

The supernumerary seats

- (1) The supernumerary seats shall be filled in accordance with the directions of the All India Council of Technical Education, New Delhi and Ministry of Human Resources Development, Government of India on merit basis.
- (2) (i) (a) The **Tuition Fee Waiver Scheme** shall be applicable to all the sanctioned seats of the Diploma Engineering Courses in the Government Colleges or Institutions and the aided Colleges or Institutions of the State, and
(b) all the sanctioned seats of the Diploma Engineering Courses in the unaided Colleges or Institutions who have opted for granting admission under the TFW Scheme and have obtained approval of the All India Council for Technical Education, New Delhi.
- (ii) The supernumerary seats not exceeding ten per cent. of the sanctioned intake of the college or institution shall be filled on the basis of merit of the candidate, the annual income of whose parents does not exceed Rs. 2.5 lakhs from all sources of income.
- (iii) For every 60 sanctioned intakes in a branch or division of study, one seat shall be offered to Physically Handicapped (PH) candidate. Out of remaining five seats, three seats shall be offered to women candidate and two seats shall be offered to candidates belonging to Economically Backward Classes. In the event of non-availability of candidates in particular category referred to above, the seats shall be filled up by the candidates belonging to Economically Backward Classes according to merit. In no case, vacant seats under the TFW Scheme shall be offered to the general candidates.
- (iv) The tuition fee waiver shall be for the complete duration of the course and students admitted under this scheme shall not be allowed to change institutions / course under any circumstances.”
- (3) Admission under the **Scheme of Polytechnics for Persons with Disabilities (SP, PWD)**.
(a) The supernumerary seats in the colleges or institutions, under the Scheme of Polytechnics for Persons with Disabilities (SP, PWD), as shown in the Table below, shall be filled, on merit basis, namely:-

TABLE

Sr. No.	Name of colleges or institutions	No. of Seats
01	Government Polytechnic, Ahmedabad,	25
02	Government Polytechnic for Girls, Ahmedabad,	25
03	Sir Bhavsinghji Polytechnic Institute, Bhavnagar,	21
04	Dr. S and S. S. Gandhi College of Engineering and Technology, Surat.	25

Explanation.- “The Scheme of Polytechnics for Persons with Disabilities (SP, PWD)” means the centrally sponsored scheme framed in the year 2000, in accordance with the National Policy on Education -1986 and under the Persons with Disability Act -1995, by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, for up gradation of Fifty selected polytechnics to integrate the Persons with Disabilities in the mainstream of Technical and Vocational Education. A candidate securing admission under the scheme is eligible to get financial assistance.

- (b) The conditions contained in rule 7 shall, subject to which a candidate belonging to physically handicapped category may be given admission, also apply to the candidate belonging

to physically handicapped category under the Scheme of Polytechnics for Persons with Disabilities (SP, PWD).

(4) **Reservation of seats in other States for the candidates of Gujarat State .-** The seats shall be reserved for the candidates of the Gujarat State in other States in specific fields of technical education under the scheme of the Ministry of Human Resources Development, Government of India. The admission to such seats shall be on the basis of merit.

Explanation.-- Under the scheme of the Ministry of Human Resources Development, Government of India, the supernumerary seats shall be reserved for the candidates of the States and Union Territories which do not have Polytechnics, Colleges or Institutions or lack facilities in specific fields of technical education including foreign students.

(5) **Reservation of seats for Kashmiri Migrants.-** The seats shall be reserved for the wards of Kashmiri Migrants in accordance with the directions issued, from time to time, by the All India Council of Technical Education, New Delhi and Ministry of Human Resources Development, Government of India. The admission to such seats shall be on the basis of merit.