

FEE REGULATORY COMMITTEE (TECHNICAL)

Constituted under Section 9(1) of the Gujarat Professional Technical Educational Colleges or Institutions (Regulation of Admission and Fixation of Fees) Act, 2007 (Gujarat Act No. 2 of 2008)

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No. FRC/FEE-24-25/2024/123

Date: 23/10/2024

To,

The Principal/Director/Dean/Trustee,

Institutions running professional technical programs in the state of Gujarat for 'Working Professionals' from the academic year 2023-24

Subject: Determination of the fee structure applicable to the professional technical programs started by the institutions for 'Working professional' during the academic year 2023-24.

Read: (1) AICTE guidelines for Working Professionals (Engineering & Technology) with effective from academic year 2023-24.

- (2) Meetings of the Fee Regulatory Committee held on 05/07/2024 and 21/10/2024
- (3) Circular of the Committee
 No. FRC/Working Professional/2024-25/156, Dated 16/07/2024

Sir / Mam,

In continuation of the above read documents, this letter is sent to you to convey the decision of the Committee for the fee structure applicable to the programs started by the institutions for 'Working professional' from the academic year 2023-24 as per the guidelines issued by AICTE.

The office of the Committee received a request from a student of an institution on 12/09/2024 regarding clarification of the fees payable by the students who took admission in the academic year 2023-24 for the 'Working professional' programs. In pursuance of the student's request, the agenda was deliberated in the meeting of the Committee dated 21-10-2024 and it was resolved by the Committee that the fees payable by the students admitted in the academic year 2023-24, for the 'Working professional' programs, shall be 50% of the fee structure determined by the Committee for the year 2023-24 for the concerned program which is being offered as a regular program by the institution.

It is further clarified that if the institution has collected the fees more than the above-mentioned limit. The excess fee shall be refunded back by the institution to all concerned students or it shall be adjusted in the fees payable by the students in the successive semesters.

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This fee structure is valid only for the academic year 2023-24 and it will continue to apply till the completion of the program of the concerned student who took admission in the year 2023-24. Institution is directed to maintain separate book of account for the programs offered for 'Working Professionals' and it shall submit the audited account statements for the years 2023-24 and 2024-25 to determine the fees for the successive block/years for such programs.

In case of any queries, please communicate to frctech-dte@gujarat.gov.in

Officer on Special Duty

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