

**L. A. BILL No. LXXXI OF 2025.**

*A BILL*

*further to amend the Maharashtra Private Universities  
(Establishment and Regulation) Act, 2023.*

5 **(As passed by the Legislative Assembly on the 15th July, 2025.)**

Mah. VIII  
of 2024.

**WHEREAS** it is expedient to amend the Maharashtra Private Universities  
(Establishment and Regulation) Act, 2023, for the purposes hereinafter  
appearing; it is hereby enacted in the Seventy-sixth Year of the Republic of  
India as follows :—

10 **1.** This Act may be called the Maharashtra Private Universities Short title.  
(Establishment and Regulation) (Amendment) Act, 2025.

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## STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

The Maharashtra Private Universities (Establishment and Regulation) Act, 2023 (Mah. VIII of 2024), is enacted for establishment, incorporation and regulation of self-financed private universities in the State of Maharashtra, for development and advancement of higher education in the State and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

**2.** Section 6 of the said Act provides that the Government, after considering the report submitted by the Verification Committee under sub-section (4) of section 5 of the said Act, if satisfied that the sponsoring body has complied with the provisions of section 5 of the said Act, may permit the establishment of a private university, by inclusion of the name, location and headquarters of the private university and their sponsoring bodies in Part II of the Schedule, by amending the Schedule by enacting a law by the State Legislature.

**3.** Dr. D.Y. Patil Dnyaan Prasad University, Pune, is established as per said section 6. Now, the sponsoring body of the Dr. D. Y. Patil Dnyaan Prasad University, Pune, has passed a resolution to change the name, location and headquarters of the said university, mentioned in the said Part II of the Schedule and requested the Government to amend the said Act, suitably.

**4.** As provided in said section 6 of the said Act, the Government after considering the report submitted by the Verification Committee under sub-section (4) of section 5 of the said Act, is satisfied that the sponsoring body, Mahatma Education Society, Chembur Naka, Mumbai 400 071, has complied with the provisions of section 5 of the said Act, for establishment of private university by the name of “ Pillai University, Navi Mumbai ”.

**5.** Therefore, with a view to change the name, location and headquarters of Dr. D. Y. Patil Dnyaan Prasad University, Pune and to establish the Pillai University, Navi Mumbai, a self-financed private university, the Government considers it expedient to amend Part II of the Schedule appended to the Maharashtra Private Universities (Establishment and Regulations) Act, 2023, suitably.

**6.** The Bill seeks to achieve the above objectives.

Mumbai,  
Dated the 14th July, 2025.

CHANDRAKANT (DADA) PATIL,  
Minister for Higher and  
Technical Education.



*ANNEXURE TO THE L. A. BILL NO. LXXXI OF 2025 –  
THE MAHARASHTRA PRIVATE UNIVERSITIES  
(ESTABLISHMENT AND REGULATION) (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2025.*

*[ Extracts from the Maharashtra Private Universities  
(Establishment and Regulation) Act, 2023 ]*

**( Mah. VIII of 2024 )**

**1. to 59.**                               \*\*                               \*\*                               \*\*                               \*\*

**SCHEDULE.—Part I** \*\*                               \*\*                               \*\*                               \*\*

**SCHEDULE**

**Part II**

[ See section 6(1) ]

Sr. Nos.	Name, Location and Headquarters of University	Name and address of Sponsoring Body
(1)	(2)	(3)
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4.	Dr. D. Y. Patil Dnyan Prasad University, Pune, headquarters at the Dr. D. Y. Patil Dnyan Prasad University, Pune, Sant Tukaram Nagar, Pimpri-Chinchwad, Survey Nos. 180/2/1 and 180/2/2, Taluka Haveli, Pune 411 018 and also locations at Tathwade, Pune, Survey Nos. 87/1, 88, 138/1A, 138/1B, 138/2B and 62/4/3.	Dr. D. Y. Patil Unitech Society, Flat No. 101, Shri Motisagar Apartment, Survey No. 473A, G. G. Thakkar Road, Pune 411 001.
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**MAHARASHTRA LEGISLATURE  
SECRETARIAT**

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**[As passed by the Legislative Assembly  
on the 15th July, 2025.]**

JITENDRA BHOLE,  
Secretary (1),  
Maharashtra Legislative Assembly.