

No. 5-21/2025-PN.II
Government of India
Ministry of Education
Department of Higher Education
(PN.II Section)

Shastri Bhawan New Delhi,
Dated 16th September, 2025

To,
Secretary / Member Secretary
Regulatory Bodies of Higher Education
(As per list attached)

Subject: - Filing up of Questionnaires on Official Website of the National Task Force constituted pursuant to Supreme Court Judgment in Criminal Appeal No. 1425/2025 @ SLP (Crl) No. 13324/2024 title Amit Kumar & Ors. Vs. Union of India & Ors. -reg.

Sir/Madam,

This has reference to this department's Circular of even nos. dated 25.08.2025 and 04.09.2025 regarding filling up of Questionnaires on Official Website of the National Task Force constituted pursuant to Supreme Court Judgment in Criminal Appeal No. 1425/2025 @ SLP (Crl) No. 13324/2024 title Amit Kumar & Ors. Vs. Union of India & Ors.

2. The National Task Force on Student Mental Health and Suicide Prevention in Institutes of Higher Education, has launched a series of surveys on its official website <https://ntf.education.gov.in/> to gather crucial inputs from stakeholders i.e. students, parents, faculty members and institutions.

3. It has been noted that only a minuscule number of institutions have filled out the questionnaire on the said website.

4. As the Task Force is preparing to submit its interim report by September 2025, it is imperative that all Higher Education Institutions shall fill-up the survey using their AISHE Credential in a timely manner.

5. It is therefore requested you to urgently notify all higher education institutions under your jurisdiction to treat this matter with utmost priority and ensure that the National Task Force (NTF) Institute Surveys are submitted **by 19th September 2025 positively**.

5. Thank you for your cooperation.

Encl: As above.

Yours sincerely,


(Rina Sonowal Kouli)

Joint Secretary to the Government of India

List of Regulatory Bodies

1. Secretary, UGC
2. Member Secretary, AICTE
3. Secretary, National Medical Commission
4. Registrar-cum-Secretary, Pharmacy Council of India
5. Secretary, Dental Council of India
6. Secretary, Indian Nursing Council
7. Secretary, Bar Council of India
8. Member Secretary, National Council for Teacher Education
9. Secretary (DARE) & DG (ICAR)
10. Member Secretary, Rehabilitation Council of India
11. Registrar, Council of Architecture
12. Secretary, Central Council of Indian Medicine (CCIM)