



## GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

### Abstract

Higher Education Department – Technical Education – AICTE 7<sup>th</sup> Central Pay Commission – Career Advancement Scheme (CAS) for Diploma Level Faculty – Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee and Selection Committee constituted-Orders issued.

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### HIGHER EDUCATION(L)DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.607/2026/HEDN Dated,Thiruvananthapuram, 30-05-2026

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Read 1 AICTE Notification F.No.61-1/RIFD/7th CPC/2016-17 dated 01.03.2019

2 G.O.(Ms) No.97/2021/HEDN dated 16.02.2021.

3 G.O.(Ms) No.37/2021/HEDN dated 28.01.2021

4 G.O.(Ms) No.291/2022/HEDN dated 10.06.2022.

5 Letter No.DTETVM/11377/2025-AICTE2 (EC) dated 27.04.2026 from the Director of Technical Education.

### ORDER

As per the Notification read as 1<sup>st</sup> paper above, the AICTE has issued guidelines for implementation of the 7<sup>th</sup> Central Pay Commission recommendations, including Career Advancement Scheme (CAS), for teachers and other academic staff in Technical Institutions. Government have already implemented the 7<sup>th</sup> AICTE Pay Revision recommendations for Diploma Level faculty as per the Government Orders read as 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> papers above. However, specific provisions regarding the constitution of Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee and Selection Committee for processing CAS applications were not incorporated in the said orders.

2. The Director of Technical Education, vide letter read as 5<sup>th</sup> paper above, has requested Government to constitute the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee and Selection Committee for CAS placements

under the 7<sup>th</sup> AICTE Scheme by adopting the same structure and guidelines as prescribed for implementation of the 6<sup>th</sup> CPC CAS vide Government Order read as 3<sup>rd</sup> paper above. The Director also requested to reiterate the provisions contained in Clause 6.1 of the AICTE Notification dated 01.03.2019 relating to Research Publications for the purpose of CAS promotions.

3. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to constitute the following Committees for processing Career Advancement Scheme placements under the 7<sup>th</sup> AICTE Scheme for Diploma Level faculty.

### **I. Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee**

The Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee for CAS placement of Lecturers from one AGP/Academic Level to another shall consist of the following members:

- a. Director of Technical Education – Chairman
- b. Senior Joint Director (PS) – Convener
- c. Joint Director, SITTR or Deputy Director (General) – Member
- d. Senior Administrative Officer for placements in Government Polytechnic Colleges / Accounts Officer (DP) for placements in Aided Polytechnic Colleges – Member
- e. Principal of a Government Polytechnic College nominated by the Director of Technical Education – Member
- f. Two Subject Experts not below the rank of Associate Professor/Professor in Government Engineering Colleges from a panel nominated by the Director of Technical Education – Members
- g. An Academician representing SC/ST/OBC/Minority/Women/Differently-abled categories, to be nominated by the Director of Technical Education, if any candidate belonging to the above categories is an applicant and if none of the members of the Committee belongs to that category – Member

The quorum for the Screening-cum-Evaluation Committee shall be four, including the Chairman and the Convener.

### **II. Selection Committee**

The Selection Committee for CAS placements shall consist of the following members:

- a. Director of Technical Education – Chairman
- b. Representative of Higher Education Department not below the rank of Under Secretary to Government – Member
- c. Senior Joint Director (PS) – Convener
- d. Joint Director (SITTTR) or Deputy Director (General) – Member
- e. Senior Administrative Officer for placements in Government Polytechnic Colleges / Accounts Officer (DP) for placements in Aided Polytechnic Colleges – Member
- f. Principal from a Government Polytechnic College nominated by the Director of Technical Education – Member
- g. Three Subject Experts from Government Engineering Colleges not below the cadre of Professor from a panel of five names nominated by the Director of Technical Education – Members
- h. An Academician representing SC/ST/OBC/Minority/Women/Differently-abled categories, to be nominated by the Director of Technical Education, if any candidate belonging to the above categories is an applicant and if none of the members of the Committee belongs to that category – Member

The quorum for the Selection Committee meeting shall be five, including the Chairman and Convener, of which at least one member shall be a Subject Expert.

4. Further, it is also clarified that the provisions contained in Clause 6.1 of the AICTE Notification dated 01.03.2019 relating to Research Publications shall be applicable for CAS promotions under the 7<sup>th</sup> AICTE Scheme. Accordingly, research publications in SCI Journals, UGC Approved Journals, AICTE Approved Journals, or journals approved jointly by AICTE and the respective statutory councils/institutes shall be considered for CAS promotions, subject to the conditions stipulated by AICTE.

5. The Director of Technical Education shall take further necessary action in this regard.

(By order of the Governor)  
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## JOINT SECRETARY

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