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Government of India
Ministry of Human Resource Development
Department of Higher Education
International Cooperation Cell

206 - C, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi Dated the 23rd July, 2018

To

General Secretary
Association of Australian Education Representative in India (AAERI)
Second floor, Sadhuram Chambers, B/s.
Navgujarat College, Ashram Road
Ahmedabad – 380 013.

Subject:

Representation on non-applicability of GST in relation to admission related services provided to foreign universities.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to refer to the letter dated 13th July, 2018 from AAERI, addressed to Hon'ble Minister of Human Resource Development, on the subject mentioned above, wherein it was requested to support the contention of AAERI in extension of exemption of GST to admission related recruitment services, provided to Foreign Educational Institutions, and accordingly forward a suitable recommendation to Ministry of Finance and GST Council.

- 2. In this regard, this is to inform that the subject matter "GST" does not come under the purview of Ministry of Human Resource Development and hence this Ministry is not in a position to make any comment/ take any decision in this regard. You may like to approach Ministry of Finance in this regard. The same was already intimated to you vide our letter dated 29th November, 2017.
- 3. As far as your request regarding the grant of opportunity for a meeting with Hon'ble Minister of Human Resource Development, you may directly be in touch with the O/o Hon'ble Minister of Human Resource Development, for this purpose.

Yours faithfully

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