

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TOURISM

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.781
ANSWERED ON 08.02.2024

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TOURISM & TRAVEL MANAGEMENT (IITTM)
AT NELLORE

781 SHRI BEEDHA MASTHAN RAO YADAV:

Will the Minister of **TOURISM** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Ministry has analysed the performance of Indian Institute of Tourism & Travel Management (IITTM) at Nellore;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the institute was found to be infrastructurally sufficient and adequately staffed; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof, and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM

(SHRI G. KISHAN REDDY)

(a): Yes.

(b): Financial and admission progress position of the institute is reviewed by the Ministry, periodically. Internal and external audit are also carried out regularly.

(c) and (d): Yes. The details are attached at Annexure.

STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PARTS (c) AND (d) OF RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.781 ANSWERED ON 08.02.2024 REGARDING INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TOURISM & TRAVEL MANAGEMENT (IITTM) AT NELLORE BY SHRI BEEDHA MASTHAN RAO YADAV

**DETAILS OF PHYSICAL INFRASTRUCTURE:
IITTM-NELLORE CENTRE:**

- **Building Campuses:** The Nellore campus building comprising of academic and non-academic blocks is a single unit of two floors. Classrooms are in the first and second floor and ground floor is utilised for administration purpose. The capacity of the class rooms ranges from 30 to 60 seating capacity. All the classrooms are equipped with basic amenities and latest state-of-the-art technology, including air conditioners, latest audio video equipment's, computers, LCD projectors and dedicated Wi-Fi network. Water coolers are provided near the classrooms.

Director's room is located in the administration section. Four rooms have been allotted for faculty members with and separate rooms for other administrative workforce. There is a cafeteria as well. The campus also has an auditorium with projector and audio/video equipment. The entrance of the building has a well-maintained reception and lobby. There is a library with work stations and seating arrangement enriched with learning resources of different disciplines. The Computer Lab is in the academic block with seamless internet access. Common room in the academic block with television and indoor games is utilized by students during recess.

- **Hostels for Boys and Girls:** Separate hostels for boys and girls with accommodation for 170 students. A well-equipped mess common for girls and boys is also there with adequate space for comfortable seating and dining purpose. The institute also has AC guest rooms.
- **Furniture and Fixtures:** The classrooms are fully equipped with furniture and fixtures which are required for the smooth conduct of classes like air conditioner, LCD projector, Screen, White board, Notice Boards, Audio System, and other basic amenities.
- **Library & Computing Facility:** IITTM Nellore has a well-equipped library, having both online as well as offline resources. The library has a collection of reference material and text books of various publications both national and international, other learning resources both in digital and print media, research reports and works on fiction. The library has subscription of E-Journals accessible through online mode, and Magazines related to travel and allied sector. A wide range of CDs based on travel and tourism, Heritage, Culture, Personality Development, Philosophy themes are also available. Library automation has been initiated and is expected to be on a continuous basis.

The whole campus including the academic, administrative and hostel blocks are Wi-Fi enabled. The Academic block has an air-conditioned computer centre with latest computer hardware, software and many other ICT devices.

- The institute is adequately staffed to take care of running of the institute.

- **Club Activities:** IITTM, Nellore had initiated 2 clubs namely Shipping Cargo Club and Tourism Club for industry academia interface and expert sessions. Students are actively involved in interaction with industry experts and are even given opportunities to conduct surveys, free internships organised by industry etc.

Apart from this, literary club was commenced to encourage reading habit among students and book review sessions involving students and faculty members were regularly held. Art club was commenced to involve students in various Activities leading to appreciation of art, encouragement of artistic skills including drawing, painting.

- **Medical facilities:** Provision of free health check-up of the students by empanelled doctors in the Institute/Hostel available.
- **Gymnasium facilities:** Well-equipped outdoor gymnasium is available in the Institute campus, separately for boys and girls.
- **Open Green Belt:** The campus has open grounds for outdoor sports activities. Plantation drives are undertaken on regular basis.
