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Government of India
Ministry of Education
Department of Higher Education

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi,
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ORDER

Subject:- Joint Seat Allocation process for admissions to the Centrally Funded Technical Institutions (CFTIs) – reconstitution of Joint Seat Allocation Authority (JoSAA) – regarding.

To look into the process flow differences between the Indian Institutes of Technology (IITs) and National Institutes of Technology (NITs) counseling, a Technical Committee was constituted under the Chairmanship of the then Director, IIT–Kharagpur. The Technical Committee had recommended joint seat allocation process from the academic year 2015 – 2016.

2. Accordingly, as per recommendations of the Technical Committee, the joint seat allocation process through Joint Seat Allocation Authority (JoSAA) has been put in place from the academic year 2015 – 2016 onwards after obtaining the approval of the Councils of IITs and NITSER.

3. The common / joint counseling is conducted by JoSAA every year for allocation of seats to the undergraduate programmes of Centrally Funded Technical Institutions (IITs, NITs, IIITs, SPAs & other GFTIs) whose admissions are based on Joint Entrance Examination (JEE). For the purpose of common / joint counseling, the CSAB (NITs) and JAB (IITs) shall enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU).

4. With the approval of the competent authority, it has been decided to re-constitute Joint Seat Allocation Authority (JoSAA)–2025, with the following to conduct joint/common counseling for the academic year 2025–2026:

(i)	Chairman, Joint Admission Board (IITs) – 2025 (Prof. Manindra Agrawal, Director, IIT, Kanpur)	:	Co-Chairman & Convener
(ii)	Chairman, Central Seat Allocation Board (CSAB) – 2025 (Prof. K. Umamaheshwar Rao, Director, NIT, Rourkela)	:	Co-Chairman
(iii)	Chairman, Joint Admission Board (IITs) – 2024 (Prof. V Kamakoti, Director, IIT – Madras)	:	Member
(iv)	Chairman, Central Seat Allocation Board (CSAB) – 2024 (Prof. B. Ravi, Director, NITK – Surathkal)	:	Member
(v)	Chairman, Joint Implementation Committee (IITs) – 2025 (Prof. Amit Mitra, Professor, IIT-Kanpur)	:	Member

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