

Government of Andhra Pradesh
ABSTRACT

IT&C Department - MSIT Program - Release of Rs. 196.00 lakhs to the AP State Council for Higher Education for further release to the Universities and other specific purposes - Orders - Issued.

Information Technology and Communications Department

G. O. Ms. No. 51

Dated 20-11-2001

Read the following:

1. G. O. Ms. No. 68, Higher Education Dept., dated 6-4-2000
2. Minutes of the IT Education Coordination Committee held on 29-10-2001

ORDER:

The MSIT Programme has been launched in the three learning centres i.e. REC, Warangal, JNTU, Hyderabad and IIIT, Hyderabad on 31st August 2001. The ITECC, vide reference second cited decided to undertake the following activities in the next few months in the current financial year 2001-02:

- a. To start the MSIT Programme in three more university learning centres in AP duly providing an advance of Rs. 30 lakhs each to meet part of their overall expenditure for creating the necessary infrastructure. The advance shall be adjusted against the fees i.e. to be collected from the candidates once the admissions are started. The total requirement for this is Rs. 90 lakhs.
- b. The Center for Distributed learning is proposed to be located in the premises of IIIT, Hyderabad. An amount of Rs. 60 lakhs is estimated to meet the expenditure towards computers, servers, networking, electrification with fixtures, civil works etc.
- c. It was also decided to create more academic course content for the Programme by allotting Rs. 20 lakhs for the purpose.
- d. Mentors from the proposed learning centres and the future learning centres, which are to be started in the near future, need to be trained at the Centre for Distributed Learning Centre for which an expenditure of Rs. 11 lakhs is required.
- e. To promote R&D in the CDL to improve methods of distance education using IT and also involve the MSIT students in the projects towards this effort, an amount of Rs. 10 lakhs is proposed to be earmarked.
- f. To set up recording facility in JNTU, Hyderabad for the purpose of recording the lectures given by senior faculty in various IT courses at an estimated cost of Rs. 5 lakhs.

2. Government after careful consideration and detailed examination hereby release an amount of Rs. 196.00 lakhs to the AP State Council for Higher Education, who will be making necessary payments as detailed above and as decided in the ITECC and the amount will be debited to the following Head of Account:

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| 3451 | - | Secretariat Economic Services |
| MH 090 | - | Secretariat |
| SH (22) | - | Information Technology and Communications Dept. |
| 330 | - | Payment for professional and special services |
| 334 | - | Other payments |

3. The Joint Director and the DDO, IT&C Dept. will draw the above sanctioned amount by preferring a claim with the Deputy Pay and Accounts Officer, AP Secretariat, Hyderabad and remit the said amount through a Cheque favoring the A.P State Council of Higher Education (APSCHE). The A.P State Council of Higher Education will render audited Accounts for the amount released within six months from the date of release along with the details of amounts released purpose wise.

4. This Order does not require the concurrence of the Finance Department and DTA authorization as clarified by Finance from time to time.

5. A copy of this order is also available on the web at www.ap-it.com and at www.aps.gov.in/apgos

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

A.P. SAWHNEY

Special Secretary to Government

To

The Chairman, A.P State Council of Higher Education, Hyderabad

The A.G (A&E), AP Hyderabad

The A.G (Audit), AP Hyderabad

Finance & Planning (Plg. A.P.) dept.

Finance & Planning (Fin. EBS.II. Wing) dept

Finance & Planning (Fin. B.G) dept

The PAO Hyderabad

The RAO, O/O the PAO Hyderabad

The Deputy PAO Secretariat Branch, Hyderabad

Copy to:

The Secretary, Education (H.E) Dept.

The Special Secretary, IT&C and Special Officer, IIIT

Prof. Raja Reddy, CMU

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