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te of Technology (IIT), Indore, was sanctioned Rs 1902 crore for its renovation by the union cabinet on Wednesday. This amount was the second highest after IIT-Hyderabad, among the eight IITs who were sanctioned additional funds.

The union cabinet approved the revised cost estimates of Rs 13,990 crore for construction of the permanent campuses for eight new IIT's-in Bhubaneswar, Gandhinagar, Hyderabad, sanctioned Rs 2075 crore. Lok Sabha speaker and

Indore MP Sumitra Mahajan welcomed the decision and termed it as an historic one. She claimed that the sanction was more than double the amount sanctioned for the IIT-Indore, when it was first started. Taking in view the hurdles the IITs faced, the cabinet decision was welcome. The decision will pave way for Indore's and Madhya Pradesh's overall development, the Speakersaid.