



ABSTRACT

Technical Education - Announcement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister on 16.3.2020 under Rule 110 of Legislative Assembly - Internship to the Engineering and Polytechnic College students towards Financial support at the rate of Rs.16,600/- per candidate to train students for 25 days to enhance the technical skill of the students covering 10,000 students for every year from Government Polytechnic Colleges and Government Engineering Colleges – Administrative sanction for Rs. 16.60 crore - Orders – Issued.

Higher Education (J1) Department

G.O.(Ms) No.207

Dated:22.12.2020

சார்வரி வருடம், மார்ட்கழி – 7
திருவள்ளூர் ஆண்டு, 2051

Read:

1. G.O. (Ms) No.105, Labour and Employment (S1) Department, dated 3.9.2018
2. From the Director of Technical Education letter No.6737/H3/2020, dated 21.2.2020 and 17.10.2020.
3. Announcement made by Hon'ble Chief Minister under rule 110 of the Legislative Assembly on 16.3.2020.

ORDER:

During the Legislative Assembly session on 16.3.2020, the Hon'ble Chief Minister has made the following announcement under Rule 110 of Legislative Assembly:

“பொறியியல் மற்றும் பலவகை தொழில்நுட்பக் கல்லூரிகளில் இருந்து ஒவ்வொரு ஆண்டும் தேர்வு செய்யப்படும் 10 ஆயிரம் மாணாக்கர்கள், தொழிலகங்களில் கள அனுபவம் பெற்று, தங்கள் தொழில்நுட்பத் திறனை மேம்படுத்திக் கொள்ள ஒரு மாணாக்கருக்கு 16 ஆயிரத்து 600 ரூபாய் வீதம் நிதி உதவி வழங்க, 16 கோடியே 60 லட்சம் ரூபாய் ஒதுக்கீடு செய்யப்படும்.”

2. The Director of Technical Education in his letters second read above, has sent the proposal to Government for orders to introduce Internship to the Engineering and Polytechnic College students. He has stated that the Government has accorded permission to the Commissioner of Employment and Training to introduce Internship Training Programme in all Government Industrial Training Institute to train 10,000 ITI students every year vide Government Order first read above. He has also stated that the Internship Training Programme may be extended to Diploma and Engineering Students. The detailed proposal is as follows:

Learning happens through Education, Exposure and Experience. Internship provides one to learn through Exposure and Experience.

An internship is a supervised practical training offered in an organization for a limited period of time to students or fresh undergraduates. The hands-on work experience of interns is invaluable and cannot be obtained in a classroom setting. It gives opportunity to the interns to apply theoretical knowledge which they studied in the class rooms and also know about a specific industry. During an internship, the students are given the chance to showcase their skills, talents, commitment and value to a prospective employer. There is also a possibility for Successful interns to get employment offer in the company sponsoring the internship.

In addition to the above, internship offers the following advantages:

- Internship training helps the students to select their area / title for their project work either from the industries or from the auxiliary units of the industries for the final year.
- Internship permits to gain exposure to real-world problems and issues that perhaps are not found in textbooks.
- It helps to have more Industry and Institute interaction.
- It gives an opportunity to employer to recruit the intern.
- Interns have very good opportunities to work with an equipment and Technology that may not be available on campus.
- Internship is one of the mandatory requirements as per the AICTE norms.

Aiming at the above objectives, it is proposed to arrange to provide internship for a period of 25 days(one month) to 10000 students every year with financial support of Rs. 16,600/- to each student selected for internship from the Government fund. Out of 10000 students, a total of 2500 top ranking students who completed their third year course of study will be selected from all Government Engineering Colleges and 7500 top ranking candidates who completed their second year course of study will be selected from all Government Polytechnic Colleges.

The financial assistance of Rs. 16,600/- will be distributed to the selected candidates in one lump sum and in case of any additional expenditure required, the students concerned will have to meet out the additional expenses beyond Rs. 16,600/- only from their pocket.

The lump sum grant of Rs.16,600/- has been arrived at, based on the Internship fee to be paid to the industry, Boarding and Lodging, Travel expenses and cost of Report preparation as per the details given below:

No.	Details of lump sum grant per student	Rupees
1.	Training Cost at Rs.38 per hour per trainee 8 Hours per day for 25 days (38 x 8 x 25) Internship fee to be paid to Industry (approximately)	7600
2	Boarding & Lodging arrangements Rs.300 per day x 25 days	7500
3	To and fro travelling expenses	500
4	Internship report preparation to student	1000
Internship proposed to be sanctioned / student		16,600

The distribution of Rs.16,600/- motivates the students to go for internship training in an industry and also pave way for industries to come forward voluntarily to offer internship to the students. However, the students are permitted to go for internship training only during vacation holidays.

Even though, the Government of India has included imparting of Internship Training by firm / companies under Companies Social Responsibility (CSR) under 10(1) of Corporate Act for the major industries having turnover of more than Rs.5.00 crore. However, this may not be applicable for the industries having less than Rs.5.00 crore turnover to offer internship. Large number of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSME) industries in Tamil Nadu fall under these category. Hence, it is not possible for industries to offer internship to the students of Government Engineering and Polytechnic Colleges without minimum funding support.

The Board of Apprenticeship and Training offers stipend to the students who are undergoing the sandwich courses in the Polytechnic and Engineering Colleges. In Tamil Nadu, there are only 25 Polytechnic Colleges (4 Government + 6 Aided + 14 Self financing + 1 Affiliated) and 1 Engineering College (Aided) offering sandwich courses. All other college students are not eligible to avail such support. However, for the remaining students after completing the course only, the Board of Apprenticeship and Training, offers stipend at the rate of Rs.3,542/- per month for Diploma students and Rs.4,984/- per month for Engineering students. This stipend is not given during the course of study.

The Director of Technical Education has therefore requested the Government to sanction order for a sum of Rs.16.60 crore for Internship to the Government Engineering and Government Polytechnic College students with Financial support at the rate of Rs.16,600/- per candidate to train students for 25 days to enhance the technical skill of the students covering 10,000 students for every year from Government Polytechnic Colleges and Government Engineering Colleges.

3. The Government after careful examination,

- i. Accord administrative sanction for a sum of Rs.16,60,00,000/- (Rupees sixteen crore and sixty lakh only - as Recurring Expenditure) to the Director of Technical Education for Internship to the Engineering and Polytechnic College students towards Financial support at the rate of Rs.16,600/- per candidate to train students for 25 days to enhance the technical skill of the students covering 10,000 students for every year from Government Polytechnic Colleges and Government Engineering Colleges and subject to the condition that in case of any additional expenditure required more than Rs.16600/-, the same will have to be borne by the students only.
- ii. Financial sanction will be accorded in the next financial year 2021-2022
- iii. The above sanctioned amount of Rs.16,60,00,000/- will be provided in B.E. 2021-2022 on need basis.

4. The Expenditure sanctioned in para-3 above shall be debited under the following Head of Account:-

2203-00 Technical Education – 001 Direction and Administration State's Expenditure AE – Internship training for the students of Engineering and Polytechnic Colleges 312 – Scholarships and Stipends 09 – Others (IFHRMS DPC 2203 00 001 AE 312 09) Old DPC – 2203 -00-001-AE 1297	Rs.16,60,00,000/-
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5. The expenditure sanctioned in para 3 above constitutes an item of "New Service" and the approval of the Legislature will be obtained in due course. The Director of Technical Education is directed to send necessary explanatory notes for inclusion of the above expenditure in the Supplementary Estimates 2020-2021 to Finance (BG-I/ Edn-I) Department at an appropriate time without fail.

6. The Director of Technical Education is the Estimating, Reconciling and controlling Authority for the above said new head of Account. The Pay and Accounts Officer / Treasury Officer concerned is directed to open the above new head of account in their books.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide its U.O.No.103/DS/KU/Edn-I Department dated 22.12.2020 and Additional Sanction Ledger Number.1215 (One thousand two hundred and fifteen)

(By order of the Governor)

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To

The Director of Technical Education, Chennai -25

The Registrar, Anna University, Chennai -25

The Director, Approval Bureau, All India Council for Technical Education,
Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India,
Nelson Mandela Marg, Vasant Kunj, New Delhi – 110 067.

The Principals of all Government Engineering and Polytechnic Colleges
(through the Director of Technical Education)

The Accountant General, Chennai – 18.

The Pay and Accounts Officer, Chennai -35.

The concerned Treasury Officers.

Copy to:-

The Labour and Employment Department, Chennai-9

The Hon'ble Chief Minister's Office, Chennai -9

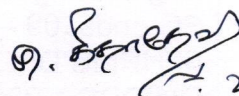
The Special Personal Assistant to Hon'ble Minister (Higher Education and Agriculture),
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The Finance (Edn.I/ BG-II/ W & M -I) Department, Chennai-9

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//Forwarded by Order//


23.12.2020
Section Officer


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