

MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA

POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Minutes of the meeting of the Postgraduate Committee held on Thursday, the 28th May, 98 at 11.00 am in the Council Office, Awan-E-Galib Marg, Kotla Road, New Delhi-2.

Present:

Dr. J.Rajappa - Chairman
Dr. Ketan Desai
Dr. V.P.Mishra
Dr. K.R.Shetty
Dr. U.S.Sinha
Dr. S.R.Maralihalli

Dr.(Mrs.) M.Sachdeva - Secretary.

Apology for absence was received from Dr. W.K.Belokar.

1. **Minutes of the last meeting of the Postgraduate Committee - Confirmation of.**

Minutes of the last meeting of the Postgraduate Committee held on 18th & 19th Feb., 98 were confirmed.

2. **Minutes of the last meeting of the Postgraduate Committee - Action taken thereon.**

The Postgraduate Committee noted the action taken on the Minutes of the last meeting held on 18th & 19th Feb., 98 with the following corrections:-

Deferred item No.13.

Manipal Academy of Higher Education - Continuance of recognition of M.D.(Paed.) and D.C.H. qualifications in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal and Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore.

Action taken in the matter may be read corrected as under:-

Approved by the Council at its meeting held on 17/3/98 the decision has been communicated to the authorities concerned vide Council letter dated 1/5/98.

Deferred item No.16.

Bangalore University - Approval of St. John's Medical College, Bangalore for the award of M.D.(Physiology) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

Action taken in the matter may be read corrected as under :-

Approved by the Council at its meeting held on 17/3/98 the decision has been communicated to the authorities concerned vide Council letter dated 1/5/98.

Deferred Item No. 19

Delhi University - Approval of University College of Medical Sciences, Delhi for the award of M.D.(Paediatric) qualification.

Action taken in the matter may be read corrected as under:-

As per the Postgraduate Committee decision dated Feb., 98, the inspection has been carried out. The authorities have sent compliance report which has been verified and the item is included as an agenda item.

Deferred item No.20.

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

Action taken in the matter may be read corrected as under :-

Approved by the Council at its meeting held on 17/3/98 the decision has been communicated to the authorities concerned vide Council letter dt.31/3/98.

3. Starting of M.D.(Pathology) course at Govt. Medical College, Nanded under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10 A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Feb.,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Nanded for purpose of starting of M.D.(Pathology) course under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Feb.,98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt.to issue Letter of Intent for starting M.D.(Pathology) course at Govt. Medical College, Nanded under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,56 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 3(three) students per year.

The Committee further decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to advise the institution to comply with the deficiencies in terms of space and equipments as also other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report before issuance of Letter of Permission.

4. Starting of M.D.(PSM) course at Govt. Medical College, Nanded under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Feb.,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Nanded for purpose of starting of M.D.(PSM) course under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered Council Inspector's report(Feb.,98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting M.D.(PSM) course at Govt. Medical College, Nanded under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

5. Starting of M.S.(Orthopaedics) course at Govt. Medical College, Nanded under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read: Council Inspector's report (Feb.,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Nanded for purpose of starting of M.S.(Orthopaedics) course under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered Council Inspector's report (Feb.,98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt.not to issue Letter of Intent for starting M.S.(Orthopaedics) course at Govt. Medical College, Nanded under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 since the teaching complement of a Unit i.e.Professor, Associate Professor/Reader and Assistant Professor/Lecturer in the department is not as per MCI norms and also there are other

deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

6. Starting of M.D. (Forensic Medicine) course at Govt. Medical College, Nanded under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Feb.,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Nanded for purpose of starting of M.D.(Forensic Medicine) course under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered Council Inspector's report (Feb.,98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting M.D.(Forensic Medicine) course at Govt. Medical College, Nanded under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 as none of the teaching faculty possesses recognised postgraduate medical qualification in the subject.

7. Starting of M.D. (Tuberculosis & Respiratory Diseases) course at Govt. Medical College, Nanded under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Feb.,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Nanded for purpose of starting of M.D.(Tuberculosis & Respiratory Diseases) course under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered Council Inspector's report (Feb.,98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting M.D.(Tuberculosis & Respiratory Diseases) course at Govt. Medical College, Nanded under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 because of deficient equipments and the insufficient clinical material in the department.

Office Note: (i) Remarks made by the Council Inspector under the heading 'conclusion' in the inspection report be deleted.

(ii) In general it was decided that in future office should give direction to the Council Inspector not to give their recommendations with regard to number of seats and the final remarks and observations should be sent confidentially in a separate sheet of paper to MCI.

8. Starting of D.C.H. course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Item may be read as corrected below :

Starting of D.C.H. course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore u/s 10 A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

Read : Council Inspector report (March,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at M.S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of starting of D.C.H. course u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered Council Inspector's report (March,98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting D.C.H. course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act,1956 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The question of affiliation by the University concerned may be decided in the light of the judgement and order dated 11-12-97 in writ petition No.32606 passed by the Hon'ble Karnataka High Court at Bangalore.

9. **Starting of D.O. course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act,1956.**

Item may be read as corrected below :

Starting of D.O. course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore u/s 10 A if tge I.M.C.Act 1956.

Read : Council Inspector report (March,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of starting of D.O. course u/s 10A of the IMC Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (March,98)and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting D.O. course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 1(one) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The question of affiliation by the university concerned may be decided in the light of the judgement and order dated 11-12-97 in writ petition No.32606 passed by the Hon'ble Karnataka High Court at Bangalore.

10. **Starting of M.S.(Orthopaedics) & D.Ortho. courses at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act,1956.**

Item may be read as corrected below :

Starting of M.S.(Orthopaedics) & D.Ortho. courses at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore u/s 10 A of the I.M.C.Act 1956

Read : Council Inspector report (April,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of starting of M.S.(Orthopaedics) & D.Ortho. courses u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April,98)and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting M.S.(Ortho.) & D.Ortho. courses at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 1(One) student for each course per year till the first batch admitted in each course appear in the final examination of the said courses. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualifications at the time of first available examination of the said courses as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The question of affiliation by the university concerned may be decided in the light of the judgement and order dated 11-12-97 in writ petition No.32606 passed by the Hon'ble Karnataka High Court at Bangalore.

11. **Starting of M.D. (Pharmacology) course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.**

Item may be read as corrected below :

Starting of M.D. Pharmacology course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore u/s 10 A of the I.M.C. Act 1956.

Read : Council Inspector report (March, 98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of starting of M.D. (Pharmacology) u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (March, 98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting M.D. (Pharmacology) course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 1(one) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

The question of affiliation by the university concerned may be decided in the light of the judgement and order dated 11-12-97 in writ petition No.32606 passed by the Hon'ble Karnataka High Court at Bangalore.

12. **Starting of D.G.O. course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.**

Item may be read as corrected below :

Starting of D.G.O. course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore u/s 10 A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

Read : Council Inspector report (March, 98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of starting of D.G.O. course u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (March, 98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting D.G.O. course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

The question of affiliation by the University concerned may be decided in the light of the judgement and order dated 11-12-97 in writ petition No.32606 passed by the Hon'ble Karnataka High Court at Bangalore.

13. **Starting of M.D. (Physiology) course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.**

Item may be read as corrected below:

Starting of M.D. (Physiology) course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore u/s 10 A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

Read : Council Inspector report (March, 98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of starting of M.D. (Physiology) u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (March, 98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting

M.D. (Physiology) course at M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 1 (One) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

The question of affiliation by the university concerned may be decided in the light of the judgement and order dated 11-12-97 in writ petition No.32606 passed by the Hon'ble Karnataka High Court at Bangalore.

14. Starting of D.O. course at Al-Ameen Medical College, Bijapur under Karnatak University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

Read : Council Inspector report (July, 96) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Al-Ameen Medical College, Bijapur together with the compliance received through the Central Govt. for purposes of starting of D.O. course under Karnatak University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (July, 96) together with the compliance received through the Central Govt. and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting D.O. course at Al-Ameen Medical College, Bijapur under Karnatak University 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 1 (One) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

15. Starting of M.D. (Psychiatry) course at Kempegowda Instt. of Medical Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 - Issuance of Letter of Permission.

Read : Council Inspector report (Jan., 97) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Kempegowda Instt. of Medical Sciences, Bangalore together with the compliance and other relevant information received through the Central Govt. and as considered by the Chairman, PG Committee for purpose of issuance of letter of permission for starting of M.D. (Psychiatry) course under Bangalore University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Jan., 97) together with the compliance and other relevant information received through the Central Govt. and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting M.D. (Psychiatry) course at Kempegowda Instt. of Medical Sciences, Bangalore under Bangalore University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 1 (One) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

16. Starting of M.D. (Geriatrics) course at Chennai Medical College, Chennai under the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University, Chennai u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read : Council Inspector report (Feb., 98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Chennai Medical College, Chennai for purpose of starting of M.D. (Geriatrics) course under the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Feb. 98) and noted that the institution has already started the course without the prior permission of the Central Govt./Medical Council of India as observed from the standard inspection forms and that the examination of the same is

due in March, 1999. The Committee decided that institution be directed to stop admission with immediate effect till such time the permission for starting the course is granted by the Central Govt. and further decided to initiate action u/s 10 B of the I.M.C. Act 1956 by obtaining list of the students admitted in the said course.

The Postgraduate Committee decided to defer the consideration of the matter for starting of M.D.(Geriatrics) course at Chennai Medical College, Chennai under the Tamil Nadu Dr.M.G.R.Medical University for want of details of the teaching faculty. The Chairman is authorised to decide in the matter on receipt of the desired information.

17. Starting of D.M.R.D. course at Tirunelveli Medical College, Tirunelveli under the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R.Medical University u/s 10A of the IMC Act,1956.

Read : Council Inspector report (March,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Tirunelveli Medical College, Tirunelveli for purpose of starting of D.M.R.D. course under the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (March, 98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt.not to issue letter of intent for starting D.M.R.D. course at Tirunelveli Medical College, Tirunelveli under the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 as - (i) the department of Radiology has not been bifurcated into two separate independent departments of Radio-Diagnosis and Radio-therapy, (ii) the institution has not furnished the details of the teaching faculty inspite of repeated reminders from the Council office and (iii) the institution has already started the course in April,97 without prior permission of the Central Govt./Medical Council of India as observed from the standard inspection forms and the Principal's letter to the Council.

Office Note: The Postgraduate Committee advised the office to (i) write to the Chief Secretary of the State requesting him to advise the concerned authorities not to start postgraduate courses at any of the institutions in the State including Tirunelveli Medical College, Tirunelveli without obtaining the prior permission of the Central Govt./MCI - an essential requirement of the section 10 A of the I.M.C. Act 1956 and also the attention of the Chief Secretary may be invited to the fact that the courses thus started beside affecting the students adversely also attract attention of the section 10 B of the said Act. The copies of the letter may be endorsed to the Secretary, Health & Medical Education, Tamil Nadu, Director of Medical Education, Tamil Nadu and the Vice-Chancellor/Registrar of the University and (ii) a list of the students admitted in the academic session 1997-98 be obtained from the Dean, Tirunelveli Medical College, Tirunelveli and action u/s 10B be initiated.

18. Starting of M.Ch. (Genito-Urinary Surgery) course at Nizam's Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad - Deemed University - u/s 10A of the IMC Act,1956.

Read : Council Inspector report (Sept.,95) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Nizam's Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad- Deemed University together with the compliance and details of the faculty members forwarded by the Central Govt.for purpose of starting of M.Ch.(Genito-Urinary Surgery) course u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Sept.,95)together with the compliance and subsequently the faculty details forwarded by the Central Govt.and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting M.Ch.(Genito-Urinary Surgery) course at Nizam's Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad -Deemed University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 1(One) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of

the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

19. Starting of M.D.(Radio-Diagnosis) course at Govt. Medical College, Thrissur,Kerala under Calicut University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read : Council Inspector report (April,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Thrissur, Kerala for purpose of starting M.D.(Radio-Diagnosis) course under Calicut University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April,98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting M.D.(Radio-Diagnosis) course at Govt. Medical College, Thrissur, Kerala under Calicut University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

20. Increase of seats in M.Ch.(Neuro-Surgery) course at Instt. of Postgraduate Medical Education & Research (IPGMER), Calcutta.

Read : Council Inspector report (Feb.,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Instt. of Postgraduate Medical Education & Research, Calcutta for purpose of increase of seats in M.Ch.(Neuro-Surgery) course under Calcutta University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Feb.,98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats from 2(two)to 4(four)in M.Ch.(Neuro-Surgery) course at Instt.of Postgraduate Medical Education & Research, Calcutta under Calcutta University on permanent basis u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956

Office Note:Remarks of the Council Inspector under the heading 'coming future and recommendations' be deleted.

21. Increase of seats in M.S.(Ophthalmology) course at Regional Instt.of Ophthalmology, Chennai Medical College, Chennai under the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read : Council Inspector report (March,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Regional Instt. of Ophthalmology, Chennai Medical College, Chennai for purpose of increase of seats in M.S.(Ophthalmology) course under the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University, Chennai u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (March,98) and decided to obtain from the college authorities (i) the number of admissions made year-wise from 1993 onwards in M.S.(Ophth.) and (ii) the details of the teaching faculty of the department. The Chairman, PG Committee is authorised to decide in the matter on receipt of the desired information.

Office Note: The Committee directed the office to write to (i) the college authorities to reduce the number of seats in diploma course to the maximal permissible limit of 12(twelve) per year failing which the Council will be constrained to initiate action u/s 10B and 19A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 and (ii) the Chief Secretary of the State inviting his attention to the start of courses and excess admissions being made by the college without prior approval from the Central Govt./MCI and to request him to ensure that such mistakes may not be repeated in future in the

larger interest of students and also to convey to him the decision of the Council to withdraw the recognition of various courses in case the college fails to comply with the directive of the Council.

22. Sanjay Gandhi Instt. of Medical Sciences, Lucknow - Deemed University - Recognition of M.Ch. (Surgical Gastroenterology) and also increase of seats u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

Read : Council Inspector report (June, 1996) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Sanjay Gandhi Instt. of Medical Sciences, Lucknow for purpose of recognition of M.Ch. (Surgical Gastroenterology) and also increase of seats u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June, 96) along with the latest faculty details and decided not to recommend recognition of M.Ch. (Surgical Gastroenterology) qualification granted by S.G.I.M.S., Lucknow - Deemed University in respect of students being trained at the institute as the department is not headed by a regular Professor.

The Postgraduate Committee further decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for increase of the seats in M.Ch. (Surgical Gastroenterology) course at Sanjay Gandhi Instt. of Medical Sciences, Lucknow - Deemed University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 as the department is not headed by a regular Professor.

Office Note:- The department is to be reinspected after receipt of the required information.

23. Bangalore University - Recognition of M.D. (Paediatrics) qualification in respect of students being trained at Kempegowda Instt. of Medical Sciences, Bangalore and also Increase of seats u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

Read : Council Inspector's report (April, 98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kempegowda Instt. of Medical Sciences, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Paed.) qualification under Bangalore University and also increase of seats u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April, 98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. that M.D. (Paed.) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Kempegowda Instt. of Medical Sciences, Bangalore be recognised and included in the first Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students per year.

The Postgraduate Committee further decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for increase of seats in M.D. (Paed.) course at Kempegowda Instt. of Medical Sciences, Bangalore since the infrastructural facilities and clinical material are not sufficient enough to permit the increase for the desired intake capacity in M.D. (Paed.) course.

24. National Instt. of Mental Health & Neuro Sciences (NIMHANS), Bangalore - Deemed University - Continuance of recognition of M.Ch. (Neuro-Surgery) qualification and also increase of seats in M.Ch. (Neuro-Surgery) u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

Read : Council Inspector report (August, 97) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at National Instt. of Mental Health & Neuro Sciences, Bangalore together with letters dated 4th & 6th May, 98 from the Director/Vice-Chancellor of the Instt. for purpose of continuance of recognition of M.Ch. (Neuro-Surgery) qualification and also

increase of seats u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Aug.,97) together with the other relevant informations provided by the institute authorities and decided to recommend that recognition of M.Ch.(Neuro-Surgery) qualification granted by National Instt. of Mental Health & Neuro Sciences, Bangalore (Deemed University) in respect of the students being trained at the institute be continued restricting the number of admission to 4(four) per year.

The Postgraduate Committee further decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats in M.Ch.(Neuro-Surgery) course at National Instt. of Mental Health & Neuro Sciences, Bangalore - Deemed University from 4(four) to 6(six) on permanent basis u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

25. Letters of Intent/Permission/disapproval of Scheme issued by the Central Govt., Ministry of Health & F.W. for starting of courses/increase of seats in postgraduate courses in various medical colleges u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee noted the following letters of Intent/permission/disapproval of scheme issued by the Central Govt. as regards starting of courses/increase of seats in the postgraduate courses in various medical colleges u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 as mentioned against each:-

Univ./Instt.	Courses with number of seats		Date of letter of Intent/Permission/disapproval of Scheme issued by the Central Govt.
1. Fr.Muller's Instt.of Medical Education and Research, Mangalore.	1. MD(OBG)	- 1	15/4/98
	2. MS(Gen. Surg.)	- 1	Letter of Permission for starting the courses 5.5.98. Permission is initially for one year.
	3. MS(Ortho.)	- 1	
	4. MD(Psy.)	- 1	
	5. MD(Anaes.)	- 1	
	6. MD(Gen. Med.)	- 1	
	7. MD(Paed.)	- 1	
	8. D.G.O.	- 2	
	9. D.Ortho.	- 2	
	10. D.P.M.	- 2	
	11. D.A.	- 2	
	12. D.C.H.	- 2	
2. JJM Medical College, Davangere.	1. MD(Forensic Med.)	- 1	
	2. MD(Psy.)	- 1	Letter of Intent for starting of courses.
3. St.John's Med. College, Bangalore.	1. MD(Micro.)	- 2	4/5/98 Letter of Intent for starting of course.
4. Al-Ameen Med. College, Bijapur.	1. MD(Physiology)	- 1	4/5/98 Letter of Intent for starting of course.
5. Kempegowda Instt. of Med. Sciences, Bangalore.	1. MS(ENT)	- 1	5/5/98
	2. DLO	- 2	Letter of Intent for starting of courses.
	3. MD(Biochem.)	- 2	
6. Kempegowda Instt. of Med. Sciences, Bangalore.	1. MD(Micro.)		

7. Al-Ameen Med. College, Bijapur.	1. DA		5/5/98 Letter of disapproval of scheme.
8. Nizam's Instt. of Med. Sciences, Hyderabad.	1. DM(Nephrology)		6/5/98 Letter of disapproval of scheme.
9. Stanley Med. College, Chennai.	1. MD(Anaes.)	- 2	16/4/98 Letter of Intent for starting of course.
10. Kempegowda Instt. of Med. Sciences, Bangalore.	1. D.Ortho.	- 2	16/4/98 Letter of Intent for starting of the course.
11. SMS Med. College, Jaipur.	1. DM(Cardiology) 2. DM(Nephrology) 3. DM(Neurology) 4. DM(Gastroentero.)	- 2 - 1 - 2 - 2	4/5/98 Letter of Intent for starting the courses.
12. NIMHANS, Bangalore.	1. DM(Neurology)	4 to 6	4/5/98 Letter of Intent for increase of seats.
13. Kempegowda Instt. of Medical Sciences, Bangalore.	1. MD(Radio-Diag.) 2. DMRD		20/5/98 Letter of disapproval of scheme.
14. Al-Ameen Med. College, Bijapur.	1. MD(Pathology) 2. DMRD	- 1 - 1	20/5/98 Letter of Intent for starting of the courses.
15. Guru Gobind Singh Medical College, Faridkot.	1. MD(Skin & VD) 2. MS(Gen. Surgery) 3. MS(Ophthalmology)	- 2 - 3 - 3	15/5/98 Letter of Intent for starting the courses.

26. Bangalore University - Recognition of M.D.(Radio-Diag.) and D.M.R.D. qualifications in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore.

Read : Council Inspector report (Oct.,97) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D.(Radio-Diag.) and D.M.R.D. qualifications granted by Bangalore University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Oct.,97) and decided not to recommend the recognition of M.D.(Radio-Diagnosis) & D.M.R.D. qualifications granted by the Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore because the department of Radiology has not been bifurcated into two separate independent departments of Radio-Diagnosis and Radio-therapy. The Committee further decided to direct the college authorities to stop admission in the department from the next academic session and the office was directed that the letter to the college authorities in this regard be endorsed to the State Govt. and the Vice-Chancellor/Registrar of the University concerned.

27. Bangalore University - Recognition of M.D.(Pharmacology) qualification in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore.

Read : Council Inspector report (Oct.,97) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D.(Pharmacology) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Oct.,97) and decided not to recommend the recognition of M.D.(Pharmacology) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore since the department is not headed by a Professor with a requisite recognised postgraduate medical qualification. The college is advised to reapply after the compliance.

28. Bangalore University - Recognition of M.D.(Paed.) in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore.

Read : Council Inspector report (April,97) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore along with the latest teaching faculty for purpose of recognition of M.D.(Paed.) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April,97) along with the latest faculty details and decided to reinspect the department since the inspection report is very sketchy.

29. Bangalore University - Recognition of M.D.(Radio-diagnosis) and D.M.R.D. qualifications in respect of students being trained at St.John's Medical College, Bangalore.

Read : Council Inspector report (October,97) on the standard of examination & other teaching facilities available at St.John's Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D.(Radio-diagnosis) and D.M.R.D. qualifications granted by Bangalore University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Oct.,97) and decided not to recommend the recognition of M.D.(Radio-Diagnosis) and D.M.R.D. qualifications granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at St.John's Medical College, Bangalore because the department is not headed by a Professor with the requisite recognised postgraduate qualification and the requisite experience; and there are deficiencies of equipments like C.T.Scan etc. The college is advised to reapply after the compliance.

30. Karnatak University - Recognition of M.D.(Community Medicine) and D.P.H. qualifications in respect of students being trained at J.N.Medical College, Belgaum.

Read : Council Inspector's report (March,98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at J.N.Medical College, Belgaum for purpose of recognition of M.D.(Community Medicine) and D.P.H. qualifications granted by Karnatak University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (March,98) and decided to recommend that M.D.(community Medicine) and D.P.H. qualifications granted by Karnatak University in respect of students being trained at J.N.Medical College, Belgaum be recognised and included in the First Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,56 restricting the number of admission to 4(four) students in each course per year.

The Committee further decided to advise the college authorities to comply with the observations as made in the inspection report.

31. Calicut University - Recognition of M.S.(Anatomy) qualification in respect of students being trained at Medical College, Calicut.

Read : Council Inspector's report (April,90) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Medical College, Calicut together with various communications from the college authorities for purpose of recognition of M.S.(Anatomy) qualification granted by Calicut University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April, 90) and the various communications from the college authorities and decided to recommend that M.S. (Anatomy) qualification granted by Calicut University in respect of students being trained at Medical College, Calicut be recognised and included in the First Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 5 (five) students per year.

32. Aligarh Muslim University - Recognition of M.S. (ENT) qualification in respect of students being trained at J.N. Medical College, Aligarh.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Feb., 98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at J.N. Medical College, Aligarh for purpose of recognition of M.S. (ENT) qualification granted by Aligarh Muslim University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Feb., 98) and decided to recommend that M.S. (ENT) qualification granted by Aligarh Muslim University in respect of students being trained at J.N. Medical College, Aligarh be recognised and included in the First Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956. The college authorities be directed to admit only 3 (three) students per year from the next academic session i.e. 1998-99 in view of the overall available infrastructural facilities.

33. Banaras Hindu University - Recognition of M.D. (Psychiatry) qualification in respect of students being trained at Instt. of Medical Sciences, Varanasi.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Jan., 98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Instt. of Medical Sciences, Varanasi for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Psychiatry) qualification granted by Banaras Hindu University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Jan., 98) and decided to recommend that M.D. (Psychiatry) qualification granted by Banaras Hindu University in respect of students being trained at Instt. of Medical Sciences, Varanasi be recognised and included in the First Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 56 restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students per year.

34. Goa University - Recognition of M.D. (Psychiatry) and DPM qualifications in respect of students being trained at Goa Medical College, Goa.

Read : Council Inspector's report (March, 98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Goa Medical College, Goa for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Psychiatry) and D.P.M. qualifications granted by Goa University.

The Postgraduate Committee decided to defer the consideration of the matter because the office has not been able to obtain the details of the teaching faculty and the completed S.I.F. (Standard Inspection Forms) in spite of reminders to the college authorities and the Council Inspector.

35. Manipur University - Recognition of M.D. (Psychiatry) qualification in respect of students being trained at Regional Instt. of Medical Sciences, Imphal.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Jan., 98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Regional Instt. of Medical Sciences, Imphal for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Psychiatry) qualification granted by Manipur University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Jan., 98) and decided to obtain the details of the clinical material and the copies of the degree certificates of the teaching faculty in the department of Psychiatry for

further consideration. The Chairman, PG Committee is authorised to decide in the matter on receipt of the required informations.

36. Mysore University - Approval of J.S.S. Medical College, Mysore for the award of M.D. (Anaesthesiology) & D.A. qualifications.

Read : Council Inspector's report (March,98) 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.(Anaesthesiology) & D.A. qualifications granted by Mysore University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (March,98) and decided to recommend that J.S.S. Medical College, Mysore be approved for the award of M.D.(Anaesthesiology) & D.A. qualifications granted by Mysore University restricting the number of admission to 1(one) for M.D.(Anaesthesiology) & 2(two) for D.A. per year.

37. Karnatak University - Approval of Karnatak Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hubli for the award of M.D.(Microbiology) qualification.

Read : Council Inspector's report (March,98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Karnatak Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hubli for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D.(Microbiology) qualification granted by Karnatak University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (March,98) and decided not to approve Karnatak Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hubli for the award of M.D.(Microbiology) qualification granted by Karnatak University in view of the deficiencies pointed out by the Council Inspector in the inspection report.

38. Karnatak University - Approval of Karnatak Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hubli for the award of M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.)and D.G.O. qualifications.

Read : Council Inspector's report (March,98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Karnatak Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hubli for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D.(Obst.& Gynae.) and D.G.O. qualifications granted by Karnatak University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (March,98) and decided to recommend that Karnatak Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hubli be approved for the award of M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. qualifications granted by Karnatak University restricting the number of admission to 4(four) for M.D.(Obst.& Gynae.) & 8 (eight) for D.G.O. per year.

39. Nagpur University - Approval of Mahatma Gandhi Instt. of Medical Sciences, Sevagram, Wardha for the award of M.D.(Medicine) qualification.

Read : Council Inspector's report (April,98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Mahatma Gandhi Instt. of Medical Sciences, Wardha for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D.(Medicine) qualification granted by Nagpur University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April,98) and decided not to approve Mahatma Gandhi Instt. of Medical Sciences, Wardha for the award of M.D.(Medicine) qualification granted by Nagpur University because the composition of units as regards staff and beds is not as per MCI norms and further decided to advise the institution to reapply after reconstitution of the units as per MCI norms.

40. Bangalore University - Approval of M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore for the award of M.S.(Ophthalmology) qualification.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Oct.,97) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at M.S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.S.(Ophthalmology) qualification granted by Bangalore University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Oct.,97) and decided to recommend that M.S.Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore be approved for the award of M.S.(Ophthalmology) qualification granted by Bangalore University restricting the number of admission to 1(one) per year.

41. Poona University -Approval of Rural Medical College, Loni for the award of M.D.(Pathology) and D.C.P. qualifications.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Jan.,98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Rural Medical College, Loni for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D.(Pathology) and D.C.P. qualifications granted by Poona University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Jan.,98) and decided to recommend that Rural Medical College, Loni be approved for the award of M.D.(Pathology) and D.C.P. qualifications granted by Poona University restricting the number of admission to 2(two) for M.D.(Pathology) & 4(four) for D.C.P. per year.

42. Delhi University -Approval of University College of Medical Sciences, Delhi for the award of M.S.(Orthopaedics) qualification.

Read : Council Inspector's report (April,98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at University College of Medical Sciences, Delhi for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.S.(Orthopaedics) qualification granted by Delhi University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April,98) and decided to recommend that University College of Medical Sciences, Delhi be approved for the award of M.S.(Ortho.) qualification granted by Delhi University restricting the number of admission to 2(two) per year.

43. Bangalore University - Continuance of recognition of M.D.(Aviation Med.)and Dip. Aviation Medicine qualifications in respect of students being trained at Instt.of Aviation Medicine, Bangalore.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Dec.,97) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Instt. of Aviation Medicine, Bangalore for purpose of continuance of recognition of M.D.(Aviation Medicine) and Diploma in Aviation Medicine qualifications granted by Bangalore University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Dec.,97) and decided to recommend that recognition of M.D.(Aviation Med.) qualification granted by Bangalore University in respect of students being trained at Instt. of Aviation Medicine, Bangalore be continued restricting the number of admissions to 10(Ten) per year.

The Postgraduate Committee noted that Dip. Aviation Medicine course has since been discontinued in 1984 and therefore recognition of the said Dip. Aviation Medicine qualification need not be continued.

44. Gulbarga University - Continuance of recognition of M.S.(General Surgery) qualification in respect of students being trained at Govt. Medical College, Bellary.

Read : Council Inspector's report (April,97) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Bellary together with the compliance received from the college authorities for purpose of continuance of recognition of M.S.(General Surgery) qualification granted by Gulbarga University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April,97) together with the compliance received from the college authorities and decided to recommend that recognition of M.S.(General Surgery) qualification granted by Gulbarga University in respect of students being trained at Govt. Medical College, Bellary be continued restricting the number of admission to 7(seven) per year.

45. Delhi University - Continuance of recognition of various postgraduate Degree/Diploma qualification in respect of the students being trained at V.P.Chest Instt., Delhi.

Read : Council Inspector's compliance verification report (Jan.,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at V.P.Chest Instt.,Delhi for purpose of continuance of recognition of various postgraduate Degree/Diploma qualifications granted by Delhi University.

The Postgraduate Committee decided to defer the matter for future consideration.

46. To consider the matter as to whether long experience possessed by the teachers in the subjects/specialities which are not recognised by the Council can be taken into account for considering them as recognised P.G. teachers.

Read : the report (May,98) of the Sub-Committee constituted by the Postgraduate Committee as to whether long experience possessed by the teachers in the subjects/specialities which are not recognised by the Council can be taken into account for considering them as recognised P.G. teachers.

The Postgraduate Committee agreed with the report of the Sub-Committee and recommended the matter for consideration of the General Body.

47. Refixation of seats in postgraduate degree and diploma courses in (i) J.N.Medical College, Belgaum (ii) M.R.Medical College, Gulbarga (iii) J.J.M. Medical College, Davangere.

Read : the matter with regard to refixation of seats in postgraduate degree and diploma courses in (i) J.N.Medical College, Belgaum, (ii) M.R.Medical College, Gulbarga & (iii) J.J.M. Medical College, Davangere.

The Postgraduate Committee agreed with the report of the Scrutiny Committee and recommended the matter for consideration of the General Body.

48. Non-teaching hospital - Recognition of Asopa Hospital and Research Centre, Agra for housemanship.

Read : Council Inspector's report (April,98) on the physical facilities available at Asopa Hospital and Research Centre, Agra for purpose of recognition of the hospital for housemanship.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April,98) and decided to recognise Asopa Hospital and Research Centre, Agra for housemanship in the following subjects indicating the numbers against each:-

General Surgery	-	2 (two)
General Medicine	-	1 (one)

49. Non-teaching hospital - Recognition of Visakha Steel General

Hospital, Visakhapatnam for housemanship.

Read : Council Inspector's report (April,98) on the physical facilities available at Visakha Steel General Hospital, Visakhapatnam for purpose of recognition of the hospital for housemanship.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (April,98) and decided to recognise Visakha Steel General Hospital, Visakhapatnam for housemanship in the following subjects indicating the numbers against each:-

Medicine	-	2(two)
Surgery	-	2(two)
Paediatrics	-	2(two)
Obst. & Gynae.	-	2(two)
Orthopaedics	-	2(two)

50. Starting of D.M.(Neurology) course at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai - Deemed University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Nov.,97) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai - Deemed University alongwith compliance verification report (May,98) for purpose of starting of D.M.(Neurology) course u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Nov.,97) alongwith compliance verification report (May,98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting D.M.(Neurology) course at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai - Deemed University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 1(one) per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the centre. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

51. Starting of postgraduate courses at Govt. Medical College, Nanded under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read : the Central Govt. letter (1.5.98) regarding earlier recommendations of the PG Committee and the Council Inspectors' reports with regard to starting of M.S.(ENT) and M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.) courses at Govt. Medical College, Nanded under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Central Govt. letter (1.5.98) regarding the earlier recommendations of the PG Committee as regards starting of M.S.(ENT) and M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. courses at Govt. Medical College, Nanded; and after perusal of the respective inspection reports decided to recommend to the Central Govt. as follows:-

(I) M.S.(ENT) :

The decision of the PG Committee to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue letter of permission for starting M.S.(ENT) course at Govt. Medical College, Nanded u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 be treated as withdrawn as the same had been recommended inadvertently.

(II) M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. :

The earlier decision of the PG Committee to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue letter of permission for starting M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. courses at Govt. Medical College, Nanded under Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University u/s 10 A of the I.M.C. Act 1956 prospectively with intake of 2(two) and 4(four) students respectively per year be reiterated.

52. Starting of M.Ch.(Genito-Urinary Surgery) course at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Porur, Chennai - Deemed University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Oct.,97) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Porur, Chennai - Deemed University together with compliance verification report (May,98) for purpose of starting of M.Ch.(Genito-Urinary Surgery) course u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Oct.,97) along with the compliance and compliance verification report (May,98) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting M.Ch.(Genito-Urinary Surgery) course at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai - Deemed University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively restricting the number of admission to 1(one) per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

53. Poona University - Approval of Rural Medical College, Loni for the award of M.D.(Anaesthesia) & D.A. qualifications.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Jan.,98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Rural Medical College, Loni for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D.(Anaesthesia) & D.A. qualifications granted by Poona University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Jan.,98) and decided to recommend that Rural Medical College, Loni be approved for the award of M.D.(Anaesthesia) & D.A. qualifications granted by Poona University restricting the number of admission to 1(one) for M.D.(Anaesthesia) & 2(two) for D.A. per year. However, the attention of the authorities concerned be drawn towards implementation of various recommendations and suggestions made by the Council Inspector in the inspection report.

54. Nagpur University - Approval of Mahatma Gandhi Instt. of Medical Sciences, Sevagram, Wardha for the award of M.D.(Community Medicine) qualification.

Read : Council Inspector's report (May,98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Mahatma Gandhi Instt. of Medical Sciences, Sevagram, Wardha for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D.(Community Medicine) qualification granted by Nagpur University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May,98) and decided to recommend that Mahatma Gandhi Instt. of Medical Sciences, Sevagram, Wardha be approved for the award of M.D.(Community Medicine) qualification granted by Nagpur University restricting the number of admission to 3(three) per year.

55. Saurashtra University - Recognition of M.S.(Anatomy) qualification in respect of students being trained at M.P.Shah Medical College, Jamnagar.

Read : Council Inspector's report (May,98) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at M.P.Shah Medical College, Jamnagar for purpose of recognition of M.S.(Anatomy) qualification granted by Saurashtra University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May,98) and decided to recommend that M.S.(Anatomy) qualification granted by Saurashtra University in

respect of students being trained at M.P.Shah Medical College, Jamnagar be recognised and included in the First Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 1(one) per year.

56. Delhi University - Approval of University College of Medical Sciences, Delhi for the award of M.D.(Paediatrics) qualification.

Read : Council Inspector's report (April,97) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at University College of Medical Sciences, Delhi along with the compliance received from the college authorities for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D.(Paed.) qualification granted by Delhi University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April,97) along with the compliance received from the college authorities and decided to recommend that University College of Medical Sciences, Delhi be approved for the award of M.D.(Paed.) qualification granted by Delhi University restricting the number of admission to 2(two) per year.

57. Bombay University - Continuance of recognition of M.Ch. (Paediatrics Surgery) qualification in respect of students being trained at Seth G.S. Medical College, Bombay.

Read : Council Inspector's report (April,93) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Seth G.S.Medical College, Bombay together with compliance (May,98) as regards details of teaching faculty furnished by the college authorities for purpose of continuance of recognition of the college for the award of M.Ch.(Paed. Surgery) qualification granted by Bombay University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April,93) along with the faculty details provided by the college authorities and decided to recommend that recognition of M.Ch.(Paed.Surgery) qualification granted by Mumbai University in respect of the students being trained at Seth G.S.Medical College, Mumbai be continued.

The PG Committee further decided that the institution be directed to admit only 2(two) students per year for M.Ch.(Paed.Surgery) course from the next academic session i.e 1998-99 considering the strength of the available postgraduate teachers having recognised postgraduate qualification and the requisite experience.

58. DNB qualifications awarded by National Board of Examinations - Equivalence of.

Read : the matter with regard to equivalency of DNB qualifications awarded by National Board of Examinations.

Item withdrawn.

59. Compulsory rural service as pre-requisite for admission to postgraduate courses.

Read : the recommendations(8th to 10th Jan.,97) of the Central Council of Health & F.W. with regard to compulsory rural service as pre-requisite for admission to postgraduate courses.

The Postgraduate Committee recommends that the provisions made under the Regulation on Postgraduate Medical Education are adequate and sufficient at this juncture; hence, Postgraduate Committee does not agree with the proposals made at the meeting of the Central Council of Health & F.W. held on 8th to 10th Jan.,97 for considering compulsory rural service as pre-requisite for admission to postgraduate courses.

60. Starting of D.M. (Clinical Haematology) course at Christian Medical College, Vellore under the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Feb.,98) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Christian Medical College, Vellore together with compliance received through the Central Govt. for purpose of starting of D.M.(Clinical Haematology) course under the Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Feb.,98) along with the compliance received from the college authorities and decided to reinspect the facilities of the department. The Chairman, PG Committee is authorised to decide in the matter on receipt of the inspection report.

61. Starting of M.S. (Ortho.) & M.D. (Psychiatry) courses at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.- Renewal of permission.

Read : the letter dated 18.5.98 from the Director, St.John's Medical College, Bangalore regarding renewal of permission for starting of M.S.(Ortho.) & M.D.(Psychiatry) courses at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore.

The Postgraduate Committee decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to renew the permission for the following postgraduate medical courses at St.John's Medical College, Bangalore till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said courses:-

M.S.(Ortho.)	-	2 (two) seats per year
M.D.(Psychiatry)	-	1 (one) seat per year

The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

62. Permission of the Central Govt. for starting of postgraduate courses at Fr.Muller's Instt. of Medical Education & Research, Mangalore u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read : The Central Govt. letter dated 6.5.98 as to whether the permission of the Central Govt. for starting of postgraduate courses at Fr. Muller's Instt. of Medical Education & Research, Mangalore be considered u/s 10A or 10C of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the matter and decided to refer/recommend to the Central Govt. that the Govt. may take the decision as per their letter dated 6.9.95 to the Council wherein the Govt. requested that the recommendations of the Council on the applications of the Fr.Muller's Instt. of Medical Education & Research, Mangalore for starting of postgraduate degree courses may kindly be furnished to the Ministry at an early date and the question of the treatment of this case u/s 10A or 10C of I.M.C. Act,1956 will be examined by the Govt. while taking final decision.

63. Starting of various PG courses at Rajah Muthiah Medical College, Annamalainagar under Annamalai University - Renewal of permission.

Read : the letter from the Central Govt. dated 14.5.98 regarding renewal of permission for starting of various postgraduate medical courses at Rajah Muthiah Medical College, Annamalainagar.

The Postgraduate Committee decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to renew the permission for the following postgraduate medical courses at Rajah Muthiah Medical College, Annamalainagar till the first batch appears in the final examination:-

M.D.(Biochemistry)	-	2(two) seats per year
M.D.(Microbiology)	-	3(three) seats per year

M.D. (Pharmacology)	-	3(three) seats per year
M.D. (Physiology)	-	3(three) seats per year
M.S. (Anatomy)	-	3(three) seats per year
M.D. (Anaes.)	-	2(two) seats per year
M.D. (SPM)	-	3(three) seats per year
M.S. (Ophthalmology)	-	2(two) seats per year
M.S. (ENT)	-	2(two) seats per year
M.D. (Obst. & Gynae.)	-	3(three) seats per year

The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualifications at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

64. Goa University - Recognition of M.D. (Microbiology) qualification in respect of students being trained at Goa Medical College, Goa.

Read : the Council Inspector's report (July, 89) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Goa Medical College, Goa along with the compliance (Dec., 97) and the compliance verification report (April, 98) for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Microbiology) qualification granted by Goa University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (July, 89) along with the compliance (Dec., 97) and compliance verification report (April, 98) and decided to recommend that M.D. (Microbiology) qualification granted by Goa University in respect of students being trained at Goa Medical College, Goa be recognised and included in the First Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) per year.

65. Refixing of M.S. (Orthopaedics) seats at Nizam's Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad.

Read : letter from the Executive Registrar, Nizam's Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad dated 17.2.98 communicating the details of the teaching faculty in the department of Orthopaedics for refixing the intake capacity in the M.S. (Orthopaedics) course.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter dated 17.2.98 from the Executive Registrar, Nizam's Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad communicating the details of the teaching faculty with their qualification and experience along with the Council Inspector's report (Jan., 97) and considering the clarifications/details of the teaching faculty agreed to recommend to the General Body to restore one more seat in M.S. (Ortho.) course at Nizam's Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad raising the intake to 2 (two) per year.

66. Increase of seats in postgraduate degree/diploma courses at Arvind Eye Hospital, Madurai - Renewal of permission for 1998-99.

Read : the letter from the Central Govt. regarding renewal of permission for the third batch of increase of seats in M.S. (Ophthalmology) and D.O. courses at Arvind Eye Hospital, Madurai.

The postgraduate Committee noted that M.S. (Ophthalmology) and D.O. courses have been started at Arvind Eye Hospital, Madurai in 1993 and 1983 respectively with the permission of the Council and decided to advise the hospital authorities to apply to the Central Govt. u/s 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 for recognition of M.S. (Ophthalmology) and D.O. qualifications and further decided that the matter regarding increase of seats on permanent basis will be considered along with the matter regarding recognition of the qualifications.

67. Starting of various postgraduate degree/diploma courses at Al-Ameen Medical College, Bijapur - Renewal of permission.

Read : the Central Govt. letter dated 19.8.97 issuing letter

of permission initially for a period of one year for starting of various postgraduate courses at Al-Ameen Medical College, Bijapur.

The Postgraduate Committee decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to renew the permission for the following postgraduate courses at Al-Ameen Medical College, Bijapur till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said courses :-

M.S. (Anatomy)	-	1(one) seat per year
M.D. (Gen.Med)	-	1(one) seat per year
D.G.O.	-	2(two) seats per year

The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualifications at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

68. Panjab University - Approval of Dayanand Medical College, Ludhiana for the award of M.D. (Paed.) qualification.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Dec.,95) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Dayanand Medical College, Ludhiana and the compliance verification report (May,98) for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D. (Paediatric) qualification granted by Punjab University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered Council Inspector's report (Dec.,95) along with the compliance verification report (May,98) and decided to reiterate its earlier decision since the composition of units as regards staff and beds is not as per MCI norms and further decided to advise the institution to arrange two separate units with 30 beds each and the teaching staff accordingly and reapply after reconstitution of the units as per MCI norms. The Chairman, PG Committee is authorised to decide in the matter on receipt of the compliance.

69. Starting of various postgraduate courses in different medical college - renewal of permission.

Read : the matter regarding renewal of permission for starting of various postgraduate courses in different medical colleges.

The Postgraduate Committee decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to renew the permission for various postgraduate degree/diploma courses at the following medical colleges wherein the Council has recommended letter of permission on permanent basis till the first batch appears in the final examination:-

1. B.L.D.E.A. Shri B.M.Patil Medical College, Bijapur.
2. Adichunchanagiri Instt. of Medical Sciences, Mandya.
3. J.S.S. Medical College, Mysore.
4. Nizam's Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad.
5. Medical College, Calicut.
6. G.B.Pant Hospital, New Delhi.
7. J.L.N. Medical College, Ajmer.
8. Sri Dev Raj Urs Medical College, Kolar.
9. Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai.

The institutions be advised to apply for recognition of qualifications at the time of first available examination as per provision of Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

70. Starting of M.Ch. (Cardio-thoracic Surgery) course at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai - Deemed University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read : Council Inspector's report (April,96) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Sri Ramchandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai - Deemed University and the compliance (March,98) through the Central Govt. for purpose of starting of M.Ch. (Cardio-thoracic Surgery) course u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April,96) along with the subsequent informations from Madras/Mumbai Universities and the compliance (March,98) through the Central Govt. and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue letter of intent for starting M.Ch.(Cardio-thoracic Surgery) course at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai - Deemed University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 since of the total of eight teachers five are without recognised postgraduate medical qualification in the subject and the remaining three though having recognised qualification do not have requisite experience to be eligible teacher.

71. Starting of M.Ch. (Neuro-Surgery) course at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai - Deemed University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Sept.,97) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai - Deemed University along with the compliance through the Central Govt. for purpose of starting of M.Ch. (Neuro-Surgery) course u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Sept.,97) along with the compliance through the Central Govt. and noticed that the complete compliance verification report having the details of the faculty and other relevant information is still awaited from the Council Inspector and the Committee decided to obtain the same from the Council Inspector & authorised the Chairman, PG Committee to decide in the matter.

72. Bangalore University - Recognition of M.D. (Dermatology) & D.V.D. qualifications in respect of students being trained at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore.

Read : Council Inspector's report (Oct.,97) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bangalore Medical College, Bangalore for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Dermatology) & D.V.D. qualifications granted by Bangalore University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Oct.,97) and noted that the composition of the units as regards staff and beds is not as per MCI norms and the teaching details of the Professor & Head of the department are not available and therefore decided to advise the institution to (i) reconstitute the units of the department as regards staff and beds as per MCI norms, and (ii) obtain the copy of degree certificate of the Professor and Head of the department. The Chairman, PG Committee is authorised to decide in the matter on receipt of the compliance.

**(Dr. M. Sachdeva)
Secretary.**

New Delhi, dated
the 28th May, 98.

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(Dr. J.Rajappa)
Chairman.