Date: 11th June 2020

Dear Students

At the very outset, I would like to send you warm greetings from the MIT School of Engg. We are going through an unprecedented global pandemic situation today, and each one of us is affected by the COVID19. We hope you and your family all are doing well in this crisis.

We would like to assure you that your future prospects and careers are our immediate priority. In this regard our talented and ever-willing –to- work faculty members have shown their care and concern for you. They have been working from home, preparing notes and engaging for all the students for online classes, to ensure continued learning and to minimize the impact of the lockdown on the students' academics. I appreciate their concern for the students and commitment to academics.

My dear students, you have received a Notification issued on 30th May 2020 by our Principal, Dr. Kishore Ravande. After much thought and deliberations across the management bodies, MIT SoE authorities have made plans to conduct the Comprehensive Assignment based Assessment (CAA) for theory courses and Oral Based Assessment (OBA) from lab/mini project courses to improve on your overall assessment for this semester.

For CAA, you will get three assignment questions of equal weightage. These three questions from any of the five units of that subject will be randomly picked by the system, which you can best solve in 24hrs time. You can refer to good books, your notes, study material, internet etc. to answer them for not more than 4 pages per questions written in your own readable handwriting. Please ensure that your answer is unique for the questions given. You will get the instructions for uploading your answer or technical guidelines in advance with a mock run at least couple of days before CAA schedule. We request you to get sufficient writing material (pen, paper etc), recharge your data pack, and download required software like Camscan etc.

We want our students should be proud of their performances rather than being tagged as belonging to a "**push forward**" batch. Especially when the grades will be put forth for opportunities like internships, placement or for any interaction with the outside corporate world, we want our students to stand confident based on sincere learning even in adverse conditions that we are currently facing, fighting all odds.

So, dear students believe in yourself, your school and, the university that are striving hard for shaping the youth of tomorrow.

Stay home. Stay Safe.

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