view and give you yet another **last opportunity** to rectify the deficiencies particularly with regard to faculty shortage, proper cadre ratio & requisite qualification. Course-wise approved intake in respect of **Pallavan College of Engineering, Thimmasamudram, Kancheepuram Taluk & Dist. Tamil Nadu - 631 502**, for the year 2005-06 is as under: -

| COURSE (S) | APPROVED INTAKE 2004-05 | APPROVED INTAKE 2005-06 |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Chemical Technology | 40 | 40 |
| Computer Science & Engg | 60 | 60 |
| Electrical & Electronics Engg | 60 | 60 |
| Electronics & Comm. Engg | 60 | 60 |
| Information Technology | 60 | 60 |
| Mechanical Engineering | 60 | 60 |
| Total | 340 | 340 |

Note: - Additional intake/new courses/PIO quota not granted on account of deficiencies in respect of running existing courses/intake.

The above document is subject to your verification of deficiencies listed by August end 2005. A compliance report reflecting rectification of deficiencies and details of faculty recruited for each course must be received by the Council with a copy to concerned Regional Office latest by 31st August, 2005 to enable your institution for extension of approval for the year 2006-07.

The compliance report must be accompanied with a visiting/processing fee as prescribed by the Council in the form of demand draft in favour of **Member Secretary, AICTE payable at New Delhi** in the absence of the processing visiting fee the compliance report may not be entertained.

Following the compliance report, the Council would verify the status in respect of rectification of deficiencies through physical inspection without any prior intimation. The institution should therefore be prepared for random inspection without any prior notice. Extension of approval for the year 2006-07 shall be dependent on the compliance report and the outcome of the surprise inspection.

Enclosure:- Annexure-A

Note:- Details available on website www.aicteernet.in

Yours faithfully



(Dr. P. Venkateswara Rao)
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Copy to :

1. The Principal,
Pallavan College of Engineering
Thimmasamudram, Kancheepuram Taluk & Dist. Tamil Nadu - 631 502
2. The Regional Officer, AICTE Southern Regional Office, 26, Haddows Road, Shastri Bhawan, Chennai - 600 006
3. Director of Technical Education, Govt. of Tamil Nadu, Chennai - 600 025
4. The Registrar, ANNA UNIVERSITY
(He is requested to complete the process of affiliation for facilitating admissions)
5. Guard File.

Annexure - 'A'

| Name & address of the institution | Programme |
|---|---------------------------------|
| File No. : 730-52-290(E)/ET/97 Pallavan College of Engineering Thimmasamudram, Kancheepuram Taluk & Tamil Nadu - 631 502 PRIVATE NO-GRANT | Degree Engineering & Technology |

Faculty :

- Faculty is the soul of an institution and in the absence thereof an institution cannot impart quality education. However the faculty available with the institution is deficient as per the AICTE norms as per details given below :-

| Programme | Faculty Required | Faculty available | Shortfall | |
|-------------------------|------------------|-------------------|-----------|----|
| | | | No. | % |
| Chemical Technology | 8 | 7 | 1 | 13 |
| Computer Science & Engg | 12 | 11 | 1 | 8 |
| Information Technology | 12 | 8 | 4 | 33 |

- Faculty at senior level, namely, Professors and Asst. Professors are to be recruited as per AICTE norms as there is a shortfall in senior level faculty i.e. Professors and Asst. Professors.
- AICTE pay Scales along with the prescribed DA are to be implemented for all faculty members.
- Student staff ratio and cadre distribution is not in conformation with AICTE norms.

Computer Facility :

- Against the requirement of 340 computers only 185 computers are available thereby causing shortfall of 155 (46%) computers.

Others :

- Training and placement cell should be established and developed.
- Common rooms should be provided for boys and girls.
- Approach road needs to be improved.
- Teaching learning methods need to be improved.

