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ALL INDIA COUNCIL FOR TECHNICAL EDUCATION  
(A STATUTORY BODY OF THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA)

To

J No 770

June 27, 2005

The Principal Secretary to Government Higher Education Department, Govt. Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram-695 001 KERALA  
F No 770-54 215-12C/94  
dated June 27, 2005

Sub: Extension of approval to T.K.M. COLLEGE OF ENGG, KOLLAM-691005 KERALA 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 fulfilment of the minimum requirements prescribed for imparting technical education by the institution so that the quality is not compromised and stakeholders are satisfied. The Council also undertakes Annual Inspection of the institutions and conveys deficiencies to them for rectification.

It has been observed however that notwithstanding the Council's repeated warnings to comply with minimum norms and standards, many institutions continue to be complacent and do not remedy the deficiencies.

In case of Government/Government aided institutions/Universities departments, the Council has been specially supportive and sympathetic on account of the fact that Government institutions provide technical education at a reasonable cost besides transparent admissions. It is however a matter of regret that many such institutions suffer from critical deficiencies of faculty and other requirements. Feed back of students with regard to quality of education imparted by some institutions has evoked grave concern. The Expert Committees, following holistic appraisal during inspections, have also pointed out severe shortages in key areas evoking serious concern.

Your institution, on appraisal, has been found to be suffering from several deficiencies which are listed in Annexure-A for your perusal. Non-availability of faculty is the most serious one.

The deficiencies, particularly with reference to faculty, are of grave concern to the Council. In spite of this, it has been decided that approval in respect of your institution for the year 2005-06 as indicated below, be given with the hope that you shall take urgent steps to rectify deficiencies, particularly shortage of faculty. The Council shall monitor progress in this regard carefully and shall be constrained to put your institution in no admission/reduced intake category for the year 2006-07 in case of noncompliance. The approved course(s) along with recommended intake for the year 2005-06 in respect of T.K.M. COLLEGE OF ENGG, KOLLAM-691005 KERALA is as under:-

COURSE (S)	APPROVED INTAKE	APPROVED INTAKE
	2005-06	2005-06
CIVIL ENGINEERING	90	90
MECHANICAL ENGINEERING	100	100
ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONICS ENGG	100	100
ELECTRONICS & COMMUNICATION	50	50

COMPUTER SCIENCE & ENGINEERING	50	50
CHEMICAL ENGINEERING	40	40
PRODUCTION ENGINEERING	30	30
MCA	00	30
INDUSTRIAL INSTRU. & CONTROL (PG)	18	30
STRUC. ENGG. & CONST. MGT.(PG)	07	18
COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS(PG)	18	07
INDUSTRIAL REFRIGERATION & CRYOGENIC ENGG. (PG)	07	18
COMPUTR INTEGRATED MANUFACTURING (PG)	18	07
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>558</b>

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

The Council has decided to undertake inspection at any time after August end, 2005. Compliance report in respect of rectification of deficiencies listed in Annexure-A must be sent to the Council with a copy to concerned Regional Office by 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2005. In the absence, extension of approval for year 2006-07 may not be considered.

**Enclosure:- Annexure-A**

Yours faithfully



(Dr. P. Venkateswara Rao)  
Adviser (UG/ PG)

**Copy to :**

1. THE PRINCIPAL,  
T.K.M. COLLEGE OF ENGG.  
KOLLAM-691005 KERALA
2. The Regional Officer, AICTE, South-West Regional Office, Bangalore University Campus, P.K.Block, Palace Road, Bangalore-560 009.
3. Director of Technical education, Govt. of Kerala, Padmavilasom Road, Fort Thiruvananthapuram-695 023
4. The Registrar,  
(He is requested to complete the process of affiliation for facilitating admissions).
5. Guard File.

Name of the Institution	Programme
T.K.M. COLLEGE OF ENGG. KOLLAM-691005 KERALA	Degree Engineering
<p><b>DEFICIENCIES :</b></p> <p><b>Faculty</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>❖ The Principal should be qualified as per AICTE norms.</li><li>❖ The faculty student ration of 1:15 SHOULD BE ADHERED.</li></ul> <p><b>Lab</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>❖ The lab &amp; equipments should be as per AICTE norms &amp; university syllabus.</li></ul> <p><b>Library facility</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>❖ The number of books and journals should be as per AICTE norms.</li></ul> <p><b>Land / Built up area</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>❖ The land and built up area should be as per AICTE norms.</li></ul>	

