It is kindly requested to furnish comments on the following recommendation of the above mentioned PSC **by 15-04-2021**, which is reproduced as given below:

| S.No. Para No. |      | Recommendation   |
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| 6              | 3.40 | the department should conduct a third party evaluation about the patents<br>and products created by the incubation centres in IITs and assess the job<br>creation potential as well as other features of the products and services<br>created by the incubated entities. |

## <u>Reply</u>

This has reference to the MoE's email dated. 13.04.2021 regarding the subject "324th report of Parliament Standing Committee on Demand for grants 2021-22". In this regard, it is to inform that IIT Hyderabad thanks the committee for the suggestion and expresses its commitment to undertake an evaluation of the products and patents created from the Incubator together with external experts within six months.