

Bill

to provide for the establishment of Hyderabad Institute for Technical and Management Sciences as the degree awarding institute

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the establishment of Institute of Hyderabad Institute for Technical and Management Sciences and for the matters connected therewith and ancillary thereto;

It is enacted as follows:—

CHAPTER - I

PRELIMINARY

1. **Short title and commencement.**—(1) This Act shall be called the Hyderabad Institute for Technical and Management Sciences Act, 2010.

(2) It shall come into force, on such date as the Government may, by notification in the official Gazette, appoint.

2. **Definitions.**— In this Act, unless there is anything repugnant in the subject or context,—

- (i) "Academic Council" means the Academic Council of the Institute;
- (ii) "Authority" means any of the Authorities of the Institute specified in this Act;
- (iii) "Board" means the Board of Governors of the Institute constituted under section 19;
- (iv) "Pro-Chancellor" means the Pro-Chancellor of the University;
- (v) "Chamber" means the Chambers of Commerce and Industry, Hyderabad
- (vi) "Chancellor" means the Chancellor of the Institute;
- (vii) "Commission" means the Higher Education Commission set up under Higher Education Commission Ordinance, 2002 (LIII of 2002);
- (viii) "Dean" means the head of a Faculty or the head of an academic body granted the status of a Faculty by this Act or by the Statutes or Regulations;

- (ix) "Department" means a teaching department maintained and administered or recognized by the Institute in the manner prescribed;
- (x) "Director" means the head of an academic, research or administrative unit of the Institute established under the Statutes or Regulations in terms of the power delegated by this Act;
- (xi) "employees" means whole time teachers, officers and other staff appointed or inducted and paid by the Institute;
- (xii) "Faculty" means an administrative and academic unit of the Institute consisting of one or more departments as prescribed;
- (xiii) "Government" means the Federal Government;
- (xiv) "Institute" means the Hyderabad Institute for Technical and Management Sciences;
- (xv) "prescribed" means prescribed by Statutes, Regulations or Rules made under this Act;
- (xvi) "quality assurance" means assuring compliance to all such academic and administrative regulations, rules, policies or guidelines provided by the Commission or set by the Institute itself in above and beyond of those given by the Commission but not inconsistent with this Act;
- (xvii) "Rector" means the Rector of the Institute.
- (xviii) "Review Committee" means the Review Committee set up by the Chancellor in accordance with the provisions of section 8;
- (xix) "Schedule" means a Schedule to this Act;
- (xx) "Search Committee" means the Search Committee set up by the Chancellor under section 13;
- (xxi) "Statutes", "Regulations" and "Rules" means respectively the Statutes, the Regulations and the Rules made under this Act; *and*
- (xxii) "Teachers" include Professors, Associate Professors, Assistant Professors and Lecturers engaged whole-time by the Institute and such other persons as may be declared by Regulations to be teachers.

CHAPTER - II

THE INSTITUTE

3. Incorporation.— (1) The Hyderabad Institute for Technical and Management Sciences is hereby established as degree awarding institution.

(2) The Institute shall have its campus in Hyderabad.

(3) The Institute shall consist of the following, namely:-

- (a) the Chancellor;
- (b) **Pro-Chancellor;**
- (c) the Rector;
- (d) the Deans and the Heads of Departments;
- (e) the members of the Authorities of the Institute established under this Act;
- (f) all Teachers and persons recognized as students of the Institute in accordance with terms prescribed from time to time; and
- (g) all other full-time officers and members of the staff of the Institute.

(4) The Institute shall be a body corporate by the name of Hyderabad Institute for Technical and Management Sciences and shall have perpetual succession and a common seal and may sue and be sued by the said name.

(5) The Institute shall be competent to acquire and hold property, both movable and immovable, and to lease, sell or otherwise transfer any movable and immovable property which may have become vested in or been acquired by it.

(6) Notwithstanding anything contained in any other law for the time being in force, the Institute shall have academic, financial and administrative autonomy, including the power to employ officers, teachers and other employees on such terms as may be prescribed, subject to the terms of this Act and the Higher Education Commission Ordinance, 2002 (LIII of 2002).

4. Powers and purposes of the Institute.— The Institute shall be a premier institute for advance studies and training and its; (1) curricula shall include promotion of special scientific and social studies (2) Notwithstanding the aforesaid the institute shall inter-alia, -