With a view to spread awareness and to solicit information from the general public, students as well as other stakeholders on fake /bogus technical educational institutions offering Diploma/Under Graduate /Post Graduate degree technical courses in the State of Haryana, it is hereby informed that:

i. The list of institutions providing technical education which are ‘not approved’ by the All India Council of Technical Education (AICTE) is available on the web-site of AICTE at www.aicte-india.org under the link ‘Statistics’, sub-link ‘Unapproved Institutions’. Further the list of ‘fake universities’ is available on the web-site of University Grant Commission (UGC) at www.ugc.ac.in under the link ‘For Students’, sub-link ‘Fake Universities’. The lists of unapproved technical institutions and fake universities are updated regularly on their web-sites by the AICTE and UGC respectively. The aforesaid lists and the lists of approved technical education institutions in the State of Haryana are also available on the web-site of Technical Education Department, Haryana i.e. www.techduhr.gov.in.

ii. As per provisions of AICTE (Grant of Approvals for Technical Education) Regulations, 2016 (Clause 4.31) Technical Institutions shall not be named in such a way that the abbreviated form of the name of the Technical Institution becomes IIM or IIT or IISc or NIT or AICTE or UGC or MHRD or GOI. The word(s) i.e. Government, India, Indian, National, All India, All India Council, Commission shall also not be used anywhere in the name of the Technical Institution and other names as prohibited under the Emblems and Names (Prevention of Improper Use) Act, 1950. Provided that the restrictions mentioned above shall not be applicable, if the Technical Institution is established by Government of India or its name is approved by the Government of India.

iii. As per Haryana State Government Notification No. 42/178/2008-5GSI dated 21.05.2009, the degree /diploma technical courses acquired
through **Distance Education Mode** are not a valid qualification for initial appointment or promotion in government jobs. The same is available on the web-site of Technical Education Department, Haryana at [www.techeduhry.gov.in](http://www.techeduhry.gov.in) under the link ‘Latest News’.

iv. **Only** such institutions which are offering Diploma/Under Graduate /Post Graduate degree technical courses in Haryana with the approval and/or recognition by the regulatory bodies (All India Council of Technical Education (AICTE), Pharmacy Council of India, Architectural Council of India, University Grant Commission (UGC) etc.) and affiliating bodies (Haryana State Board of Technical Education (HSBTE)/State Universities/ Recognized Private Universities) fall under the category of approved institutions and such courses are approved courses. **The diploma certificates / degree in the field of technical education which are not approved by the Regulatory Bodies concerned or obtained through Distance Education are not accepted as a valid qualification for Government jobs in the State.**

THE STUDENTS PURSUING THEIR TECHNICAL EDUCATION WITH THE INSTITUTIONS OR ASPIRING TO TAKE ADMISSION IN INSTITUTIONS FOR TECHNICAL EDUCATION ARE HEREBY ADVISED TO ENSURE ABOUT THE STATUS OF APPROVAL OF THE INSTITUTION AND / OR PROGRAMME CONCERNED FROM [www.techeduhry.gov.in](http://www.techeduhry.gov.in); [www.aicte-india.org](http://www.aicte-india.org) or [www.ugc.ac.in](http://www.ugc.ac.in).

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THE GENERAL PUBLIC/ STUDENTS/ STAKEHOLDERS ARE REQUESTED TO SEND THE INFORMATION WITH REGARD TO SUCH BOGUS/ FAKE INSTITUTIONS / COURSES AS ABOVE SAID TO DIRECTOR GENERAL TECHNICAL EDUCATION, HARYANA, PANCHKULA OR THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OF THE CONCERNED DISTRICT.

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