

FEE REGULATORY COMMITTEE (TECHNICAL)

Constituted under Section 9(1) of the Gujurat Professional Technical Educational Colleges or Institutions (Regulation of Admission and Fixation of Fees) Act, 2007 (Gujoral Act No. 2 of 2008)

2nd Floor, Room No. 126, ACPC Building, L. D. College of Engineering Campus, Opp. Gujarat University, Arrit Mahotsav Navrangpura, AHMEDABAD-380015. Email: frctechguj@gmail.com frctech-dte@gujarat.gov.in Phone: 079-26302937 Fax: 079-26304118 Website: www.frctech.ac.in



No: FRC/FEE/2020-21 to 2022-23/11597/B.E-B.Tech/298 297

Date: 08/09/2022

FEE ORDER

ORDER made in the matter of determination of fee structure for the Academic Years 2020-21, 2021-22 & 2022-23:

Name of Institution: Adani University-Faculty of Engineering Sciences & Technology, Ahmedabad (Earstwhile: Adani Insitute Of Infrastructure Engineering, Ahmedabad) ("the institution" for short)

Institution Code

11597

Program:

B.E/B.Tech

In pursuance of the powers conferred upon it, the Fee Regulatory Committee ("the Committee" for short) which is constituted under the provisions of The Gujarat Professional Technical Educational Colleges or Institutions (Regulation of Admission and Fixation of Fees) Act, 2007 ("the Act" for short) intimated all the institutions which are subject to the jurisdiction of the Committee, to submit their proposals for determining the fee structure for the block period of 3 years of 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23 on 18/03/2020. The deadline for submission of applications was extended from time to time in view of the then prevailing COVID-19 situation. In response to the Committee's intimation, the institution submitted its fee proposal together with the necessary financial data as requested by the Committee.

- 1. Due to continuing pandemic conditions, in particular the second and third wave of COVID-19, the Committee's exercise of determining the fee structure of more than 600 institutions for the relevant period got delayed.
- 2. Considering the fact that the COVID-19 pandemic has caused a disastrous effect on the economy worldwide and the enormous

Institution Code:- 11597



J bn

difficulties it has created in the day-to-day life of all sections of society, the Committee, purely on humanitarian ground, appealed to the institution to maintain the status quo as regards to the fee chargeable from the students for the block period of 3 years of 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23 at par with their existing fee of the year 2019-20. This appeal was made by the Committee in writing to the institution vide letter dated 02/03/2022.

- 3. In response to the Committee's aforesaid letter, The institution viz. Adani University-Faculty of Engineering Sciences & Technology, Ahmedabad (Earstwhile: Adani Insitute Of Infrastructure Engineering, Ahmedabad), for the Program B.E/B.Tech, FRC Institution Code 11597 which has proposed a rise in their existing fee of the year 2019-20 above 5% had conveyed vide letter dated 12th April, 2022 that the institution agreed to maintain the status quo for the two years i.e. 2020-21 and 2021-22. However, the institution requested the Committee to grant fee structure as proposed for the year 2022-23. Thus, the institution has sought increase in the fee as per the proposal for the years 2022-23. Thereafter also, the Committee made one more attempt to convince the institution not to seek any increase in its existing fee for the year 2019-20 even for the year 2022-23 and for that purpose it had a personal dialogue with the representatives of the institution on 19/05/2022. However, the institution declined to accede to the request of the Committee.
- 4. In view of it, the Committee, including its designated Chartered Accountant Member and the team of duly qualified, empaneled Chartered Accountants commenced the detailed scrutiny of the proposal. It carried out necessary exercises by following the standard accountancy practice and consistent policy and methodology adopted by the Committee which have evolved over the years keeping in view the provisions of the Act and in particular Section-11 (1) of it for determining fee structure. While doing so the Committee also kept in view the document published on the Committee's website on

Institution Code:- 11597



my & Al

18/03/2020 named "Standard Operating Procedure for determination of the fees for the fee block commencing from the year 2020-21" ("the SOP" for short). As part of this exercise, the Committee worked out the cost per student for the year 2019-20, on the basis of the re-casted financial data.

- 5. After due scrutiny as stated above of the proposal submitted by the institution, the Committee has arrived at the following findings:
 - a. The committee found that the audited accounts submitted by the institution directly relate to the expenditure incurred for imparting education as well as the expenditure which do not directly relate to imparting education to the students. Based on that the institution has worked out the cost per student which is not proper. The Committee, therefore, took into account only the expenditure which is directly related to imparting education to the students to work out the cost per student.
 - b. Cost per student worked out by the Committee on the basis of re-casted accounts are less than working submitted by the institution.
- 6. Based on the above, the Committee has determined just and fair fee structure for the institution subject to the following conditions:
 - i. The fee structure indicated is in Rupees per annum per student.
 - ii. The fee structure determined by the Committee shall be binding for a period of three years. The fee so determined shall be applicable to the students admitted in that academic year and shall not be revised till the completion of his/her professional course in the same institution.
 - iii. As per section 11 (2) of the Act, the fees indicated here include all types and kinds of fees such as Tuition fees, Library fees, Laboratory fees, Computer Fees, Caution Money, Gymkhana, Internet, Sports and Recreation,

Institution Code:- 11597



my & Al

Self/Personality Centers fee, University Affiliation fees (if any) and the like. As such the institution shall not collect any other fee from the students except the fees as mentioned in this order.

- iv. The fee structure stated herein is subject to any direction, circular, orders or notification that may be issued by the Government of Gujarat, Government of India, Statutory or Regulatory Body or Any Court of Law with regard to fees to be charged by institutions for the year 2020-21 or for any other period that may be prescribed by it.
- v. The institution shall not take fees for the full course at the time of admission. The fees shall be collected per semester or term of 6 (Six) months as the case may be.
- vi. The institution shall not ask for any bank guarantee or security of any kind from students or their parents.
- vii. The institution shall not compel any student to avail of any facility including hostel and transport as a part of the condition for admission or its continuity till the end of the full tenure of the course.
- viii. The institution shall notify the Fee structure on its Notice Board and also display copy of this order on its Mandatory Disclosure Link on its official website.
- ix. Additional fees charged from the students admitted under the NRI Quota shall be credited to a separate bank account and the same will be used only for the benefits of the students belonging to the economically weaker class and /or for increasing/developing the infrastructure facilities. The institution shall also furnish all the information pertaining to the utilization of excess fees from the NRI category students in the information memorandum which may be submitted along with the fee proposal for next block of three years.

Institution Code:- 11597

7. In view of the above, the Committee now prescribes the fee structure for the block period of 3 years commencing from the years 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23 as under:

Name of Institution	Adani University-Faculty of Engineering Sciences & Technology, Ahmedabad (Earstwhile: Adani Insitute Of Infrastructure Engineering, Ahmedabad)		
Institution Code	11597		
Name of Program	B.E/B.Tech		
Existing Fee for the year 2019-20	Maximum Ceiling Limit of fee structure determined for the Year		
	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23
165000	165000	165000	165000

Member Secretary

Copy forwarded to:

- 1. The Dean/Director/Principal of concerned institution.
- 2. The Principal Secretary (Higher & Technical Education), Education Department, Block No.5, Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar.
- 3. The Director of Technical Education, Block No.2, 6th Floor, Karmayogi Bhavan, Sector 10-A, Gandhinagar.
- 4. Member Secretary, Admission Committee for Professional Courses (ACPC), L. D. College of Engineering Campus, Ahmedabad.
- Member Secretary, Admission Committee for Professional Diploma Courses (ACPDC), L. D. College of Engineering Campus, Ahmedabad