

MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA

Minutes of the Council meeting held on 17th March, 1998 at New Delhi

The Council met in the Council office, Aiwan-E-Galib Marg, Kotla Road, New Delhi at 11.00 A.M. on Tuesday, the 17th March 1998.

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| 1. | Dr. Ketan Desai - President | 29. | Dr. Navin Nahar |
| 2. | Dr. B. C. Chhapparwal | 30. | Dr. P. R. Somvanshi |
| 3. | Dr. B. K. Goyal | 31. | Dr. Nitu Mandke |
| 4. | Dr. C. M. Jayakeerthy | 32. | Dr. S. K. Pathak |
| 5. | Dr. C. Das | 33. | Dr. Mukesh Kr. Sharma |
| 6. | Dr. K. R. Shetty | 34. | Dr. Gouri Pada Dutta |
| 7. | Dr. L. S. Chawla | 35. | Dr. Indrajit Ray |
| 8. | Dr. S. K. Sinha | 36. | Dr. C. R. Maity |
| 9. | Dr. H. B. Rajasekhar | 37. | Dr. M. Amusna Singh |
| 10. | Dr. M. G. Muthukumar Swamy | 38. | Dr. Aken G. Desai |
| 11. | Dr. (Mrs.) S. Kantha | 39. | Dr. A. K. Patel |
| 12. | Dr. P. C. Kesavankutty Nayar | 40. | Dr. D. K. Sharma |
| 13. | Dr. M. A. Alleykutty | 41. | Dr. D. K. Nigam |
| 14. | Dr. Malti Thapar | 42. | Dr. G. Sambasiva Rao |
| 15. | Dr. R. K. Grewal | 43. | Dr. A. B. Solepur |
| 16. | Prof. S. K. Basu | 44. | Dr. A. B. Solepur |
| 17. | Dr. Vedprakash Mishra | 45. | Dr. P. Satyanarayana Rao |
| 18. | Dr. Radhamadhab Tripathy | 46. | Dr. P. L. Jindal |
| 19. | Dr C. L. Venkata Rao | 47. | Dr. C. S. Nath |
| 20. | Dr. U. C. Samal | 48. | Dr. Vasant N. Pawar |
| 21. | Dr. Onkar Saxena | 49. | Dr. Prakash M. Shah |
| 22. | Dr. Suraj Prakash Dewan | 50. | Dr. V. B. Dodia |
| 23. | Dr. Sudesh Khanna | 51. | Dr. P. M. Jadhav |
| 24. | Dr. Usha Sharma | 52. | Dr. S. k. Mittal |
| 25. | Dr. P. Narasimha Rao | 53. | Dr. N. Desak |
| 26. | Dr. B. Ray Chaudhuri | 54. | Dr. U.S. Sinha |
| 27. | Dr. D. J. Dasgupta | 55. | Dr. V K. Bhargava |
| 28. | Dr. G. K. Thakur | | |

Dr. (Mrs.) M. Sachdeva – Secretary

Apologies received from Dr. S. Imkong Tushi, Dr. W. K. Belokar and Dr. S. Tony Fernandez. Dr. Tony Fernandez has also resigned from the membership of the Council.

1. **Notification of New Members**

The Secretary read out the notification of the following new members elected/nominated as members of the Council since the last meeting of the Council held on 23.10.1997. :-

S. No.	Name	u/s	Consistency
1.	Dr. S. k. Sinha	3 (1) (a)	Bihar govt.
2.	Dr. P. L. Jindal	3 (1) (a)	Haryana Govt.
3.	Dr. M. G. Muthukumar Swamy	3 (1) (a)	Annamalai Univ.
4.	Dr. P. R. Somvanshi	3 (1) (b)	Annamalai Univ.
5.	Dr. Radha Madhav Tripathy	3 (1) (b)	Berhampur Univ.
6.	Dr. N. N. Barman	3 (1) (b)	Gauhati Univ.
7.	Dr. Ravinder Pal Kaur	3 (1) (b)	Punjabi Univ.

2. **Minutes of the last meeting of the Council – Confirmation of**

The minutes of the last meeting of the Council held on 23.10.1997 were confirmed.

3. **Minutes of the last meeting of the Council – Action taken thereon.**

The Council approved the action taken by the office on various items included in the minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 23.10.1997 with the following modifications :

(1) Minutes of the meeting of the Executive Committee be corrected as minutes of the meeting of the Council.

(2) Under item No. 84 copy of the letter sent by the University to State Govt. as informed by Dr. S. Kantha, Vice-Chancellor, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences be obtained.

4. **Presidential Address**

President delivered the Presidential address and copy of the same was circulated to the august body.

The President further informed the House, that he has received a letter from Dr. S. N. Deshmukh dated 9th March, 1998, and read out the contents therein. He informed the August House that action was already initiated on Dr. Deshmukh's observation in the last General Body meeting held on 23.10.1997 as per the assurance. A letter was sent to the Central Govt. in this regard, a copy of which was also marked to Dr. Deshmukh. A subsequent information as desired by him was also made known to him.

However, in absence of any clarification from the Govt. of India the Council has maintained the position emanating from the earlier communication of the Govt. of India as per decision taken by the Executive Committee on that communication.

The Council endorsed the decision of the Executive Committee in this regarding till any clarification or modification from the Govt. of India is received on its earlier letter.

A vote of thanks to the Presidential address was proposed by Dr. Ved Prakash Mishra and seconded by Dr. B. K. Goyal.

5. **Executive Committee – Election of members as deferred by the Council at its meeting held on 23.10.1997.**

Read : Election of the members on the Executive Committee under the following categories :-

a) **University Group**

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| 1. | Dr. V. B. Dodia | - | Proposed by Dr. Somvashi
Seconded by Dr. Aken G. Desai |
| 2. | Dr. P. M. Jadhav | - | Proposed by Dr. Aken G. Desai
Seconded by D. Somvanshi |
| 3. | Dr. P. C. Kesavankutty
Nayar | - | Proposed by Dr. D. K. Sharma
Seconded by Dr. M. K. Sharma |
| 4. | Dr. Usha Sharma | - | Proposed by Dr. Navin Nahar
Seconded by Dr. V. P. Mishra |

Dr. V. B. Dodia, Dr. P. M. Jadhav, Dr. P. c. Kesavankutty Nayar and Dr. Usha Sharma were declared elected unanimously as members of the Executive Committee under University Group.

b) **Nominated Group**

1. Dr. S. K. Sinha - Proposed by Dr. Maralihalli
Seconded by Dr. P. M. Jadhav
2. Dr. L. S. Chawla - Proposed by Dr. Aken Desai
Seconded by Dr. Usha Sharma
3. Dr. P. Narasimha Rao - Proposed by Dr. C. I. Venkata Rao
Seconded by Dr. B. k. Goyal

Dr. S. K. Sinha, Dr. L. S. Chawla & Dr. P. Narasimha Rao were declared elected unanimously as members of the Executive Committee under Nominated Group.

c) **R. M. G. Group**

1. Dr. Mukesh Kumar Sharma - Proposed by Dr. S. K. Pathak
Seconded by Dr. Onkar Saxena
2. Dr. Indrajit Ray - Proposed by Dr. Aken Desai
Seconded by Dr. Usha Sharma
3. Dr. P. Narasimha Rao - Proposed by Dr. C. L. Venkata Rao
Seconded by Dr. B. k. Goyal

Dr. Mukesh Kumar Shama and Dr. Indrajit Ray were declared elected unanimously as members of the Executive Committee under R. M. G. Group.

6. **Representation of the Council on other bodies – Election of**

(i) **Silver Jubilee Research Award Fund**

Read : Election of member of the Council as its representatives on Silver Jubilee Research Award Fund in place of

(i) Dr. Onkar Sexena whose term expired on 5.2.1998 after completion of 5 years.

(ii) Dr. B. P. Dubey whose term as member of the Council expired on 2.3.1998 after completing stop gap arrangement of 3 months as per interpretation of the Hon'ble Delhi High Court order dated 21.11.1990.

Dr. Navin Nahar - Proposed by Dr. V. P. Mishra
Seconded by Dr. V. B. Dodia

Dr. Onkar Saxena - Proposed by Dr. B. K. Goyal
Seconded by Dr. M.K. Sharma

Dr. Navin Nahar and Dr. Onkar Saxena were declared elected as members of the Council on Silver Jubilee Research Award Fund for a term of 5 years.

(iii) Hari Om Ashram Alembic Research Award Fund

Read : Election of members of the Council as its representatives on Hari Om Ashram Alembic Research Award Fund in place of (i) Dr. S. S. Yadav who ceased to be a member of the Council u/s 3(1) (b) of the I. M. C. Act, 1956. (ii) To elect another member in place of Dr. G. Sambashiva Rao as he was elected in place Dr. S. Bheempa on 22.05.1996 and also elected again inadvertently in place of Dr. (Smt.) Usha Sharma on 23.10.1997.

(i) Dr. P.M. Shah - Proposed by Dr. Aken G. Desai
Seconded by Dr. A. B. Solepure

(ii) Dr. S. K. Pathak - Proposed by Dr. Onkar Saxena
Seconded by Dr. S. K. Mittal

Dr. P. M. Shah and Dr. S. K. Pathak were declared elected unanimously as members of Hari Om Ashram Alembic Research Award Fund (Expert Committee) in place of Dr. Jatin H. Sheth who ceased to be a member of the Council.

Dr. Sudesh Khanna - Proposed by Dr. V. P. Mishra
Seconded by Dr. P. L. Jindal

Dr. Sudesh Khanna was declared elected unanimously as a member of Hari Om Ashram Alembic Research Award Fund (Expert Committee)

7. **Terna Medical College, Navi Mumbai – Recognition /approval for the award of MBBS degree granted by University of Mumbai.**

Read : Compliance verification report (Dec. 1997) for purpose of recognition of Terna Medical College, Navi Mumbai for the award of MBBS degree granted by University of Mumbai.

The Council approved the recommendations of the Executive Committee with certain modifications :-

“The Executive Committee considered the compliance verification report (Dec., 1997) for purpose of recognition /approval of Terna Medical College, Navi Mumbai for the award of MBBS degree granted by University of Mumbai and after thorough deliberations in the matter noted that there are still deficiencies in terms of infrastructure facilities pointed out in the inspection report and hence the college cannot be considered for granting recognition at this stage.

However, the Executive Committee reviewing its earlier decision taken at its meeting held on 7.6.1997 decided to permit the institution to admit 50 (fifty) students annually in the academic year 1996-97 to MBBS Course.”

8. **Increase of MBBS seats at J. S. S. Medical College, Mysore u/s 10A of the I. M. C. Act, 1956**

Read : Compliance verification along with the verification report of the additional information with regard to increase of MBBS seats at JSS Medical College, Mysore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Executive Committee :-

“The Executive Committee after taking into consideration the compliance verification report (Nov. 1997) and verification report of the additional information (Dec. 1997) decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue letter of permission for increase of MBBS seats from 100 to 150 at J. S. S. Medical College, Mysore on permanent basis.”

9. **Madras University/T.N. Dr. M. G.R. Medical University – Recognition of M.D. (Microbiology) qualification in respect of Stanley Medical College, Chennai and increase in number of seats u/s 10A of the I. M. C. Act, 1956 – request received through the Central Govt., Ministry of Health & F. W.**

Read : Matter with regard to recognition of M. d. (Microbiology) qualification granted by Madra University/T.N. Dr. M. G. R. Medical University in respect of Stanley Medical College, Chennai and increase in number of seats u/s 10A of the I. M. C. Act, 1956.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M. D. (Microbiology) qualification granted by Madras University/T.N. Dr. M.G.R. Medical University in respect of students being trained at Stanley Medical College, Chennai be recognized restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students per year.

The Committee further decided to recommend to the Central Govt., Ministry of Health and Family Welfare to issue “Letter of Permission” for increase of one seat annually i.e. fro m 2(two) to 3(three) seats on the permanent basis in the M.D. (Microbiology) course prospectively at Stanley Medical College, Chennai u/s 10a of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.”

10. **National Institute of Mental Health & Neuro Sciences, Bangalore – Continuance of recognition of D. M. (Neurology) qualification as well as increase of seats from 4(four) to 6(six) seats per year u/s 10a of the I. M. C. Act, 1956.**

Read : Council Inspectors report (August 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at National Instt. of Mental Health & Neuro Sciences, Bangalore for continuance of recognition of D. M. (Neurology) qualification as well as increase of seats from 4(four) to 6(six) per year u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 :

The Council considered the decision of the Postgraduate Committee and noted that the details of the examination of D. M. (Neurology) qualification have not been furnished in the attached inspection report. The President was authorized to see the details and if

they are to his satisfaction further action for communicating the following decision of the Postgraduate Committee be taken :-

“The Postgraduate Committee decided to continue recognition of D. M. (Neurology) qualification granted by National Instt. of Mental Health & Neuro Sciences, Bangalore – a deemed University. The Committee further decided to recommend to the Central Govt., Ministry of Health and Family Welfare to issue “Letter of Permission” for increase of seats from 4(four) to 6(six) on permanent basis in D. M. (Neurology) course prospectively.”

11. **Registration u/s 13(3) of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 to the holder of M. D. (Physician) degree qualification awarded by medical institutions in erstwhile USSR.**

Read : The matter with regard to Registration u/s 13(3) of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 to the holder of M. D. (Physician) degree qualification awarded by medical institutions in erstwhile USSR as referred by the Registration & Equivalence Committee.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Executive Committee :-

“The Executive Committee after detailed discussion on the matter and in consideration of decision of General Body of the Council taken at its meeting held on 23.10.1997 and also as provided u/s 13(3) of the IMC Act, 1956 decided that Indian nationals obtaining recognized qualifications from foreign universities will have to undergo 12 months internship training after obtaining the qualification, irrespective of date of obtaining the same before being eligible for permanent registration. This will not be applicable to the cases where permanent registration has already been granted.”

12. **Appointment /extension of service in the Council office – approval of**

The Council approved the appointment of Dr. Prem Kumar as Deputy Secretary and extension of service of Dr. J. K. Tandon, Whole time Inspector for a period of another six months w.e.f. 13.1.1998 as approved by the Executive Committee.

“The Executive Committee approved the appointment of Dr. Prem Kumar as Deputy Secretary in the Council and the extension of service

granted to Dr. J. K. Tandon, (Whole Time Inspector) for a period of another six months w.e.f. 13.1.1998 in the Council office.”

13. **Minutes of the Postgraduate Committee – Approval of**

The Council approved the minutes of the Postgraduate Committee meeting held on 20.11.1997.

14. **Manipal Academy of Higher Education – Recognition of M. S. (Anatomy) qualification.**

Read : The Council Inspector’s report (July 1997) on the standard of examination and other facilities for teaching existing at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal for purpose of recognition of M.S.(Anatomy) qualification granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.S. (Anatomy) qualification granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students annually.”

15. **Manipal Academy of Higher Education – Recognition of M.D. (Skin & V.D.) qualification.**

Read : The Council Inspector’s report (July 1997) on the standard of examination and other facilities for teaching existing at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal for purpose of recognition of M. D. (Skin & V. D.) qualification granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M. D. (Skin & V. D.) qualification granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of student being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students annually.”

16. **Bangalore University – Recognition of D. M. (Medical) Oncology qualification.**

Read : The Council Inspector's report (March, 96) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities existing at Kidwai Memorial Instt. of Oncology, Bangalore together with the faculty details furnished by the Institution for purpose of recognition of D. M. (Medical Oncology) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Post Graduate Committee recommends that D. M. (Medical Oncology) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Kidwai Memorial Instt. of Oncology, Bangalore be recognized and included in the first Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students annually.”

17. **Manipur University – Recognition of M. D. (General Medicine) qualification.**

Read : The Council Inspector's report (Sept., 97) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Regional Instt. of Medical Sciences, Imphal for purpose of recognition of M. D. (General Medicine) qualification granted by Manipur University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Post Graduate Committee recommends that M. D. (General Medicine) qualification granted by Manipur University in respect of students being trained at Manipur University in respect of the students being trained at Regional Instt. of Medical Sciences be recognized and included in the first Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students annually.”

18. **Bangalore University – Recognition of M. D. (Obst. & Gynae.) qualification in respect of students being trained at Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore**

Read : The Council Inspector's report (Oct., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M. D. (Obst. & Gynae.) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

"The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Obst. & Gynae.) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956.

The Committee further decided to direct the authorities to admit only two students instead of 3 (Three) from the next academic session i.e. 1998-99."

19. **Bangalore University – Recognition of M.D. (Prev. & Social Medicine) qualification in respect of students being trained at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (April 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Prev. & Social Medicine) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

"The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Prev. & Social Medicine) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 2 (two) students annually."

20. **Bangalore University – Recognition of M.S. (Anatomy) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Oct, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bangalore Medical

College, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.S. (Anatomy) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.S. (Anatomy) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 2 (two) students annually.”

The Postgraduate Committee further decided to advise the authorities of College & University to follow the suggestions of the Council Inspector given in his inspection report regarding the conduct of the examination.”

21. **Bangalore University – Recognition of M.D. (Anaes.) and continuance of recognition of D. A. qualification in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Oct, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Anaes.) and continuance of recognition of D. A. qualifications granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Anaes.) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 3 (three) students annually.”

The Postgraduate Committee further recommends that recognition of D. A. qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore be continued restricting the number of admissions to 6 (Six) students annually.”

22. **Bangalore University – Recognition of M.D. (Anaes.) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at M. S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore.**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Oct, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at M. S. Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Anaes.) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Anaes.) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at M. S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 4 (four) students annually.”

23. **Bangalore University – recognition of M.D. (Anaes.) in respect of students being trained at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore and also approval of the college for the award of D. A. qualification granted by Bangalore University.**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Oct, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Anaes.) qualification and also approval of the college for the award of D. A. qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Anaes.) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 2 (two) students annually.”

“The Postgraduate Committee further decided to approve St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for the award of D. A. qualification granted by Bangalore University restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students annually.”

24. **Bangalore University – recognition of M.D. (Anaes.) in respect of students being trained at Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore and also approval of the hospital for the award of D. A. qualification granted by Bangalore University.**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Oct, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Anaes.) qualification and also approval of the hospital for the award of D. A. qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Anaes.) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 2 (two) students annually.”

“The Postgraduate Committee further decided to approve Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore for the award of D. A. qualification granted by Bangalore University restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students annually.”

25. **Recognition of Diploma in Radio-Diag. (D. M. R. D.) granted by Devi Ahilya Vishwavidayala (previously known as Indore University, Indore.)**

Read : the letter dt. 8.10.97 from Prof. & Head, Deptt. Of Radio-Diag., MGM Medical College, Indore and letter dt. 18.10.97 from the Registrar, Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore in respect of MGM Medical college, Indore.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee.

“The Postgraduate Committee noted that M. D. (Radio-Diag.) qualification granted by Devi Ahilya Vishwavidayala (previously known as Indore University) in respect of students being trained at Indore Medical College, Indore is recognized by virtue of its inclusion to the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 and further that the

Registrar of the said University has requested the Council to accord recognition to DMRD qualification in respect of the students being trained at Indore Medical College, Indore under the said University from the year 1981 and DMRD course since been discontinued from the year 1992 and as such no examination will be held in the said diploma course.

In view of the above facts, the Committee decided to recommend recognition of DMRD qualification granted by Indore University/Devi Ahilya Vishwavidayala in respect of students being trained at Indore Medical College, Indore from the year 1981 to 1992.”

26. **Berhampur University – recognition of M.D. (Obst. & Gynae.) qualification**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (May, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at MKCG Medical College, Berhampur for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Obst. & Gynae.) qualification granted by Berhampur University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Obst. & Gynae.) qualification granted by Berhampur University in respect of students being trained at MKCG Medical College, Berhampur be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956. The Committee further decided to direct the authorities to admit 6 (six) students annually for the next academic session i.e 1998-99 as there are only 6 (six) recognized PG teachers in the department as seen from the inspection report. The M. S. (Obst. & Gynae.) qualification possessed by the Head of Department has been noted and considered.

27. **Madras University/Tamilnadu Dr. M. G. R. Medical University – recognition of M.D. (Psychiatry) qualification**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (April, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Instt. of Mental Health, Chennai Medical College, Chennai for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Psychiatry) qualification granted by Madras University/Tamilnadu Dr. M.G. R. Medical University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee:-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Psychiatry) qualification granted by Madras University/Tamilnadu Dr. MGR Medical University in respect of students being trained at Instt. of Mental Health, Chennai Medical College, Chennai be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 4(four) students annually.

28. **Bangalore University – recognition of M.D. (Pharmacology) qualification in respect of students being trained at St. John’s Medical College, Bangalore**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Oct., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at St. John’s Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Pharmacology) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Pharmacology) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at St. John’s Medical College, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students annually.”

29. **Bangalore University – recognition of M.D. (P.S.M.) qualification in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Oct., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D. (P.S.M) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (P.S.M.) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students annually.”

The Postgraduate Committee further decided to advise the authorities to rectify the defects and deficiencies pointed out in the inspector's report.

30. **Recognition of M.D. (Pathology) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Oct., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore for purposes of recognition of M.D. (Pathology) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

"The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Pathology) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students annually."

31. **Recognition of M.D. (Forensic Medicine) & D. F. M. qualifications granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Nov., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore for recognition of M.D. (Forensic Medicine) & D. F. M. qualifications granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

"The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Forensic Medicine) & D. F. M. qualifications granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 2(two) for M. D. and 4 (four) for D. F. M. annually."

32. **Recognition of M.D. (Paed.) & D. C. H. qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Oct., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for purposes of recognition of M.D. (Paed.) & D. C.H. qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

"The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Paed.) & D. C. H. qualifications granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 2(two) for M. D. and 4 (four) for D. C. H. annually."

33. **Recognition of M.D. (Biochemistry) qualification granted by Manipur University in respect of students being trained at Regional Instt. of Medical Sciences, Imphal.**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (July, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Regional Instt. of Medical Sciences, Imphal for purposes of recognition of M.D. (Biochemistry) qualifications granted by Manipur University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

"The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Biochemistry) qualification granted by Manipur University in respect of students being trained at Regional Instt. of Medical Sciences, Imphal be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 4 (four) students annually."

34. **Recognition of M.S. (E. N. T.) qualification granted by Manipur University in respect of students being trained at Regional Instt. Of Medical Sciences, Imphal**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (July, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Regional Instt. of

Medical Sciences, Imphal for purposes of recognition of M.S. (E. N. T.) qualifications granted by Manipur University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.S. (E. N. T.) qualification granted by Manipur University in respect of students being trained at Regional Instt. of Medical Sciences, Imphal be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956.

The Instt. authorities be directed to admit only 3(three) students from the next academic session i.e. 1998-99.”

35. **Recognition of M.Ch. (Surgical Oncology) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Kidwai Memorial Instt. Of Oncology, Bangalore.**

Read : the matter with regard to recognition of M. Ch. (Surgical Oncology) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Kidwai Memorial Instt. of Oncology, Bangalore on receipt of the clarification from the Instt. authorities as per decision of the PG Committee.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.Ch. (Surgical Oncology) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Kidwai Memorial Instt. of Oncology, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 2(two) students annually.”

36. **Recognition of M.D. (Dermatology) & D.V.D. qualifications granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore.**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Oct., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Command Hospital for purposes of recognition of M.D. (Dermatology) & D. V. D. qualifications granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Dermatology) & D. V. D. qualifications granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 2(two) for M. D. and 2(two) for D. V. D. annually.

The Committee further decided that the Hospital authorities be advised to make necessary changes in examination system as per MCI norms.”

37. **Recognition of M.D. (Microbiology) & Diploma in Bacteriology qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore.**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Nov., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore for purposes of recognition of M.D. (Microbiology) & Diploma in Bacteriology qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Microbiology) & Diploma in Bacteriology granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 3(three) for M. D. and 6(six) for Diploma annually.

The Committee further decided to advise the authorities to change the nomenclature of Diploma in Bacteriology to Diploma in Microbiology as prescribed by the Council in its Postgraduate Medical Education Regulations.”

38. **Recognition of M.D. (Pathology) & Continuance of recognition of DCP qualifications granted by Madras University/The Tamilnadu Dr. M. G. R. Medical University in respect of students being trained at Chennai Medical College, Chennai.**

Read : the Inspector's report (Oct., 1997) in respect of Chennai Medical College, Chennai for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Pathology) & Continuance of recognition of DCP qualifications granted by Madras University/The Tamilnadu Dr. M. G. R. Medical University, Chennai.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee considered the Inspector's report (Oct., 97) and recommends that M. D. (Pathology) qualification granted by Madras University/The Tamil Nadu Dr. M. G. R. Medical University in respect of students being trained at Chennai Medical College, Chennai be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 4(Four) students annually. The Committee further recommends that recognition of D. C. P. qualification granted by the Madras University/The Tamil Nadu Dr. M. G. R. Medical University in respect of the above college by continued restricting the number of admission to 8 (eight) students annually.”

39. **Recognition of M.D. (Biochemistry) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at M. S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore.**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Nov., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at M. S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Biochemistry) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M. D. (Biochemistry) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at M. S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students annually.

The Committee further decided the authorities to appoint more staff with medical qualifications.”

40. **Bangalore University – recognition of M.D. (Obst. & Gynae.) and D.G.O. qualifications in respect of St. John’s Medical College, Bangalore.**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Oct., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities existing at St. John’s Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Obst. & Gyane) and D. G. O. qualifications granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Obst. & Gyane) and D. G. O. qualifications granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at St. John’s Medical College, Bangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 2(two) for degree and 2(two) for diploma course annually.”

41. **Manipur Academy of Higher Education – recognition of M.D. (Psychiatry) and D.P.M. qualifications granted by MAHE (Deemed University) in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal.**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (March, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available Kasturba Medical College, Manipal for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Psychiatry) and D. P. M. qualifications granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that M.D. (Psychiatry) and D. P. M. qualifications granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal be recognized and included in the First Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 3(three) for M.D. (Psychiatry) and 6(Six) for D. P. M. annually.”

42. **Bangalore University – Approval of St. John’s Medical College, Bangalore for the award of M. D. (Physiology) qualification granted by Bangalore University.**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Oct., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities existing at St. John’s Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M. D. (Physiology) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that St. John’s Medical College, Bangalore be approved for the award of M. D. (Physiology) qualification granted by Bangalore University restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students annually.”

43. **Mysore University – Approval of Govt. Medical College, Mysore for the award of M. S. (Anatomy) qualification.**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Sept., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities existing at Govt. Medical College, Mysore for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M. S. (Anatomy) qualification granted by Mysore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that Govt. Medical College, Mysore be approved for the award of M. S. (Anatomy) qualification granted by Mysore University restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students annually.”

44. **Mysore University – Approval of Govt. Medical College, Mysore for the award of D. A. (Diploma in Anaes.) qualification.**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Sept., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities existing at Govt. Medical College, Mysore for purpose of approval of the college for the award of D. A. qualification granted by Mysore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve Govt. Medical College, Mysore for the award of D. A. qualification granted by Mysore University restricting the number of admission to 10 (ten) students annually.”

45. **Mysore University – Approval of Govt. Medical College, Mysore for the award of M. S. (Ophthalmology) qualification.**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Sept., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Mysore for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M. S. (Ophthalmology) qualification granted by Mysore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve Govt. Medical College, Mysore for the award of M. S. (Ophthalmology) qualification granted by Mysore University restricting the number of admission to 3(three) students annually.”

46. **Mysore University – Approval of J. S. S. Medical College, Mysore for the award of M. D. (Obst. & Gynae) qualification.**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Sept., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at J. S. S. Medical College, Mysore for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M. D. (Obst. & Gynae. qualification granted by Mysore University.

The Council noted the typographical error in the agenda item regarding No. of admissions. The same be read as 4(four) instead of 5(five) as recorded in the agenda item. With above correction, the Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve J.S.S. Medical College, Mysore for the award of M. D. (Obst. & Gynae) qualification granted by Mysore University. The Committee further decided to direct the authorities to admit only 4(four) students from the next academic session (1998-99) taking into consideration the present available staff in the department.”

47. **Approval of Kempegowda Instt. of Medical Sciences, Bangalore for the award of M. D. (General Medicine) qualification granted by Bangalore University and also increase of seats in the said course u/s 10A of the I. M. C. Act, 1956.**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Nov., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kempegowda Medical College, Bangalore for its approval for the award of M. D. (General Medicine) qualification granted by Bangalore University and also increase of seats in the said course u/s 10a of the I. M. C. Act, 1956 from 1 (one) to 5 (five).

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

"The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve Kempagowda Medical College, Bangalore for the award of M. D. (General Medicine) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Committee further decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats from 1(one) to 4(four) on permanent basis u/s 10A of the I. M. C. Act, 1956."

48. **Approval of St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for the award of M.S.(General Surgery) qualification granted by Bangalore University**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Oct., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for approval of the college for the award of M. S. (General Surgery) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for the award of M.S. (General Surgery) qualification granted by Bangalore University restricting the number of admission to 3(three) students annually."

49. **Approval of St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for the award of M.D.(General Medicine) qualification granted by Bangalore University**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Oct., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for approval of the college for the award of M. S. (General Medicine) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

"The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for the award of M.D. (General Medicine) qualifications granted by Bangalore University restricting the number of admission to 3(three) students annually."

50. **Approval of St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for the award of M.S. (Ophthalmology) qualification granted by Bangalore University**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Oct., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for approval of the college for the award of M. S. (Ophthalmology) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

"The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for the award of M.S. (Ophthalmology) qualifications granted by Bangalore University restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students annually."

51. **Approval of University College of Medical Sciences, Delhi & G. T. B. Hospital for the award of M.D. (Radio-Diag.) qualification granted by Delhi University**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (April, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at University College of Medical Sciences, Delhi & G. T. B. Hospital for approval of the college for the award of M. D. (Radio-Diag.) qualification granted by Delhi University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve University College of Medical Sciences, Delhi for the award of M.D.(Radio-Diag.) qualification granted by Delhi University restricting the number of admission to 1(one) student annually.”

52. **Approval of Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore for the award of M.S. (General Surgery) qualification granted by Bangalore University (now affiliated to Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore)**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Oct., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore for the award of M. S. (General Surgery) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore for the award of M.S.(General Surgery) qualification granted by Bangalore University. The authorities be directed to admit only 1(one) student for the next academic session i.e. 1998-99.”

53. **Approval of J. S. S. Medical College, Mysore for the award of M.D. (Paediatrics) qualification granted by Mysore University**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Sept., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at J. S. S. Medical College, Mysore for its approval for the award of M. D. (Paediatrics) qualification granted by Mysore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve J.S. S. Medical College, Mysore for the award of M.D.(Paediatrics) qualification granted by Mysore University restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students annually.”

54. **Approval of J. S. S. Medical College, Mysore for the award of M.D. (Pathology) & recognition of D.C.P. qualification granted by Mysore University as well as increase of seats in degree and diploma course u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Sept., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at J. S. S. Medical College, Mysore for its approval for the award of M. D. (Pathology) and recognition of D.C.P. qualification granted by Mysore University and also increase of seats in degree and diploma course u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

"The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve J.S. S. Medical College, Mysore for the award of M.D.(Pathology) qualification granted by Mysore University and also recommends that D.C.P. qualification granted by the said University in respect of the students bring trained at J.S.S. Medical College, Mysore be recognized and included in the first schedule to the IMC Act 1956.

"The Committee further decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats in M.D.(Pathology) from 3(three) to 5(Five) prospectively on permanent basis. As regards D.C.P. already six seats have been permitted earlier.

55. **Approval of Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore for the award of M.D. (Gen. Medicine) qualification granted by Bangalore University**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Oct., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore for purpose s of its approval for the award of M. D. (Gen. Medicine) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

"The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve Command Hospital, Air Force, Bangalore for the award of M.D.(Gen. Medicine) qualification granted by Bangalore University restricting the number of admission to 3(three) students annually."

56. **Approval of Govt. Medical College, Mysore for the award of M.D. (Physiology) qualification granted by Mysore University**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Sept., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Mysore for the award of M. D. (Physiology) qualification granted by Mysore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

"The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve Govt. Medical College, Mysore for the award of M.D.(Physiology) qualification granted by Mysore University restricting the number of admission to 1(one) student annually."

57. **Approval of Sancheti Instt. for Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation for the award of M.S. (Orthopaedics) qualification granted by Pune University**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Jan., 1998) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Sancheti Instt. for Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation for the award of M.S. (Orthopaedics) qualification granted by Pune University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

"The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve Sancheti Instt. for Orthopaedics and Rehabilitation for the award of M.S. (Orthopaedics) qualification granted by Pune University restricting the number of admission to 3(three) students annually."

58. **Manipur Academy of Higher Education – Continuance of recognition of M.D. (Paed.) & D.C.M. qualifications in respect of Kasturba Medical College, Manipal and Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore.**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (July, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal and Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore for purpose

of continuance of recognition of M.D. (Paed.) & D.C.M. qualifications granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education.

The Council approved the recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee with the modification that the decisions of the Committee in respect of both the Medical colleges may be recorded under the name of each Medical College :-

Kasturba Medical College, Manipal

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.D. (Paed.) & D.C.H. qualifications granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal be continued restricting the number of admission to 7(seven) for degree and 2(two) for diploma course annually.”

Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.D. (Paed.) & D.C.H. qualifications granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore be continued restricting the number of admission to 9(nine) for degree and 12(twelve) for diploma course annually.”

59. **Manipal Academy of Higher Education (M.A.H.E.) – Continuance of recognition of M.S. (General Surgery) qualification granted by MAHE in respect of students being trained at (1) Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore and (2) Kasturba Medical College, Manipal.**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (July, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore and Kasturba Medical College, Manipal for purpose of continuance of recognition of M.S. (General Surgery) qualification granted by MAHE.

The Council approved the recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee with the modification that the decisions of the Committee in respect of both the Medical colleges may be recorded under the name of each Medical College :-

Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.S. (General Surgery) granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore be continued restricting the number of admission to 8(eight) students annually.”

The Committee further decided to advise the authorities to reconstitute the units with 30 beds as per the requirements laid down by the MCI.”

Kasturba Medical College, Manipal

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.S. (General Surgery) granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal be continued restricting the number of admission to 8(eight) students annually.”

The Committee further decided to advise the authorities to reconstitute the units with 30 beds as per the requirements laid down by the MCI.”

60. **Manipal Academy of Higher Education – Continuance of recognition of M.D. (Microbiology) qualification**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (July, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal for purpose of continuance of recognition of M.D. (Microbiology) qualification granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.D. (Microbiology) qualification granted by MAHE in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal be continued restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students annually.”

61. **Continuance of recognition of M.Ch. (Paediatrics Surgery) qualification granted by University of Bombay in respect of students being trained at Grant Medical College, Bombay and approval of L.T.M. Medical College, Bombay for the award of said qualification granted by Bombay University.**

To consider the Council Inspector's Report (April 93) in respect of the above Medical colleges along with the latest information regarding the staff and other details.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee in respect of the following Medical colleges :

Grant Medical College, Bombay

"The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.Ch. (Paed. Surgery) qualification granted by Bombay University in respect of students being trained at Grant Medical College, Bombay be continued. The authorities of the institution be directed to admit only one student from the next session i.e. 1998-99.

L.T.M. Medical College, Bombay

"The Postgraduate Committee decided to approve L.T.M. Medical College, Bombay for the award of M.Ch. (Paed.) Surgery) granted by Bombay University restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students annually."

62. **Tamilnadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University – Continuance of recognition of M.S. (General Surgery) qualification at (i) Madras Medical College, Madras and (ii) Stanley Medical College, Madras.**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Sept., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at (i) Madras Medical College, Madras and (ii) Stanley Medical College, Madras for purpose of continuance of recognition of M.S. (General Surgery) qualification granted by Madras University /Dr. M.G. R. Medical University, Madras.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee in respect of the following medical colleges :-

Madras Medical College, Madras

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.S. (General Surgery) granted by T.N. Dr. M.G.R. Medical University in respect of students being trained at Madras Medical College, Madras be continued restricting the number of admission to 11(eleven) students annually.”

Stanley Medical College, Madras

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.S. (General Surgery) qualification granted by T.N. Dr. M.G.R. Medical University in respect of students being trained at Stanley Medical College, Madras be continued restricting the number of admission to 15(fifteen) students annually.”

63. **Kanpur University – Continuance of recognition of M.D. (Medicine) qualification in respect of students being trained at G.S.V.M. Medical College, Kanpur**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (June., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at G.S.V.M. Medical College, Kanpur for purpose of continuance of recognition of M.D. (Medicine) qualification granted by Kanpur University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.D. (Medicine) qualification granted by Kanpur University in respect of students being trained at G.S.V.M. Medical College, Kanpur be continued restricting the number of admission to 10(ten) students annually from the next session i.e. 1998-99.”

The institution be advised to follow the regulations of the Council regarding the number of students to be examined in a day.”

64. **Manipal Academy of Higher Education – Continuance of recognition of M.D. (Obst. & Gynae.) and D.G. O. qualifications granted by MAHE (Deemed University) in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore and Manipal**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (July, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore and Manipal for purpose of continuance of recognition of M.D. (Obst. & Gynae.) and D. G. O. qualifications granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education.

The Council approved the recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee with the modification that the decisions of the Committee in respect of both the Medical Colleges may be recorded under the name of each Medical College :-

Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore

"The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.D. (Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. qualifications granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore be continued restricting the number of admission to 10(ten) for degree and 12(twelve) for DGO course annually."

Kasturba Medical College, Manipal

"The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.D. (Obst. & Gynae) and DGO qualifications granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal be continued restricting the number of admission to 9(nine) for degree and 12(twelve) for DGO course annually."

65. **Manipal Academy of Higher Education – Continuance of recognition of M.D. (Anaesthesia) and D.A. qualifications granted by MAHE (Deemed University) in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore and Manipal**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Sept., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore and Manipal for purpose of continuance of

recognition of M.D. (Anaesthesia) and D. A. qualifications granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education.

The Council approved the recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee with the modification that the decisions of the Committee in respect of both the Medical Colleges may be recorded under the name of each Medical College :-

Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.D. (Anaes.) & D. A. qualifications granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore be continued restricting the number of admission to 10(ten) for degree and 11(eleven) for diploma course annually.”

Kasturba Medical College, Manipal

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.D. (Anaes.) and DA qualifications granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal be continued restricting the number of admission to 8(eight) for degree and 12(twelve) for diploma course annually.”

66. **Bangalore University – Continuance of recognition of Diploma in Ortho. Qualification in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore**

Read : the Council Inspector’s report (Nov., 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of continuance of recognition of D. Ortho. qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee decided that the recognition of D. Ortho. qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore be continued restricting the number of admission to 4(four) students annually.”

67. **Pune University – Continuance of recognition of DMV(Diploma in Medical Virology) in respect of students being trained at National Instt. of Virology, Pune.**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (Jan., 1998) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at National Instt. of Virology, Pune for continuance of recognition of D. M. V. (Diploma in Medical Virology) qualification granted by Pune University.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of DMV (Diploma in medical virology) qualification granted by Pune University in respect of students being trained at National Instt. of Medical Virology be continued restricting the number of admission to 3(three) students annually.”

68. **Continuance of recognition of MD(Biochemistry) granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE) in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal.**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (July, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal for continuance of recognition of M.D (Biochemistry) qualification granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of MD (Biochemistry) qualification granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal be continued restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students annually.”

The Committee further decided to advise the authorities to appoint more staff possessing medical qualification.”

69. **Manipal Academy of Higher Education – Continuance of recognition of M.D. (Pathology) and DCP qualifications granted by MAHE (Deemed University) in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore and Manipal**

Read : the Council Inspector's report (July, 1997) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore and Manipal for purpose of continuance of recognition of M.D. (Pathology) and recognition of DCP qualifications granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education (Deemed University).

The Council approved the recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee with the modification that the decisions of the Committee in respect of both the Medical Colleges may be recorded under the name of each Medical College :-

Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore

"The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.D. (Pathology) qualification granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore be continued restricting the number of admission to 6(six) students annually."

The committee further recommends that the DCP qualification granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore be recognized and included in the First Schedule of the IMC Act 1956 restricting the number of admission to 12(twelve) students annually."

Kasturba Medical College, Manipal

"The Postgraduate Committee recommends that recognition of M.D. (Pathology) qualification granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal be continued restricting the number of admission to 6(six) students annually."

The committee further recommends that the DCP qualification granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal be recognized and included in the First Schedule of the IMC Act 1956 restricting the number of admission to 12(twelve) students annually."

70. **National Instt. of Mental Health & Neuro Sciences, Bangalore – i) Continuance of recognition of M.D. (Psychiatry) & DPM qualifications and ii) increase of seats in M.D. (Psy.) from 8 to 14 u/s 10A of the IMC Act 1956.**

Read : The Council Inspector's Report (Aug. 1997) with regard to continuance of recognition of M.D. (Psychological Medicine) & DPM Qualifications and recognition of MD (Psychiatry) qualification granted by National Instt. of Mental Health & Neuro Sciences, Bangalore in view of the letter of the Director of the Instt. as forwarded by the Central Govt. for revaluation of the proposal for increase of seats in MD (Psychiatry) course from 8 to 14 and that the nomenclature of MD (Psychological medicine) has been changed to MD (Psychiatry) from Sept. 1994.

“The Council approved the decision of the Postgraduate Committee recommending continuation of recognition of MD (Psychological Medicine) & DPM qualifications (as included in the Schedule to the IMC Act 1956) granted by National Instt. of Mental Health & Neuro Sciences, Bangalore – Deemed University.

The Council further noted that the authorities have changed the nomenclature of MD (Psychological medicine) to MD (Psychiatry) in Sept. 1994 and recommends that the qualification be recognized and included in the schedules to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 restricting the number of students to 14 (fourteen) for MD and 6 (six) for DPM Course annually.”

71. **Modifications of the requirement of qualifications of the staff in the Deptt. Of Nuclear Medicine for the period of 5 years.**

Read : the letter received from President, Society of Nuclear Medicine (India) Mumbai regarding modification of the requirement of qualifications of the staff in the Deptt. Of Nuclear Medicine for the period of 5 years.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :

“The Postgraduate Committee agreed with the proposal of the President Society of Nuclear Medicine (India), Mumbai regarding the requirement of qualification of faculty position in Nuclear Medicine for a period of 5 (five) years; and the requirements including the suggested modifications for the appointment of teachers in the department of Nuclear Medicine should now read as under :-

Professor	MD (Nuclear Medicine)	a) As Reader in Nuclear Medicine for 4 yrs in a Medical college.
	M.D. (Radio-therapy) with 2 yrs. Experience in Nuclear medicine in a recognized center	
	MD (Medicine) with DRM. Or DNM	
	MD (Radio-Diag) with 2 yrs. Experience in Nuclear Medicine In a recognized center.	
	MD (Bio-physics) or its Equivalent qualification in Bio-physics with DRM or DNM.	
	DNB in Nuclear Medicine with 2 yrs. Experience in Nuclear Medicine in a recognized center	
Reader	-do-	b) As Lecturer in Nuclear Med. For 5 yrs. In a Med. College
Lecturer	-do-	c) Requisite recognized Postgraduate qualification in the subject.
Tutor/Registrar/ Resident	MBBS	

72. **Banaras Hindu University – Amandment in the date of recognition of MD (Dermatology Ven. & Leprosy) in the Schedule – Consideration of.**

Read : The Letter of the Registrar, Bangalore Hindu University requesting to make amendment in the date of recognition of MD (Derm. Ven. & Leprosy) qualification granted by Banaras Hindu University in the Schedule to the IMC Act 1956.

The Council approved the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Postgraduate Committee accepted the request of the Registrar, Banaras Hindu University and decided to request the Central Govt. to make the following amendments in the Schedule for the subject :

M.D. (Dermatology, Venerology and Leprosy)

“This qualification shall be recognized medical qualification when granted on and after August 1973.”

However, the Council further decided that the above decision be communicated to the Central Govt. for making necessary correction only after receiving a documentary proof from the University regarding the change in the date of notification.

73. **Postgraduate Medical Education Regulations – 1997 – Recognition of five years course leading to M.Ch. and DM in Superspecialities.**

Read : The letter of Dr. Bhaskar Ray Chaudhary along with other representations received in the matter with regard to recognition of five years course leading M.Ch. and DM in superspecialities as referred by the Postgraduate Committee :-

“The Council deliberated on the letter dt. 24.12.1997 of Prof. B. Ray Chaudhary along with other representations received with regard to inclusion of 5 years course in the regulations of Postgraduate Medical Education leading to M.Ch. and DM Qualifications in Neuro Surgery and Neurology respectively. Taking into consideration, the other courses where M.Ch. and DM qualifications are granted such as Plastic Surgery, Neuro-Surgery, Cardio Vascular Surgery etc., the Council decided to obtain the view points of the Presiden’s of various super specialty organizations in these subjects. The opinion thus received be placed before the Postgraduate Committee for its consideration and the decision arrived at be placed before the Council again.”

74. **Refixing of the seats in MD (Radio-Diag.)/D.M.R.D. Courses granted by Karnataka University in respect of students being trained at J. N Medical College, Belgaum – Representation of the Principal thereof.**

Read : The representation of the Principal, J. N. Medical College, Belgaum for refixing the number of seats in M.D. (Radio-Diag) and D. M. R. D. qualifications along with the recommendations of the Teachers' Eligibility Qualifications Sub-Committee.

The Council considered the above matter as referred by the Postgraduate Committee for taking a favourable consideration regarding counting long experience possessed by certain teachers having postgraduate degree/diploma to form a Sub-Committee consisting of the following members to deliberate in the matter taking various rules and regulations prescribed by the Council regarding the appointment of teachers in the medical colleges :-

1. Dr. B. C. Chhapparwal, Vice President
2. Dr. J. Rajappa, Chairman, P. G. Committee
3. Dr. B. Ray Choudhuri
4. Dr. D. K. Sharma
5. Dr. C. M. Jayakeerthy
6. Dr. V. B. Dodiya, Chairman, T.E.Q. Committee

The Sub-Committee should submit its report by end of May 1998.

75. **Re-Fixation of the seats in M.S. (Ortho.) and D. Ortho. Courses in J. S. S. Medical College, Mysore from the academic year 1993-1994.**

To consider the matter with regard to re-fixation of number of admissions in M. S. (Ortho.) and D. Ortho. Courses granted by Mysore University in respect of J. S. S. Medical College, Mysore from the academic year 1993-94 with 2 & 4 students per year respectively as referred by the Postgraduate Committee :-

Decision may be read as recorded under Item No. 74.

76. **To consider the matter as to whether long experience possessed by the teachers in the subjects/specialties which are not recognized by the Council can be taken into account for considering them as recognized P.G. Teachers.**

Decision may be read as recorded under Item No. 74

77. **To note the change of name of the University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada as NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada.**

The Council noted the change of name of the University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada as NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada.

78. **Variation in nomenclature of the Postgraduate qualifications awarded by certain Universities which are not in conformity with PG regulations.**

Read : The matter with regard to variation in nomenclature of the Postgraduate qualifications awarded by certain Universities which are not in conformity with PG regulations.

The Council deliberated on the following recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee and approved the same :-

“All the concerned universities be requested to change :-

- a. (i) The nomenclature of such qualifications in accordance with the Council regulations on Postgraduate Medical Education and confirmation of such changes made be sent to the Council.
- (ii) The University authorities be further requested to confirm whether the course contents of the qualifications at variance from one included in the Council regulations on Postgraduate Medical Education/Schedule to the IMC Act, 1956 are same.
- b. P.G. qualifications granted by various universities which are at variance with the nomenclature as prescribed in the Council regulations on Postgraduate Medical Education which are included in the Schedules to the IMC Act, 1956 may be considered at par for all purposes provided the university confirms that the course contents of the qualifications which are at variance are the same.

79. **Enhancement of consolidated salary of Zonal Inspector of Council and Consultant & Co-ordinator of Medical Education Unit of the Council**

Read : The matter with regard to enhancement of consolidated salary of Zonal Inspector of Council and Consultant & Co-ordinator of Medical Education unit of the Council as under w.e.f. 1st February 1998.

The Council accepted and approved the recommendations of the Executive Committee regarding enhancement of consolidated salary of Zonal Inspector of Council and Consultant 7 Co-ordinator as under :-

Zonal Inspector	Rs. 7000/- pm. To 10,000/- pm
Consultant/ Co-ordinator	Rs. 7000/- pm to 8000/- pm

80. **Mumbai University – Approval of L. T. M. Medical College, Mumbai for the award of M.S. (Ophthalmology) qualification.**

Read : the Council Inspectors report (Feb. 19930 on the standard of examination and facilities for teaching existing at L.T.M. Medical College, Mumbai alongwith further information received from the college authorities for approval of the college for the award of MD (Ophthalmology) qualification granted by Mumbai University.

“The Council approved the recommendations of the Chairman as authorized by the Postgraduate Committee that LTM Medical College, Mumbai be approved for the award of M.S. (Ophthalmology) degree course granted by Mumbai University restricting the number of admission to 4 (four) students annually.”

81. **Grant of registration u/s 13(3) of the IMC Act, 1956 to the holders of qualifications recognized u/s 13(4) of the Act : regarding eligibility criteria.**

Read : The matter with regard to grant of registration u/s 13(3) of the IMC Act, 1956 to the holders of qualifications recognized u/s 13(4) of the Act : regarding eligibility criteria.

“The Council did not agree to relax the eligibility criteria of 50% marks at 10+2 level for granting registration to Dr. Prashant P. Ameen and Dr. Arun Kumar and others belonging to reserved category in view of its earlier decision taken at its meeting held on 23.10.1997.

82. **Grant of Extension in service to Dr. R. D. Bansal, Whole Time Inspector of the Council.**

The Council accepted & approved the recommendation of the Executive Committee granting extension of service to Dr. R. D. Bansal, Whole Time

Inspector of the Council for a period of another one year w.e.f. 22.3.1998 in the Council Office.

83. **Continuance of recognition of MBBS degree awarded earlier by Gauhati University and presently by Assam University in respect of students being trained at Silchar Medical College, Silchar.**

Read : The matter with regard to continuance of recognition of MBBS degree awarded earlier by Gauhati University and presently by Assam University in respect of students being trained at Silchar Medical College, Silchar.

The Council approved the following recommendation of the Executive Committee :-

“The Executive Committee after consideration of the inspection report (April 1997) together with the compliance report submitted by the authorities decided to recommend that recognition of MBBS degree granted earlier by Gauhati University and presently by Assam university in respect of students being trained at Silchar Medical College, Silchar be continued restricting the number of admission to 65 students per year.

However, the attention of the authorities concerned be drawn towards rectification of the defects and deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report.”

84. **MBBS (Nagpur University) - Continuance of recognition in respect of students being trained at Mahatama Gandhi Instt. of Medical Sciences, Sewagram, Wardha.**

Read : The matter with regard to continuance of recognition of MBBS degree awarded earlier by Nagpur University in respect of students being trained at Mahatama Gandhi Instt. of Medical Sciences, Sewagram, Wardha.

The Council approved the following recommendation of the Executive Committee :-

“The Executive Committee after consideration of the inspection report (April 1997) together with the compliance report submitted by the authorities decided to recommend that recognition of MBBS

degree granted earlier by Nagpur University, Nagpur in respect of students being trained at Mahatama Gandhi Instt. of Medical Sciences, Sewagram, Wardha be continued restricting the number of admission to 65 students per year.

However, the attention of the authorities concerned be drawn towards rectification of the defects and deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report.”

85. **MBBS (Calicut University) - Continuance of recognition in respect of students being trained at Medical College, Thrissur**

Read : The matter with regard to continuance of recognition of MBBS degree granted by Calicut University in respect of students being trained at Medical College, Thrissur.

The Council approved the following recommendation of the Executive Committee :-

“The Executive Committee after consideration of the inspection report (Jan.1997) together with the compliance report submitted by the authorities decided to recommend that recognition of MBBS degree granted earlier by Calicut University in respect of students being trained at Medical College, Thrissur be continued restricting the number of admission to 100 students per year.

However, the attention of the authorities concerned be drawn towards rectification of the defects and deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report.”

86. **MBBS (A. P. University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada) - Continuance of recognition in respect of students being trained at S. V. Medical College, Tirupathi.**

Read : The matter with regard to continuance of recognition of MBBS degree granted by A. P. University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada in respect of students being trained at S. V. Medical College, Tirupathi.

The Council approved the following recommendation of the Executive Committee :-

“The Executive Committee after consideration of the inspection report (Dec.1997) carried out for increase of seats from 100 to 150

u/s 10a of the IMC Act, 1956 in respect of S. V. Medical College, Tirupathi wherein the Executive Committee at its meeting held on 6.1.1998 recommended to the Central Govt. for issue of Letter of Permission for the said increase of seats, decided to recommend the recognition of MBBS degree granted by A. P. University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada be continued restricting the number of admission to 100 students per year.”

87. **MBBS (Gorakhpur University) – Continuance of recognition in respect of students being trained at BRD Medical College, Gorakhpur.**

Read : The matter with regard to continuance of recognition of MBBS degree by Gorakhpur University in respect of students being trained at B.R.D. Medical college, Gorakhpur.

The Council deliberated on the decision of the Executive Committee and noted that the inspection report of B.R.D. Medical College, Gorakhpur on the facilities available for continuance of recognition of MBBS degree granted by Gorakhpur university was carried out in October 1995 and the report was sent to the concerned university for obtaining its observations. As the university did not respond to this report, the matter was placed before the Executive Committee at its meeting held on 14.12.1996 for its consideration wherein the Executive Committee decided to give six months time to the concerned authorities to rectify the deficiencies and send a compliance report. The Council further noted that the Executive Committee decided to convey to the authorities that in case the satisfactory compliance is not received within the specified period the Committee will be forced to reduce the number of seats in consonance with the existing facilities available. The authorities did not even respond to the decision thus conveyed, hence the final reminder was sent on 11.2.1998 which also stands unreplied.

In view of the above facts and noting the gross deficiencies in the overall infrastructure facilities available as reported in the inspection report, the Council decided to represent to Central Govt., Ministry of Health & F. W. to withdraw the recognition of MBBS degree granted by Gorakhpur University in respect of students being trained at BRD Medical College, Gorakhpur u/s 19 of the IMC Act, 1956.”

88. **Writ Petition No. 16747/97 between Perundurai Medical College Vs. Medical Council of India before the Hon'ble High Court of Madras.**

Read : The inspection report (Dec., 96) and compliance verification in the light of the Court Order in Writ Petition No. 16747/97 between Perundurai Medical College Vs. Medical Council of India before the Hon'ble High Court of Madras.

The Council deliberated in the matter and approved the following recommendations of the Executive Committee :-

“The Executive Committee considered the inspection report and compliance verification in the light of the Court order in writ petition No. 16747/97 and noted that Perundurai Medical College and Hospital, Periyar, Chennai had applied to the Council for grant of recognition of the college for the award of MBBS degree granted by the Tamilnadu Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai. The case of this college was considered by the Executive Committee at its meeting held on 17th Sept. 1997. During the consideration, the Executive Committee found that this college is not adhering to the regulations on the admission policy inasmuch as it was granting admission to the wards of the employees of Road Transport Corporation. Accordingly, the Executive Committee in its meeting held on 17th September 1997 made the following recommendations :-

The Executive Committee taking into consideration the compliance verification report (Aug. 1997) for purposes of the recognition of the college for the award of MBBS degree granted by the Tamilnadu Dr. MGR University, Chennai did not agree for recognition of the college as the institution authorities are not following the regulations on the admission policy.

This decision became the subject matter of challenge before the Learned Single Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Madras. By a detailed judgement dated 29.12.1997 the Learned Single Judge while making certain observations against the Council, interalia, observed as under :-

Therefore, I am of the view that the students already admitted must be allowed to undergo their course in the very same college, and they must be permitted to appear for the Examinations and obtain results thereof. The Medical Council of India is bound to recognize their degrees once they come out of the college successfully. If that is not possible, or if the Medical Council of India refuses to change its stand, it must see that not only all the petitioners/candidates but also all the students of the Perundurai College, are provided seats in other recognized colleges in Tamil Nadu. They must be permitted to continue their course from the

stage at which they are transferred, without payment of fees once again. These Authorities are also bound to provide additional seats for all these students without fail. A decision in this connection will be taken by the Medical Council of India within two years from today, and the decision arrived by it will be communicated to the authorities and also to this court on or before 21.01.1998. Further action, if any, will depend upon the decision taken by the Medical Council of India on this point. This direction applies to all the students who were admitted so far in Perundurai College. The Order of the Medical Council of India (first respondent in W.P. 16747 of 1997) is valid and the refusal to recognize the college is correct, except to the concession to the students so far admitted which I have held is due to the inaction on the part of the MCI. The Perundurai College is barred from admitting students hereafter on the basis of the present admission policy, which I have held as valid.

In the result, W.P. 16747 of 1997 is dismissed, subject to the direction that the students so far admitted must be given the benefit as stated in the previous paragraph. W.P. No. 22058 of 1993 is allowed, and I hold that the decision in Unnikrishnan's case and the subsequent decision in Thapar Instt. Of Engineering & Technology's case (both referred to Supra) covers the Perundurai College also, and therefore, regarding admission, they cannot reserve any seat for the Wards of the Employees of the various Transport Corporation. The entire admission must be only on the basis of a common merit list, and that too on the basis of merit only. Regarding the writ petitions seeking transfer, the MCI is directed to take a decision about the feasibility of recognizing the course already undergone by the students in the Perundurai College and permit them to take a degree on successful completion of their course, within a period of two weeks from today and report to this court on 21.1.1998. In case the MCI feels that it is not feasible, the State Govt., University and the MCI are bound to provide additional seats or provide accommodation for all the students of Perundurai College who have been admitted till date, in various Govt. Colleges in the State of Tamil Nadu, if necessary, by creating additional seats. The Students must be permitted to continue their course from the stage at which they are transferred, without any additional burden on them. Perundurai College is prohibited from admitting any policy. It is debarred from continuing the reservation policy, for the wards of employees of various Transport Corporation, hereafter. The writ petitions are ordered as above. No costs. The pending W.M. Ps that are connected with the main writ petitions are closed.

Since, the time granted by the Hon'ble Court for consideration of the case of this college of recognition was too short, the Council was advised to seek extension of time from the Learned Single Judge without prejudice to the contentions and rights of the Council to challenge the correctness, legality and validity of certain observations/directions issued by the Learned Single Judge. Though the Council had to face a lot of difficulty in getting the application filed for grant of extension of time before the Learned Single Judge, the application was ultimately filed and the Council has been informed through telegram that the time has been extended upto 30th March 1998.

The Executive Committee further noted that since this college was not adhering to the admission policy it was recommended that the recognition be not granted to this college. By the judgement dated 29.12.1997 the Hon'ble High Court has held that the admission policy of the college to be invalid and has barred the college from admitting the college hereafter on the basis of the present admission policy which was being followed by the Council. The Hon'ble High Court has specifically directed that the college is prohibited from admitting any student hereafter on the basis of the present admission policy and is further debarred from continuing the reservation policy for the wards of employees of various Transport Corporation.

The Executive Committee was further informed that this college had filed an appeal before the Learned Division Bench of the High Court of Judicature at Madras challenging the judgement dated 29.12.1997 passed by the Learned Single Judge. By its judgement and order dt. 11.2.1998 the Learned Division Bench of the High Court, while applying the judgement of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of Thapar Instt. Of Engineering & Technology's vs. State of Punjab – (1997 2 SCC 65) has been pleased to dismiss the appeal filed by the college.

Under these circumstances, the Executive Committee of the Council without prejudice to its rights and contentions to challenge the validity and legality of certain observations made by Learned Single Judge of the High Court recommends to the Council that this college be recognized for the award of MBBS degree granted by the Tamil nadu Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai with the clear stipulation that grant of continuance of this recognition shall be completely dependent upon the college continuing to obey and follow the direction of the Learned Single Judge and the admission policy laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Unnikrishnan's case and shall not make any reservations and/or admit any ward of employee of various Transport Corporation.

89 **Change of nomenclature from M.D. (TB) to M.D. (Tuberculosis & Chest Diseases) – Consideration of the letter of Director, Postgraduate Studies and Research, BJ Medical College, Ahmedabad.**

The Council noted the letter of Director, Postgraduate Studies & Research, BJ Medical College, Ahmedabad conveying the change of nomenclature of M.D. (Tuberculosis & Chest Diseases) in consonance with the Council's regulations on Postgraduate Medical Education.

90. Resolution of the Council authorizing the President, Executive Committee and Postgraduate Committee to deal with the applications received under section 10A for securing new medical colleges/new P.G. Courses/increase of seats at undergraduate and postgraduate level and to take appropriate necessary action by the President or the concerned committees in the court matters.

“The Council resolved to authorize the President, the Executive Committee and the Postgraduate Committee as the case may be to deal with the applications received under section 10A for starting new medical colleges /new P.G. courses/ increase of seats at undergraduate and postgraduate level and to take appropriate action by the President or the concerned committees to comply with the orders passed by the Hon'ble courts of the country or any other matter requiring time bound action/compliance.”

New Delhi dated the
March 17 1998

(Dr. (Mrs.) M. Sachdeva
Secretary

A P P R O V E D

(DR. KETAN DESAI)
PRESIDENT