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Technology, Membership of the Board of
Studies for Instrument Technology -
Invitation of to officer in charge,
Survey of India, Dehra Dun -

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I dare say you must have read from the papers about the opening of the Madras Institute of Technology at Chromepet, near Madras. We have started the First Year Course with a batch of 90 students, most of whom are B.Sc. (Physics Main) Degree-holders. The student will have a three year course, with basic training in the first year, and specialised courses in the second and third years in Communication Engineering and Electronics, Instrument Technology, Automobile Engineering and Aeronautical Engineering. The students will also have a fairly good training in Mechanical and Electrical Engineering.

It is proposed to have a separate Board of Studies for each of the Faculties in the Institute. It is our earnest desire that you should be a Member of the Board of Studies for Instrument Technology. The names of the Members of this Board are shown in the enclosed list. A skeleton syllabus is under preparation and a copy of the same will be sent to you ere long. I shall be grateful if you will kindly signify your consent for including your name on the Board and thus enable us to have the benefit of your advice and suggestions.

Thanking you and with best regards.

MADRAS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

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1. Dr. I Ramakrishna Rau, M.A., Ph.D. (Sc.), (Lond.) F.I.P.
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6. Mr. S.N. Roy, B.Sc. (Sheffield), Director of Training
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Madras Institute of Technology - Membership of the Board
of Studies for Instrument Technology - Invitation to
Officer-in-charge, Survey of India, Dehra Dun.

C.No. 99767/49

Memo.No. 99767/49/Edn., dated 28/12/49

A copy of a letter received from the Govt. of India,

Ministry of Agriculture, No.F.18-410/49-S dated 13.12.49, with
its enclosure, is forwarded to the D.P.I. He is requested to
offer his remarks thereon as early as possible.

To
The D.P.I. (with
enclosure
copy of p.p.1 &
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2. The question of giving the
Institute with a grant from Provin-
cial funds is still under the consi-
deration of Govt.

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Madras Institute of Technology - Membership of the Board
of Studies for Instrument Technology - Invitation to
Officer-in-charge, Survey of India, Dehra Dun.

C.No.99767/49.

Memo.No.99767 82/48-2 Edn.dated 6/2/50.

The attention of the D.P.I. is invited to

Memo.No.99767-G2/49-1 Edn.,dated 28.12.1949 on the above
subject and he is requested to expedite his reply.

To

The D.P.I.

Ministry of Agriculture,
New Delhi, 1st February, 1950.
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From

Shri J.V.A. Nehemiah, M.A.,
Under Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture,
Government of India.

To

The Chief Secretary to the Government
of Madras, Madras.

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Subject:- Request from the Principal, Madras
Institute of Technology, Chrompet to the
Officer Incharge, Survey of India, Dehra Dun
for accepting membership of the Board of
Studies for Instrument Technology of the
Institute.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's
letter of even number dated the 13th December, 1949
on the subject mentioned above and to request
that a reply thereto may be expedited.

Yours faithfully,

R. m. *memorably*
for Under Secretary.
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To

The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Ministry of Agriculture, New Delhi.

Sir,

Sub:- Madras Institute of Technology - Membership of
the Board of Studies for Instrument Technology -
Invitation to Officer-in-charge, Survey of India,
Dehra Dun.

Ref:- Your letter No.F.18-410/49-S, dated 13.12.1949
and reminder dated 4-2-1950.

I am directed to state that the matter is under
consideration, and a reply will be sent on receipt of a report
called for from the D.P.M. Shetty.

Yours faithfully,

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remarks have been
whereas the Institute has attained of
sufficient standing to merit an
officer of the Survey of India serving as
a member of the Board of Studies of
Instrument Technology of the M.I.T.,
and his remarks are awaited. ~~As this is~~
~~regarding the question of recognition by~~
~~the Board of Studies of the Institute; the question of~~
the question of grants to the Institute
is under consideration - vide the
decision of the Cabinet. The draft
interim reply to a letter is for approval.

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The Cabinet has passed orders.
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in that file.

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THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,
MADRAS.

Education
Department,

R.O.C. No. 23-D8/50 dated 10th February, 1950.

Sir,

Sub:- Madras Institute of Technology-
Membership of the Board of Studies for
Instrument Technology-Invitation to
Officer-in-charge, Survey of India.
Ref:- Government Memorandum No. 99767-G2/49-1
Edn., dated 28-12-1949.

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The Madras Institute of Technology was started only
in July 1949. The Institute does not appear to have been
recognised by this Government nor is this matter under the con-
sideration of this Department. The authorities of the Institute
seem to have taken up this matter with the Director of Industries
and Commerce.

2. It is reported that the authorities of the Institute
are endeavouring to get leading Engineers and Scientists to
serve on the concerned Board of Studies. The Principal,
College of Engineering, Guindy has been permitted to be a member
of the Board of Studies in Automobile Engineering. Although
the Institute has been started recently, it has ambitious plans
and it would be helpful if an officer of the Survey of India
is permitted to serve as a member of the Board of Studies for
Instrument Technology.

Yours faithfully,

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Director of Public Instruction.

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Secy Under Secretary to the G. of India,
Ministry of Agriculture, New Delhi.

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P.C.

Ref:- your letter No. F. 18-410/49-5
dt- 13/12/49

~~I am directed to state that~~
The Officer-in-charge, Survey of India,
may be permitted to serve as a
member

member of the Board of Studies for
Instrument Technology of the
Madras Institute of Technology. I
am to add that the question of ~~this Government's~~
financial aid to the ~~above~~ Institute
is under active consideration of the Govt.
Yrs ffly,

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C.No. 11011/50.

From the Govt. of India, No.F.18-410/49-S., dated 13-1-

From the D.P.I., Roc.No. 23-D.8/50 dated 10-2-50.

The Principal, Madras Institute of Technology
Chromepet, has addressed the Officer-in-charge, Survey
India, Dehra Dun, requesting him to accept membership
the Board of Studies of Instrument Technology of the
Institute. The Govt. of India, before permitting the
cer to serve on the above board, had called for the view
of this Govt. as to (1) whether the Institute is of suffi-
cient standing to merit an officer of the Survey of India
serving as a member of this Board and (2) whether the Govt
of Madras have given any recognition to this Institute.

2. The question of financial assistance to this
Institute by this Govt. is separately under consideration.
A committee consisting of the C.E., P.W.D., the Principal,
Engineering College, Guindy, and the Secy., E.&P.H. Dept.
has been constituted, to report to Govt. on certain points
relating to the Institute. (The file on the subject has
been sent after issue to P.W.D. & Finance.) The Committee's
report is awaited. With reference to the Govt. of India's
letter and the D.P.I.'s remarks thereon, it may be stated
that no formal recognition by Govt. has been given or is
necessary. If the Govt. decide to give a grant after the
deliberations of the Special Committee are over, such a
decision will be tantamount to recognition by Govt. It is
observed from the Director's letter, that the Principal of
the Engineering College is on the Board of Studies in
Automobile Engineering. As observed by the D.P.I. the ma-
management have ambitious plans and its objectives are
designed to promote the industrial regeneration of the
country. The Director's view may be accepted and t-

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With reference to orders in circulation above, a draft letter to the G. of India is subd. for approval.

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