

**GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA  
DEPARTMENT OF COLLEGIATE EDUCATION**

Office of the  
Commissioner of Technical Education  
Telangana :: Hyderabad

**Circular Memo**

Sub:- T.E. – Govt. / Pvt. Aided / Pvt. Unaided Polytechnics in 2nd shift Engg. Colleges for Academic Year, 2020-21 – Commencement of online classes in Colleges – certain Instructions – Issued – Reg.

Ref:- Government Memo No.1676/MC/2020 Higher Education (MC) Department, Dated: 25.08.2020

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In terms of the Orders issued by the Government of Telangana vide G.O.Ms.No.93, General Administration Department, dated:30.06.2020 and G.O.Ms.No.99, General Administration Department, dated:31.07.2020 for extension of lockdown in containment zones till 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2020, along with guidelines to be followed to re-open prohibited activities in a phased manner in areas outside containment zones, the guidelines were issued, inter alia, stating that the schools, colleges, educational and coaching institutions will remain closed till 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2020.

Further, the State Government in the Ref. cited, has permitted as part of e-learning and Distance Education, online classes on various digital/TV/T-SAT platforms for 2<sup>nd</sup> year Intermediate; Degree; PG and Professional Colleges from 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2020 in all Colleges. All the Lecturers shall attend the respective Colleges regularly w.e.f. 27-08-2020 onwards and shall prepare e-content, lesson plan etc. With regard to reopening of colleges and commencement of regular classes, separate instructions will be issued as per Government of India guidelines. Until then, all colleges shall remain physically closed for students and classes. Regarding conduct of the exams, these dates will be decided based on outcome of the case, which is pending before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

In the circumstances, all the Principals of Govt. / Pvt. Aided / Pvt.-Unaided Polytechnics in 2<sup>nd</sup> shift Engineering Colleges in Telangana State shall follow the above said instructions issued by the Government for online classes on various digital / TV / T-SAT platforms from 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2020 in all Institutions. Further, all the Faculty shall attend the respective Colleges regularly w.e.f. 27-08-2020 onwards and shall prepare e-content, lesson plan etc. With regard to reopening of colleges and commencement of regular classes, separate instructions will be issued as per Government of India guidelines. Until then, all colleges shall remain physically closed for students and classes.

The Principals of Govt. / Pvt. Aided / Pvt.-Unaided Polytechnics in 2<sup>nd</sup> shift Engineering Colleges in Telangana State are instructed to take necessary action in this regard and submit a compliance report, duly marking a copy to the Secretary, SBTET, TS, Hyderabad.

The receipt of this memo shall be acknowledged.

**Signature valid**

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To:

The Principals/ OSD's of Government / Aided / Private Un-Aided Polytechnics including 2<sup>nd</sup> Shift Polytechnics in Engineering Colleges in Telangana State

Copy to the Secretary, SBTET, TS, Hyderabad for information and n.a.

Copy submitted to the Special Chief Secretary, Higher Education (TE) Department for kind information