Min: IIT-I satellite campus in Ujjain

Bhopal: The Indore-based Indian Institute of Techno-



logy's satellite campus will be established in Ujjain with a mandate to conduct international-level

research, Madhya Pradesh higher education minister **Dr Mohan Yadav** has said.

The new educational centre will take its administrative and academic decisions independently, play a major role in encouraging employment and self-employment and will have a hostel facility for students and staff quarters, a public relations department official on Wednesday said quoting the minister.

"IIT Indore has prepared an initial Detailed Project Report (DPR) for setting up a satellite centre in Ujjain. It will be established on 100acre land and will be engaged in international-level research and higher educa-



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tion for students," according to the minister, who claimed it to be the first-of-its-kind educational centre in the country.

Research work for industries based in Indore and Ujjain will be done on the campus, he said.

Yadav also said he had a discussion with Union Minister of State for Education Dr Subhas Sarkar recently on the issue of opening new educational institutions in Ujjain, in view of its rich heritage, in the area of knowledge and science, astronomy and culture. PTI