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State sets up Knowledge Advisory Group

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The State government has constituted a Knowledge Advisory Group for making recommendations on education reforms. It comprises 36 members representing the academia and industry and will have the Secretary, Higher Education Department, as its member-convener, according to G.O MS No. 1 released on Friday. The panel will advise the government on reforms in higher education to enable it to achieve global standards with the ultimate objective of making the State an education and knowledge hub.

It comprises Azim Premji Foundation chairman Dileep Ranjekar, BITS Pilani Vice-Chancellor Bijendra Nath Jain, IIM Indore Director Rishikesha Krishnan, IIT Delhi Director Pankaj Jalote, TATA Institute of Social Sciences Director S. Parasuraman, Harvard Business School Dean Nitin Nohria, Member of Board of Directors of RBI Nachiket Mor, Tractors and Farm Equipment Limited chairman Mallika Srinivasan, NIIT founder Rajender Pawar, Nita Ambani of Reliance Foundation, Swati Piramal of Piramal Group and Anand Mahindra of Mahindra & Mahindra.

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