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MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Minutes of the meeting of the Executive Committee held on Thursday, the 31st October, 2002 at 11.00 A.M. in the Council office, Aiwan-E-Galib Marg, Kotla Road, New Delhi-110 002 to consider the items of the adjourned meeting held on 17.10.2002 and other matters which were ripe for consideration till that date were also taken up by the Executive Committee in accordance with the orders dated 30.10.2002 of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

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Present:

Maj Gen (Retd.) S.P. Jhington, Kirti Chakra, VSM -
Administrator
Dr. P.C.Kesavankutty Nayar
Dr. Ajay Kumar
Dr. P.M.Jadhav
Dr. D.K. Sharma
Dr. Mukesh Kumar Sharma
Dr. V.K.Puri
Dr. F.U. Ahmed
Dr. Nitin S. Vora

Dr.(Mrs.) M. Sachdeva - Secretary

At the outset the Committee was informed that the minutes of the Executive Committee meeting held on 17.10.2002 which would have been placed as item No. 1 will be placed before the next meeting of the Executive Committee for confirmation. However, the decisions taken by the Committee on 17.10.2002 in the matters pertaining to court cases have been communicated to all concerned being part of action taken as item No.2.

3. **Establishment of Medical College at Mala by Imam Razi Muslim Education Chritable Trust, Palkakad.**

Read : The Council Inspectors report (18th & 19th Sept., 2002) for establishment of Medical College at Mala by Imam Razi Muslim Education Chritable Trust, Palkakad.

The Executive Committee considered the Council Inspectors report (18th & 19th Sept.,2002) and noted the following:-

1. The land i.e. 24.78 acres possessed by the applicant is not in a single piece of land as required under the qualifying criteria. It is divided by

a canal with running water across its length belonging to the local Panchayath .

2. The land has been acquired on 99 years lease, however, there is a clause that in the event of default of non-payment of the rent , it shall be lawful for the lessor to eject the lessee from the land and building and structures and to take possession as full and absolute owner after issuing a notice in writing within 7 days.
3. Other observations made in the inspection report.

In view of the fact that the land is not in a single piece, the Executive Committee decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for establishment of Medical College ‘Kamaliya Medical College, Mala, Kerala’ by Imam Razi Muslim Educational Charitable Trust, Palakkad, Kerala u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

4. **Establishment of new Medical College “Malankara Orthodox Syrian Church Medical College & Hospital at Kolencherry, Kerala by Malankara Orthodox Syrian Church Medical Mission, Kolencherry – Grant of letter of Permission.**

Read : The inspection report (16th & 17th Sept., 2002) for grant of letter of permission for establishment of new Medical College “Malankara Orthodox Syrian Church Medical College & Hospital” at Kolencherry, Kerala by Malankara Orthodox Syrian Church Medical Mission, Kolencherry.

The matter was already considered by the Executive Committee at its meeting held on 17.10.2002 being court matter.

5. **Establishment of new Medical College at Karakonam, Kerala by CSI South Kerala Medical Mission, Kerala u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 –Grant of LOP.**

Read : The Council Inspectors report (23rd & 24th Sept., 2002) for grant of LOP establishment of medical college at Karakonam, Kerala by CSI South Kerala Medical Mission, Kerala.

The Executive Committee considered the Council Inspectors report (23rd & 24th Sept.,2002) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for establishment of Medical College at Karakonam ‘Dr. Somervell Memorial CSI Medical College & Hospital, Karakonam, Kerala’ by CSI South Kerala Medical Mission, Kerala with an annual intake of 100(Hundred) students u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 for the academic session 2002-03.

6. **C.U. Shah Medical College, Surendranagar by Saurashtra Medical Centre, Surendranagar, Gujarat - renewal of permission for admission of 3rd batch of students.**

Read : The compliance verification inspection report (11th & 12th Sept., 2002) for renewal of permission for admission of 3rd batch of students at C.U. Shah Medical College, Surendranagar.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (11th & 12th Sept.,2002) carried out on receipt of the compliance through the Central Govt. on rectification of the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report (10th & 11th June,2002) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to renew the permission for admission of 3rd batch of 100 students at C.U.Shah Medical College, Surendranagar for the academic session 2002-03.

7. **Municipal Corporation Medical College, Muglisara Surat - renewal of permission for admission of 3rd batch of students.**

Read : The compliance verification inspection report (13th Sept., 2002) for renewal of permission for admission of 3rd batch of students at Municipal Corporation Medical College, Muglisara, Surat.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (13th Sept.,2002) carried out on receipt of the compliance through the Central Govt. on rectification of the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report (12th & 13th June,2002) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to renew the permission for admission of 3rd batch of 100 students at Surat Municipal Institute of Medical Education & Research, Surat for the academic session 2002-03.

8. **Sikkim Manipal Instt. of Medical Sciences, Gangtok – Renewal of permission for admission of 2nd batch of students.**

Read : The compliance report submitted by the authorities of Sikkim Manipal Instt. of Medical Sciences, Gangtok on the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report carried out on 30th & 31st July, 2002 for renewal of permission for admission of 2nd batch of students.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance report submitted by the Vice-Chancellor, Sikkim Manipal University through the Central Govt. on the MCI inspection report (30th & 31st July,2002) carried out for renewal of permission for admission of 2nd batch of students at Sikkim Manipal Instt. of Medical Sciences, Gangtok and noted that all the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report have not yet been rectified.

The Committee further considered the letter dated 22.10.2002 received from the Secretary, Department of Health & F.W.,Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Health & F.W. with copy to this Council wherein he has assured that the deficiencies as communicated will be rectified within a period of three months and requested to grant

renewal of permission for continuing the MBBS course at Sikkim Manipal Instt. of Medical Sciences, Gangtok.

The Executive Committee decided that the request of the Secretary, Department of Health & F.W., Govt. of Sikkim cannot be considered for renewal of the permission in the absence of proper compliance having been received on the deficiencies/observations made in the inspection report through the Central Govt. which will then require physical verification.

The authorities concerned be advised to send a compliance after rectifying all the deficiencies for further consideration in the matter.

9. **W.P. No.15876/2002 filed by Prathima Educational Society vs. Union of India and Medical Council of India.**

Read : The decision taken by the Executive Committee at its meeting held on 24/4/2002 recommending to issue LOI for establishment of Prathima Instt. of Medical Sciences, Nagannur by Prathima Education Society with an annual intake of 100 students in compliance of the order passed by the Hon'ble High Court at A.P.

The matter was already considered by the Executive Committee at its meeting held on 17.10.2002 being court matter.

10. **K.J. Somaiya Medical College & Research Centre, Mumbai – Renewal of permission for admission of 4th batch of students against the increased intake i.e. from 50 to 100.**

Read : The compliance report submitted by the authorities of K.J. Somaiya Medical College & Research Centre, Mumbai through the Central Govt. on the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report (16th & 17th July, 2002) carried out for renewal of permission for admission of 4th batch of students against the increased intake i.e. from 50 to 100.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance report submitted by the authorities of K.J. Somaiya Medical College & Research Centre, Mumbai through the Central Govt. and decided to verify the same by way of an inspection for which the following inspectors were appointed:-

1. Dr. K. Anand Kannan, Chennai
2. Dr. Usha Vyas, Ahmedabad
3. Dr. R.D. Bansal, Inspector, MCI

11. **Smt. NHL Municipal Medical College, Ahmedabad - renewal of permission for admission of 3rd batch of students against the increased intake i.e. 100 to 150.**

Read : The compliance verification inspection report (9th & 10th Sept., 2002) for renewal of permission for admission of 3rd batch of students against the increased intake i.e 100 to 150 at Smt. NHL Municipal Medical College, Ahmedabad.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (9th & 10th Sept.,2002) along with the additional information furnished by the college authorities vide their letter dated 10.10.2002 subsequent to the inspection carried on 9th & 10th Sept.,2002 and decided to verify the same by way of an inspection for which the following inspectors were appointed:-

1. Dr. S.C. Shetty, Bangalore
2. Dr. Sanjay Bijwe, Mumbai
3. Dr. R.D. Bansal, Inspector, MCI

12. **B.S. Medical College, Bankura - renewal of permission for admission of 2nd Batch of students against the increased intake i.e. 50 to 100.**

Read : The compliance verification inspection report (26th & 27th Sept., 2002) for renewal of permission for admission of 2nd batch of students against the increased intake i.e. from 50 to 100 at B.S. Medical College, Bankura.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (26th & 27th Sept.,2002) carried out on receipt of the compliance through the Central Govt. on rectification of the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report (9th & 10th April,2002) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to renew the permission for admission of 2nd batch of students against the increased intake i.e. 50 to 100 at B.S.Medical College, Bankura for the academic session 2002-03.

13. **North Bengal Medical College, Darjeeling – Renewal of permission for admission of 2nd batch of students against the increased intake i.e. from 50 to 100.**

Read : The compliance verification inspection report (24th Sept., 2002) for renewal of permission for admission of 2nd batch of students against the increased intake i.e. from 50 to 100 at North Bengal Medical College, Darjeeling.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (24th Sept.,2002) carried out on receipt of the compliance through the Central Govt. on rectification of the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report (25th & 26th April,2002) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to renew the permission for admission of 2nd batch of students against the increased intake i.e. 50 to 100 at North Bengal Medical College, Darjeeling for the academic session 2002-03.

14. **Establishment of new medical college at Haldwani by Uttranchal Forest Hospital Trust u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.**

Read : The matter with regard to appointment of Inspectors for carrying out the inspection for establishment of new medical college at Haldwani by Uttranchal Forest Hospital Trust.

The Executive Committee appointed following inspectors for carrying out the inspection for establishment of new medical college at Haldwani by Uttranchal Forest Hospital Trust request of which has been received u/s 10A of the IMC Act,1956:-

1. Dr. V.K. Bhardwaj, Bhopal
2. Dr. Neera Aggarwal, Delhi
3. Dr. C.A. Desai, Ahmedabad

15. **To consider the matter with regard to carrying out the inspection of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Medical College, Bangalore for increase of seats from 100 to 120.**

Read : The matter with regard to carrying out the inspection of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Medical College, Bangalore for increase of MBBS seats from 100 to 120.

The Executive Committee considered the matter with regard to carrying out the inspection of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Medical College, Bangalore for increase of MBBS seats from 100 to 120 for the academic session 2002-03 request of which was received through the Central Govt. and decided to appoint following inspectors for carrying out the said inspection:-

1. Dr. Kesavan Nayar, Trivandrum
2. Dr. S.H. Talib, Aurangabad
3. Dr. R.D. Bansal, Inspector, MCI

16. **Approval of Sri Guru Ram Das Instt. of Medical Sciences & Research, Sri Amritsar for the award of MBBS degree granted by Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Faridkot.**

Read : The matter with regard to approval of Sri Guru Ram Das Instt. of Medical Sciences & Research, Sri Amritsar for the award of MBBS degree granted by Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Faridkot.

The Executive Committee noted that inspection for approval of Sri Guru Ram Das Instt. of Medical Sciences & Research, Sri Amritsar for the award of MBBS degree granted by Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Faridkot was carried out by the Council on 10th & 11th Dec.,2001 and the inspection report was considered by the Committee in its meeting held on 31.1.2002. In view of the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report, the Committee did not recommend approval of the college for the award of MBBS degree. Further on receipt of the compliance on rectification of the deficiencies pointed out in the above inspection report the matter was again considered by the Committee at its meeting held on 24.04.2002.

From the compliance the Committee noted that the institution authorities have modified/changed the project report and have now informed that a new hospital of 993 beds capacity was envisaged only for future

expansion and that as far as 50 ,annual admissions are concerned the existing 400 bedded Sri Guru Ram Das Charitable Hospital, Amritsar is presently existing. The Committee also noted the contention of the authorities that the idea of new hospital is being dropped and the existing 400 bedded hospital shall continue to function which amounted to change of the project report.

After much deliberations in the matter, it was decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to renew the permission for 50 admissions at Sri Guru Ram Das Instt. of Medical Sciences & Research, Sri Amritsar for the academic session 2002-03.

The Committee also decided that as far as the infrastructure facilities required for consideration of an institution for recognition/approval is concerned the institution i.e. Sri Guru Ram Das Instt. of Medical Sciences & Research, Sri Amritsar is meeting with the requirements. However, as the institution has changed the original project report as far as hospital is concerned i.e. they would like to continue with the existing 400 bedded hospital and the hospital of 993 beds capacity which was being built up is envisaged only for future expansion, it was decided that acceptance of change of the project report at this stage cannot be considered by the Medical Council of India. However, Central Govt. may take a decision in this regard i.e. regarding recognition.

The Committee further noted that the Central Govt. vide its letter dated 25.6.2002 had renewed the permission for admission of 6th batch of students for the academic session 2002-03.

The Committee now considered the letter dated 12.9.2002 received from the Director, Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & F.W. intimating therein that the mater regarding change in the original project report in so far as using the existing 400 bedded hospital for training of the students of Sri Guru Ram Das Instt. of Medical Sciences, Sri Amritsar, was considered in the department and it has been decided with the approval of the competent authority that the change in original project report of above instituted be allowed to the extent of giving Government's permission for accepting the 400 bedded existing hospital as an attached hospital under the Establishment of New Medical College Regulations of 1993 of Medical Council of India. However, in case if any further increase in intake capacity or to run the PG courses at the institute they have to come up with the proposal under the IMC Act and Regulations made thereunder which stipulates that hospital should be in the campus of the college.

In view of above, the Committee decided to recommend that Sri Guru Ram Das Instt. of Medical Sciences, Sri Amritsar be approved for the award of MBBS degree granted by Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Faridkot with an annual intake of 50 students.

The Committee further decided that in case of application for any further increase in intake capacity or to run the PG courses at the institution, the authorities will have to provide in the proposal as per the IMC Act and Regulations a hospital situated in the campus of the college as also stated in the Central Govt.'s letter dated 12.9.2002.

17. **MVJ Medical College & Research Hospital at Bangalore by Venkatesha Educational Society – Renewal of Permission for 2002-2003.**

Read : The compliance received from the authorities of MVJ Medical College & Research Hospital at Bangalore for renewal of permission for admission of 2nd batch of students (2002-2003).

The Executive Committee noted that the Central Govt. vide its letters dated 30.10.2001 had issued LOI and LOP for establishment of MVJ Medical College & Research Hospital at Bangalore with admission of 100 students with prospective effect i.e. from the academic session 2001-2002 which was contrary to the recommendations of the Executive Committee sent to them. The Committee further noted that inspection for renewal of permission for admission of 2nd batch of students at the college was carried out on 8th & 9th July,2002 and the inspection report was considered by it at its meeting held on 5.8.2002. The Committee upon consideration of the inspection report decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to renew the permission for admission of 2nd batch of students as the college is not meeting with the qualifying criteria laid down in the Establishment of Medical College Regulations,1999 regarding the land, owning and managing of 300 bedded hospital in the campus of the college, affiliation of University and other deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report. It was also recommended to the Central Govt. to consider withdrawing the Letter of Permission for 100 admissions granted by the Central Govt. to this college.

From the compliance report now submitted by the college authorities through the Central Govt., the Committee further noted that the position of the college remains the same. It decided to reiterate its earlier decision taken at its meeting held on 05.08.2002 recommending to the Central Govt. not to renew the permission for admission of 2nd batch of students at MVJ Medical College, Bangalore for the academic session 2002-03 and also to consider withdrawing the Letter of Permission granted for 100 admissions to this college which was contrary to the recommendations of the Council.

18. **To note the LOP/Letter of renewal of permission for establishment of medical college/increase of seats issued by the Central Govt.**

The Executive Committee noted the LOP/Letter of renewal of permission for establishment of medical college/increase of seats issued by the Central Govt. as under:-

Name of the Medical College	LOP/letter of renewal of permission issued by the Central Govt.
Pt. B.D. Sharma Postgraduate Medical Sciences, Rohtak.	As per recommendation of the Executive Committee the Central Govt. vide its letter dated 6 th September 2002

	renewed the permission for admission of 3 rd batch of MBBS students against the increased intake from 115 to 150 during 2002-2003
Karnataka Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hubli	As per recommendation of the Executive Committee the Central Govt. vide its letter dated 9 th September 2002 renewed the permission for admission of 2 nd batch of MBBS students against the increased intake from 50 to 100 students during 2002-2003.
Pushpagiri Instt. of Medical Sciences & Research Centre at Tiruvalla, Kerala by Pushpagiri Medical Society, Tiruvalla, Pathanamthitta District, Kerala.	As per recommendations of the Executive Committee the Central Govt. vide its letter dated 18 th September, 2002 has issued LOP for establishment of the college within annual intake of 100 students for the academic session 2002-03.
Govt. Medical College, Toothukudi.	As per recommendations of the Executive Committee the Central Govt. vide its letter dated 10 th September 2002 renewed the permission for admission of 3 rd batch of students during 2002-2003.
Govt. Medical College, Kolhapur.	As per recommendations of the Executive Committee the Central Govt. vide its letter dated 6 th September 2002 renewed the permission for admission of 2 nd batch of students during 2002-2003.
Mahatma Gandhi National Instt. of Medical Sciences, Jaipur by Indian Education Trust, Jaipur.	As per recommendations of the Executive Committee the Central Govt. vide its letter dated 6 th September 2002 renewed the permission for admission of 2 nd batch of students during 2002-2003.
Yenepoya Medical College, Mangalore.	As per recommendations of the Executive Committee the Central Govt. vide its letter dated 9 th September 2002 renewed the permission for admission of 4 th batch of students during 2002-2003.
K.S. Hegde Medical College, Mangalore.	As per recommendations of the Executive Committee the

	Central Govt. vide its letter dated 5 th September 2002 renewed the permission for admission of 4 th batch of students during 2002-2003.
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19. **To consider fax letter No.NAAC/DO/MCI/2002 dated 5th September, 2002 from Prof. V.N. Rajasekharan Pillai, Director, National Assessment and Accreditation Council, Bangalore.**

Read : the letter No.NAAC/DO/MCI/2002 dated 5th September, 2002 from Prof. V.N. Rajasekharan Pillai, Director, National Assessment and Accreditation Council, Bangalore along with Memorandum of Understanding entered with National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE).

The Executive Committee considered the letter dated 5th Sept.,2002 received from Prof. V.N. Rajasekharan Pillai, Director, National Assessment and Accreditation Council, Bangalore proposing the MCI for a joint activity for the performance evaluation, assessment & accreditation of medical colleges in the country and decided that Council should devise its own methodology for performance of evaluation, assessment or accreditation of any medical college and this activity should not be taken up as a joint venture.

20. **To consider the inspection report - SRTR Medical College, Ambajogai carried out in compliance of the order passed by the Hon'ble High Court of Bombay.**

Read : The Council Inspectors report (19th Sept., 2002) of SRTR Medical College, Ambajogai carried out in compliance of the order passed by the Hon'ble High Court of Bombay.

The matter was already considered by the Executive Committee at its meeting held on 17.10.2002 being court matter.

21. **Requirement of extra staff in certain departments conducting postgraduate courses – Regarding.**

Read : The matter with regard to requirement of extra staff in certain departments conducting postgraduate courses as referred by the General Body of the Council.

The Executive Committee noted that the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee with regard to requirement of extra staff in certain departments conducting postgraduate courses have already been approved by the General Body of the Council at its meeting held on 3rd & 4th June,2002:-

“The Postgraduate Committee considered the matter regarding requirement in certain departments conducting postgraduate courses for extra staff in addition to that prescribed in minimum standard requirements as presently included in the Council’s regulations on Postgraduate Medical Education,2000.

After due deliberation and observing, the Postgraduate Committee decided to recommend that: -

i) the requirement of additional staff for conducting postgraduate courses in the following departments be deleted:

1. Anatomy
2. Physiology
3. Biochemistry
4. Pharmacology
5. Microbiology
6. Community Medicine
7. Radiotherapy
8. Forensic medicine

ii) One additional member in the teaching faculty be the requirement of extra staff for conducting postgraduate courses in the following departments:-

1. Pathology
2. Anaesthesiology
3. Radio-diagnosis

The Postgraduate Committee decided to recommend necessary amendment in the Council’s regulations on Postgraduate Medical Education,2000 accordingly.”

However, the Council had decided that the question of requirement of extra staff (as per DCI norms) for teaching of BDS students (in institutions having attached Dental Colleges/running BDS course) be referred to the Executive Committee/Postgraduate Committee of the Council for deliberation in details and to submit the recommendations to the Council for consideration.

The Executive Committee decided to form a committee consisting of one member of the Executive Committee i.e. Dr. V.K. Puri and one member of the Postgraduate Committee i.e. Dr. L.S. Chawla to deliberated in the matter and submit its recommendations for further consideration.

22. **Continuance of recognition of MBBS degree in respect of students being trained at Medical Colleges in Bihar State.**

Read : The matter with regard to Continuance of recognition of MBBS degree in respect of students being trained at Medical Colleges in Bihar State.

The Executive Committee noted that periodical inspection of the following medical colleges in the State of Bihar for continuance of recognition of MBBS degree was carried out on the dates mentioned against each and the matter is still pending for want of proper compliance report on rectification of the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report of each medical college:-

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| 1. | Patna Medical College, Patna | 23 rd & 24 th June,1999 |
| 2. | Nalanda Medical College, Patna | 21 st & 22 nd June,1999 |
| 3. | S.K.Medical College, Muzaffarpur | November 1998 |
| 4. | J.N.Medical College, Bhagalpur | 13 th & 14 th March,1997 |
| 5. | Darbhang Medical College,
Laheriasarai | April,1998 |

As per request of the Commissioner & Secretary, Govt. of Bihar time upto 30.6.2002 for submission of the compliance was last granted by the Executive Committee at its meeting held on 22.05.2002. It was also decided that the matter will be taken up by the Committee after expiry of the time granted.

Since no compliance report has been received in respect of the medical colleges mentioned above, the Committee decided to issue show cause notice to the authorities of concerned medical colleges as to why steps should not be initiated to recommend de-recognition of the colleges for the award of MBBS degree granted by the respective universities as per provision of Section 19 of the I.M.C. Act,1956 for not submitting the proper compliance on the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection reports.

The Committee further decided to grant one month's time to the institutions to respond to the show cause notice from the date of receipt of the letter. In case no satisfactory reply along with the compliance is received within the stipulated period from the authorities concerned, necessary action as per the provisions of the Act be initiated. Copy of the letter be marked to the Secretary, Department of Health & F.W.,Govt. of Bihar; Director, Medical Education, Govt. of Bihar, and Member of the Council representing the state.

23. **Selection of Law Officer – Approval of**

Read : The matter with regard to appointment of Law Officer as recommended by the Selection Committee.

The Executive Committee reconsidered the matter along with the observations of the Administrator and decided to reiterate its earlier decision that the post of Law Officer be re-advertised.

24. **Recognition of Omayal Achi Community Health Centre, Arakkambakkam (T.N.) as an extension of Sundaram Medical Foundation, for purposes of compulsory rotating internship training in Community Medicine : Reconsideration.**

Read : The matter with regard to recognition of Omayal Achi Community Health Centre, Arakkambakkam (T.N.) as an extension of Sundaram Medical Foundation, for purposes of compulsory rotating internship training in Community Medicine.

The Executive Committee noted that inspection of Omayal Achi Community Health Centre, Arakkambakkam (T.N.) for its recognition for compulsory rotating internship training in the subject of Community Medicine was carried out by the Council Inspector on 30.7.2001 and the inspection report was considered by the Committee at its meeting held on 5.8.2002. The Committee upon consideration of the inspection report decided not to recognise the same as such centres/hospitals cannot be considered for recognition only for one speciality particularly in the matter of recognition of hospitals for compulsory rotating internship training purposes.

The Committee further considered the letter dated 05.09.2002 from Dr. Arjun Rajagopalan, Chief of Medical Staff, Sundaram Medical Foundation intimating that they have entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with Omayal Achi Community Health Centre, Arakkambakkam (T.N.) for their rural work and their consultants are managing the Centre on a rotation. It was also informed that the application of the Centre was not made for its recognition but as an extension of Sundaram Medical Foundation Hospital, Chennai which is already approved for CRRI training.

Since the Sundaram Medical Foundation Hospital, Chennai is already recognised by the Council for internship training in the subjects of General Surgery –2, General Medicine-2, Paed.-1, Obst. & Gynae. – 2, the Committee decided to recognise Omayal Achi Community Health Centre, Arakkambakkam (T.N.) for compulsory rotating internship training in the

subject of Community Medicine with one seat being an extension of Sundaram Medical Foundation Hospital, Chennai

25. **Recognition of St.Philomena Hospital, Bangalore for Compulsory Rotating Internship Training – Reg.**

Read : The Council Inspector's report (30th Jan., 2002) for recognition of St.Philomena Hospital, Bangalore for Compulsory Rotating Internship Training.

The Executive Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (30.1.2002) and decided to recognise St.Philomena Hospital, Bangalore for purpose of Compulsory Rotating Internship Training in the following subjects:-

Medicine	-	4
Surgery	-	2
Obst. & Gynae.	-	3

The Committee further decided that henceforth number of interns to be taken in the non-teaching hospital be fixed as a policy. The Committee further constituted a Sub-Committee consisting of the following members to examine this matter and submit its recommendations for further consideration:-

1. Dr. P.C.Kesavankutty Nayar,
2. Dr. D.K. Sharma
3. Dr. B.P. Dubey

26. **Request for recognition of experience gained as Pool Officer (Senior Research Associate) towards teaching experience – Reg.**

Read : The matter with regard to recognition of experience gained as Pool Officer (Senior Research Associate) towards teaching experience.

The Executive Committee noted that the matter with regard to recognition of experience gained as Pool Officer (Senior Research Associate) towards teaching experience along with the recommendations of the Teachers' Eligibility Qualifications Sub-Committee was considered by the Committee at its meeting held on 24.4.2001 where it was decided that the same cannot be accepted towards teaching experience for the higher posts.

The Committee considered the letter dated 25.7.2002 received from a candidate namely Dr.Punita Kumari Sodhi of New Delhi representing on behalf of the Pool Officers requesting to reconsider the decision of the MCI regarding counting the research experience equivalent to teaching

while recruiting a person as a teaching faculty in a medical college and its attached hospital.

The Committee decided to form a Sub-Committee consisting of the following members to deliberate in the matter and submit its recommendations for further consideration:-

Dr. S.B. Siwach
Dr. Nitin S. Vora
Dr. F.U. Ahmed

27. **Ex-Post-facto permission to Mr. Vamsee Prasad Paruchuri, an NRI student for undergoing his internship training in U.S.A. – reg.**

Read : The request of Mr. Vamsee Prasad Paruchuri an NRI student received through the Dean of Faculties, Sri Ramachandra Medical College and Research Instt. Chennai for granting Ex-Post-Facto permission for undergoing internship training in U.S.A.

The Executive Committee considered the letter dated 30.7.2002 received from the Dean of Faculties, Sri Ramachandra Medical College and Research Instt., Chennai forwarding therewith the application of Mr. Vamsee Prasad Paruchuri an NRI student who had done the CRRI rotation in various hospitals in USA from March 25,2002 to July 7,2002 without getting the formal approval of the MCI for ratification as a special case and also permission to continue the rest of his postings in that institute.

The Committee noted that as per regulations of the Council on Graduate Medical Education,1997 every candidate after passing the final MBBS examination has to undergo compulsory rotating internship training to the satisfaction of the college authorities and university concerned for a period of 12 months so as to be eligible for the award of the degree of Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS) and full registration. All parts of the internship shall be done as far as possible in institutions of India. In case of any difficulties, the matter may be referred to the Medical Council of India to be considered on individual merit.

Since the institute authorities allowed the candidate to undergo internship training in USA without referring the case to MCI as required under the regulations, the Committee decided not to grant ex-post facto sanction for the internship training already done by the candidate in USA.

28. **Appointment of Inspectors for carrying out the inspection of postgraduate medical courses – regarding.**

The Executive Committee appointed following inspectors for carrying out the inspection of various postgraduate medical courses:-

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Name of Inspector</u>
Sri Ramachandra Medical College, & Research Institute, Chennai.	M.Ch.(Genito-Urinary Surgery/Urology)	Dr. Kamath, Mumbai
	M.Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery)	Dr.K.R. Shetty, Mumbai
	M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.)	Dr. Atul Munshi, NHL, Ahmedabad
Medical College, Kottayam	M.Ch.(Urology)	Dr. Shivram, Madras Medical College, Chennai
Karnataka Institute of Medical Sciences, Hubli	M.D.(S.P.M.)	Dr. Dalvi, GMC, Aurangabad
Sher-I-Kashmir Institute of Medical Sciences, Srinagar	M.D.(Hospital Administration)	Dr.R.K. Sharma, AIIMS
Dr.B.R.Ambedakar Medical College, Bangalore.	M.D.(Dermatology) & D.C.D.	Dr. Hema Jairajani, Mumbai
	M.D.(Anaesthesia) & D.A.	Dr. Raghaves, Stanley Medical College, Chennai
	M.D.(Forensic Medicine)	Dr. Tangraju, Madras Medical College, Chennai
	M.D.(Microbiology)	Dr. Subh Laxmi, Madras Medical College, Chennai
	M.D.(General Medicine)	Dr. Jagdish, PGIMS, Rohtak
	M.S.(General Surgery)	Dr. Sharad Vyas, BJ Medical College, Ahmedabad
	M.D.(Biochemistry)	Dr.(Mrs.) Patil, GMC, Aurangabad
	M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O.	Dr. M.B. Shaha, BJ Medical College, Ahmedabad
	M.D.(Pharmacology)	Dr. R.K. Dixit, B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad
	M.D.(Physiology)	Dr. (Mrs.) Dixit, B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad
	M.S.(Anatomy)	Dr. Singave, GMC, Mumbai
	M.D.(Pathology)	Dr. Illa Vora, Mumbai
	M.D.(Radio-Diagnosis)	Dr. Suresh Shaha, B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad
	M.S.(Orthopaedics)	Dr. Chandavalk, J.J. Hospital, Mumbai
	D.C.H.	Dr. Madhuri Kulkarni, Mumbai
D.O.	Dr. Usha Vyas, N.H.L. Ahmedabad	
Guru Gobind Singh Medical College, Faridkot.	M.D.(Psychiatry)	Dr. Adarsha Vohra, Rohtak
Seth G.S.Medical College, Mumbai	D.P.H.	Dr. C.K. Purohit, Ahmedabad
L.T.M.Medical College, Mumbai.	M. Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery)	Dr. Rajan Santoshan, Madras Medical College, Chennai
	D.G.O.	Dr. Malni Desai, B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad
Armed Forces Medical College, Pune.	M.D.(Biochemistry)	Dr. (Mrs.) Agarwal, Delhi
Bharti Vidyapeeth Medical	M.S.(General Surgery)	Dr. Ajay Munshi, N.H.L.,

College, Pune.		Ahmedabad
Pt.B.D.Sharma Postgraduate Institute of Medical Sciences, Rohtak.	M.D.(Paediatrics) & DCH	Dr. Rohit Modi, N.H.L., Ahmedabad
S.P.Medical College, Bikaner	M.D.(Psychiatry)	Dr. Nimesh Desai, Delhi
Kasturba Medical College, Manipal	D.M.R.T.	Dr. Gujral, Indore
Rajah Muthiah Medical College, Annamalainagar.	M.D.(Derm. Ven. & Leprosy)	Dr. Ranjan Rawal, N.H.L., Ahmedabad
Kempegowda Institute of Medical Sciences, Bangalore	M.S.(Anatomy)	Dr. Lopa Mehta, Mumbai
Sree Siddhartha Medical College, Tumkur.	M.D.(Radio-Diagnosis)	Dr. Harshad Shaha, B.J. Med. College, Ahmedabad
	M.D.(Paediatrics)	Dr. Raghu Ramchandra, Chennai
	M.D.(General Medicine)	Dr. S.B. Agarwal, B.J. Med. College, Ahmedabad
	M.S.(Ophthalmology)	Dr. Lahane, J.J. Hospital, Mumbai
	M.S.(E.N.T.) & D.L.O.	Dr. M.A. Naik, B.J. Med College, Ahmedabad
M.P. Shah Medical College, Jamnagar	M.D.(Radio-Diagnosis) & D.M.R.D.	Dr. Alka Gogate, Mumbai
		Dr. Khadse, Professor & HOD, Grant Medical College, Mumbai

The Executive Committee also appointed following inspectors in place of earlier appointed inspectors who had conveyed their inability/whose letters were received back in the Council with a remark that addressee is not available to carry out the inspections:-

Rangaraya Medical College, Kakinada	M.D.(Dermatology)	Dr.Mary Jacob, Vellore	Dr. D.M. Thapa, JIPMER, Pondicherry,
Coimbatore Medical College, Coimbatore	M.S.(General Surgery)	Dr.N.Ananthkrishanan, Pondicherry	Dr. Hardikar, Mumbai
S.M.S.Medical College, Jaipur.	D.M.(Neurology)	Dr.Kameswar Prasad, New Delhi	Dr. Maheshwari, Delhi
K.G.Medical College, Lucknow .	M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O.	Dr.K.D.Sharma, New Delhi	Dr. Neera Agarwal, Delhi

29. Membership and functioning of the Sub-Committee in the Council office – Reg.

Read : The matter with regard to reconstitution of the Building Committee.

The Executive Committee reconstituted the Building Committee with the following members and also decided that the Building Committee should make all endeavours to meet frequently to monitor the progress of the work

of the Council building even by holding frequent meetings at the site as and when required:-

1. Dr. D.K. Sharma - Chairman
2. Dr. Ved Prakash Mishra
3. Dr. S.S. Yadav
4. Dr. S.B. Siwach

30. **Publication of Indian Medical Register in the Gazette of India – Regarding.**

Read : The matter with regard to amendment in the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 with regard to publication of Indian Medical Register in the Gazette of India.

The Executive Committee deliberated on the note of the office as under:-

“Section 21 of the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 provides for the maintenance of Indian Medical Register and publication in the Gazette of India, as revised from time to time which reads as under: -

INDIAN MEDICAL REGISTER

21 (1) The Council shall cause to be maintained in the prescribed manner a register of medical practitioners to be known as the Indian Medical Register, which shall contain the names of all persons who are for the time being enrolled on any State Medical Register and who possess any of the recognised medical qualifications.

(2) It shall be the duty of the Registrar of the Council to keep the Indian Medical Register in accordance with the provisions of this Act and of any orders made by the Council, and from time to time to revise the register and publish it in the Gazette of India and in such other manner as may be prescribed.

(3) Such register shall be deemed to be public document within the meaning of the Indian Evidence Act, 1872 and may be proved by a copy published in the Gazette of India.”

The last Indian Medical Register was published in the Gazette of India in 1992 and thereafter efforts have been made to publish the revised IMR. The Indian Medical Registers for the years 1993 and 1994 have been sent for publication in the Gazette of India. The estimated cost for each publication is about Rs.30 Lakhs for English version only and including Hindi version, the cost may go upto more than Rs.50 Lakhs. The preparation of Indian Medical Registers for the years 1995 to 2001 has been given to M/s Logic Soft.

It has also been observed that each copy of the Indian Medical Register as published in the gazette may cost about Rs.60,000/- per copy. It is

doubtful whether any registered medical practitioner would purchase such a document at such higher price. Further, no-one seems to have even referred to the Indian Medical Register even in the Council office. The Indian Medical Register also may not be upto date since the state councils do not intimate the names of the registered medical practitioners who have either died or migrated to other states or countries. Since the Indian Medical Register is to be published in the Gazette of India from 1993, as per rough estimates, the cost may go upto about Rs.5 crores, which may also escalate in the coming years. If a decision is taken to stop printing in the gazette, saving of this amount could be effected at the rate of about Rs.50-60 lakhs per annum.

The Council can, no doubt, update the Indian Medical Register every year and prepare a few copies for reference in the Council office and may also issue Indian Medical Register certificates to desiring candidates.

Keeping in view the high cost of publication, both in English and Hindi, it is to be considered whether a proposal may be made to the Central Govt. to amend the relevant provision in the Act quoted above so as to delete the provision for publication of the Indian Medical Register in the Gazette of India which appears to be wasteful exorbitant expenditure.”

The Executive Committee accepted the suggestion of the office and decided that the Central Govt. may be requested to amend the relevant provision in the Act so as to delete the provision for publication of the Indian Medical Register in the Gazette of India which appears to be a wasteful exorbitant expenditure. However, the Council will update the Indian Medical Register every year and prepare few copies for reference in the Council office. The Council will also continue to issue Indian Medical Register certificates to the desiring candidates.

The note of the office and the decision taken by the Executive Committee be placed before the General Body of the Council for its consideration.

31. **Establishment of new medical college “Pondicherry Instt. of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry” by Madras Medical Mission – Grant of LOP.**

Read : The compliance verification inspection report (1st Oct., 2002) for grant of LOP for establishment of new medical college, Pondicherry Instt. of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry by Madras Medical Mission.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (1st Oct.,2002) carried out on receipt of the compliance through the Central Govt. on rectification of deficiencies pointed out in the Council Inspectors report (18th & 19th June,2002) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for establishment of Pondicherry Instt. of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry with an annual intake of

100(Hundred) students u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 for the academic session 2002-03.

32. **NKP Salve Instt. of Medical Sciences & Research, Nagpur - renewal of permission for admission of 2nd batch of students against the increased intake i.e. from 50 to 100.**

Read : The compliance verification inspection report 3rd Oct., 2002 for renewal of permission for admission of 2nd batch of students against the increased intake from 50 to 100 at NKP Salve Instt. of Medical Sciences & Research, Nagpur.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (3rd Oct., 2002) carried out on receipt of the compliance through the Central Govt. on rectification of the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report (20th & 21st June,2002) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to renew the permission for admission of 2nd batch of students against the increased intake i.e. 50 to 100 at N.K.P. Salve Instt. of Medical Sciences & Research, Nagpur for the academic session 2002-03.

33. **Sri Vasant Rao Naik Govt. Medical College, Yavatmal - renewal of permission for admission of 4th batch against the increased intake i.e. 50 to 100.**

Read : The compliance verification inspection report (1st & 2nd Oct., 2002) for renewal of permission for admission of 4th batch of students against the increased intake from 50 to 100 at Sri Vasant Rao Naik Govt. Medical College, Yavatmal.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (1st Oct., 2002) along with additional information received from the Secretary to the Govt. of Maharashtra vide his letter dated 30.9.2002 and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to renew the permission for admission of 4th batch of students against the increased intake i.e. 50 to 100 at Sri Vasant Rao Naik Govt. Medical College, Yavatmal for the academic session 2002-03.

34. **Establishment of medical college at Akola, Maharashtra by Govt. of Maharashtra u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.**

Read : The Council Inspectors report (30th Sept., & 1st Oct., 2002) for establishment of medical college at Akola, Maharashtra.

The Executive Committee considered the Council Inspectors report (30th Sept. & 1st Oct.,2002) along with the additional information furnished by the college authorities vide their letter dated 28.10.2002 and decided to verify the same by way of an inspection for which the following inspectors were appointed:-

1. Dr. S. Dwivedi, Delhi
2. Dr. S.B. Aggarwal, Delhi
3. Dr. R.D. Bansal, Inspector, MCI

35. **Establishment of Medical College at Valia by Sitaram Seva Trust – Grant of LOP.**

Read : The Council Inspectors report (7th Oct., 2002) for grant of LOP for establishment of Medical College at Valia by Sitaram Seva Trust.

The Executive Committee noted that at its meeting held on 24.04.2002 upon consideration of the Council Inspectors report (30th & 31st Jan.,2002) it had decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Intent for establishment of Medical College at Valia, Gujarat u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 with an annual intake of 100 students for the academic session 2002-03. Accordingly, the Central Govt. on the recommendations of the Executive Committee, vide its letter 22.5.2002 had issued LOI for establishment of the Medical College at Valia, Gujarat.

The Committee now considered the Council inspectors report (7th Oct.,2002) carried out for grant of LOP on receipt of reference through the Central Govt. From the inspection report, the Committee noted that the plot of land where the existing hospital with residential quarters and guesthouse are located is separated by a state highway of approx. 60 feet width from the plot of land where the college building has now been constructed after the last inspection. This fact was not available at the time of recommending LOI to the Central Govt.

In view of above that the land possessed by the college authorities is not in a single piece as required under the Qualifying Criteria contained in the Establishment of Medical College Regulations,1999 and also the following deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report, the Executive Committee decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Permission for establishment of Medical College, Valia, Gujarat and further decided to withdraw the LOI issued by the Central Govt. vide its letter dated 22.5.2002 on the recommendations of the Executive Committee.

1. One lecture theatre, common rooms for boys and girls, animal house, hostels (flats which are going to be used as hostel) are still under construction.
2. Medical Education Unit has not yet been established.
3. The dental chairs in Dental Department are still not functional.
4. There is only one teaching area combined for medicine and surgery without any furniture. The OPD space especially of Pediatrics, Orthopaedics, Eye, ENT etc. along with teaching areas are inadequate.
5. The audio-metry room is not air-conditioned and sound proof.
6. In some of the wards, the beds are placed too close to each other to allow a patient trolley to go in between.
7. The toilets as provided are inadequate for the number of patients in a ward.

8. The staff rooms, teaching areas and departmental offices are inadequate in almost all the clinical departments.
9. Bedside lockers are not available with all the beds.
10. There is mixing of male and female patients in the wards.
11. There is need to provide separate space for Medical Record Department with required staff.
12. Various service laboratories of Microbiology with adequate space and staff needs to be developed. Moreover, the labs require to function round the clock.
13. Blood Bank has not been established.
14. Office space is required to be provided along with staff rooms and library-cum-seminar room for the department of Anaesthesia.
15. One 500 MA x-ray machine in the department of Radiio-Diagnosis and one ultrasound machine in the department of Obst. & Gynae. needs to be provided.
16. Mechanised laundry has not been provided.
17. Number of nursing staff in the hospital is inadequate for managing operation theatres, intensive care areas, casualty wards, labs. etc. for all the three shifts.
18. Dissection hall should be provided with exhaust fans.
19. Other observations/deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report.
36. **To consider the compliance report submitted by the authorities of Khaja Banda Nawaj Instt. of Medical Sciences on the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report (Aug., 2002) for renewal of permission for admission of 3rd batch of students.**

Read : The compliance report submitted by the authorities of Khaja Banda Nawaj Instt. of Medical Sciences through the Central Govt. on the deficiencies pointed out in the MCI inspection report for renewal of permission for admission of 3rd batch of MBBS students.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance report submitted by the authorities of Khaja Banda Nawaj Instt. of Medical Sciences, Gulbarga through the Central Govt. and decided to verify the same by way of an inspection for which the following inspectors were appointed:-

1. Dr. Nandan Singh, Hyderabad
2. Dr. J.J. Oza, Jamnagar
3. Dr. C.A. Desai, Ahmedabad

37. **Approval of Mamtha Medical College, Khammam granted by NTR University of Health Sciences – consideration of appointment of Inspectors.**

Read : The request of the Registrar, NTR University of Health Sciences received through the Central Govt. u/s 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956 for carrying out inspection for approval of Mamtha Medical College, Khammam for the award of MBBS degree.

The Executive Committee noted that the following inspectors have already been appointed by Dr. Kesavankutty Nayar, Vice-President in consultation with other members of the Executive Committee as authorised:-

1. Dr. Medha Rao, Bangalore
2. Dr. Kesavan Nayar, Trivandrum
3. Dr. C.A. Desai, Ahmedabad

38. **Continuance of recognition of MBBS degree granted by Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed University in respect of students being trained at Bharati Vidyapeeth Medical College, Dhankawadi, Pune.**

Read : The compliance report submitted by the Registrar, Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed University on the deficiencies pointed out in the Council Inspectors report (Nov., 2001) for continuance of recognition of MBBS degree in respect of students being trained at Bharati Vidyapeeth Medical College, Dhankawadi, Pune.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance submitted by the Registrar, Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed University on the deficiencies pointed out in the Council Inspectors report (Nov., 2001) and decided to verify the same by way of an inspection for which the following inspectors were appointed:-

1. Dr. S.C. Shetty, Bangalore
2. Dr. D. Raja, Chennai
3. Dr. C.A. Desai, Ahmedabad

39. **Appointment of Inspectors for carrying out the inspection of two medical colleges for increase of MBBS seats request of which has been received u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.**

Read : The matter with regard to appointment of Inspectors for carrying out the inspection of Medical College for increase of MBBS seats - request of which has been received through the Central Govt.u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Executive Committee appointed inspectors for carrying out the following inspections:-

1. Dr. D.Y. Patil Medical College, Pimpri (increase of seats from 100 to 150 request of which was received through the Central Govt.):-

1. Dr. S.B. Aggarwal, Ahmedabad
2. Dr. (Mrs.) S. Kantha, Bangalore
3. Dr. R.D. Bansal, Inspector, MCI

2. J.N.Medical College, Swangi, Wardha (increase of seats from 100 to 150 request of which was received through the Central Govt.):-

1. Dr. S.K. Aggarwal, MAMC, New Delhi
2. T. Madan, Hyderabad
3. Dr. C.A. Desai, Ahmedabad

40. **To consider the matter with regard to amendment in the notification issued by the Central Govt. for recognition of MBBS degree granted by Assam University in respect of students being trained at Silchar Medical College, Silchar.**

Read : The letter dated 7/9/2002 received from the Registrar, Assam University, Silchar for amendment in the notification issued by the Central Govt. for recognition of MBBS degree by Assam University in respect of students being trained at Silchar Medical College, Silchar.

The Executive Committee noted that the Central Govt. vide Gazette notification dated 29.3.2002 notified that MBBS degree granted by Assam University in respect of students being trained at Silchar Medical College, Silchar be recognised when granted on or after June,1999.

The Committee further considered the letter dated 7.9.2002 received from the Registrar, Assam University who has informed that Assam University first conducted MBBS examination in respect of students being trained at Silchar Medical College in the month of July,1994 and declared the result in August,1994, hence, MBBS degree being awarded by the Assam University be recognised w.e.f. July,1994.

In view of above, the Executive Committee decided to recommend that MBBS degree granted by Assam University in respect of students being trained at Silchar Medical College, Silchar be recognised w.e.f. July,1994 and the Central Govt. be requested to send amendment to the notification regarding recognition of MBBS degree.

41. **Appointment of Inspectors for carrying out the inspection for postgraduate medical courses.**

The Executive Committee appointed following inspectors for carrying out the inspection of various postgraduate medical courses:-

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Name of Inspector</u>
Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bangalore (Verification of compliance)	M.D.(Radio-therapy)	Dr. P.K. Zulka, AIIMS, New Delhi
Osmania Medical College, Hyderabad (Verification of compliance)	M.D.(T.B. & Chest Dise.) & D.T.C.D.	Dr. Kusum Saha
M.P. Shah Medical College, Jamnagar. (Verification of compliance)	M.D.(Skin & V.D.)	Dr. Shroff
Pramukhswami Medical College, Karamsad.	D.C.H.	Dr. S.K. Mittal, MAMC, New Delhi
Madurai Medical College, Madurai	M.D.(Derm.Ven. & Leprosy) & D.D.V.L.	Dr. Sudhiv Pujara, Ahmedabad

The Executive Committee also appointed following inspectors in place of earlier appointed inspectors who had conveyed their inability/whose letters were received back in the Council with the remark that addressee is not available, to carry out the inspections:-

<u>Institution</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Name of earlier appointed Inspector</u>	<u>Name of Inspector</u>
Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad	D.M.(Nephrology)	Dr. Amaresen, Chennai	Dr. Tiwari, AIIMS, New Delhi
Vivekanand Institute of Medical Sciences, Kolkata	M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O.	Dr. R. Idnani, Allahabad	Dr. R. Idnani, Meerut
S.V. Medical College, Tirupati	M.D(Pharmacology)	Dr. T.R. Ramajanan, Chennai	Dr. Usha Shaha, Ahmedabad
Govt. Medical College, Rajkot	M.D.(Anaesthesia)	Dr. Urmila Sathe, Mumbai	Dr. Lalita Nayak, Mumbai

42. **To note the merit-wise list of students received from the Principal, Rangaraya Medical College, Kakinada admitted during the academic session 2001-2002 against the increased intake i.e. 150 without getting the permission renewed by the Central Govt.**

The Executive Committee noted the merit-wise list of students which was received from the Principal, Rangaraya Medical College, Kakinada admitted during the academic session 2001-2002 against the increased intake i.e. from 100 to 150 without getting the permission renewed by the Central Govt.

The Committee further noted the communication dated 10.10.02 sent by the office to all concerned to initiate action u/s 10B of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 against 50 students admitted in excess of the admission capacity for the said session who are lower in rank in the merit list.

43. **Migration of Mr. Manoj Kumar Sharma from Universal College of Medical Sciences, Bhairahawa, Nepal to any medical college in India.**

Read : The matter with regard to Migration of Mr. Manoj Kumar Sharma from Universal College of Medical Sciences, Nepal to any medical college in India.

The matter was already considered by the Executive Committee at its meeting held on 17.10.2002 being court matter.

44. **Regulations of the Council on Graduate Medical Education, 1997 – migration rules modification thereon.**

Read : The matter with regard to modification in the regulations of the Council on Graduate Medical Education under Migration Rules.

As per Graduate Medical Education Regulations, 1997 under the Migration Rules one of the compassionate grounds criteria for consideration of migration from one recognised medical college to another recognised medical college as given in Note 2 - 'death of a supporting guardian'. The application of definition of the supporting guardian was interpreted as under by the Hon'ble Delhi High Court vide its order dated 14.11.2000 in the matter of Shri Manas Kumar Dutta for his migration from Rural Medical College, Loni to Medical College, Calcutta:-

“If the word “guardian” alone had been used, it could mean guardian or natural guardian but when the word supporting guardian is mentioned, then this word includes a quasi guardian or a guardian of the poor also who is financially supporting the education of the student. These regulations being related to the education, will have to be interpreted in a manner which helps expansion of education and does not deprive a person of medical education in case the financial support which was available is no more available on account of death of the said guardian late Mr. Trisul Chatterjee. If the matter is seen in this light, the word “guardian” could have a larger connotation than what is understood generally, and then insertion of the word “supporting” before “guardian” would certainly include a person who provides financial support for medical education of any student in any medical college. In this light, it appears that probably sensing this kind of interpretation, learned counsel for the respondent rightly submitted that if this court interprets the word “supporting guardian” in a wider sense, then the matter should be remanded for the appropriate decision of the Medical Council of India.

Learned counsel also appears to be justified in making submission that while exercising jurisdiction in the absence of any allegation of mala-fides, this court should concern itself about the decision making process and not with the actual judgement.”

The Committee further noted that request of Mr. Fenton A.J. desouza has also been received for consideration of his migration on the grounds of “supporting guardian”.

As the orders of the Hon'ble High Court were specific to the petitioner Shri Manas Kumar Dutta alone, the Committee decided that the matter of migration of Mr.Fenton A.J. desouza be considered by the Migration Sub-Committee.

Regarding application of definition of the “supporting guardian” as interpreted by the Hon'ble High Court, the Committee decided to obtain legal opinion.

45. **Migration of Ms. Amrita Ajmani, 1st professional MBBS student from N.S.C.B.Medical College, Jabalpur to M.G.M. Medical College, Indore.**

Read : The matter with regard to Migration of Ms. Amrita Ajmani, 1st professional MBBS student from N.S.C.B.Medical College, Jabalpur to M.G.M. Medical College, Indore.

The Executive Committee noted the letter dated 3.7.2002 received from Dr. P.S.Ajmani father of a candidate who is studying in the 1st MBBS course at NSCB Medical College, Jabalpur and desires to seek migration to M.G.M. Medical College, Indore.

The Committee further noted that the office of the Council has already taken up the grievance of the candidate with the DME, Madhya Pradesh and Dean, N.S.C.B.Medical College, Jabalpur to which the concerned authorities have not responded till date inspite of a reminder letter sent on 6.8.2002. The Committee decided to enquire the whole matter from the DME, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh and to procure a report on the same which may then be considered and disposed of by the Migration Sub-Committee.

46. **Regularisation/approval of migration of students allowed by Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak in April, 1998.**

Read : The matter with regard to regularisation of migration of Mr. Amit Jawa in place of Suman Malik to Pt. B.D.Sharma Postgradaute Instt. of Medical Sciences, Rohtak.

The Executive Committee noted that at its meeting held on 24.4.2002, the Committee regularised the following migrations at PGIMS, Rohtak as a one time measure and not to be quoted as a precedence:-

1. Suman Malik from Medical College, Baroda
2. Chakitan Singh from K.M.C., Mangalore
3. Sanjay Garg from K.M.C., Mangalore
4. Sundeep from A.C.P.M. Medical College, Dhule
5. Mohit Singhal from Silchar Medical College, Silchar
6. Ramandeep Virk from Dr. V.M. Medical College, Solapur

The Committee further noted that a letter was received from the Director, PGIMS, Rohtak intimating that Ms. Suman Malik of Medical College, Baroda did not join classes at PGIMS, Rohtak after her migration allowed by the M.D. University, Rohtak in April,1998. In her place Mr. Amit Jawa S/o Dr. G.C. Jawa of Bharati Vidyapeeth, Pune (Plaintiff No.5 in the Civil Suit No.228 of 199/2001) was allowed migration in 2nd Professional MBBS class by the M.D.University, Rohtak as a 6th candidate who has already completed his MBBS study at this institute and requested to regularise the migration of Mr. Amit Jawa in place of Ms. Suman Malik.

The Executive Committee at its meeting held on 05.08.2002 did not agree to consider the migration of Ms. Amit Jawa from Bharati Vidyapeeth, Pune to PGIMS, Rohtak in place of Ms. Suman Malik in view of the fact

that no communication regarding this change or any other details were ever referred to the Council for its consideration.

The Committee now considered the request of Registrar, MD University, Rohtak received vide letter dated 19.8.2002 for regularisation of migration of Mr. Amit Jawa in place of Ms. Suman Malik and decided to reiterate its earlier decision taken by it at its meeting held on 05.08.2002 not to consider the migration of Mr. Amit Jawa in place of Ms. Suman Malik.

47. **Teachers' Eligibility Qualifications – Counting of Teaching Experience of specialities graded doctors of A.M.C.**

Read : The matter with regard to counting of teaching experience of specialities graded doctors of AMC.

The Executive Committee constituted a Sub-Committee consisting of the following members to deliberate in the matter and submit its report and recommendations for further consideration by the Executive Committee:-

1. Dr. L.S. Chawla, Member, PG Committee
2. Dr. V.K. Puri, Member, EC
3. Dr. S.P. Singh, Chairman, TEQ

48. **Non-Teaching Hospital – Continuance of recognition of Civil Hospital, Aizwal (Assam) for internship.**

Read : The matter with regard to continuation of recognition of Civil Hospital, Aizwal (Assam) for internship training.

The Executive Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Oct.,2001) and decided that recognition of Civil Hospital, Aizwal (Assam) be continued for compulsory rotating internship training.

49. **Inspection of Physical facilities available at Mohan Dai Oswal Cancer Treatment & Research Foundation, Ludhiana for purpose of recognition for internship.**

Read : The matter with regard to recognition of Mohan Dai Oswal Cancer Treatment & Research Foundation, Ludhiana for purpose of internship training.

The Executive Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Dec.,2001) and decided to recognise Mohan Dai Oswal Cancer Treatment & Research Foundation, Ludhiana for purpose of compulsory rotating internship training.

50. **Non-teaching Hospital – Continuance of recognition of Kurji Holy Family Hospital, Patna for internship.**

Read : The matter with regard to continuance of recognition of Kurji Holy Family Hospital, Patna for internship training.

The Executive Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Sept.,2001) and decided that recognition of Kurji Holy Family Hospital, Patna be continued for compulsory rotating internship training.

51. **Complaint made by Shri Brahan Prakash against Dr. Subhash Yadav Geetanjali Hospital, New Sumit Cinema, Gurgaon Road, Pataudi.**

Read : The complaint made by Shri Brahan Prakash against Dr. Subhash Yadav Geetanjali Hospital, Pataudi alongwith the recommendations of the Ethical Committee.

The Executive Committee considered the following recommendations of the Ethical Committee with regard to removal of name of Dr. Subhash Yadav, Geetanjali Hospital, Pataudi, from the Medical Register for a period of one months and decided that the matter be discussed in the General Body as referred by the Ethical Committee:-

“The Ethical Committee in its meeting held on 10.9.2002 in the MCI office deliberated upon the case of Dr. Subhash Yadav of Geetanjali Hospital, Gurgaon Road, Pataudi. The Committee had summoned Dr. Yadav to appear before it and Dr. Yadav also appeared before the Ethical Committee. The Committee members questioned Dr. Yadav and obtained his answers, which were recorded and signed by Dr. Yadav. Copy of the proceedings is enclosed.

The Committee is of the unanimous opinion that Dr. Subhash Yadav has committed a gross misconduct by not obtaining the written consent of the patient/guardians before an elective operation leading to loss of a part of an organ (finger) and the Committee therefore recommends removal of the name of Dr.Subhash Yadav for a period of one month from the medical register.

The Committee therefore unanimously recommends to the General Body of the Medical Council of India that his name be temporarily erased from the medical register for a period of one month.”

52. **To note the Letter of Intent/Renewal of permission for establishment of medical college/increase of seats.**

The Executive Committee noted the Letter of Intent/Renewal of permission for establishment of medical college/increase of seats issued by the Central Govt. as under:-

Name of the Medical College	Date of LOI/LOP/renewal of permission.
B.V.V.Sangha's Medical College, Bhagalkot	As per recommendations of the Executive Committee the Central Govt. vide its letter dt. 30.9.2002 has issued LOP for establishment of the college

	with annual intake of 100 students for the academic session 2002-03.
SVS Medical College, Mahaboobnagar	As per recommendations of the Executive Committee the Central Govt. vide its letter dt. 30.9.2002 renewed the permission for admission of 4 th batch of students during the year 2002-03.
B.J.Medical College, Ahmedabad.	As per recommendations of the Executive Committee vide its letter dt. 24.9.2002 renewed the permission for admission of 8 th batch of students against the increased intake from 210 to 250 students during 2002-03 LOP dated 29 th July, 2002 for 50 students during 2002-03..
Establishment of medical college at Guntur (Katuri Medical college & Hospital, Guntur) by Vignan Educational Trust, Guntur	As per recommendations of the Executive Committee vide its letter dt. 30.9.2002 has issued LOI for establishment of the college with annual intake 100 students with prospective effect.
Establishment of medical college at Ahmednagar by Padmashree Dr.Vithalrao Patil Foundation, Ahmednagar	As per recommendations of the Executive Committee vide its letter dt. 30.9.2002 has issued LOI for establishment of the college with annual intake 100 students with prospective effect.

53. **Govt. Medical College, Anantapur - renewal of permission for admission of 3rd batch of students.**

Read : The compliance report submitted by the college authorities through the Central Govt. for renewal of permission for admission of 3rd batch of students at Govt. Medical College, Anantapur.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance submitted by the authorities of Govt. Medical College, Anantapur through the Central Govt. and decided to verify the same by way of an inspection for which the following inspectors were appointed:-

1. Dr. S.S. Surana, Udaipur
2. Dr. Alka Ganesh, Vellore
3. Dr. R.D. Bansal, Inspector, MCI

54. **Establishment of medical college at Dichpalli by Church of South India Trust, Association of Medak Diocesan Education Society u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.**

Read : The compliance verification inspection report (10th Oct., 2002) for establishment of Medical College at Dichpalli u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (10th Oct.,2002) along with the additional information furnished by the authorities vide their letter dated 11.10.2002 and noted the following:-

1. The Principal joined the institution on 5th October,2002 i.e. 5 days before the inspection.
2. The basic departments of Anatomy, Physiology, Biochemistry are still located as a makeshift arrangement in the existing old buildings in the campus where the space availability for almost all the facilities is not as per MCI norms.
3. 160 beds have been put in the new hospital building. 2 operation theatres, ICU and casualty have also been located in this new hospital building. Still, 140 beds, 2 operation theatres and labour rooms are functioning in the old buildings.
4. There is overcrowding of beds in some wards of Obst. & Gynae. and Surgery and bed side lockers are not available with all the beds.
5. Staff rooms and functional offices for clinical departments have not been provided for all the faculty members.
6. No duty rosters were available for the staff in the casualty and other departments.
7. Dental OPD is very small and there is only one dental chair.
8. There are no facilities of Blood Gas Analysis, Treadmill, Echo, Holter and Pulmonary function test.
9. A proper animal house with adequate staff and facilities is not available.
10. For Radio-Diagnosis department BARC permission has not yet been obtained.
11. Blood bank has not yet been established.
12. The Principal's office has still not become functional.
13. Staff nurses are 101. They are still inadequate for the requirements of the entire hospital for the 3 shifts.

14. The non-teaching staff in other hospital facilities is less than the MCI requirements.
15. The work of Histopathology, Cytopathology, Special tests in Haematology, Thyroid function tests, TB culture, blood culture has not yet started in the labs. The equipments like automatic cell counter, flame photometer, auto-analyzer are not available. One semi-auto analyzer was purchased two days before the inspection.
16. Though CSSD has been provided, but no record is being maintained of the services provided in the CSSD. The staff of CSSD is not as per MCI norms.
17. Only rooms have been provided for Statistical Unit & Medical Education Unit. They are yet to be equipped, staff appointed and made functional.
18. In the Central Photographic Section, dark room facilities along with other staff are yet to be provided.
19. The audiometry room is still not sound proof.
20. Other observations/deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Executive Committee decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for establishment of Christian Medical College, Dichpalli, Nizamabad Distt. by Church of South India Trust Association Medak Diocesan Education Society, Secunderabad (AP) u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

55. **Establishment of Medical College at Latur by Govt. of Maharashtra u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.**

Read : The Council Inspectors report (9th & 10th Oct., 2002) for establishment of medical college at Latur by Govt. of Maharashtra u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Executive Committee considered the Council Inspectors report (9th & 10th Oct., 2002) along with the additional information furnished by the college authorities subsequent to the inspection of the college carried out on 9th & 10th October, 2002 and decided to verify the same by way of an inspection for which the following inspectors were appointed:-

1. Dr. (Mrs.) S. Kantha, Bangalore
2. Dr. Veer Babu
3. Dr. C.A. Desai, Ahmedabad

56. **Basveshwara Medical College & Hospital, Chitradurga – Renewal of permission for admission of 2nd batch of students.**

Read : The compliance verification inspection report (11th & 12th Oct., 2002) for renewal of permission for admission of 2nd batch of students at Basveshwara Medical College & Hospital, Chitradurga.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (11th & 12th Oct.,2002) and noted the following:-

1. The pre and para clinical departments are located in the college campus and the clinical departments are located in the hospital campus. The distance between these two locations is 2 kms.
2. As per the information given in the last Inspection report carried out in June,02, the institution had planned to shift some of the service labs. like Histopathology, Cytopathology, certain special test in Haematology, Micology, certain special cultures including bacteriology etc. in the college departments. This has not yet been implemented.
3. Clinical material as reported in the inspection report is as under:-

Average daily outpatients from June,02 to Oct.,02: 221-663)

OPD attendance on 11.10.2002 – 464

Bed occupancy: 85 to 90%. On 12.10.2002 – 70%.

The date of bed occupancy as reported in the inspection report could not be confirmed because (1) no ward census is being maintained by the staff nurses, only admission and discharges were shown from the computer sheet, (2) on the day of inspection i.e. 11 and 12.10.2002, it was found that the records of most of the indoor patients were incomplete with no name of any doctor, not signed by any doctor, no date of admission and the recording on the indoor sheets was absolutely incomplete and most of the patients did not require any admission. Hence, the bed occupancy figures cannot be relied upon.

4. In the attached District Hospital, Chitradurga as per the order issued by the Govt. of Karnataka, the facilities provided are only to utilise the clinical facilities without any control of the units/beds in various departments, OTs. and OPDs. etc. So far the institution has not started any activity by the medical college staff in the District Hospital.
5. The position remains the same in OPD, indoor and teaching training facilities of the medical college hospital as reported in the last inspection report . No time frame has been given regarding the completion of the extension to the OPD.
6. The total space available for Urban Health Centre is inadequate and the required functions of the Urban Health Centre and teaching &

training programmes of undergraduate students cannot be carried out in the available space.

7. No wardrobes have been provided in the hostel rooms.
8. So far no residential quarters of any category have been constructed as per the time bound programme.
9. The same Medical Superintendent who was earlier honorary has been made full time. However, it is reported that during inspection it was observed that the Medical Superintendent did not have much idea about the hospital functioning.
10. X-ray/ultrasound machine has not yet been purchased/installed.
11. There are a total of four functional operation theatres inclusive of one emergency O.T. At the time of first renewal, there need to be five functional operation theatres. Hence, there is deficiency of one operation theatre.
12. Other observations/deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Executive Committee decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to renew the permission for admission of 2nd batch of students at Baseveshwara Medical College & Hospital, Chitradurga for the academic session 2002-03.

57. **Fixing of surprise inspection/carrying out immediate inspection for the postgraduate courses being conducted in the medical colleges of Bihar – Regarding.**

Read : The matter with regard to carrying out surprise inspection for postgraduate courses being conducted in the medical colleges of Bihar as decided by the General Body.

The Executive Committee decided to constitute a Sub-Committee consisting of the following members to work out the detailed modalities including the expenditure etc. involved for carrying out the surprise inspections:-

1. Dr. M.K. Sharma
2. Dr. P.M. Jadhav

58. **To grant permanent registration to Dr. Kulwant Singh Bhangoo, USA National, M.B.Ch.B (Makerere University College) u/s 13(3) of the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956.**

Read : The matter with regard to grant of permanent registration to Dr. Kulwant Singh Bhangoo, USA National, M.B.Ch.B (Makerere University College) u/s 13(3) of the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956.

The Executive Committee considered the matter with regard to grant of permanent registration to Dr. Kulwant Singh Bhangoo, having nationality

of USA and holding PIO card along with the following decision taken by the Registration & Equivalence Committee at its meeting held on 16.9.2002:-

“All those candidates who possess the PIO Card and not the permanent Indian Citizenship will fall into existing Indian Medical Council Act,1956 for grant of temporary permission.”

The Committee noted that as per the notification dated 30th March,1999 of the Ministry of Home Affairs all PIO Card holders are treated at par with NRI and such persons require registration for stay in the country i.e. India beyond 180 days. The Committee also noted that Section 13(4) has been amended and provision for screening test for Indian citizens holding foreign qualifications has been provided. Under these circumstances, it was decided that Dr. Kulwant Singh Bhangoo a national of USA holding PIO card cannot be considered for registration u/s 13(3). Even when he obtains Indian nationality he will require to pass the Screening Test as per the provisions of the Act for consideration of grant of permanent registration with the qualification held by him.

59. **Provisional Registration to undergo internship training in India to the holder of PIO Card – Dr. Svetlane Chaudhary, a Russian national.**

Read : The matter with regard to grant of provisional registration to Dr. Svetlane Chaudhary, a Russian national holding PIO Card to undergo internship training in India.

The Executive Committee considered the matter with regard to grant of provisional registration to Dr. Svetlane Chaudhary, a Russian national and holding PIO card along with the following decision taken by the Registration & Equivalence Committee at its meeting held on 16.9.2002:-

“All those candidates who possess the PIO Card and not the permanent Indian Citizenship will fall into existing Indian Medical Council Act,1956 for grant of temporary permission.”

The Committee noted that as per the notification dated 30th March,1999 of the Ministry of Home Affairs all PIO Card holders are treated at par with NRI and such persons require registration for stay in the country i.e. India beyond 180 days. The Committee also noted that Section 13(4) has been amended and provision for screening test for Indian citizens holding foreign qualifications has been provided. Under these circumstances, it was decided that Dr. Svetlane Chaudhary, a Russian national holding PIO card cannot be considered for provisional registration. Even when she obtains Indian nationality she will require to pass the Screening Test as per the provisions of the Act for consideration of grant of provisional registration registration with the qualification held by her.

60. **Functioning of the Sub-Committee of the Council - Reg.**

To appoint members in place of the members who ceased to be a member of the Council on the Finance Sub-Committee & Ethical Sub-Committee

The Executive Committee appointed Dr. Mohinder Nath in place of Dr. D.G.Benakappa who ceased as Council member on 3.10.2002 on the Finance Sub-Committee and Dr. Joba Helen Soren in place of Dr. K.M. Singh who ceased as Council member on 7.10.2002 on the Ethical Committee.

61. **Inclusion of Reproductive Health Issues and Family Planning Training in the Undergraduate and Post-Graduate Curriculum.**

Read : The letter dt. 11.10.2002 received from Deputy Commissioner Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & FW, Nirman Bhavan, with regard to Inclusion of Reproductive Health Issues and Family Planning Training in the Undergraduate and Post-Graduate Curriculum.

The Executive Committee considered the letter dated 11.10.2002 received from Deputy Commissioner Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & FW, Nirman Bhavan, with regard to Inclusion of Reproductive Health Issues and Family Planning Training in the Undergraduate and Post-Graduate Curriculum and decided to refer the matter to the Curriculum Committee of the Council.

62. **W.P.No.19320/2002 filed by PES Institute of Medical Sciences Vs. Govt. of India, Health & F.W. Deptt. and another.**

Read : The W.P.No.19320/2002 filed by PES Institute of Medical Sciences Vs. Govt. of India, Health & F.W. Deptt. and another alongwith the interim directions of the Hon'ble High Court of Judicature of Andhra Pradesh at Hyderabad.

The matter was already considered by the Executive Committee at its meeting held on 17.10.2002 being court matter.

63. **Ruxmaniben Deepchand Gardi Medical College, Ujjain - renewal of permission for admission of 3rd batch of students during 2002-2003.**

Read : The matter for appointment of Inspectors for carrying out the inspection of the college for renewal of permission for admission of 3rd batch of students.

The Executive Committee noted that inspection for renewal of permission for admission of 2nd batch of students at Ruxmaniben Deepchand Gardi Medical College, Ujjain was carried out by the Council Inspectors on 13th & 14th December,2001 and the inspection report was considered by the Committee at its meeting held on 31.1.2002. In view of the various deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report, the Committee decided to

recommend to the Central Govt. not to renew the permission for admission of 2nd batch of students at the college. This decision of the Executive Committee was communicated to the Central Govt. on 28.2.2002. However, the Central Govt. vide its letter dated 15.3.2002 renewed the permission for admission of 2nd batch of 100 students at the college during the academic session 2001-02 subject to the condition that 85% students are admitted in the college through the State Govt.

The Central Govt. also requested to the college authorities that the deficiencies pointed out in the MCI inspection report may be rectified and compliance thereon be sent to the Ministry within six months.

The Committee further noted that the Central Govt. vide its letter dated 13.9.2002 had forwarded the compliance report submitted by the authorities of Ruxmaniben Deepchand Gardi Medical College, Ujjain for verification and sending the recommendations of the Council for renewal of permission for the academic year 2002-03.

Since the compliance as submitted by the college authorities was on the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report carried out in Dec.,2001 for renewal of permission of 2nd batch of students and the students admitted in this batch for which permission was renewed by the Central Govt. in contravention to the decision taken by the Executive Committee duly communicated, had undergone training under the deficient infrastructure facilities available at the college, the Committee decided to write a letter to the Central Govt. that this compliance report which was submitted on the deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report dated Dec.,2001 by the college authorities through the Central Govt. cannot be considered for renewal of permission for admission of 3rd batch of students i.e. for the academic session 2002-03.

64. **Establishment of National Instt. of Medical Sciences & Research, Jaipur by Indian Medical Trust, Jaipur.**

Read : The judgement dated 1.10.2002 passed by the Division Bench of the Hon'ble High Court of Rajasthan at Jaipur Bench in D.B. Special Appeal No. 586/2002 – Medical Council of India Vs. Indian Medical Trust & Ors. and 5 other connected appeal.

The matter was already considered by the Executive Committee at its meeting held on 17.10.2002 being court matter.

65. **Establishment of new medical college at Ahmednagar, Maharashtra by Padmashree Dr. Vithalrao Patil Foundation, Ahmednagar u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 – Grant of LOP.**

Read : The matter for appointment of Inspectors for grant of LOP for establishment of new medical college at Ahmednagar, Maharashtra.

The Executive Committee appointed following inspectors for carrying out the inspection for grant of LOP for establishment of new medical college at Ahmednagar:-

1. Dr. Veer Babu
2. Dr. (Mrs.) S. Kantha, Bangalore
3. Dr. C.A. Desai, Ahmedabad

66. **KAP Vishwanathan Govt. Medical College, Trichy - renewal of permission for admission for 5th batch of students.**

Read : The compliance verification inspection report (22nd Oct., 2002) for renewal of permission for admission of 5th batch of students at KAP Vishwanathan Govt. Medical College, Trichy.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (22nd Oct., 2002) carried out on receipt of compliance through the Central Govt. on rectification of deficiencies pointed out in the Council Inspectors report (22nd & 23rd April, 2002) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to renew the permission for admission of 5th batch of 100 students at KAP Vishwanathan Govt. Medical College, Trichy for the academic session 2002-03.

67. **CA No.4604/2000 - The Deputy Secretary (MERT) & Ors. Vs. Sanchita Biswas.**

Read : The order of the Apex Court dated 18th September regarding reservation to disabled persons in MBBS course.

The Executive Committee read the order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 18.09.2002 interpreting the provision of section 39 of the Disability Act, 1995 on the question whether the reservation of 3% for disabled candidates applies only to the Chapter dealing with employment or it also applies to the Chapter dealing with the education.

The Committee noted that the Hon'ble Supreme Court in its judgement has transpired that an identical question had recently been considered by them in Civil Appeal No. 6120/2001 All Kerala Parents Association Hearing Imp. & Anr. V. State of Kerala & Ors., and having analysed the different provisions of the Act, it has been held therein that it would be an error to construe Section 39 of the Act to mean that it is in relation to reservation in Government employment and not in relation to admission of students with disabilities in the Government institutions as well as the educational institutions.

In view of above, the Committee decided to obtain a copy of Civil Appeal No. 6120/2001 of Kerala Parents Association Vs. State of Kerala & Ors. and also obtain legal opinion on the judgement of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 18.9.2002.

The Committee further decided that after obtaining the same the matter be brought back to the Executive Committee for its consideration.

68. **Annual Report of the Medical Council of India for the year 2001-2002. Reg.**

The Executive Committee approved the Annual Report of the Medical Council of India for the year 2001-02 with necessary correction in the Members list against the designation of Dr. F.U.Ahmed who informed that he is now designated as the Vice-Principal, Assam Medical College, Dibrugarh and not the Principal Incharge.

69. **Approval of Maharashtra Instt. of Medical Education & Research, Talegaon for the award of MBBS degree granted by Pune University.**

Read : The compliance verification inspection report (28th & 29th Oct., 2002) for approval of Maharashtra Instt. of Medical Education & Research, Talegaon for the award of MBBS degree granted by Pune University.

The Executive Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (28th & 29th Oct.,2002) and noted that the lease deed executed between the Lesser and the Lessee in the year 1990 denotes the lease period for 33 years; subsequently lease deed executed in the year 1996 denotes the lease period as 99 years with a provision to extend for a further period of 999 yrs. Neither of these lease deeds are registered and doesn't provide legal validity for the Lease Agreement.

In view of above, the Committee decided to obtain legal opinion regarding the validity of lease deeds. Since the matter pertains to approval of the college for the award of MBBS degree, the Committee further decided to place the matter along with the legal opinion before the General Body of the Council to be held on 20.11.2002 for its consideration.

70. **To consider the matter with regard to appointment of Inspectors for carrying out the inspection of the medical colleges for admission for the academic session 2002—03. Permission of the Central Govt. for the academic year 2001-02 was granted subject to the condition that there should be 240 teaching days between two batches before they conduct the examination..**

The Executive Committee appointed following inspectors for carrying out the following inspections:-

1. **Aarupadai Veedu Medical College, Pondicherry – Permission granted by the Central Govt. on 04.06.2002:-**

Dr. Sanjay Bijwe, Mumbai
Dr. Dawar, Mumbai
Dr. C.A. Desai, Ahmedabad

2. Mahatma Gandhi Medical College, Pondicherry – Permission granted by the Central Govt. on 18.03.2002:-

Dr. T. Madan, Hyderabad
Dr. Kalpana Sulhain, Miraj
Dr. C.A. Desai, Ahmedabad

71. **Appointment of Inspectors for carrying out the inspection of the medical colleges – request of which have been received u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 during this year.**

The Executive Committee appointed following inspectors for carrying out the inspection of undergraduate course:-

1. Establishment of medical college at Chinoutpalli by Siddhartha Academy of General & Technical Education, Vijayawada:-

Dr. (Mrs.) S. Kantha, Bangalore
Dr. K. Anand Kannan, Chennai
Dr. R.D. Bansal, Whole-time Inspector, MCI

2. Establishment of a new medical college at Warangal by Medicare Educational Trust, Warangal:-

Dr. A.B. Solepure, Aurangabad
Dr. Usha Vyas, NHL, Ahmedabad
Dr. R.D. Bansal, Whole-time Inspector, MCI

3. Establishment of medical college at Rajahmundry by GSL Educational Society, Rajahmundry:-

Dr. A.B. Solepure, Aurangabad
Dr. Usha Vyas, NHL, Ahmedabad
Dr. C.A. Desai, Ahmedabad

72. **Appointment of Inspectors for carrying out the postgraduate inspections.**

The Executive Committee appointed following inspectors for carrying out the inspection of various postgraduate medical courses:-

1. Recognition of M.D.(Radio-Diagnosis) & D.M.R.D. qualifications in respect of students being trained at Nizam's Instt. of Medical Sciences (Deemed University), Hyderabad (for verification of compliance):

Dr. Suresh Shaha, B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad

2. Recognition of M.Ch.(Neuro-Surgery) qualification granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal (for verification of compliance):

Dr. V.S. Mehta, AIIMS, New Delhi

3. Continuation of recognition of Holy Cross Hospital, Kottayam, Kerala for housemanship.

Dr. K. Anand Kannan, Chennai

73. **Increase of MBBS seats from 100 to 150 at Govt. Medical College, Aurangabad - renewal of permission for admission of 5th batch of students.**

Read : The Council Inspectors report 29th & 30th Oct., 2002 for renewal of permission for admission of 5th batch of students against the increased intake i.e. from 100 to 150 at Govt. Medical College, Aurangabad.

The Executive Committee considered the Council Inspectors report (29th & 30th Oct.,2002) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to renew the permission for admission of 5th batch of students against the increased intake i.e. from 100 to 150 at Govt. Medical College, Aurangabad for the academic session 2002-03.

74. **Report of the Department related Parliamentary Standing Committee of Human Resource Development – Hundred Twelfth Report on Medical Education presented to Parliament on 13th December, 2001.**

Read : The Report of the Department related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Human Resource Development – Hundred Twelfth Report on Medical Education presented to Parliament on 13th December, 2001.

The Executive Committee authorised Dr. V.K. Puri to suggest the names of the Sub-Committee members who would then prepare report on various issues raised in the Report of the Department related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Human Resource Development.

75. **Appointment of Zonal Inspector on consolidated salary.**

Read : The matter with regard to grant of extension of services to Dr. C.A. Desai as Zonal Inspector whose term is going to be expired on 1/11/2002.

The Executive Committee decided to grant extension of services to Dr. C.A.Desai as Zonal Inspector for a further period of one year i.e. with effect from 1.11.2002.

76. **FIR No. 242 of 2002 Police Station Chandvaji, Distt. Jaipur (Rural), Jaipur: Report of Superintendent Police, Distt. Jaipur (Rural) dated 19.10.2002.**

The Executive Committee noted that an FIR lodged by Dr. B.S.Tomar, Chairman, National Institute of Medical Sciences & Research, Jaipur against Dr. Achal Gulati, Professor of ENT, Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi one of the inspectors of the Council who carried out the inspection of the institution on 26th August,2002 along with other two inspectors i.e. Dr. R.D. Bansal of MCI and Dr. R.C. Sharma, Professor & HOD of Skin & VD of Lady Hardinge Medical College, New Delhi has been investigated by Police Station, Chandvaji at Jaipur and a final report was submitted intimating therein that this FIR was false and was filed to create unnecessary pressure.

The Committee decided that a defamation case be filed by Dr. Achal Gulati and MCI against the complainant and the expenditure incurred by Dr.Achal Gulati for defending the case be borne by the Council.

The Committee further decided that Rajasthan Medical Council be approached for taking necessary action against the doctor who lodged false FIR against one of the inspectors appointed by the Council for carrying out the inspection by sending all necessary documents to that Council. This matter may also be placed before the Ethical Committee of the Council for necessary action.

Before the meeting was concluded, the Executive Committee unanimously passed the following resolution:-

“With a view to contribute towards the development and maintenance of standards in the field of medical education, eminent medical professionals from all over the country have been taking up the responsibility as members of the Medical Council of India.

All the members of the Executive Committee of the MCI, elected in accordance with the rules and regulations and the orders of the Hon’ble Supreme Court dated 15.07.2002, had assumed this responsibility and had expected that they would be able to discharge their functions in that capacity without any hindrance.

Without emphasizing again on the contents of the Executive Committee’s Resolution dated 17.10.2002, the members feel beholden by the observations made by the Hon’ble Supreme Court on 30.10.2002 directing that all concerned in the MCI, for making the assessments of the colleges and for making recommendations to the Central Govt., should work with complete co-operation so that timely actions are taken and no prejudice is caused to any student or college.

It was under this spirit that all the members of the Executive Committee assembled today, the 31st October,2002 for ensuring that all the necessary recommendations are made to the Central Govt. and no difficulty is faced by any college or institution.”

(Dr. M. Sachdeva)
Secretary

New Delhi, dated
the 31st Oct.,2002

A P P R O V E D

(Maj Gen (Retd) SP Jhingon)
Administrator

