MOU SIGNED WITH ALL INDIA COUNCIL FOR TECHNICAL EDUCATION (MINISTRY OF HRD, GOVT. OF INDIA) FOR PROVIDING INTERNSHIP TO ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT STUDENTS

A GIGANTIC STEP TOWARDS MAKING TECHNICAL GRADUATES EMPLOYABLE

Engineering Council of India (ECI) and All India Council for Technical Education **(AICTE),** Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India have entered into an MoU **for providing "Internship"** to the students in all disciplines of Engineering and Management for enabling them to become industry ready and employable.

AICTE is expected to make the "Internship" component mandatory for graduating engineers and management students to obtain their degrees.

ECI shall be facilitating the internship programs of (6 months duration) through its member associations, in their respective stream of engineering. ***Construction Industry Development Council (CIDC)*** the apex Construction body of India (www.cidc.in), is a founding member of ECI and shall be one of the members facilitating these internships for the construction sector This program can be completed in two ways.

I. **Medium Term Programs : (Duration: Two Months at a time under the Short Term Program)**

Three Short Term modules of two months each can be taken by the students during their vacations while pursuing the degree program. A total of six months internship is required under proposed rules. In case, student is unable to undertake the same within the first three years, balance period may be undertaken in Fourth Year or after completion of other curriculum depending on how the college / university sanctions the degree time-table.

OR

II. **Long Term program: (Duration: Six Months)**

The long-term Internship program will be carried out in two parts:

a) Part 1 will be conducted for 1 month & will involve a short component (approx. 1 hour) of Classroom interactions, followed by 7 hours Practical hands on work at centres appointed ***by its CIDC or a Nodal Institution nominated by CIDC.***

b) Part 2 of the Internship will be conducted in Industry or related organisations ***arranged by CIDC*** where the students will work in real-time operations of their respective fields. The time period will be ***5 months***. During this period, the intern shall arrange for his / her own Boarding, Lodging, travel & conveyance. The nominated organisation may, however provide the same in some cases, at their discretion.

In either of the programs, completion of both the programs, performance of the interns will be examined by a Jury appointed by CIDC. Mentors of the Interns shall be Professional Engineers registered with ECI.

1. **Institutions/Training Centres/Organisations as "Nodal Institutions"**
2. **Industry (**Companies & other Organizations/ Professionals) in **Manufacturing, Construction, Consultancy, Services etc.** to host the interns.

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