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

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Sub: Extension of approval to Sri Venkateswara College of Engg. & Tech Thirupachur Thiruvellure
- 631 203 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 several 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 **Sri Venkateswara College of Engg. & Tech, Thirupachur Thiruvellure - 631 203** for the year 2005-06 is as under: -

COURSE (S)	APPROVED INTAKE 2004-05	APPROVED INTAKE 2005-06
Civil Engineering	60	60
Computer Science & Engg	60	60
Electrical & Electronics Engg	60	60
Electronics & Comm. Engg	90	90
Information Technology	30	30
MBA (FT)	60	60
MCA (FT) Standalone	60	60
Mechanical Engineering	60	60
Total	480	480

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

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The above approval is subject to your rectification of deficiencies latest by August end, 2005. A compliance report indicating rectification of deficiencies and details of faculty recruited for each course must be received by the Council, with a copy to concerned Regional Officer latest by **31st August, 2005** to entitle 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.aicte.ernet.in

Yours faithfully

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

Copy to :

1. The Principal,
Sri Venkateswara College of Engg. & Tech
Thirupachur Thiruvellure - 631 203
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. : 730-52-349(E)/ET/99 Sri Venkateswara College of Engg. & Tech Thirupachur Thiruvallur - 631 203 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.	%
Civil Engineering	8	6	2	25
Computer Science & Engg	12	9	3	25
Information Technology	12	5	7	67

- Faculty at senior level, namely, Professors and Asst. Professors are to be recruited as per AICTE norms.
- 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.

Built-up Area:

- There is a shortfall of 3131 sq.mt. in built-up area as only 10207 sq.mt. is available against requirement of 13338 sq.mt.

Others :

- Enrollment of students against sanctioned intake is low.
- Training and placement cell should be established and developed.
- Common rooms should be provided for boys and girls.
- Internet facility should be made available to the students.

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