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MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA**POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE****17th July, 2007**

Minutes of the meeting of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee held on 17th July, 2007 at 11.00 a.m. in the Office of the Medical Council of India, Pocket-14, Sector-8, Dwarka, New Delhi-110 077.

Present:

Dr. Ved Prakash Mishra - Chairman
 Dr. Indrajit Ray
 Dr. S.R. Maralihalli
 Dr. S.K. Sinha
 Dr. N.B. Singh
 Dr. (Mrs.) Sneh Bhargava
 Prof. A. Rajasekaran

Lt. Col. (Retd.) Dr. A.R.N. Setalvad - Secretary

Apologies for absence were received from Dr. (Mrs.) Usha Sharma and Dr. V. Kanagraj.

At the outset it was brought out that in order to enforce authorities to seek prompt recognition of postgraduate courses under Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 and to ensure timely compliance of the deficiencies, it was decided that a negative recommendation of the Postgraduate Committee towards approval/recognition of a postgraduate course would also entail stoppage of admission to the said course.

1. Minutes of the last meeting of the Postgraduate Committee – confirmation of.

The minutes of the Postgraduate Committee meetings held on 06.06.2007 were confirmed.

2. Minutes of the last meeting of the Postgraduate Committee – action taken thereon.

The Postgraduate Committee noted the action taken on the various items included in the minutes of the meetings of the Postgraduate Committee held on 25/05/2007 & 06/06/2007.

3. Starting of M.Ch.(Urology) course at M.S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The compliance verification report (June, 2007) together with the Council Inspector's report (December, 2006) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at M.S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore for consideration of starting of M.Ch.(Urology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (June, 2007) together with Council Inspector's report (December, 2006) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of M.Ch.(Urology) course at M.S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 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 the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

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

Read: The compliance verification report (June, 2007) together with Council Inspector's report (December, 2006) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at M.S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore for consideration of starting of D.M.(Cardiology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (June, 2007) together with Council Inspector's report (December, 2006) and decided to seek clarification from the institution & Narayana Hridayalaya Hospital, Bangalore on one of the remarks of the Inspector stating that Dr. Pradeep Kumar, Professor and Dr. Sanjay Mehrotra, Associate Professor are reported to be staff at Narayana Hridayalaya Hospital, Bangalore and are now attached as faculty in M.S. Ramaiah Medical College.

The Committee further decided to defer consideration of the matter till the information is received.

5. Starting of M.Ch.(Plastic Surgery) course at M.S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The compliance verification report (June, 2007) together with the Council Inspector's report (December, 2006) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at M.S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore for consideration of starting of M.Ch.(Plastic Surgery) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (June, 2007) together with the Council Inspector's report (December, 2006) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of M.Ch.(Plastic Surgery) course at M.S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 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 qualifications at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

6. Starting of D.M.(Pulmonary Medicine) & Critical Care Medicine course at Calicut Medical College, Kozhikode under Calicut University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Calicut Medical College, Kozhikode under Calicut University for starting of D.M.(Pulmonary Medicine) & Critical Care Medicine course.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting of D.M.(Pulmonary Medicine) & Critical Care Medicine course at Calicut Medical College, Kozhikode under Calicut University because of the following:-

1. There is no Associate Professor in Unit-I.
2. Unit-II & III have only 2 teaching faculty.
3. Resultantly, teaching complement is incomplete in all the units.
4. Beds strength is not as per MCI norms.
5. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

7. Dr. N.T.R University of Health Sciences – Approval of Kamineni Instt. of Medical Sciences, Narkatpally for the award of DGO qualification.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kamineni Instt. of Medical Sciences, Narkatpally

for purpose of approval of the college for the award of DGO qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) and decided to recommend that Kamineni Instt. of Medical Sciences, Narkatpally be approved for the award of DGO qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students per year.

8 Dr. N.T.R University of Health Sciences – Approval of Deccan College of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad for the award of MS(Ortho.) qualification.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Deccan College of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad for purpose of approval of the college for the award of MS(Ortho.) qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) and decided to recommend that Deccan College of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad be approved for the award of M.S.(Ortho.) qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year.

9 Dr. N.T.R University of Health Sciences – Approval of Mamta Medical College, Khammam for the award of MD(Pediatrics) qualification.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Mamta Medical College, Khammam for purpose of approval of the college for the award of MD(Pediatrics) qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) and decided to recommend that Mamta Medical College, Khammam be approved for the award of M.D.(Pediatrics) qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences restricting the number of admission to 3 (three) students per year.

10 Dr. N.T.R University of Health Sciences – Approval of Mamta Medical College, Khammam for the award of DDVL qualification.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Mamta Medical College, Khammam for purpose of approval of the college for the award of DDVL qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) and decided to recommend that Mamta Medical College, Khammam be approved for the award of DDVL qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year.

11 Bharati Vidyapeeth University – Recognition of MD (Anatomy) qualification in respect of students being trained at Bharati Vidyapeeth Medical college, Pune.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bharati Vidyapeeth Medical College, Pune for purpose of recognition of MD (Anatomy) qualification granted by Bharati Vidyapeeth University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) and decided not to recognise MD (Anatomy) qualification granted by Bharati Vidyapeeth University in respect of students being trained at Bharati Vidyapeeth Medical College, Pune because of the following:-

1. Teaching faculty is inadequate even for the present undergraduate intake. Further, Dr. Vijaya Mallik, Professor was not present on the day of inspection, hence, cannot be counted.
2. Additional component for postgraduate teaching is not available.
3. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in M.D.(Anatomy) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

12 Bharati Vidyapeeth University – Recognition of DCP qualification in respect of students being trained at Bharati Vidyapeeth Medical college, Pune.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bharati Vidyapeeth Medical College, Pune for purpose of recognition of DCP qualification granted by Bharati Vidyapeeth University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) and decided not to recognize DCP qualification granted by Bharati Vidyapeeth University in respect of students being trained at Bharati Vidyapeeth Medical College, Pune because of the following:-

1. Instrumentation is inadequate in terms of Electron microscopy.
2. Facilities for Immuno chemistry, Histochemistry are not available in the hospital owned by the institution.
3. Resultantly, instrumentation and teaching facilities are inadequate.
4. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in DCP course from the academic session 2008-2009.

13 Bharati Vidyapeeth University – Recognition of D.Ortho. qualification in respect of students being trained at Bharati Vidyapeeth Medical college, Pune.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bharati Vidyapeeth Medical College, Pune for purpose of recognition of D.Ortho. qualification granted by Bharati Vidyapeeth University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and decided to recommend that D.Ortho. qualification granted by Bharati Vidyapeeth University in respect of students being trained at Bharati Vidyapeeth Medical College, Pune be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students per year.

14 Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune – Recognition of DTCD qualification in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune for purpose of recognition of DTCD qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and decided not to recognize DTCD qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune because of the following:-

1. Facilities for AFB Sensitivity, ELISA for M.Tuberculosis and PCR for M.Tuberculosis are not available in the institution. Resultantly, training facilities are inadequate.
2. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in DTCD course from the academic session 2008-2009.

15 Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune – Recognition of MS (General Surgery) qualification in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri,

Pune for purpose of recognition of MS (General Surgery) qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and decided to recommend that M.S. (General Surgery) qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 6(six) students per year.

16 Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune – Recognition of MS/MD (Anatomy) qualification in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune for purpose of recognition of MS/MD (Anatomy) qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007)and decided to recommend that M.S./M.D. (Anatomy) qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 3(three) students per year.

17 Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune – Recognition of MD (Skin & VD/Dermatology/Dermatology, Venerology & Leprosy) qualification in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune for purpose of recognition of MD(Skin & VD/Dermatology/Dermatology, Venerology & Leprosy) qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and decided to recommend that MD(Skin & VD/Dermatology/Dermatology, Venerology & Leprosy) qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 2(two) students per year.

18 Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune – Recognition of MD (Radio-diagnosis) qualification in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune for purpose of recognition of MD(Radio-diagnosis) qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and decided to recommend that M.D.(Radio-diagnosis) qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 4(four) students per year.

19 Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai – Recognition of DPM qualification in respect of students being trained at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai for purpose of recognition of DPM qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and decided to recommend that DPM qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai in respect of students being trained at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 1(one) student per year.

20 Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai – Recognition of DDVL qualification in respect of students being trained at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai for purpose of recognition of DDVL qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and decided to recommend that DDVL qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai in respect of students being trained at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 1(one) student per year.

21 Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai – Recognition of DCH qualification in respect of students being trained at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai for purpose of recognition of DCH qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and decided not to recognise DCH qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai in respect of students being trained at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai because of the following:-

1. Teaching staff is inadequate even for present undergraduate intake.
2. Promotion of Dr. Sadhana Purandare is not as per MCI norms. Resultantly, teaching complement is incomplete.
3. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in DCH course from the academic session 2008-2009.

22 Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai – Recognition of D.Ortho qualification in respect of students being trained at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai for purpose of recognition of D.Ortho qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and decided not to recognise D.Ortho. qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai in respect of students being trained at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai because of the following:-

1. Promotion of Dr. Asit Rao, Professor Unit-II is not as per MCI norms.
2. Resultantly, teaching complement is incomplete.
3. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in D.Ortho. course from the academic session 2008-2009.

23 Maharashtra University of Health Sciences and MGM University of Health Sciences (Deemed University) – Recognition of MD(General Medicine) qualification in respect of students being trained at MGM Medical College, Navi Mumbai.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at MGM Medical College, Navi Mumbai for purpose of recognition of MD (General Medicine) qualification granted by Maharashtra University of Health Sciences and MGM University of Health Sciences (Deemed University).

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May,2007) and decided not to recognize MD(General Medicine) qualification granted by Maharashtra University of Health Sciences and MGM University of Health Sciences (Deemed University) in respect of students being trained at MGM Medical College, Navi Mumbai because of the following:-

1. Indoor bed occupancy on the day of inspection was 50%. ICCU has no patients. Casualty had no patients at the time of inspection. Resultantly, clinical material is grossly inadequate.
2. In Unit-IV one of the Assistant Professor, Dr. Rajesh has been appointed as Assistant Professor in Neurology, hence, he is not counted as faculty for Medicine subject.
3. Dialysis machine not functioning and was under repair on the day of inspection.
4. Special clinics like Geriatrics Clinic and Haematology Clinic are not available.
5. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in M.D.(General Medicine) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

24 Maharashtra University of Health Sciences and MGM University of Health Sciences (Deemed University) – Recognition of MD(Pediatrics) & DCH qualification in respect of students being trained at MGM Medical College, Navi Mumbai.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at MGM Medical College, Navi Mumbai for purpose of recognition of MD (Pediatrics) & DCH qualification granted by Maharashtra University of Health Sciences and MGM University of Health Sciences (Deemed University).

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May,2007) and decided to recommend that M.D. (Paediatrics) & DCH qualifications granted by Maharashtra University of Health Sciences and MGM University of Health Sciences (Deemed University) in respect of students being trained at MGM Medical College, Navi Mumbai be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the IMC Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 3 (three) students for degree and 2 (two) students for diploma per year.

25 Maharashtra University of Health Sciences and MGM University of Health Sciences (Deemed University) – Recognition of MD (Anaesthesia) qualification in respect of students being trained at MGM Medical College, Navi Mumbai.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at MGM Medical College, Navi Mumbai for purpose of recognition of MD (Anaesthesia) qualification granted by Maharashtra University of Health Sciences and MGM University of Health Sciences (Deemed University).

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May,2007) and decided not to recognize M.D.(Anaesthesia) qualification granted by Maharashtra University of Health Sciences and MGM University of Health Sciences (Deemed University) in respect of students being trained at MGM Medical College, Navi Mumbai because of the following:-

1. Audio-visual aids are not available in lecture theatres.
2. The total number of major operations carried out is 7-10 and minor operations is 10-12, which are grossly inadequate.
3. Library facilities for students must be improved.
4. Over head projector is not available.
5. There are no research publications in the department in the last 3 years.
6. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in M.D.(Anaesthesia) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

26 Barkatullah University – Recognition of MD (Radio-therapy) qualification in respect of students being trained at Gandhi Medical College, Bhopal.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Gandhi Medical College, Bhopal for purpose of recognition of MD (Radio-therapy) qualification granted by Barkatullah University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Inspection report (June, 2007) for purpose of recognition of M.D. (Radio-therapy) qualification granted by Barkatullah University at Gandhi Medical College, Bhopal and noted the following:-

1. MRI is not available.
2. Memography is not available.
3. Clinical material in terms of major operations is not as per MCI norms.
4. Radio-Biology lab. is not available.
5. Equipment for Radio-Surgery is not available.
6. Facilities for Intra-Operative therapy is not available.
7. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

The Postgraduate Committee also noted that the following deficiencies were observed during the inspection carried out on 24th & 25th November, 2006 for continuance of recognition at MBBS degree :-

1. The shortage of teaching faculty is as under:-
 - (a) Faculty 40%
 - (i) Professor : 02 (TB & Chest-1, Microbiology-1)
 - (ii) Associate Professor: 22 (Anatomy-3, Phy.-3, Biochemistry-1, Pathology -3, Microbiology -2, Forensic medicine-1, Medicine -1, TB & Chest-1, Pediatrics -1, Surgery -3, Radiology-1, Anaesthesia -1, Dentistry-1)
 - (iii) Assistant Professor: 32 (Anatomy -4, Physiology-2 Lecturer in Biophysics-1, Biochemistry-2, Pathology-2, Microbiology-1, Pharmacology-3, Pharmachemist-1, Forensic Medicine -1, PSM-2, lecturer in epidimiology -1, Medicine-1, Psychiatry -1, Peadiatric-2, Surgery-2, Orthopedics-2, ANMO-1, MWO -1, Radiology-1, Anaesthesia -1)
 - (iv) Tutor: 32 (Anatomy-3, Physiology-5, Biochemistry-1, Pathology-3, Pharmacology-1, Forensic Medicine-2, PSM-3, Radiology -5, Anaesthesia-8, Dentistry-1)
 - (b) Resident 25.8%
 - (i) Sr. Resident: 26 (Medicine-6, TB & Chest -1, Dermatology-1, Psychiatry-1, Peadiatric-3, surgery-6, Orthopaedic-3, ENT-1, Ophthalmology-1, Obst. & Gynae.-3)
 - (ii) Jr. Resident: 08 (TB & Chest -2, Dermatology -3, Psychiatry-3)
2. Bed occupancy is only 70% on the day of inspection, which is inadequate.
3. In the department of Obst. & Gynae. there are 235 teaching beds distributed in 3 units, which is not as per norms.
4. The unit composition in the departments of Pediatrics, Medicine, Skin & VD, Psychiatry & TB & Chest is inadequate as under:-
 - (a) Skin & VD : At present dermatology is under medicine department. There are no senior resident or junior resident. Dermatology department should be separated at from medicine.

- (b) Psychiatry – Psychiatry Department is having only 1 Professor. No other teaching staff and no senior or junior resident.
- (c) TB & Chest department is having only 1 assistant professor. No other teaching staff and no senior or junior resident.
5. There is no central registration counter in the OPD. Each speciality is having its own registration counter which is not as per norms.
 6. Some of the rooms in OPD are very small in size. There is no privacy for the patients in most of the areas. Facilities like patient couch, stools, x-ray view box, examination tray etc. are not provided in most of the rooms. Paramedical staff and nurses are very few. Most of the specialities are not provided teaching areas.
 7. Air conditioning of the Audiometry room is not working. There is no proper sound proofing. Audiometry technician is not available.
 8. Most of the wards are not having teaching areas. Side laboratories are not available in most of the wards. Most of the wards are over crowded. Space between the two cots is not adequate. The unit distribution of beds is not clearly marked. Bed side lockers are not provided to many beds. Patients of Psychiatry, TB & Chest & Skin diseases are kept in the same ward. Male and female patients are also kept together which is not as per norms. Most of the wards are not having duty doctor room and duty nurse room. There is no provision of safe drinking water in OPD and Wards.
 9. Obst. & Gynae operation theatres do not have any specialized equipment like bed side monitors, pulse oximeters, infusion pump, ventilators, defibrillator etc.
 10. The infrastructural facilities in the ICCU are grossly inadequate. There are no medical, surgical, burns in ICU. Ventilator in the ICCU is not available. For entry of dialysis room patients and staff has to cross through the entire ICCU. There is no central oxygen supply and central suction in ICCU. Air condition is not functional in the ICCU.
 11. There are no departmental libraries of TB & Chest, Skin & VD and Psychiatry. Number of books in the departmental library of Pediatrics, ENT, Radiodiagnosis and Anaesthesia are inadequate.
 12. At present both the labour room are closed for major repair. Except for delivery tables, no other special equipments are available in makeshift labour room.
 13. Canteen is not available.
 14. There is no provision to supply special diet as recommended by Physician.
 15. Para medical staff is grossly inadequate as under:-

	Hamidia Hospital	Sultania Hospital
Laboratory Technicians	07	01
Laboratory Assistants	Nil	01
Laboratory Attendants	02	01
 16. Nursing staff is inadequate as under:-]

Nursing Superintendent	Nil	01
Deputy Nursing Superintendent	Nil	Nil
Matron	02	Nil
Asstt. Nursing Superintendent	Nil	Nil
Nursing Sister	24	10
Staff Nurses	84	27
 17. Residential quarters for teaching and non-teaching staff within the campus are inadequate.
 18. In the central library only 36 journals are available against the requirement of 100
 19. No training courses for faculty were conducted during this year by medical education unit.
 20. Common room for boys is not available. Common room for girls is empty room without any furniture.
 21. In the animal house large animals. Guinea pig are not available. Para medical staff is not available in the animal house.
 22. In RHTC, Lecturer cum medical officer having MD (PSM) qualification is not available. At present students / interns are not staying in the hostel.
 23. In UHC, Lecturer cum medical officer having MD (PSM) qualification is not available.
 24. Separate hostels for interns is not available.

25. Dr. V.K. Pandya is incharge medical superintendent of the main teaching hospital which is not as per norms. Full time Medical Superintendent of the main hospital is not available. Dr. Neeraj Bedi who is Associate Professor has been posted as full time medical superintendent of Sultania Hospital. He is not qualified to hold the post as he has no administrative experience.
26. Medical Record department is not computerized. The staff in MRD is not qualified.
27. There is no collection and segregation of hospital waste as per the guidelines of Pollution Control Board.
28. The following deficiencies have been observed in the Pre-clinical department:-
 - a. Anatomy:
 - The capacity of demonstration room is not as per Council norms.
 - There is no cooling cabinet.
 - b. Biochemistry
 - The department does not participate in hospital work.
29. Following deficiencies have been observed in the infrastructure of Para-clinical department:-
 - a. Microbiology
 - it has not its own laboratory and using practical laboratory of Pathology for students.
30. Other deficiencies / remarks are in the main report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in M.D. (Radio-therapy) course from the ensuing academic session.

27 Madras University & The Tamilnadu Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai – Recognition of Diploma in Diabetology qualification in respect of students being trained at Chennai Medical College, Chennai.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (April, 2006) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Chennai Medical College, Chennai for purpose of recognition of Diploma in Diabetology qualification granted by Madras University & The Tamilnadu Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April,2006) and decided to obtain the information from the institution with regard to following:-

“Whether the course was started in the year 1986 with permission from the MCI.”

The Committee further decided to defer the matter till receipt of the said information.

The Committee further decided to refer the matter to the Standing Committee of the Postgraduate Committee as regards inclusion of Diploma in Diabetology in the appropriate schedule appended to Indian Medical Council Act,1956.

28 Sanjay Gandhi Postgraduate Instt. of Medical Sciences (Deemed University), Lucknow – Recognition of M.Ch. (Endocrine Surgery) qualification in respect of students being trained at Sanjay Gandhi Postgraduate Instt. of Medical Sciences, Lucknow

Read: The Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Sanjay Gandhi Postgraduate Instt. of Medical Sciences, Lucknow for purpose of recognition of M.Ch. (Endocrine Surgery) qualification granted by Sanjay Gandhi Postgraduate Instt. of Medical Sciences (Deemed University), Lucknow.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May,2007) and decided to recommend that M.Ch. (Endocrine Surgery) qualification granted by Sanjay Gandhi Postgraduate Instt. of Medical Sciences (Deemed University), Lucknow in respect of students being trained at Sanjay Gandhi Postgraduate Instt. of Medical Sciences, Lucknow be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students per year.

29 Calicut University – Approval of Govt. Medical College, Thrissur for the award of MD(General Medicine) qualification.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Thrissur for purpose of approval of the college for the award of MD(General Medicine) qualification granted by Calicut University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) and decided not to recognize MD(General Medicine) qualification granted by Calicut University in respect of students being trained at Govt. Medical College, Thrissur because of the following:-

1. Postgraduate teaching complement is not complete in all the Units as all the units have only 2 teachers in each unit. Moreover, one Assistant Professor was absent on the day of inspection. Hence, cannot be counted.
2. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in M.D.(General Medicine) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

30 Annamalai University – Recognition of MD (Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation) qualification in respect of students being trained at Rajah Muthai Medical College, Annamalai.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Rajah Muthai Medical College, Annamalai for purpose of recognition of MD (Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation) qualification granted by Annamalai University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May,2007) and decided to recommend that MD (Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation) qualification granted by Annamalai University in respect of students being trained at Rajah Muthai Medical College, Annamalai be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year.

31 Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore – Approval of Command Hospital, Airforce, Bangalore for the award of MS(Ophthalmology) qualification.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Command Hospital, Airforce, Bangalore for purpose of approval of the college for the award of MS(Ophthalmology) qualification granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) and decided to recommend that MS(Ophthalmology) qualification granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore in respect of students being trained at Command Hospital, Airforce, Bangalore be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year.

32 Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore – Approval of JSS Medical College, Mysore for the award of M.D.(Anaesthesia) qualification in respect of increased intake.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at JSS Medical College, Mysore for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D.(Anaesthesia) qualification granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore in respect of increase intake.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May,2007) and noted that JSS Medical College, Bijapur already stands approved for the award of M.D.(Pathology) qualification with 3(three) seats and now the matter is under consideration for approval of the college against the increased intake from 3(three) to 5 (five); decided not to approve the college against the increased intake because of the following:-

1. Professor & HOD is above 65 years of age, hence, she cannot be accepted as a teacher.
2. There are only 8 postgraduate teachers while the institute is admitting 5 degree and 6 diploma students which is in violation of 1:1 ratio prescribed under the Regulations.
3. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in M.D.(Anaesthesia) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

33 Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore – Approval of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Medical College, Bangalore for the award of M.D. (Anaesthesia) & D.A. qualifications.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (Oct., 2005) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Medical College, Bangalore together with compliance verification report (May, 2007) for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D. (Anaesthesia) & D.A. qualifications granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the inspection report (Oct.,2005) together with compliance verification inspection report and decided not to approve Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Medical College, Bangalore for the award of M.D.(Anaesthesia) & D.A. qualifications granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore as the compliance is unsatisfactory and reiterate its earlier decision taken at its meeting held on 20.11.2006 because the following deficiencies are still persisting:-

1. No data or declaration forms of any new faculty is submitted. No additional documents have been submitted. Incomplete declaration forms remain as they are. Teaching faculty is inadequate for UG. Additional component for PG is not available.
2. The promotions of Dr. M. Shivshankar, Associate Professor and Dr. C.K. Santosh are not as per MCI norms.
3. No details have been given for residential accommodation for residents. It is available for 38 residents against the requirement of 114.
4. Journals are inadequate.
5. Infrastructural facilities are inadequate.
6. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

The postgraduate committee also observed that the inspection report of the inspection conducted by Council inspectors (23rd & 24th February 2007) reveals as under:

1. The shortage of teaching faculty is as under:
 - (a) Faculty: 28.7 %
 - (i) Professor: 2 (P.S.M. 1, Radiodiagnosis 1)
 - (ii) Asso. Professor: 15 (Anatomy 3, Physiology 2, Biochemistry 1, Pharmacology 2, F.M. 1, Tb & Chest 1, Skin & V.D. 1, Paediatrics 1, Radiodiagnosis 2 & Anaesthesia 1)
 - (iii) Asst. Professor: 18 (Physiology 3, F.M. 1, P.S.M. 4, Gen. Medicine 1, Tb & Chest 1, Psychiatry 1, Surgery 1, O.G. 4 & Anaesthesia 2)
 - (iv) Tutor: 4 (Anatomy 2, Physiology 1, Pharmaceutical Chemist 1)
 - (b) Resident: 29.5 %
 - (i) Sr. Resident: 10 (Medicine 2, Surgery 3, Orthopaedics 2 & Radiodiagnosis 3)
 - (ii) Jr. Resident: 24 (Medicine 4, Tb & Chest 1, Skin & V.D. 2, Psychiatry 3, Paediatrics 1, Surgery 8, Orthopaedics 4 & O.G. 1)
 - (c) Dr. M. Narayan, shown as Medical Superintendent, is not qualified to hold the post as he has only 4 years of administrative experience against 10 years required as per Regulations.
 - (d) In Biochemistry department, ratio of nonmedical teachers is > 50 % which is not as per Regulations.

(e) TB & Chest department does not have any teaching faculty.

2. Clinical material at the college hospital is grossly inadequate as under:

	Daily Average	Day of inspection
O.P.D. attendance	275	318
Bed occupancy	70%	70%
Operative workload		
(a) Major operations	6	8
(b) Minor operations	5	15
Radiological investigations		
(a) X-ray	43	25
(b) Ultrasonography	25	15
(c) Special Investigations	02	-
(d) C.T. Scan	-	-
Laboratory Investigations		
(a) Biochemistry	162	181
(b) Microbiology	26	23
(c) Serology	20	15
(d) Parasitology	15	10
(e) Haematology	196	173

3. The college hospital has 410 beds out of which 350 are teaching beds which are inadequate. Additional 150 beds - 30 each in Gen. Medicine, Paediatrics, Gen. Surgery, Orthopaedics & O.G. - have been provided by Govt. of Karnataka for 20 years from 01.01.1988. Such an arrangement is not as per Regulations. There is no separate teaching area available in the OPD & wards in the General Hospital.
4. There is no unit for TB & Chest diseases.
5. Only 4 O.T.s are available against the requirement of 10. No TV with camera attachment is available. Resuscitation & monitoring equipment is shared by different O.T.s.
6. ICCU, Burns ICU & PICU are not available. Casualty is ill equipped. Ventilator & pulse oxymeter are not available. Only 10 beds are available in the casualty against the requirement of 20. Central monitoring facilities are not available in ICU. Central Oxygen or suction are not available in ICU.
7. Number of static & mobile X-ray units is not as per norms. C.T. scan is not available.
8. No CSSD is available. Sterilization is done in the respective O.T.s with 2 horizontal & 1 vertical autoclaves which is inadequate.
9. Nursing staff is inadequate. Only 103 nurses are available against requirement of 159.
10. Hostel accommodation is available only for 279 students against the requirement of 500.
11. There is no hostel for interns & PGs. They are accommodated in boys & girls' hostels.
12. Only 4 staff quarters are available in the campus which is not as per Regulations.
13. Medical education unit is poorly equipped. No computer is available. No medical education programme has been conducted in last 1 year.
14. Auditorium has capacity of 400 against the requirement of 500.
15. Veterinary officer is part time.

16. No foreign journals are available against the requirement of 70. Total journals available are 72 against the requirement of 100.
17. UHC is under the control of Municipal Corporation & not under the control of the Dean which is not as per Regulations.
18. Dietician is not available. There is no provision to supply special diet as recommended by the physician.
19. In the Physiology department, no separate mammalian laboratory is available. Two demonstration rooms have capacity of 25 each which is not as per regulations.
20. Departmental libraries are inadequate in P.S.M., Tb & Chest, Psychiatry, Paediatrics, Gen. Surgery, E.N.T., Orthopaedics, Ophthalmology, O.G. & Anaesthesia.
21. Lecture theater at the hospital is of flat type with capacity of 70 which is not as per Regulations.
22. There is no canteen available except 1 stall located on the roadside. It has no sitting arrangement for doctors & staff.
23. In Pharmacology department, experimental Pharmacology has 30 seats & clinical Pharmacology has 25 seats which is not as per Regulations.

The Postgraduate Committee further decided to direct the college authorities to henceforth stop admissions in M.D. (Anaesthesia) & D.A. courses from the academic session 2008-2009.

34 Jiwaji University – Permitting intake in M.D. (Pediatrics) & DCH course at GR Medical College, Gwalior.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (Feb., 2007) for purpose of continuance of recognition u/s 19 of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 of M.D. (Pediatrics) & DCH qualifications at GR Medical College, Gwalior.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Inspection report (Feb., 2007) for purpose of continuance of recognition u/s 19 of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 of M.D. (Pediatrics) & DCH qualifications at G.R. Medical College, Gwalior and noted the following:-

1. There is no Assoc. Prof. in Unit 1. There is shortage of one Associate Professor in Unit-II and one Associate Professor in Unit-III. There are only 2 PG teachers in the department while annual intake is 5 degree and 8 diploma students. Resultantly, teaching complement is incomplete in all the 3 Units.
2. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

The Postgraduate Committee also noted that the following deficiencies were observed during the inspection carried out on 24th & 25th November, 2006 for continuance of recognition at MBBS degree :-

1. The shortage of teaching faculty is as under:-
 - (a) Faculty 28.8%

Professor :	04 (Microbiology-1, TB & Chest –1, Medicine – 1, ENT -1)
Associate Professor:	28 (Anatomy -2, Physiology -1, Biochemistry– 1, Pathology –4, Microbiology –1, Pharmacology –3, FMT –2, Medicine –2, Psychiatry-1, Pediatrics –2, Surgery –4, Orthopaedics –1, Dental –1, Ophthalmology –2, Radiology –1)
Assistant Professor:	16 (Anatomy-3, Physiology-1, Biochemistry – 2, Pathology - 1, Pharmacology -2, FMT-1, PSM– 1, Medicine –1, Surgery – 2, Radiodiagnosis – 2),
Tutor:	01(FMT -1)
 - (b) Resident 25.8%
 - (i) Sr. Resident: 20(TB & Chest –1, Medicine-6, Pediatrics-3, Surg.– 6, Orthopaedics-3, Ophthalmology– 1)
 - (ii) Jr. Resident: 08 (TB & Chest -2, Skin & VD – 3, Psychiatry-3)

2. Central oxygen, nitrous oxide & central suction in the operation theatres are not in working order.
3. Paramedical staff is inadequate is as under:-

Laboratory Technicians	-	07
Laboratory Assistants	-	02
Laboratory Attendants	-	02
4. Nursing staff is inadequate as under:-

Nursing superintendent Gr I (matron)	-	02
Nursing superintendent Gr.II	-	nil
Nursing superintendent Gr. III (nursing sister)	-	24
Staff nurse	-	127
ANM	-	18
Maternity Assistant	-	14
Other categories	-	nil
5. The capacity of lecture theatre is not as per Council norms.
6. The accommodation in students' hostel is available only for 585 students against the requirement of 700 at this stage. There is only one combine hostel for interns, PGs and Residents with a capacity of 100 which is grossly inadequate.
7. In the central library, the number of journals subscribed are only 41 against the requirement of 100. The non-teaching staff in library is inadequate.
8. The capacity of examination hall is only 230, which is inadequate.
9. In the central animal house, Guinea pig, mice and large animals are not available. The veterinary officer and attendants are also not available.
10. RHTC, Dabra is under the control of Director Medical & Health Services, which is not as per norms.
11. The indoor registration counter is computerized but not cross linked with outdoor registration counter and of MRD computer.
12. The organizational and the operational part of both OPD and indoor laboratories is not proper. There are no adequate required automation instruments in any of the laboratories
13. The Biochemistry department is not involved in any diagnostic services neither in college nor in hospital. The anomalies in the working of various diagnostic units should be corrected and all the three departments i.e pathology, microbiology & biochemistry should be effectively involved in the library work.
14. Central laundry is not available.
15. In the infrastructure of 1st MBBS deptt., the following deficiencies are observed:-
 - a. Anatomy
 - There is no electric saw
 - There is no separate cooling cabinet available.
 - b. Physiology
 - The laboratory of human and mammalian experiments is not available.
 - c. Biochemistry
 - There is no demonstration room available.
 - Gas cylinders need to be kept away in a separate enclosures.
 - The department does not participates in hospital work.

In the infrastructure of para-clinical department, the following deficiencies are observed:

 - (a) Pharmacology
 - The clinical pharmacology and experimental pharmacology laboratory is not as per norms.
 - (b) Pathology
 - The capacity of demonstration room is not as per norms.
16. The institution does not have separate departments of Psychiatry, Skin & VD and TB & Chest. These specialties are divisions / section under the department of medicine which is not as per norms. These departments do not have their own teaching / demonstration rooms, side laboratories and libraries which is not as per norms.
17. The Professor of Skin & VD is the Head of department of medicine.
18. Other deficiencies / remarks are in the report.

The Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in M..D.(Paediatrics) & D.C.H. courses from the academic session 2008-09..

35 Calicut University – Recognition of DPMR qualification in respect of students being trained at Calicut Medical College, Calicut.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) on the standard of standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Calicut Medical College, Calicut purpose of recognition of DPMR qualification granted by Calicut University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May,2007) and decided to recommend that DPMR qualification granted by Calicut University in respect of students being trained at Calicut Medical College, Calicut be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 4 (four) students per year.

36 Ch. Charan Singh University, Meerut – Approval of Santosh Medical College, Gaziabad for the award of MD(Pediatrics) qualification.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Santosh Medical College, Gaziabad for purpose of approval of the college for the award of MD(Pediatrics) qualification granted by Ch. Charan Singh University, Meerut.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and decided to recommend that MD(Pediatrics) qualification granted by Ch. Charan Singh University, Meerut in respect of students being trained at Santosh Medical College, Ghaziabad be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 3 (three) students per year.

37 Nizam Instt. of Medical Sciences (Deemed University), Hyderabad – Approval of Nizam Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad for the award of M.Ch.(Cardio-thoracic Surgery) qualification in respect of increased intake.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (October, 2006) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Nizam Instt. of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.Ch.(Cardio-thoracic Surgery) qualification granted by Nizam Instt. of Medical Sciences (Deemed University) Hyderabad in respect of increase intake.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (Oct.,2006) and decided to obtain clarification from the institute with regard to unit-wise and bed-wise distribution of the teaching faculty.

The Committee further decided to defer the consideration of the matter till the information is received.

38 Sri Venkateshwara Instt. of Medical Sciences (Deemed University) – Recognition of MCh.(Neurosurgery) qualification in respect of students being trained at Sri Venkateshwara Instt. of Medical Sciences, Tirupati.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Sri Venkateshwara Instt. of Medical Sciences for purpose of recognition of M.Ch.(Neurosurgery) qualification granted by Sri Venkateshwara Instt. of Medical Sciences (Deemed University).

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May,2007) and decided to recommend that M.Ch(Neurosurgery) qualification granted by Sri Venkateshwara Instt. of Medical Sciences (Deemed University) in respect of students being trained at Sri Venkateshwara Instt. of Medical Sciences, Tirupati be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 1(one) student per year.

39 Punjab University – Recognition of MD(OBG) qualification in respect of students being trained at Govt. Medical College, Chandigarh.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (April, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Chandigarh for purpose of recognition of MD(OBG) qualification granted by Punjab University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (April,2007) and decided to recommend that MD(OBG) qualification granted by Punjab University in respect of students being trained at Govt. Medical College, Chandigarh be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 1(one) student per year.

40 Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore – Approval of Shri B.M. Patil Medical College, Bijapur for the award of M.D.(Pathology) qualification in respect of increased intake.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Shree B.M. Patil Medical College, Bijapur for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D.(Pathology) qualification granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore in respect of increase intake.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and noted that Shri B.M. Medical College, Bijapur already stands approved for the award of M.D.(Pathology) qualification with 1 (one) seat and now the matter is under consideration for approval of the college against the increased intake from 1(one) to 3(three); decided not to approve the college against the increased intake because of the following:-

1. No didactic lectures are undertaken for the postgraduate students.
2. Facilities for Immuno-chemistry and electron-microscopy are not available.
3. Work load for cytology and biopsies is inadequate. Resultantly, clinical material is inadequate.
4. Pathological autopsies are not being carried out.
5. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in M.D.(Pathology) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

41 Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore – Approval of Sri Devraj Urs Medical College, Kolar for the award of MD(Biochemistry) qualification.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Sri Devraj Urs Medical College, Kolar for purpose of approval of the college for the award of MD(Biochemistry) qualification granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (June, 2007) and decided to recommend that Sri Devraj Urs Medical College, Kolar be approved for the award of MD (Biochemistry) qualification granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year.

42 Utkal University – Recognition of DM(Cardiology) qualification in respect of students being trained at SCB Medical College, Cuttack.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at SCB Medical College, Cuttack for purpose of recognition of DM (Cardiology) qualification granted by Utkal University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (June, 2007) and decided to recommend that DM (Cardiology) qualification granted by Utkal University in respect of students being trained at SCB Medical College, Cuttack be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 2 (two) students per year.

43 Rajasthan University and Rajasthan University of Health Sciences – Recognition of MS (ENT) qualification in respect of students being trained at Govt. Medical College, Kota.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Kota for purpose of recognition of MS (ENT) qualification granted by Rajasthan University and Rajasthan University of Health Sciences.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (June, 2007) and decided not to recommend recognition of MS (ENT) qualification in respect of students being trained at Govt. Medical College, Kota because of the following:-

1. No separate audiometry room is available.
2. Impedance audiometry is being done by a non qualified person.
3. Speech therapist is not available.
4. Teaching programme is inadequate and the data submitted in S.I.F. does not correspond with the time table submitted by the institute.
5. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in M.S.(ENT) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

44 Kashmir University – Recognition of M.S.(Orthopaedics) qualification in respect of students being trained at Govt. Medical College, Srinagar.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (March, 04) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Srinagar together with compliance verification report (June, 07) for purpose of recognition of M.S.(Orthopaedics) qualification granted by Kashmir University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (March, 2004) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Srinagar together with compliance verification report (June, 07) and decided to advise the institution authorities to reorganize the unit in terms of teaching beds as per MCI norms.

The Committee further decided to defer the consideration of the matter till the information is received.

45 Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University – Recognition of MD (Pediatrics) qualification in respect of students being trained at Shri Vasantarao Naik Govt. Medical College, Yavatmal.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Shri Vasantarao Govt. Medical College, Yavatmal for purpose of recognition of MD (Pediatrics) qualification granted by Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (June, 2007) and decided not to recommend recognition of MD (Pediatrics) qualification in respect of students being trained at Shri Vasantarao Govt. Medical College, Yavatmal because of the following:-

1. No Assoc. Prof. in Unit-I; resultantly teaching complement is incomplete.
2. Child Psychologist is not available.
3. Log book for PG students is not maintained.
4. Dialysis services are not available; resultantly instrumentation and training facilities are inadequate.
5. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in MD (Pediatrics) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

46 Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore – Approval of Al-Ameen Medical College, Bijapur for the award of M.D.(Pathology) qualification in respect of increased intake.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Al-Ameen Medical College, Bijapur for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D.(Pathology) qualification granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore in respect of increase intake.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council inspector report (June, 2007) and decided not to approve Al-Ameen Medical College, Bijapur for the award of M.D.(Pathology) qualification granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore in respect of increase intake because of the following:-

1. Immuno-Histochemistry & Electron Microscopy is not available.
2. Other deficiencies/remarks as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in M.D. (Pathology) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

47 Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore – Approval of Al-Ameen Medical College, Bijapur for the award of M.D.(General Medicine) qualification in respect of increased intake.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Al-Ameen Medical College, Bijapur for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D.(General Medicine) qualification granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore in respect of increase intake.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May,2007) and noted that Al-Ameen Medical College, Bijapur already stands approved for the award of M.D.(General Medicine) qualification with 1 (one) seat and now the matter is under consideration for approval of the college against the increased intake; decided to recommend that Al-Ameen Medical College, Bijapur be approved for the award of M.D.(General Medicine) qualification granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore against the increased intake restricting the number of admissions to 4(four) students per year.

48. Proposal for recognition of postgraduate medical qualifications granted by medical institutions outside India under section 13 of IMC Act, 1956 (outside the scheme of reciprocity).

Read: The letters dated 27th June, 2007 and 12th July, 2007 from Shri KVS Rao, Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & F.W. regarding recognition of PG medical qualifications granted by medical institution abroad under Section 13 of IMC Act, 1956 (outside the scheme of reciprocity).

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letters dated 27th June, 2007 and 12th July, 2007 from Shri KVS Rao, Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & F.W. and observed that the issue entailed in the communication is a policy matter which requires diligent application of mind as the issue is having far reaching consequences which therefore needs to be examined and decided to constitute a Sub-Committee with the following members to go into all the aspect and submit the report for further consideration:-

1. Dr. Ved Prakash Mishra, Chairman, Postgraduate Medical Education Committee.
2. Dr. D.K. Sharma, Chairman, Registration & Equivalence Committee
3. Dr. C.V. Bhiramanandham, Chairman, T.E.Q. Sub-Committee

The Committee further decided that in the meantime, the Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & F.W., New Delhi may be intimated accordingly.

49 Delhi University – Recognition of DCH qualification in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Hospital, Delhi.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (April, 2006) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kasturba Hospital, Delhi togetherwith compliance for purpose of recognition of DCH qualification granted by Delhi University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (April, 2006) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kasturba Hospital, Delhi togetherwith compliance and noted that the compliance is unsatisfactory; decided not to recommend recognition of DCH qualification granted by Delhi University in respect of students being trained at Kasturba Hospital, Delhi because of the following:-

1. Dr. A.K. Duggal does not possess requisite eligibility to be promoted to the post of Professor in terms of MCI norms.
2. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in DCH course from the academic session 2008-2009.

50 Homi Bhabha National Institute (Deemed University), Mumbai – Recognition of various postgraduate qualifications in respect of student being trained at Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, Mumbai.

Read: The request dated 26.6.2007 received from the Dean, Homi Bhabha National Instt. (Deemed University) for recognition of various postgraduate qualification in respect of students being trained at Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, Mumbai under the Deemed university.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the request dated 26.6.2007 received from the Dean, Homi Bhabha National Instt. (Deemed University) and noted that the Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD) vide Notification No. F9-5/2004U.3 dated 3rd June, 2005 has conferred the status of Homi Bhabha National Instt. as Deemed to be University with Tata Memorial Centre as one of the ten Constituent Institutions.

The Committee further noted that earlier the following qualifications were granted by Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik and decided to include the following qualifications under Homi Bhabha National Instt. (Deemed University) from the academic year 2008-2009:-

1. Postgraduate Diploma Programmes in DA (Anaesthesia)
2. MD Programmes in Pathology, Anaesthesia and Radio-therapy.
3. Super-speciality courses in DM (Medical Oncology), M.Ch. (Surgical Oncology)

51 Comments of MCI on the complaint of Prof. A. Rajasekaran, Member, PG committee regarding serious irregularities.

Read: The draft reply prepared by the Chairman, Postgraduate Committee on the complaint of Prof. A. Rajasekaran, Member, PG Committee received from the Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter dated 5th March, 2007 of Prof. A. Rajasekaran, Member, PG Committee addressed to Shri Naresh Dayal, IAS, Secretary, Ministry of Health & F.W., New Delhi and copy to the President (Acting), MCI. received from the Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi vide their letter dated 30th April, 2007 which reads as under:-

“From :

*Prof. A. Rajasekaran,
Member, Postgraduate Committee
(Medical Council of India)
New No. 70, First Avenue, Indira Nagar,
Chennai-600 020.*

*To,
Shri Naresh Dayal, IAS,
Secretary, Ministry of Health & F.W.,
Govt. of India, Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi.*

Dear Shri Naresh Dayalji,

Subject: Medical Council of India-Serious Irregularities – Regarding.

Ref. : Proposed General Body of MCI meeting 130 session on 10.3.2007 and Recommendations of PG Medical Education Committee.

- I. I am duly appointed by the Central Government, Ministry of Health & F.W. as a member of PG Committee of MCI in 2005. At the PG Committee meeting of MCI held on 7th June, 2005, I raised several issues and pointed out many irregularities.*
- II. At the PG Committee meeting of 23rd November, 2005, I produced a letter pointing out undue consideration to Municipal Medical College, Ahmedabad to which Dr. ARN Setalwad,*

Secretary, MCI and a former President of MCI have a proximity. This was not duly recorded in the minutes.

- III. Subsequently, MCI PG Committee met on 16th June, 2006, the minutes recorded my apologies of absence.
- IV. Finding my participation, uncomfortable, I was not even invited to attend the subsequent PG Committee meetings held on 18th Sept, 2006, 18th October, 2006, 20th November, 2006 and December, 2006 my name was not even mentioned in the apologies of absence. I have complained about the action of MCI to Sri Ramamurthy, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Health & F.W. who had promised to look into it; the status quo remains.

From the minutes of the above meetings of PG Committee it is obvious that the PG Committee is very keen to encourage the market forces commercializing PG medical education in our country and acting in prejudicial manner to the Govt. run Institutions and also against some of Internationally reputed university like Manipal Academy of Medical Education at Manipal and Mangalore and many others (Manipal University).

Notice was issued from MCI dated 16.2.2007 and 17.2.2007 intimating about the General Body meeting of the MCI to be held at New Delhi on 10.3.2007; On 5th March, 07 a supplementary agenda was introduced; There are more than 300 items for consideration of the General Body of the Council already. The following list of courses and institutions find place in the supplementary agenda.

It is an act of sheer vindictiveness on the part of PG Committee of MCI to convene a meeting of PG Committee and harm the institutions, denying approval of all the PG courses for which inspections were completed; An independent review of agenda items will expose the intention of the MCI; one should look into MCI Act on PG Medical Education and its limitations.

Manipal Academy of Higher Education (Deemed University), Manipal Campus

Item	Branch	Inspector report	PG Committee report	Result
296	MD Gen. Medicine	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
297	MD Microbiology	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
298	MD Hospital Admn.	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
299	MD Skin & VD	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
300	MS ENT & DLO	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
301	M.Ch. Pediatric Surgery	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
302	MD OBGYN & DGO	-do	28.2.07	-do
303	M.Ch. Cardiothoracic Surgery	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
304	MD Gen. Medicine	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
305	MD Microbiology	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
306	MD Biochemistry	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
307	MD Skin & VD	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
308	MS Ophthalmology	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
309	MD Physiology	Feb. 2007	28.2.2007	Not granted
310	MD Anaesthesiology	Feb. 2007	28.2.2007	Not granted
311	MS ENT & DLO	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted

KMC Manipal

Item	Branch	Inspector report	PG Committee report	Result
315	MD Radio Diagnosis	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
316	MD Community Medicine	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
317	MD Pharmacology	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
318	MD Anesthesiology	Feb. 2007	28.2.2007	Not granted
319	MD Pathology	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted

KMC Mangalore

Item	Branch	Inspector report	PG Committee report	Result
320	MD & Dip. Pathology	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
321	MS Orthopaedics	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
322	MD Paediatric	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
323	MD Pharmacology	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
324	MD OBGYN	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted
325	MS Anatomy	Feb. 2007	28.2.2007	Not granted
326	MS Gen. Surgery	Feb. 2007	26.2.2006	Not granted

RECOMMENDATIONS OF PG COMMITTEE OF MCI

To recommend to the Council for withdrawal of recognition of the above courses. The Committee further decided to direct the institutions to henceforth stop admission to above courses from the ensuing academic session. The matter alongwith above recommendation of PG Committee is placed before the General Body of the Council for its consideration and approval.

As a member of the Postgraduate Committee of MCI, I do not approve of the above recommendation which is arbitrary, motivated and prejudicial. It is not solely based on technical consideration. The above institution has great tradition for academic excellence and the recommendations of Postgraduate Committee does not deserve any consideration by the General Council and the Central Government. There are many such institutions in the list in which MCI PG Committee recommendations need to be scrutinized. According to Section 20 of the Act the General Council has no powers other add their suggestions to the recommendations of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee and forward them to the Government. The Government's decision in these matters are final. The Act is clear in giving equal roles to the universities and the MCI in regulating postgraduate medical education. MCI has usurped many powers and is acting in a highhanded way. Since Govt. is the final authority in this matter, I am writing to you.

There are several such institutions in the agenda items scheduled for the General Body Meeting of MCI on 10th March, 2007. Having circulated the agenda for the meeting in MCI letter dated 16th and 17th February to circulate another exhaustive supplementary agenda is improper and suggests mischief.

I request you Sir, to take appropriate and speedy action. The term of nominated members of the PG Committee expired on 21st November, 2006 and the subsequent meetings held could be considered illegal and so also the position of Dr. V.P. Mishra a nominated member continuing as Chairman of PG Committee of MCI. Many of their recent actions fall beyond the scope of their powers as in the MCI Act. Legal actions against the MCI can embarrass the Govt. too.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,
Sd/-
(Prof. A. Rajasekaran)

5th March 2007

Copy to

Dr. Kesavan Kutty Nair,
Acting President,
Medical Council of India”

The Postgraduate Committee after due deliberations and perusal of records pertaining to the matter approved the following reply:-

“The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Ministry of Health & F.W.,
(Department of Health & F.W.),
Nirman Bhavan,
New Delhi-110011.

Kind Attn.: Shri T.J.S. Chawla, Under Secretary

Subject: **Comments of MCI on the complaint of Prof. A. Rajasekaran, Member, PG Committee regarding serious irregularities-regarding.**

Ref. : **Your letter No. U.110025/9/2006-ME(P.1), dated 30th April, 2007 and 10th May,2007.**

Sir,

With reference to your above cited letter on the captioned subject, I am directed to state that the above said letter was placed before the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee at its meeting held on 6th June, 2007 and 17th July, 2007. The decision of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee taken at its meeting held on 17th July, 2007 is recorded hereunder:-

“The Postgraduate Committee perused the communication received from Prof. A. Rajasekaran and the material available on record observed as under:-

1. Prof. A. Rajasekaran attended the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee meeting scheduled on 7th June, 2005. The issues raised by him and the reply given by the Chairman, Postgraduate Medical Education Committee have been duly recorded in the minutes of the meeting which have been circulated to all the members including Prof. A. Rajasekaran and also Govt. of India. Perusal of the minutes reveal that Prof. A. Rajasekaran did not point out any specific instance of any irregularity and the statement that “he pointed out many irregularities” is merely an afterthought. It may please be noted that the minutes of the meeting of 7th June, 2005 have also been sent to the Central Government at the relevant point of time. Relevant portion of the minutes of the meeting of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee dated 7th June, 2005 reads as under:-

“At the outset, the Chairman calling the meeting to order welcomed the members of the Committee and Prof. A. Rajasekaran the newly nominated member by the Govt. of India.

Prof. Rajasekaran with the permission of the Chair observed that the Secretary of the Council did not communicate the Gazette Notification issued by the Govt. of India to him regards his nomination to the Postgraduate Committee and also did not forward to him the relevant rules and regulations which are resorted to in decision making by the Committee.

He further brought out that the address of the Inspectors who cause the inspection is not recorded and so also the inspection reports in the format are not uniform. A reference is made to annexure but they have not been annexed to.

He observed that the performance of a recognized undergraduate institute should be given emphasis while according postgraduate seats to it. The mode of selection of students has to be brought out categorically by the admitting institute and if need be a declaration on that count should be procured from them. Emphasis must be given to the research material and publications brought out by the faculty of the concerned institute while according permission for postgraduate courses. He further observed that clinical material is abundantly available in Govt. run teaching institutions which must be given due weightage while according permissions for the postgraduate courses.

At places, Inspectors have brought out recommendations in the report and hence questioned as to whether the Inspectors have any authority in this regard? He also emphasized that quality of teachers and teaching should be given due weightage and that the said quality is not dependent on the age of teachers.

The Chairman responding to the observations so made, brought out that the Secretary on receipt of the Gazette Notification from the Govt. of India nominating Prof. A. Rajasekaran as member of the Postgraduate Committee has sent the notice of the present meeting and also the agenda well in time as is required in terms of the governing regulations.

He further observed that the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee is a Statutory Committee u/s 20 of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 and is responsible for maintaining and monitoring of the standards of postgraduate medical education in the country. The onus of the Committee is to ensure that the governing rules prescribed under postgraduate regulations and decisions by the competent authorities in the Council from time to time are strictly adhered to, in its decision making process.

The inspections are caused on behalf of the Postgraduate Committee by the experts drawn from various Govt. teaching institutions having requisite prescribed eligibility and are paneled by the Executive Committee. They are appointed by the President of the Council in terms of the authorization by the Executive Committee out of the panel so prepared. The reports are submitted by the Inspectors in the prescribed format which has been formulated by the Postgraduate Committee out of strenuous exercise and has been approved by the General Body of the Council which is substantially exhaustive and incorporates all that is required to be taken into consideration for an objective decision making.

The evaluation of the inspection reports and the recommendations thereon are made by the Postgraduate Committee not on any single parameter in isolation, with varied emphasis. A totalistic view is required to be taken of all the parameters that are included in the governing Postgraduate Medical Education Regulations.

It has been an ongoing practice as a convention in the Committee whereby till date all the decisions have been taken unanimously with total transparency and objectivity.

It is true that the Inspectors are not authorized to make any recommendations in the report and the same is made known to them, yet there are occasions where such recommendations are made by the Inspectors. However, they are ignored by the Postgraduate Committee in the process of decision making.

Responding to the grievance brought out by Prof. Rajasekaran about the non-receipt of a communication from the Secretary in response to Govt. of India notification, he brought out that although President, MCI and Chairman, Postgraduate Committee are ex-officio members of the Governing Council of the National Board of Examinations, of which Prof. Rajasekaran is the President, as of now, have not received notice(s) of the Governing Council meetings that have been held till date, much less the notification in regard to their membership on the Governing Council and the agenda for the said meetings."

2. *Perusal of the minutes of the meeting of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee dated 23rd November, 2005 does not reveal any record of Prof. A. Rajasekaran producing a letter pointing out undue consideration of Municipal Medical College, Ahmedabad. Infact at this meeting, for two postgraduate courses i.e. for M.S. (Orthopaedics) and MD (Obst. & Gynae.) & DGO qualifications, the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee had decided to defer the consideration of the matter till certain clarifications were obtained from the institute. In this context, it may please be noted that Smt. NHL Municipal Medical College, Ahmedabad is owned & managed by Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation which is a public body and the entire financing of the college is done by Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation. Assuming without admitting that any undue consideration has been shown to the institute, it must be kept in view that the beneficiary institution is a public sector institution and the benefit would pass to public at large without any consideration for any individual party at all. In this context, the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee also observed, that in respect of another medical institution run by Municipal Corporation i.e. Surat Municipal Institute of Medical Education and Research, the Govt. of India, over-ruling the recommendations of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee had granted Letter of Permission for starting various postgraduate degree and diploma courses on the basis of the undertakings given by Municipal Commissioner even though deficiencies were existing.*
3. *This is a matter of record and needs no reply.*

4. *It is figment of imagination on part of Prof. A. Rajasekaran that finding his participation uncomfortable he was not even invited to attend the PG Committee meeting held on 18th September, 2006, 18th October, 2006 and 28th November, 2006, basically because perusal of records categorically brings out that the letters convening the said meetings alongwith the agenda papers have been duly sent to him in time. His name not been mentioned in the list of apologies for absence is basically because no such communication seeking leave of absence has been received in the Council.*

However, it is necessary to bring out that it is matter of record that no notices of meetings of National Board of Examination of which he himself is the Chairman have ever been sent to the President (Acting), Medical Council of India and the Chairman of Postgraduate Medical Education Committee, who are the ex-office members of the governing Board. Till date no agenda and no copy of the minutes have been sent to both of them. This fact has also been brought to the notice of the Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare as well as to the Executive Director, National Board of Examinations several times but till date no action has been taken.

As such, before he alleging that he was not invited for the meetings of the PG Committee, which really is unfounded, he needs to introspect as to why President (Acting) Medical Council of India, Chairman, Postgraduate Medical Education Committee, Medical Council of India have till date not been sent notices for the meetings of the Governing Board of National Board of Examination of which he is the Chairman and therefore is duly boundedly accountable on that count.

It is reiterated that the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee does not find participation of Prof. A. Rajasekaran uncomfortable at all. The notices of the meeting and the agenda papers have been sent to him regularly from time to time by the Council.

5. *The agenda therein are not only a figment of his imagination but are inconsistent with the material reality on record. It is denied that the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee is keen to encourage the market forces commercializing postgraduate medical education in India. Infact, the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee has been more liberal towards Govt. run institutions and many deficiencies which would not materially affect the quality of medical education have been condoned or over-looked while arriving at a decision and positive recommendations have been made by the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee inspite of such deficiencies in respect of Government Institutions. In this connection, it is pertinent to note that the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee and General Body of the Council had recommended amendment to Postgraduate Medical Education Regulations, 2000 regarding considering teaching experience of Specialists in non-teaching Govt. Institutions only with a view to help Govt. medical institutions running such courses. It is also pertinent to note that the Central Government vide its letter dated 15th July, 2004 had specifically requested the Council to take into consideration the commitments made for providing the requisite facilities within a stipulated time by public sector medical institutions while taking the decisions in matters related with such public institutions. It was also requested in the same letter that in the meantime those colleges may be permitted to carry on with admissions.*
6. *It is matter of record and needs no reply.*
7. *Every decision taken by the PG Committee is not only based on merits, but is in strict consonance with the governing and binding provisions of the Postgraduate Regulations notified by the Medical Council of India, with the prior approval of Government of India, Under Section 33 of the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956, 1956.*
It is pertinent to note that the recommendations of the PG Committee consistently and without any exception have been given effect by the Government of India.
8. *The recommendations of the PG Committee in regard to grant/withdrawal of recognition are required to be placed before the General Body of the Council for its consideration and hence they are bound to be included in the agenda of the General Body meeting. It is also a matter of record that the decisions as regards the postgraduate courses in Kasturba Medical College, Manipal and Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore have not only been taken by the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee but have been approved by the General Body of the Council in its meeting held on 10th March, 2007. The communications addressed to the Central Government show in detail the gross deficiencies of teaching faculty, clinical material, teaching beds, violation of statutory, mandatory and binding Regulations, utilization of the hospital not owned & managed by the institution contrary to the Regulations, Hostels and other infrastructural deficiencies etc., It is reiterated that the decision of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee and of the General Body of the Council have been taken on objective analysis of the inspection reports of the inspections conducted by the Council Inspectors at these two institutions and not out of vindictiveness as alleged by Prof. A. Rajasekaran.*
9. *Although, Prof. A. Rajasekaran claims that Manipal Academy of Higher Education at Manipal and Mangalore is an internationally reputed university, the facts brought out in the inspection reports of the inspections conducted by Council Inspectors speak otherwise. The instance of blatant violation of statutory & mandatory Regulations by these two institutions have been brought in detail in the decisions of the Executive Committee, Postgraduate Medical Education Committee and General Body of the Council. As these decisions are contained within the communications sent by the Council to the Central Government from time to time, the same are not repeated here for the sake of brevity.*
10. *No recommendation of the PG Committee is arbitrary, motivated and prejudicial. It is solely based on the merits viewed objectively and evaluated against the binding parameters incorporated under the Governing PG Regulations. PG Committee has not made any discrimination of any type for any reason, whatsoever. An appropriate decision as per the Governing Rules is always taken by the PG Committee and recommendations for the execution of the same are passed on to Government of India.*

The scheme of relationship between the PG Committee and Government of India is squarely covered under Section 20 of the Indian Medical Council Act, and as such the question of usurpation of powers by the Council does not arise. The decisions of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee are based upon the objective analysis of the inspection report of the inspections conducted by the Council Inspectors. As there were gross deficiencies of teaching faculty, clinical material, teaching beds, violation of statutory, mandatory and binding Regulations, utilization of the hospital not owned & managed by the institution contrary to the Regulations, Hostels and other infrastructural deficiencies, the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee had decided to recommend to the General Body of the Council for withdrawal of recognition of the MBBS qualification at Kasturba Medical College, Manipal and Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore granted by Manipal Academy of Higher Education (Deemed University) u/s 19 of the I.M.C. Act, 1956. The Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions from the ensuing academic session. These decisions were subsequently ratified by the General Body of the Council at its meeting held on 10th March, 2007 unanimously.

11. The contents therein are a matter of record except for the fact that perception of circulation of the supplementary agenda being viewed as improper and suggestive or mischief by Prof. A. Rajasekaran is ill founded.
12. The Chairman of the PG Committee and also continuation of Dr. Ved Prakash Mishra as the Chairman of the PG Committee is in terms of the speaking order passed by the Nagpur Bench of Bombay High Court dated 23rd August, 2006, in Writ Petition No.457 of 2006, which the Government of India is well aware, being a Respondent.
13. It may please be noted that Section 20 of the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 pertaining to Postgraduate Medical Education Committee reads as under:-

“Section 20.

(1) The Council may prescribe standards of Postgraduate Medical Education for the guidance of Universities, and may advise Universities in the matter of securing uniform standards for Postgraduate Medical Education through out India, and for this purpose the Central Govt. may constitute from among the members of the Council a Postgraduate Medical Education Committee (hereinafter referred to as the Post-graduate Committee).....

.....(5) The views and recommendations of the Postgraduate Committee on all matters shall be placed before the Council and if the Council does not agree with the views expressed or the recommendations made by the Postgraduate Committee on any matter, the Council shall forward them together with its observations to the Central Government for decision.”

14. It may also please be noted that the operational aspects of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee are being regulated by the Postgraduate Medical Education Regulations, 2000. It is reiterated that the decisions of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee are consistent and are invariably within the frame work of the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 and the Postgraduate Medical Education Regulations, 2000.
15. Observation of Prof. A. Rajasekaran on this count therefore amounts to deliberate aspersion on the speaking pronouncement made by the Hon'ble High Court, which also amounts to the Contempt of Court and hence as a matter of prudence should have been avoided. However, it is necessary to reiterate that none of the actions of the PG Committee of the Council in any way fall beyond the scope of its powers prescribed under the IMC Act and associated Regulations thereto.

In view of the above, it is evident that the communication of Prof. A Rajsekarana is definitely prejudicial, ill intended and is solely aimed at belittling the objective, upright, transparent and accountable functioning of the PG Committee, and as such the same is therefore uncalled for, unwarranted and uncharitable as well.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

Lt.Col.(Retd.) Dr. A.R.N. Setalvad
Secretary”

52 Sri Ramachandra University – Recognition of DPM qualification in respect of students being trained at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (April, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai for purpose of recognition of DPM qualification granted by Sri Ramachandra University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (April, 2007) and decided to recommend that DPM qualification granted by Sri Ramachandra University in respect of students being trained at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year.

53 Dr. N.T.R University of Health Sciences – Approval of Kamineni Instt. of Medical Sciences, Narkatpally for the award of DO qualification.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kamineni Instt. of Medical Sciences, Narkatpally for purpose of approval of the college for the award of DO qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences..

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and decided not to approve Kamineni Instt. of Medical Sciences, Narkatpally for the award of D.O. qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences because of the following :-

1. Eye Bank is not available.
2. Equipments such as fundus fluorescein angiography, automated perimeter, Argon laser are not available.
3. Bed occupancy is approximately 60-70%. Resultantly, clinical material is inadequate.
4. Neuro-Ophthalmology clinic is not available.
5. Facilities for Orthoptic work up and squint clinic are not available.
6. Wet lab facilities are not available.
7. Resultantly, instrumentation and training facilities are inadequate.
8. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in DO course from the academic session 2008-2009.

54 NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada – Approval of Gandhi Medical College, Secunderabad for the award of M.D.(Pharmacology) qualification in respect of increased intake.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Gandhi Medical College, Secunderabad for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.D.(Pharmacology) qualification granted by NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada in respect of increase intake.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and noted that Gandhi Medical College, Secunderabad already stands approved for the award of M.D.(Pharmacology) qualification with 2 (two) seats and now the matter is under consideration for approval of the college against the increased intake; decided to recommend that Gandhi Medical College, Secunderabad be approved for the award of M.D.(Pharmacology) qualification granted by NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada against the increased intake restricting the number of admissions to 4(four) students per year.

55 Rajasthan University and Rajasthan University of Health Sciences – Recognition of MD (Psychiatry) qualification in respect of students being trained at Govt. Medical College, Kota.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Kota for purpose of recognition of MD (Psychiatry) qualification granted by Rajasthan University and Rajasthan University of Health Sciences.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (June, 2007) and decided to recommend that MD (Psychiatry) qualification granted by Rajasthan University and Rajasthan University of Health Sciences in respect of students being trained at Govt. Medical College, Kota be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 2 (two) students per year.

56 Dr. N.T.R University of Health Sciences – Approval of Deccan College of Medical Sciences for the award of MD (Biochemistry) qualification.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June/July, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Deccan College of Medical Sciences

for purpose of approval of the college for the award of MD(Biochemistry) qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences..

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (June/July, 2007) and decided to recommend that Deccan College of Medical Sciences be approved for the award of MD(Biochemistry) qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences restricting the number of admissions to 2 (two) students per year.

57 Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune – Recognition of MD(Microbiology) qualification in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune for purpose of recognition of MD (Microbiology) qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (June, 2007) and decided to recommend that MD (Microbiology) qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 3 (three) students per year.

58 Sri Venkateshwara University – Recognition of MD(Forensic Medicine) qualification in respect of students being trained at Kurnool Medical College, Kurnool.

Dr. N.T.R University of Health Sciences – Approval of Kurnool Medical College, Kurnool for the award of MD(Forensic Medicine) qualification.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kurnool Medical college, Kurnool for purpose of recognition of MD(Forensic Medicine) and (ii) approval of the college for the award of MD(Forensic Medicine) qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences alongwith letter dated 10.7.2007 received from the President, Andhra Pradesh Government Doctors' Association, Hyderabad.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) alongwith letter dated 10.7.2007 received from the President, Andhra Pradesh Government Doctors' Association, Hyderabad and decided not to recommend recognition/approval of Kurnool Medical college, Kurnool for the award of MD(Forensic Medicine) qualification granted by Sri Venkateshwara University/Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences because of the following:-

1. Teaching faculty is deficient by 1 Assistant Professor and 1 Tutor considering additional requirement for postgraduate studies.
2. Open mortuary with fly proofing arrangement is not available.
3. Total number of journals in the central library are only 40 which is inadequate.
4. Departmental library facilities are also inadequate.
5. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admission in M.D.(Forensic Medicine) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

59 Dr. N.T.R University of Health Sciences – Approval of Mamta Medical College, Khammam for the award of DTCD qualification.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Mamta Medical College, Khammam for purpose of approval of the college for the award of DTCD qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and decided not to approve Mamta Medical College, Khammam for the award of D.T.C.D. qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences because of the following :-

1. AFB culture sensitivity facility is not available.
2. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admission in DTCD course from the academic session 2008-2009.

60 Gujarat University - Recognition of D.M.(Nephrology) qualification in respect of students being trained at Institute of Kidney Diseases and Research Center attached with B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (October, 2006) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Institute of Kidney Diseases and Research Center attached with B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad togetherwith compliance for purpose of recognition of D.M.(Nephrology) qualification granted by Gujarat University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (October, 2006) together with compliance and decided not to recommend recognition of D.M.(Nephrology) qualification granted by Gujarat University in respect of students being trained at Institute of Kidney Diseases and Research Center attached with B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad because of the following:-

1. Prof. & HOD Dr. P.R. Shah does not possess requisite super-speciality qualification.
2. Dr. D.N. Gera, Assoc. Prof. is possessing D.M. qualification after doing DNB in Nephrology
3. Dr. M.N. Dabhi, Asstt. Prof. does not possess requisite super-speciality qualification. Resultantly, teaching complement is incomplete.
4. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in D.M.(Nephrology) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

61 Mumbai University – Recognition of M.D.(General Medicine) qualifications in respect of students being trained at K.J. Somaiya Medical College & Research Centre, Mumbai.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (July, 2006) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at K.J. Somaiya Medical College & Research Centre, Mumbai togetherwith compliance for purpose of recognition of M.D. (General Medicine) qualification granted by Mumbai University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (July,2006), compliance submitted by the college along with inspection report (Feb.,2007) and noted that the compliance is unsatisfactory; decided to reiterate its earlier decision taken at its meeting held on 28.2.2007 recommending not to recognize M.D. (General Medicine) qualification granted by Mumbai University in respect of students being trained at K.J. Somaiya Medical College & Research Centre, Mumbai because of the following:-

1. Compliance is unsatisfactory as this is merely an explanation and not a compliance for the rectification of the deficiencies.
2. No new teacher has been appointed. The experience as honorary teacher cannot be accepted for full time teaching post.
3. CT Scan continues to remain unavailable.
4. Bed occupancy is inadequate at 70%. Resultantly, clinical material is inadequate.
5. Research laboratory continues to remain unavailable.
6. Facilities for endocrine and special investigations continue to remain unavailable.
7. No compliance has been submitted as to how the inadequacy of office space has been rectified.
8. No compliance has been submitted with regard to the discrepancy in the postgraduate teaching schedule vis-à-vis the attendance register.
9. No compliance has been submitted regarding lack of research activities in the department.
10. The contention of the institute pertaining to Section 11(2) of the I.M.C. Act,1956 is not applicable in the instant case as the degree is not yet recognized by the Council. Original Letter of Permission issued by the Central Govt. permitting the institute to

admit the students for M.D.(General Medicine) came to an end when the first batch appeared in the M.D.(General Medicine) examination. At present the degree is not recognized and the institute does not have any permission for the academic year 2007-08 to admit the students for the course of M.D.(General Medicine).

11. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in M.D. (General Medicine) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

The Postgraduate Committee further directed the Dean, K.J. Somaiya Medical College & Research Centre, Mumbai to strictly conform the decision of stoppage of admission communicated in this regard.

62 Starting of M.Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery) course at Pt. B.D. Sharma PGIMS, Rohtak under Maharishi Dayanand University, Rohtak u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The compliance together with the Council Inspector's report (December, 2006) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Pt. B.D. Sharma PGIMS, Rohtak under Maharishi Dayanand University, Rohtak for consideration of starting of M.Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance together with the Council Inspector's report (December, 2006) and observed that the compliance is unsatisfactory; decided to reiterate its earlier decision taken at its meeting held on 26.2.2007 recommending to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting of M.Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery) course granted by Maharishi Dayanand University, Rohtak u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following:-

1. Operative workload is inadequate (Major 1/day, Minor 2/day).
2. Promotion of Dr. S.S. Lohchab, Professor & HOD is not as per Regulations as he does not possess 4 years of experience as Assoc.Prof.
3. Assoc. Prof. Dr. Vinod Mallick does not possess requisite recognized super speciality qualification.
4. Resultantly, teaching complement is incomplete.
5. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

63 Starting of MD(Biochemistry) course at Pt. J.L.N. Medical College, Raipur under Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The compliance together with the compliance verification inspection report (February, 2007) and Council Inspector's report (September, 2006) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Pt. J.L.N. Medical College, Raipur under Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University for consideration of starting of MD(Biochemistry) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance together with the compliance verification inspection report (February, 2007) and Council Inspector's report (September, 2006) and observed that the compliance is unsatisfactory; decided to reiterate its earlier decision taken at its meeting held on 26.2.2007 recommending to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting of MD (Biochemistry) course granted by Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following:-

1. Dr. P.K. Khodiar has not been replaced by any other teacher as he does not possess the requisite experience required for promotion to the post of Professor. The teaching faculty component remains inadequate for postgraduate studies. Deficiency remains as it is.
2. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

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

Read: The compliance verification inspection report (May, 2007) together with the Council Inspector's report (January, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at M.S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore for consideration of starting of D.M.(Endocrinology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (May, 2007) together with the Council Inspector's report (January, 2007) and observed that the compliance is unsatisfactory; decided to reiterate its earlier decision taken at its meeting held on 26.2.2007 recommending to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting of D.M.(Endocrinology) course granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following:-

1. The clinical material is still inadequate (Indoor 192 per year i.e. 0.64 per day OPD 40 per day).
2. Dr. Gita K. Bhat, shown as Associate Professor, does not possess the prescribed academic qualification and teaching experience required for the post of Associate Professor as she possesses the fellowship in Endocrinology & Diabetes from University of Cincinnati and has only 3 years experience in a recognized medical college.
3. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

65 Restarting of MD (TB & Chest Diseases) course at Mysore Medical College & Research Instt., Mysore.

Read: The compliance verification inspection report (July, 2007) for recognition of MD (TB & Chest Diseases) qualification granted by Mysore University/Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (July, 2007) and decided to reiterate its earlier decision taken at its meeting held on 25.2.2004 not to permit to restart MD (TB & Chest Diseases) qualification granted by Mysore University/Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore because of the following:-

1. Dr. Y. Laxman, Professor & HOD does not possess recognized postgraduate qualification.
2. Average daily bed occupancy is 65% which is inadequate.
3. Facilities for AFB culture, AFB C/S, ELISA for M.Tuberculosis & PCR for M. Tuberculosis are not available in the institute. Resultantly, training facilities are inadequate.
4. Blood gas analysis machine is non-functional.
5. X-ray, diagnostic facilities and instrumentation are inadequate in the institute.
6. The laboratories of Pathology, Microbiology and Biochemistry were working only from between 9.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m. which is not conducive for functioning of a medical college & hospital.
7. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

The Postgraduate Committee also noted the following deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report dated 09.12.2006 carried out for continuance of recognition of MBBS degree:-

1. The shortage of teaching staff is as under:-
 - a) Faculty 33.5% (i.e. 59 out of 176)
 - i) Professor- 2 (Forensic Medicine-1, PSM-1)
 - ii) Assoc.Profs.-27 (Anatomy-3, Physiology-2, Biochemistry-1, Pathology-3, Microbiology-2, Pharmacology-1, Forensic Medicine-1, PSM-1, TBCD-1, Psychiatry-1, Paediatrics-3, Surgery-2, Ortho.-1, Ophthalmology-3, OBG-1 & Dental-1)

- iii) Asstt.Profs.- 25 (Anatomy-3,Physiology-2,Biochemistry-1, Pathology-1, Microbiology-2, PSM-4, Psychiatry-1, Surgery-5, Ophthalmology-1, OBG-5)
- iv) Tutor – 10 (Pharmacology-5, FM-1, PSM-4)
- b) Residents 17.8% (i.e. 20 out of 112)
- i) Sr. Resident – 9 (Paediatrics-3, OBG-1, Radio-Diagnosis-2, Anaes.-3)
- ii) Jr. Resident – 11 (Psychiatry-3, Surgery-2, Ophthalmology-6)
2. In O.P.D., waiting area is not available in registration counters. Registration is done manually and no computers are available. The entire OPD is spread in different floors of the Hospital. Medicine OPD functions from two common halls with 3 tables each. There are no cubicles or x-ray view box available. Paediatric OP, functions in a common hall with four tables. TBCD OP functions from a hall with two tables. There is no class room available for any of the departments. Surgery OP functions from 3 cubicles with only one x-ray lobby. There is no class room. Plaster room & Plaster cutting are done in the same room. No Class room is available for Ophthalmology OP. Audiometry room is not available.
3. Dr. B.D. Satyanarayana, Medical Superintendent of K.R. Hospital has got 8 years administrative experience. Dr. Chandrakanth D. Madiwal, Medical Superintendent of Cheluvamba Hospital has administrative experience of 2 years and are not eligible to hold the posts of Medical Superintendent.
4. In wards, there are no class rooms or ward labs in the respective departments.
5. No Central oxygen supply and central suction are available in the central casualty. No ventilator, nil defibrillator and one pulse oximeters are available. No disaster trolley is available.
6. Central laboratory services are very rudimentary that only basic haematological and clinico pathological investigations are done in the OPD in two locations. These are managed only by technicians.
7. There are 06 major and 06 minor operation theatres having totals 18 tables which are inadequate and also not as per norms.
8. Radiological facilities are inadequate. Only 2 static units are available. No mobile units is available.
9. Central Sterilization department is not available.
10. Paramedical staff is grossly inadequate as under:-
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| Laboratory Technicians | - | 07 |
| Laboratory Assistants | - | 01 |
| Laboratory Attendants | - | 03 |
11. There is no statistical unit in the college.
12. R.H.T.C. at Gargeshwari is under the control of the Government and the college is allowed to use its facilities for teaching purposes. Mess facilities are not available. No audio-visual aids have been provided.
13. U.H.C. is not under financial and administrative control of Principal.
14. Hostels are inadequate for students. Undergraduate boys hostel accommodates interns also in 14 rooms.
15. Postgraduate girls hostel accommodates interns also in 18 rooms.
16. Nurses are provided residential accommodation in 26 single bed room houses which is inadequate.
17. Total 20 staff quarters are available outside the campus which is inadequate.
18. Psychiatry department does not have HOD.
19. Bed occupancy was 74% on the day of inspection.
20. Registration and Medical Record Section is not computerized. Indoor registration counter is not computerized.
21. There is no mechanized laundry available.
22. There is no provision to supply special diet as recommended by Physician in the kitchen.
23. There are deficiencies in the infrastructure of all the departments.
24. Other deficiencies/remarks in the main report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admission in MD (TB & Chest Diseases) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

66 **H & FWD – Academic – Medical PG admission to in-service candidates – regarding.**

Read: The letter dated 4/7/2007 from Secretary to Govt., Health & Family Welfare Department, Thiruvananthapuram regarding exemption of teachers once qualified in the entrance examination for PG and Super specialty courses from appearing each year for the same examination in case they do not get placement in the same year.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter dated 4/7/2007 from Secretary to Govt., Health & Family Welfare Department, Thiruvananthapuram and decided to authorize the Chairman to constitute a Sub-Committee to look into the matter keeping in view the decision taken by the Postgraduate Committee at its meeting held on 7.6.2005 on a similar request.

67. **Hoping for favourable action for our genuine and long pending requests – Reminding – request letter please.**

Read: The representation dated 7.5.2007 from NRI Professionals Association in the above matter.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the representation dated 7.5.2007 from NRI Professionals Association and decided to authorize the Chairman to constitute a Sub-Committee to look into the matter.

68 **To note the LOP issued by the Central Govt., Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi for starting/increase of seats in Postgraduate courses in various medical colleges u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.**

The Postgraduate Committee noted the Letters of Permission for starting/increase of seats in the postgraduate courses in various Medical colleges issued by Central Govt., Ministry of Health & F.W. u/s 10 A of the IMC Act, 1956:-

<u>Sl. No</u>	<u>Name of the Institutes</u>	<u>Subjects</u>	<u>LOP by Govt..</u>
1.	Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Instt., Pondicherry.	MD(OBG) & D.G.O. – 2 seats each.	23/3/2007
2.	Mahatma Gandhi Medical College and Research Institute, Pondicherry	MS(Ophth.) & DO – 1 seat each.	23/3/2007.
3.	SVS Medical College, Mahboobnagar.	MD(Psychiatry) & DPM – 1 seat each.	23/3/2007.
4.	Narayna Medical College, Nellore. (Increase of seats).	MS (Ortho.) – 1 to 3 seats.	23/3/2007.
5.	Kamineni Institute of Medical Sciences, Narketpally.	MD(Radio-Diag.) & DMRD – 2 seats each.	23/3/2007.
6.	Dr. D.Y. Patil Medical College, Kolhapur. (Increase of seats).	MD(Obst. & Gynae.) – 2 to 3 seats.	30/5/2007.
7.	Dr. D.Y. Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune. (Increase of seats).	MD(Radio-Diag.) – 3 to 4 seats.	30/5/2007.
8.	K.S. Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore.	MD(Radio-Diag.) – 1 seat.	30/5/2007.
9.	Dr. D.Y. Patil Medical College, Kolhapur.	MD(Anaesthesia)	30/5/2007.
10.	Narayna Medical College, Nellore. (Increase of seats).	MD(Obst. & Gynae.) – 2 to 3 seats.	23/3/2007.
11.	Alluri Sitarama Raju Academy of Medical Sciences, Eluru.	MD(General Medicine) – 4 seats.	28/3/2007.
12.	Alluri Sitarama Raju Academy of Medical Sciences, Eluru.	MD(Anaesthesia) & D.A. – 2 seats each.	28/3/2007.
13.	NKP Salve Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Nagpur.	MD(General Med.) – 4 seats.	23/3/2007.
14.	NKP Salve Instt. Of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Nagpur.	MD(Obst. & Gynae.) & DGO – 1 seat each.	23/3/2007.
15.	J.N. Medical College, Swangi, Wardha. (Increase of seats).	MS(Ortho.) – 1 to 3 seats.	23/3/2007.

16.	Mata Gujri Medical College and Research, Kishanganj.	MD(General Medicine) – 3 seats.	23/3/2007.
17.	-do-	MD(Microbiology) – 2 seats.	23/3/2007.
18.	-do-	MD(DVL) – 1 seat.	23/3/2007.
19.	-do-	MS(General Surgery) – 3 seats.	23/3/2007.
20.	-do-	MD(Paediatrics) & DCH – 1 seat each.	23/3/2007.
21.	-do-	MD(OBG) & D.G.O. – 2 seats each.	23/3/2007.
22.	-do-	D. Ortho. – 2 seats.	23/3/2007.
23.	-do-	MD(Biochemistry) – 2 seats.	23/3/2007.
24.	Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research, Institute Pondicherry.	MS(General Surgery) – 4 seats.	23/3/2007.
25.	-do-	MS(ENT) – 1 seat.	23/3/2007.
26.	-do-	MD(DVL) & DDVL- 1 seat each.	23/3/2007.
27.	Dr. D.Y. Patil Medical College, Navi Mumbai.	MD(OBG) & D.G.O. – 3 seats each.	23/3/2007.
28.	NKP Salve Instt. Of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Nagpur.	MD(Anaes.) & D.A. – 2 seats each.	23/3/2007.
29.	-do-	MS(ENT) – 1 seat.	23/3/2007.
30.	Annasaheb Chudaman Memorial Medical College, Dhule.	MD(Pathology) – 2 seats.	23/3/2007.
31.	-do-	MD(Paediatrics) – 2 seats.	23/3/2007.
32.	-do-	MD(Microbiology) – 2 seats.	23/3/2007.
33.	-do-	MD(General Medicine) – 4 seats.	23/3/2007.
34.	J.N. Swangi Medical College, Swangi, Wardha. (Increase of seats).	MD(Paediatrics) – 2 to 3 seats.	23/3/2007.
35.	-do-	MD(Anaesthesia) – 2 to 4 seats.	23/3/2007.
36.	Mamata Medical College, Khammam. (Increase of seats).	MD(Anaes.) – 2 to 3 seats.	23/3/2007.
37.	-do-	MD(DVL) – 1 to 2 seats.	23/3/2007.
38.	-do-	MD(Psychiatry) – 1 to 2 seats.	23/3/2007.
39.	-do-	MD(General Med.) – 4 to 6 seats.	23/3/2007.
40.	-do-	MD(OBG) – 3 to 4 seats.	23/3/2007.
41.	-do-	MS(General Surgery) – 4 to 6 seats.	23/3/2007.
42.	-do-	MS(Ortho.) – 2 to 3 seats.	23/3/2007.
43.	-do-	MS(Ophthalmology) – 1 to 2 seats.	23/3/2007.
44.	-do-	MS(ENT) – 1 to 2 seats.	23/3/2007.
45.	Sri Guru Ram Das Instt. Of Medical Sciences, Amritsar.	MS(Orthopaedics) – 1 seat.	15/5/2007.
46.	-do-	MS(Ophth.) – 1 seats.	15/5/2007.
	-do-	MD(Paed.) – 2 seats	28/3/2007.
47.	-do-	MD(Radio-Diag.) – 2 seats.	29/3/2007.
47.	Narayna Medical College, Nellore. (Increase of seats).	MD(Paed.) – 2 to 3 seats.	23/3/2007.
48.	MIMRS Medical College, Latur.	MD(Pathology) – 2 seats.	15/5/2007.
49.	-do-	MS(Ophthalmology) – 1 seat.	15/5/2007.
50.	Krishna Instt. Of Medical Sciences, Karad. (Increase of seats.)	MS(Ortho.) & D.Ortho. – 1 to 2 seats.	23/3/2007.
51.	Yenepoya Medical College, Mangalore. (Increase of seats).	MS(Ortho.) – 1 to 2 seats.	23/3/2007.
52.	M.S. Ramaiah Medical College, Bangalore.	DM(Neurology) – 1 seat.	15/5/2007.

54.	Alluri Sitarama Raju Academy of Medical Sciences, Eluru.	MS(Gen. Surgery)- 4 seats.	28/3/2007.
55.	-do-	MS(Ophthalmology) & DO – 1 seat each.	28/3/2007.
56.	Kamineni Institute of Medical Sciences, Narketpally. (Increase of seats).	MS(Orthopaedics) – 2 to 3 seats.	29/3/2007.
57.	Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute, Pondicherry.	MD(Psychiatry) – 1 seat.	23/3/2007.
59.	C.U. Shah Medical College, Surendranagar.	MD(Microbiology) – 2 seats.	28/3/2007.
60.	-do-	MD(Pathology) – 2 seats.	28/3/2007.

69 Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune – Recognition of M.D.(Pathology) qualification in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune for purpose of recognition of M.D.(Pathology) qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) and decided not to recommend recognition of M.D.(Pathology) qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Pimpri, Pune in respect of students being trained at Padmshree Dr. DY Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune because of the following:-

1. Facilities for Immuno chemistry is not available.
2. Electron microscopy is not available.
3. Resultantly, instrumentation and teaching facilities are inadequate.
4. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admission in MD (Pathology) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

70 Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai – Recognition of D.O qualification in respect of students being trained at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai for purpose of recognition of D.O qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) and decided not to recommend recognition of D.O qualification granted by Dr. D.Y. Patil University, Navi Mumbai in respect of students being trained at Dr. DY Patil Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Navi Mumbai because of the following:-

1. The promotion of Dr. Nupur Chakraborty, Professor is not as per MCI norms as she was promoted to the post of Associate Professor with only 3 years experience as Assistant Professor which is not as per norms.
2. The promotion of Dr. A.J. Khokani, Professor is not as per MCI norms as he possesses only teaching experience as Assistant Professor of 5 years and 6 months. His experience as honorary professor cannot be considered.
3. Resultantly, teaching complement is inadequate as there is no Associate Professor in the unit or in the department.
4. Equipments like Fundus fluorescein angiography, automated perimeter, B scan are not available.
5. There is no facility for Eye bank
6. There are only 4 specimens and 30 charts in the departmental museum which is inadequate
7. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admission in DO course from the academic session 2008-2009.

71 Rajasthan University of Health Sciences – Recognition of MS (Ophthalmology) qualification in respect of students being trained at Govt. Medical College, Kota.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Kota for purpose of recognition of MS (Ophthalmology) qualification granted by Rajasthan University of Health Sciences.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) and decided not to recommend recognition of MS (Ophthalmology) qualification granted by Rajasthan University of Health Sciences in respect of students being trained at Govt. Medical College, Kota because of the following:-

1. Average daily bed occupancy is 41%. Average daily operative work load is major – 2, minor-3. Resultantly, clinical material is inadequate.
2. Special clinics like Squint clinic, Retina clinic and Ophthalmoplasty clinic are not available.
3. Eye bank is not available.
4. Facilities for Retinal repairs, Keratoplasty are not available.
5. Equipments like Flourescein angiography, 90D and 78 lenses, Streak Retinoscope, Contact lens set, Synoptophone and other instruments related to Orthoptic work up and squint clinic are not available. Resultantly, instrumentation and teaching facilities are inadequate.
6. Number of journals available in the central library are 66 which is inadequate.
7. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admission in MS (Ophthalmology) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

72 Osmania University, Andhra Pradesh University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada & NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada – Recognition of MD (Radiology/Radio- Diagnosis) qualification in respect of students being trained at Gandhi Medical College, Hyderabad.

Read: The compliance verification inspection report (July, 2007) along with the inspection report (May, 2001) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Gandhi Medical College, Hyderabad for purpose of recognition of MD (Radiology/ Radio-Diagnosis) qualification granted by Osmania University, Andhra Pradesh University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada & NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (July, 2007) along with the inspection report (May, 2001) and decided not to recommend recognition of MD (Radiology/ Radio-Diagnosis) qualification granted by Osmania University, Andhra Pradesh University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada & NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada in respect of students being trained at Gandhi Medical College, Hyderabad because of the following:-

1. Dr. N. Krishna Veni, Associate Professor; Dr. Hanumanth Prasad and Dr. Mahendra Kumar, Assistant Professor do not possess recognized postgraduate qualification. Dr. P. Surekha, Associate Professor and Dr. Anuritha Menon, Asstt. Prof. do not possess prescribed academic qualification required for the respective post. Resultantly, teaching complement is deficient by 1 Associate Professor, 1 Asstt. Professor and 1 Tutor additionally required for postgraduate studies.
2. Colour Doppler and mammography are not available. Resultantly, instrumentation is inadequate.
3. Only 4 Static and 3 Mobile x-ray machines were in working order on the day of inspection which is inadequate for an institute having 150 admissions with postgraduate courses.
4. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admission in MD (Radiology/Radio-Diagnosis) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

73. Parvara Rural University – Recognition of DCP qualification in respect of students being trained at Rural Medical College, Loni.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (July, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Rural Medical College, Loni for purpose of recognition of DCP qualification granted by Parvara Rural University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (July,2007) and decided not to recommend recognition of DCP qualification granted by Parvara Rural University in respect of students being trained at Rural Medical College, Loni because of the following:-

1. Dr. D.K. Ghosh shown as Professor is not qualified to hold the post as he possesses only 1 year & 8 months experience as Associate Professor and total 6 years experience as Tutor and Asstt. Prof. Resultantly, teaching complement is inadequate by 1 Associate Professor additionally required for postgraduate studies.
2. Electron microscopy is not available. Immuno chemistry is not available. Resultantly, instrumentation is inadequate.
3. Histopathology, FNC and Cytology work is inadequate.
4. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admission in DCP course from the academic session 2008-2009.

74. Starting of M.Ch.(Neuro-Surgery) course at Deccan College of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad under NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The letter dated 10th July, 2007 received from Dr. PPS Mathur, Council Inspector informing the Council that Deccan College of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad is not ready of inspection for starting of M.Ch.(Neuro-Surgery) course.

The Postgraduate Committee noted the letter dated 10th July, 2007 received from Dr. PPS Mathur of Jaipur, Council Inspector, informing the Council that Deccan College of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad is not ready for inspection for starting of M.Ch.(Neuro-Surgery) course under NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956; decided to return back the application of the Institute to the Central Govt., Ministry of Health & F.W., New Delhi.

75 Starting of M.Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery), M.Ch.(Urology) and M.Ch.(Gastroenterology) course at S.C.B. Medical College, Cuttack under u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The letter dated 12/7/2007 received from the Principal, S.C.B. Medical College, Cuttack for postponement of inspection for starting of M.Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery), M.Ch.(Urology) and M.Ch.(Gastroenterology) courses at their college.

The Postgraduate Committee noted the letter dated 12th July, 2007 received from Principal, S.C.B. Medical College, Cuttack for postponement of inspection for starting of M.Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery), M.Ch.(Urology) and M.Ch.(Gastroenterology) courses at their college u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956; decided to return back the application of the Institute to the Central Govt., Ministry of Health & F.W., New Delhi.

76 Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore – Permitting intake in M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.) & DGO course in respect of students being trained at M.R. Medical College, Gulbarga.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (March, 2007) on physical and other teaching facilities available at M.R. Medical College, Gulbarga for purpose of permitting of intake in MD(Obst. & Gynae.) & DGO qualification granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (March, 2007) for purpose of permitting of intake in MD(Obst. & Gynae.) & DGO qualifications at M.R. Medical College, Gulbarga and noted the following:-

1. Although there are 2000 deliveries per year, there are more deliveries at Sangameshwar Hospital where only 1 unit is functioning as compared with Basaveshwar Hospital where 2 units are functioning. Resultantly, the available clinical material at Basaveshwar Hospital where 2 units are functioning is inadequate. The cesaerean section rate at Basaveshwar Hospital is 40% which is very high for a teaching hospital. On an average 1-3 major and 2-3 minor Gynaec. surgeries performed per day which is inadequate.
2. There is no Obstetric ICU in either of the hospital.
3. Speciality clinics like MTP & Gynaec. Endocrine Clinics are not available.
4. Histroscopy equipment is not available. Resultantly, instrumentation is inadequate.
5. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Postgraduate Committee decided not to permit increased intake in M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.) & DGO course at M.R. Medical College, Gulbarga for the academic year 2007-08 restricting intake to 3 (three) students for MD (Obst. & Gynae.) and 2 (two) students for DGO courses.

77 NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada – Approval of Gandhi Medical College, Secunderabad for the award of M.S.(Anatomy) qualification in respect of increased intake.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Gandhi Medical College, Secunderabad for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.S.(Anatomy) qualification granted by NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada in respect of increase intake.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and noted that Gandhi Medical College, Secunderabad already stands approved for the award of M.S.(Anatomy) qualification with 2 (two) seats and now the matter is under consideration for approval of the college against the increased intake; decided to recommend that Gandhi Medical College, Secunderabad be approved for the award of M.S.(Anatomy) qualification granted by NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada against the increased intake restricting the number of admissions to 4(four) students per year.

78 Bharati Vidyapeeth University – Recognition of MD (Paediatrics) qualification in respect of students being trained at Bharati Vidyapeeth Medical college, Pune.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Bharati Vidyapetth Medical College, Pune for purpose of recognition of MD (Paediatrics) qualification granted by Bharati Vidyapeeth University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June,2007) and decided to seek the following clarification from the college authorities:-

1. Dr. Rajadhyksha Surekha is shown as Professor with full time, permanent appointment but the emoluments (as salary) paid to her is only Rs. 16,000/- per month against Rs. 40,000 to Rs. 44,000 paid to other two Professors; on inquiring about this discrepancy, was told that in addition she is paid Rs. 150/- for each EEG performed by her. In view of this may be her appointment is of part time Professor.
2. In the same manner, Dr. Mankar Sanjay is shown as Lecturer/Asstt.Prof. with full time, permanent appointment and the emoluments paid to him is Rs. 8,000/- per month as against around Rs. 20,000/- per month paid to other Lecturers of his cadre.
3. Dr. Malshe Nandini, Dr. Deshpande Sujata and Dr. Palkar Sonali have the appointment orders and salary slips of Lectutrer/Asstt.Professors, while they are shown working as Senior Residents in the department.

The Committee further decided to defer the consideration of the matter till the above information is received from the authorities concerned.

79 Dr. N.T.R University of Health Sciences – Approval of Kamineni Instt. of Medical Sciences, Narkatpally for the award of DCH qualification.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kamineni Instt. of Medical Sciences, Narkatpally for purpose of approval of the college for the award of DCH qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (June, 2007) and decided not to approve Kamineni Instt. of Medical Sciences, Narkatpally for the award of DCH qualification granted by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences because of the following:-

1. Dr. S.R. Thomas and Dr. K. Satyanarayan, Assoc. Profs. do not possess recognized postgraduate qualification.
2. Departmental Research Laboratory is inadequate.
3. Departmental library has no journals.
4. Other deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admission in DCH course from the academic session 2008-2009.

80 Parvara Rural University – Recognition of D. Ortho qualification in respect of students being trained at Rural Medical College, Loni.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (July, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Rural Medical College, Loni for purpose of recognition of D. Ortho. qualification granted by Parvara Rural University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (July, 2007) and decided to recommend not to recognize D. Ortho. qualification granted by Parvara Rural University in respect of students being trained at Rural Medical College, Loni because of the following:-

1. Clinical material & operative workload is inadequate.
2. Average daily bed occupancy is 75%.
3. Number of books in the departmental library are 62 which is inadequate.
4. Departmental museum and departmental research laboratory are not available.
5. Dr. Ashish Somani, Assoc.Prof. in Unit-I does not possess prescribed academic qualification required for the post. Dr. Sanjay Dev, Asstt.Prof. was absent on the day of inspection. Resultantly, teaching complement is inadequate in Unit-I.
6. Unit-III has only 2 teachers against the requirement of 3. Both of them, Dr. Avinash Pulate, Professor and Dr. Sanjay Deshpandey, Asstt. Prof. in Unit-III were absent on the day of inspection. Resultantly, no PG teacher is available in Unit-III.
7. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in D. Ortho. course from the academic session 2008-2009.

81 Sri Ramachandra University – Recognition of MD (Anaesthesia) qualification in respect of students being trained at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai in respect of increased intake.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai for purpose of recognition of MD (Anaesthesia) qualification granted by Sri Ramachandra University in respect of increased intake.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) and noted that MD (Anaesthesia) qualification already stand recognized and now the matter is for consideration of recognition of the qualification in respect of increased intake and decided to recommend that MD (Anaesthesia) qualification granted by Sri Ramachandra University in respect of students being trained at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 5 (five) students per year.

The Committee further decided to reduce the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year in DA course in conformity with the Regulations on Postgraduate Medical Education, 2000.

82 Bombay University/Mumbai University/Maharashtra University of Health Sciences – Recognition of MD (Dermatology/Dermatology, Venerology & Leprosy) qualification in respect of students being trained at Instt. of Navel Medicine, Asvini, Mumbai.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Instt. of Navel Medicine, Asvini, Mumbai for purpose of recognition of MD (Dermatology/Dermatology, Venerology & Leprosy) qualification granted by Bombay University/Mumbai University/Maharashtra University of Health Sciences.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (May, 2007) and decided to recommend that MD (Dermatology/Dermatology, Venerology & Leprosy) qualification granted by Bombay University/Mumbai University/Maharashtra University of Health Sciences in respect of students being trained at Instt. of Navel Medicine, Asvini, Mumbai be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year.

83 SV University, Andhra Pradesh University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada & NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada – Recognition of MD (Pharmacology) qualification in respect of students being trained at SV Medical college, Tirupati.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at SV Medical College, Tirupati for purpose of recognition of MD (Pharmacology) qualification granted by SV University, Andhra Pradesh University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada & NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (June, 2007) and decided to recommend that MD (Pharmacology) qualification granted by SV University, Andhra Pradesh University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada & NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada in respect of students being trained at SV Medical College, Tirupati be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year.

84 Parvara Rural University – Recognition of DO qualification in respect of students being trained at Rural Medical College, Loni.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (July, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Rural Medical College, Loni for purpose of recognition of DO qualification granted by Parvara Rural University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (July, 2007) and decided not to recommend recognition of DO qualification granted by Parvara Rural University in respect of students being trained at Rural Medical College, Loni because of the following:-

1. The promotion of Dr. Neeta Misra, Professor in Unit-I is irregular as she possesses experience of 3 years & 11 months only as Assistant Professor. Dr. Jyoti Gojamgunde shown as Assistant Professor does not possess the prescribed teaching experience of 3 years as Tutor. Hence, she cannot be considered as Assistant Professor. Resultantly, teaching complement is incomplete in Unit-I.
2. Average daily bed occupancy is 43.78%. Average daily operative workload is major 2-3 and minor 1-2. Resultantly, clinical material is inadequate.
3. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admission in DO course from the academic session 2008-2009.

85. West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata – Recognition of MD (Radio-therapy) qualification in respect of students being trained at Medical College, Calcutta.

Read: The compliance togetherwith Council Inspector's report (April, 2007) on the standard examination and other teaching facilities for recognition of MD (Radio-therapy) qualification granted by West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata in respect of students being trained at Medical College, Calcutta.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance togetherwith Council Inspector's report (April, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Medical College, Calcutta and decided to advise the institution authorities to reorganize the unit in terms of beds strength as per MCI norms.

The Committee further decided to defer the consideration of the matter till the information is received.

86 Recognition of MBBS and various PG courses granted by the West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata.

Read: The request dated 6.6.2007 received from the Registrar, West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata for recognition of Medical qualifications earlier granted by Calcutta University, Burdwan University and North Bengal University of Health Sciences.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the request dated 6.6.2007 received from the Registrar, West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata and noted that all the MBBS seats have been affiliated to West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata and PG degree & diploma and Post Doctoral course in different disciplines of Medical Sciences from the year 2004.

The Committee further noted that earlier the qualifications were granted by Calcutta University, Burdwan University and North Bengal University of Health Sciences respectively and included in the Schedule; decided to include the said qualifications under West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata in the governing schedule as recognized postgraduate qualifications.

87 Starting of M.Ch.(Neurosurgery) course at Christian Medical College, Ludhiana granted by Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Faridkot.

Read: The compliance verification report (July, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Christian Medical College, Ludhiana for consideration of starting of M.Ch.(Neurosurgery) under Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Faridkot u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification report (July, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of M.Ch.(Neurosurgery) course at Christian Medical College, Ludhiana under Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Faridkot u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 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 the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

88 Starting of M.Ch.(Neuro-Surgery) course at Thanjavur Medical College, Thanjavur under The Tamilnadu Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The compliance verification report (July, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Thanjavur Medical College, Thanjavur under The Tamilnadu Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai for consideration of starting of M.Ch.(Neuro-Surgery) course.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification report (July, 2007) and decided to obtain a clarification from the college authorities in regard to Dr. V. Sundar who has been shown as a non-teaching faculty in the inspection report as well as in

the Declaration Forms. However, the break-up of his experience in the Declaration Form is that he is Professor at the said college from 5.5.2001 till date.

The Committee further decided to defer the consideration of the matter till the information is received.

89 Patna University – Recognition of MD (Community Medicine/PSM) qualification in respect of students being trained at Patna Medical College, Patna.

Read: The compliance submitted by the Principal, Patna Medical College, Patna vide letter dt. 16.07.07 on the deficiencies pointed out in the Council inspector report (March, 07) carried out for recognition of MD (Community Medicine/PSM) granted by Patna University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector report (June, 2007) and decided to recommend that MD (Community Medicine/PSM) granted by Patna University in respect of students being trained at Patna Medical College, Patna be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 2 (two) students per year.

90 Sri Ramachandra University – Recognition of MCh. (Genito-Urinary Surgery/Urology) qualification in respect of students being trained at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai in respect of increased intake.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai for purpose of recognition of MCh. (Genito-Urinary Surgery/Urology) qualification granted by Sri Ramachandra University in respect of increased intake.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (June, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Instt., Chennai and decided to advise the institution authorities to reorganize the unit in terms of beds strength as per MCI norms.

The Committee further decided to defer the consideration of the matter till the information is received.

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