

Govt to involve pvt firms in operating ITIs, polytechnics

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Lucknow: Uttar Pradesh govt will promote skill development in 471 ITI and polytechnic institutes across the state by improving the training processes for the students.

“The Directorate of Training and Employment (Training Block) has taken a decisive step to involve private companies in operating ITI and Polytechnic institutes across various districts of Uttar Pradesh. Their role will be crucial in ensuring the seamless implementation of training and skill development programs for the trainees,” said an official.

He mentioned that the selection process for these agencies is being conducted based

on the Private Sector Partnership (PSP) module. It is noteworthy that upon completion of this process, it will pave the way for smoothly carrying forward all educational processes and activities, including short-term vocational courses in all these ITI and Polytechnic institutes.

He added that in addition, these agencies will operate ITIs in two shifts while polytechnics will operate in a single shift every day. Furthermore, alongside infrastructure development in terms of land and buildings for ITIs and Polytechnics, it will be necessary to develop the management system as well. The selected 47 ITIs and polytechnic institutions operating through the PSP module will ensure compliance with the standards of

NCVT and AICTE guidelines. If required, the process of making changes and acquiring equipment for conducting short-term curriculum and other educational activities in ITIs and Polytechnics will also be completed.

A website will be created for rules, policies, and information related to management, operation, and performance. Notably, among these 47 ITIs and polytechnic institutions where this process will be completed, Mirzapur (Sadar), Gonda (Colonelganj), Bahraich (Salarpur), Shahjahanpur (Noorpur Tarasoura and Jalalabad), Farrukhabad (Kaimganj), Hardoi (Gopamau), Basti, Balrampur (Ghunghalpur), Bareilly (Faridpur), and Bijnor (Dhampur) are prominent.