

Will IIMs scrap CAT 2009?

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Ahmedabad: The Indian Institute of Management (IIMs) are mulling over whether to validate results of the first ever computer-based entrance test conducted for admissions and taken by over 2 lakh MBA aspirants.

A couple of IIMs have suggested that recently-conducted Common Admission Test online exam be scrapped. The institutes will also decide whether the re-exam for all those candidates who were unable to take the test in the 11 days of the testing period, be taken in the traditional pen and paper

method. These will be resolved after the meeting of directors of all seven IIMs with the ministry of human resources and development at Delhi on Wednesday.

The meeting on Sunday had officials from Prometric who had bought time

from the institutes to collect data and analyze it before announcing a new date.

“The data is provided to institutes and the CAT Centre after meeting of Prometric officials with IIM directors. This data is of individual candidates and details of how the test went,” said Satish Deodhar, convenor of CAT Centre.

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