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MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA
POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Minutes of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee meeting held on 13th May, 2014 at 10.30 a.m in the Office of the Medical Council of India, Pocket-14, Sector-8, Dwarka, New Delhi.

Present:

1.	Dr. S.B. Siwach -	Chairman, Former Director, Pandit B D Sharma PGI, Rohtak, Haryana
2.	Dr. Datteswar Hota	Professor & HoD, SCB Medical College & Hospital, Cuttack, Orissa
3.	Prof.(Dr.) Dhruba Jyoti Borah	Principal-cum-Chief Suptd., Jorhat Medical College & Hospital, Jorhat
4.	Dr. K S Sharma	Director Academics, Director, Edu. (TMC) & Prof. & HoD, Deptt. of Anaesthesia, Tata Memorial Centre, Mumbai
5.	Dr. Putta Srinivas	Professor & Principal I/C, Osmania Medical College, Hyderabad
6.	Dr. Raja Babu Panwar	Vice-Chancellor, Rajasthan University of Health Sciences, Jaipur
7.	Dr. Rani Bhaskaran	President, Travancore-Cochin Medical Council, Thiruvanantha puram
8.	Dr. Silvano CA Dias Sapeco	Professor & HoD, Deptt. Of Forensic Medicine, Goa Medical College, Bambolim, Goa

Dr. Reena Nayyar - Joint Secretary

The Chairman welcomed the members of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee.

Leave of absence was received from Dr. Deelip Govindrao Mhaisekar, Member.

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

The Postgraduate Committee confirmed the minutes of the Postgraduate Committee meeting held on 29th April, 2014.

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

The Postgraduate Committee noted & approved the action taken on the minutes of the meeting of the Postgraduate Committee held on 29th April, 2014.

3. Increase of seats in DM(Neurology) course at G.B. Pant Hospital, New Delhi under University of Delhi u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (24/02/2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at G.B. Pant Hospital, New Delhi under University of Delhi for Increase of seats in DM(Neurology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (24/02/2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to disapprove the scheme for Increase of seats in DM(Neurology) course at G.B. Pant Hospital, New Delhi under University of Delhi u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following reasons:-

1. There are 131 beds in 2 Units which is not as per norms.
2. Postgraduate degree of Dr. Aditya A. Murgal, Asst. Prof. in Unit II is not recognized.
3. Only 4 publications in indexed Journals from the department in 3 years.
4. Faculty details of teaching experience in various designation is not indicated in faculty chart.
5. There are no Senior Residents.
6. Other deficiencies pointed out in the assessment report.

4. Increase of seats in DM(Cardiology) course at G.B. Pant Hospital, New Delhi under University of Delhi u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (04/03/2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at G.B. Pant Hospital, New Delhi under University of Delhi for Increase of seats in DM(Cardiology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (04/03/2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to disapprove the scheme for Increase of seats in DM(Cardiology) course at G.B. Pant Hospital, New Delhi under University of Delhi u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following reasons:-

1. Distribution of Staff (Unit-wise) not provided.
2. Year-wise Clinical material not provided.
3. There are 160 beds in 2 Units which is not as per norms.
4. There are only 41 books in departmental library.
5. Other deficiencies pointed out in the assessment report.

5. Starting of DM(Neonatology) course at JJM Medical College, Davangere under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (07/04/2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at JJM Medical College, Davangere under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka for Starting of DM(Neonatology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (07/04/2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to disapprove the scheme for Starting of DM(Neonatology) course at JJM Medical College, Davangere under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following reasons:-

1. There is only 1 Unit with 50 beds, which is not as per regulation.
2. Professor & Hod, Dr. G. Guruprasad passed his DM Neonatology in 1995 from PGI Chandigarh. How could he be working as Asst. Professor from 94-97 and JJM, Davangere. The information supplied is incorrect.

3. Daily OPDs only 27, which is less.
4. Assoc. Professor Dr. Girish G. was not available on the day of assessment. Resultantly, there is a deficiency of 1 Assoc. Professor.
5. There are no Senior Residents/ Junior Residents.
6. Other deficiencies pointed out in the assessment report.

6. **Starting of M.Ch.(Head & Neck Oncology) course at Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.**

Read: the Council Assessor's report (11/03/2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka for Starting of M.Ch.(Head & Neck Oncology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (11/03/2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to disapprove the scheme for Starting of M.Ch.(Head & Neck Oncology) course at Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following reasons:-

1. Distribution of teaching faculty between Surgical Oncology and Head & Neck Oncology is not clarified.
2. Other deficiencies pointed out in the assessment report.

7. **Increase of seats in DM (Cardiology) course at Sher-I-Kashmir Institute of Medical Sciences, Srinagar under Sher-I-Kashmir Institute of Medical Sciences (Deemend University), Soura Srinagar u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.**

Read: the Council Assessor's report (01/04/2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Sher-I-Kashmir Institute of Medical Sciences, Srinagar under Sher-I-Kashmir Institute of Medical Sciences (Deemend University), Soura Srinagar for Increase of seats in DM (Cardiology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (01/04/2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for Increase of seats in DM (Cardiology) course at Sher-I-Kashmir Institute of Medical Sciences, Srinagar under Sher-I-Kashmir Institute of Medical Sciences (Deemend University), Soura Srinagar u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2014-2015 from 2(Two) to 3(Three) students per year till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

8. **Increase of seats in M.Ch.(Urology) course at Smt. G.R. Doshi & Smt. K.M. Mehta Institute of Kidney Diseases & Research Centre, Ahmedabad, Gujarat under Gujarat University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.**

Read: the Council Assessor's report (08/03/2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Smt. G.R. Doshi & Smt. K.M. Mehta Institute of Kidney Diseases & Research Centre, Ahmedabad, Gujarat under Gujarat University for Increase of seats in M.Ch.(Urology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (08/03/2014) and noted that as per Scheme for Permission of the Central Government for Opening a New or Higher Course of Study or Training (Including a Postgraduate Course of Study or Training) in a Medical College or Institution, which is reproduced below:

"1. Instruction to the Medical College/ Institution.

For starting higher courses in medical subject in the medical colleges/ institution, the medical college/ institution should be a recognized medical college or institution. The medical college/ institution should conform to the guidelines laid down in the Graduate Medical Education Regulations, 1997/ Postgraduate Medical Education Regulations of the Medical Council of India as amended from time to time and approved by the Central Government. The medical college/ institution may apply to the Central Government for the permission along with the permission of the State Government, affiliation granted by an University recognized under University Grants Commission Act or State or Central Act and in conformity with the Medical Council of India regulations along with the documentary evidence to show additional financial allocation, provision for additional space, and equipment and other infrastructural facilities and provision of recruitment of additional staff as per Medical Council of India norms."

In view of above, the Postgraduate Committee decided to return the application for Increase of seats in M.Ch.(Urology) course at Smt. G.R. Doshi & Smt. K.M. Mehta Institute of Kidney Diseases & Research Centre, Ahmedabad, Gujarat under Gujarat University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 to the Central Govt. because of the following reasons:-

1. The present application has not been received from the Dean, B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad of which the Institute is stated to be a part thereof, which is against the regulation mentioned above. Hence, the application is returned.
9. **Increase of seats in DM (Gastroenterology) course at Osmania Medical College, Koti, Hyderabad under Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.**

Read: the Council Assessor's report (10/03/2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Osmania Medical College, Koti, Hyderabad under Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada for Increase of seats in DM (Gastroenterology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (10/03/2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for Increase of seats in DM (Gastroenterology) course at Osmania Medical College, Koti, Hyderabad under Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2014-2015 from 3(Three) to 4(Four) students per year till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

10. **Increase of seats in M.Ch.(Plastic Surgery) course at Institute of Medical Sciences, Varanasi under Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.**

Read: the Council Assessor's report (22th March 2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Institute of Medical Sciences, Varanasi under Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi for Increase of seats in M.Ch.(Plastic Surgery) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (22th March 2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of

Permission for Increase of seats in M.Ch.(Plastic Surgery) course at Institute of Medical Sciences, Varanasi under Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2014-2015 from 1(One) to 2(Two) students per year till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

11. Increase of seats in DM(Cardiology) course at Chettinad Hospital & Research Institute, Kanchipuram, Tamilnadu under Chettinad Academy of Research & Education (Deemed to be University) u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (10th March 2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Chettinad Hospital & Research Institute, Kanchipuram, Tamilnadu under Chettinad Academy of Research & Education (Deemed to be University) for Increase of seats in DM(Cardiology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (10th March 2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to disapprove the scheme for Increase of seats in DM(Cardiology) course at Chettinad Hospital & Research Institute, Kanchipuram, Tamilnadu under Chettinad Academy of Research & Education (Deemed to be University) u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following reasons:-

1. Average Daily OPD is 30-35 only.
2. 3 years data for clinical material is not provided.
3. There is no publications in the department.
4. The department is already having 1 seats, which is commensurate with clinical material and infrastructure.
5. Other deficiencies pointed out in the assessment report.

12. Starting of M.Ch.(Paediatric Surgery) course at Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College, Aligarh under Aligarh Muslim University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (01st March 2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College, Aligarh under Aligarh Muslim University for Starting of M.Ch.(Paediatric Surgery) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (01st March 2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to disapprove the scheme for Starting of M.Ch.(Paediatric Surgery) course at Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College, Aligarh under Aligarh Muslim University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following reasons:-

1. There is need to improve intensive care facilities. Casualty / emergency services need to be improvised.
2. Average daily OPD is 20 - 25 / day.
3. There are only 10 books in departmental library.
4. There is no museum.
5. No publication from the department.
6. HoD is due to retire next month and there will be a shortage of 1 Assoc. Professor on his retirement next month.
7. Paediatrics Surgery department separated only in 2012.
8. Other deficiencies pointed out in the assessment report.

13. Starting of M.Ch.(Neuro Surgery) -6 year course at SRM Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Kancheepuram under SRM University, SRM Nagar Kattankulathur, Kancheepuram District, Tamilnadu u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (03rd March 2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at SRM Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Kancheepuram under SRM University, SRM Nagar Kattankulathur, Kancheepuram District, Tamilnadu for Starting of M.Ch.(Neuro Surgery) -6 year course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (03rd March 2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to disapprove the scheme for Starting of M.Ch.(Neuro Surgery) -6 year course at SRM Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Kancheepuram under SRM University, SRM Nagar Kattankulathur, Kancheepuram District, Tamilnadu u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following reasons:-

1. Dr. M. Mohan Sampath Kumar, Professor & HOD possesses M.S. Qualification, which is not permissible as per Regulations.
2. The department is already running M.Ch. 3 years course with 1 seat. How can they say now, that it is starting of 6 years course M.Ch. when they are already having 1 seat.
3. 3 years clinical data not provided.
4. Daily surgeries Major-2, Minor-1
5. There are only 5 MRIs per day in the college, which is very less.
6. Other deficiencies pointed out in the assessment report.

14. Increase of seats in DM(Nephrology) course at Institute of Medical Sciences, Varanasi under Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (12th March 2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Institute of Medical Sciences, Varanasi under Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi for Increase of seats in DM(Nephrology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (12th March 2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to disapprove the scheme for Increase of seats in DM(Nephrology) course at Institute of Medical Sciences, Varanasi under Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following reasons:-

1. Renal transplantation is not done for want of license.
2. On day of assessment, only 16 beds were functional; resultantly teaching beds are deficient.
3. Departmental information part-II of SAF has not been filled and no information provided about the department.
4. Journals are available upto July, 2012.
5. Other deficiencies pointed out in the assessment report.

15. Issue of Letter of permission of new Post Graduate courses/increase of admission capacity of PG courses - consideration of compliance.

Read: the compliances received through the Central Govt. for starting/ increase of seats in various PG Courses u/s 10A of the academic year 2014.

The Postgraduate Committee noted that as per opinion received from the Law Officer, the Hon'ble Supreme Court has extended the dates only for Central Government to consider and pass orders. In the light of the communication received from Standing Counsel the PG Committee is not required to consider the decision of any of these colleges. The compliance reports may be returned to the Central Govt. as such.

16. Guidance with request to the nature of Laparoscopic Bariatric Surgery.

Read: the letter dated 28/01/2014 received from the Dean, Sri Aurobidno Medical College & PG Institute SAIMS Hospital with regard to guidance to the nature of Laparoscopic Bariatric Surgery.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter dated 28/01/2014 received from the Dean, Sri Aurobidno Medical College & PG Institute SAIMS Hospital with regard to guidance to the nature of Laparoscopic Bariatric Surgery and decided to refer the matter to the President with the request that such matters of Academic implications should be either referred to a Sub-Committee having representatives from PG Committee, Executive Committee & Academic Committee or the matter may be discussed in a joint meeting of these bodies or any other modality deemed fit by the President.

17. Shifting of Post Graduate Course from ESI PGIMSR MGM Parel, Mumbai to ESI PGIMSR Andhreri (E) Mumbai - Seeking Clarification thereof - reg.

Read: the letter dated 01/01/2014 received from the Medical Commissioner, Employees' State Insurance Corporation, New Delhi with regard to clarification for Shifting of Post Graduate Course from ESI PGIMSR MGM Parel, Mumbai to ESI PGIMSR Andhreri (E) Mumbai.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter dated 01/01/2014 received from the Medical Commissioner, Employees' State Insurance Corporation, New Delhi with regard to clarification for Shifting of Post Graduate Course from ESI PGIMSR MGM Parel, Mumbai to ESI PGIMSR Andhreri (E) Mumbai and decided that ESI PGIMSR, Andheri will have to be assessed whether infrastructure, faculty, etc. are adequate. A fresh assessment will have to be done.

18. Recognition of DO/DOMS, DLO, DCP & DTCD qualifications at NSCB Medical College, Jabalpur.

Read: the matter with regard to Recognition of DO/DOMS, DLO, DCP & DTCD qualifications at NSCB Medical College, Jabalpur along with the letter dated 07/06/2013 received from the Central Govt.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the matter with regard to Recognition of DO/DOMS, DLO, DCP & DTCD qualifications at NSCB Medical College, Jabalpur along with the letter dated 07/06/2013 received from the Central Govt. and decided to refer the matter to the President with the request that such matters of Academic implications should be either referred to a Sub-Committee having representatives from PG Committee, Executive Committee & Academic Committee or the matter may be discussed in a joint meeting of these bodies or any other modality deemed fit by the President.

19. Inclusion of MD (Marine Medicine) in Schedule of Postgraduate Medical Education Regulations, 2000 - Reg.

Read: the matter with regard to Inclusion of MD (Marine Medicine) in Schedule of Postgraduate Medical Education Regulations, 2000 along with the letter dated 10/11/2013 received from the Commanding Officer, INHS Asvini, Colaba, Mumbai.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the matter with regard to Inclusion of MD (Marine Medicine) in Schedule of Postgraduate Medical Education Regulations, 2000 along with the letter dated 10/11/2013 received from the Commanding Officer, INHS Asvini, Colaba, Mumbai and noted that there are a large number of new courses to be recognized and included in the schedule. We should follow the same procedure for all of them. Hence, the matter may be referred to the President with the request that such matters of Academic implications should be either referred to a Sub-Committee having representatives from PG Committee, Executive Committee & Academic Committee or the matter may be discussed in a joint meeting of these bodies or any other modality deemed fit by the President.

However, if the course is recognized and included in the schedule then the eligibility condition of the staff, qualification and experience and other infrastructure facilities should also be prescribed simultaneously.

20. Eligibility of MD (Tropical Medicine) students to appear at DM entrance examination in the subject of Infectious Diseases, Gastroenterology, Hepatology, Endocrinology, Haematology and Clinical Immunology.

Read: the matter with regard to Eligibility of MD (Tropical Medicine) students to appear at DM entrance examination in the subject of Infectious Diseases, Gastroenterology, Hepatology, Endocrinology, Haematology and Clinical Immunology along with the letter dated 22/08/2013 received from Dr. Tarun Mandal, Member of Parliament, Lok Sabha.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the matter with regard to Eligibility of MD (Tropical Medicine) students to appear at DM entrance examination in the subject of Infectious Diseases, Gastroenterology, Hepatology, Endocrinology, Haematology and Clinical Immunology along with the letter dated 22/08/2013 received from Dr. Tarun Mandal, Member of Parliament, Lok Sabha and decided that the decision of the BOG dated 8th & 9th October, 2013 i.e. "... decided that the candidate holding MD(Tropical Medicine) will be eligible to take entrance examination for DM(Infectious Diseases) course only. Accordingly Postgraduate Section may prepare the notification" should be implemented by appropriate notification.

21. Recognition of DIH & DMCW qualifications against increased intake course at All India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health, Kolkata under West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the matter with regard to Recognition of DIH & DMCW qualifications against increased intake in respect of students being trained at All India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health, Kolkata granted by West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the matter with regard to Recognition of DIH & DMCW qualifications against increased intake in respect of students being trained at All India Institute of Hygiene and Public Health, Kolkata granted by West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata and decided to refer the matter to the President with the request that such matters of Academic implications should be either referred to a Sub-Committee having representatives from PG Committee, Executive

Committee & Academic Committee or the matter may be discussed in a joint meeting of these bodies or any other modality deemed fit by the President.

22. Recognition of MD(Blood Banking & Immuno Haematology/ Immuno-Haematology & Blood Transfusion qualification at Sanjay Gandhi Post Graduate Institute of Medical Sciences, Lucknow under u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the matter with regard to Recognition of MD(Blood Banking & Immuno Haematology/ Immuno-Haematology & Blood Transfusion qualification in respect of students being trained at Sanjay Gandhi Post Graduate Institute of Medical Sciences, Lucknow; its effective date for award of degree with the above nomenclature.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the matter with regard to Recognition of MD(Blood Banking & Immuno Haematology/ Immuno-Haematology & Blood Transfusion qualification in respect of students being trained at Sanjay Gandhi Post Graduate Institute of Medical Sciences, Lucknow; its effective date for award of degree with the above nomenclature and decided to refer the matter to the President with the request that such matters of Academic implications should be either referred to a Sub-Committee having representatives from PG Committee, Executive Committee & Academic Committee or the matter may be discussed in a joint meeting of these bodies or any other modality deemed fit by the President.

23. Request for providing avenues for growth of Speciality of Laboratory Medicine in India.

Read: the request for providing avenues for growth of Speciality of Laboratory Medicine in India received from Dr. Rakesh Yadav, Sub Dean (Acad.), All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi vide letter dated 23/09/2013.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the request for providing avenues for growth of Speciality of Laboratory Medicine in India received from Dr. Rakesh Yadav, Sub Dean (Acad.), All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi vide letter dated 23/09/2013 and decided to refer the matter to the President with the request that such matters of Academic implications should be either referred to a Sub-Committee having representatives from PG Committee, Executive Committee & Academic Committee or the matter may be discussed in a joint meeting of these bodies or any other modality deemed fit by the President.

24. Complaint against GSVM Medical College, Kanpur regarding transfer of faculty from the college.

Read: the matter with regard to complaint against GSVM Medical College, Kanpur regarding transfer of faculty from the college received from all UG & PG students of GSVM Medical College, Kanpur vide E-mail dated 29/04/2013.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the matter with regard to complaint against GSVM Medical College, Kanpur regarding transfer of faculty from the college received from all UG & PG students of GSVM Medical College, Kanpur vide E-mail dated 29/04/2013 and decided to refer the matter to the President for appropriate action in the matter.

25. Inclusion of DM (Paediatric Neurology) in Postgraduate Medical Education, 2013.

Read: the matter with regard to Inclusion of DM (Paediatric Neurology) in Postgraduate Medical Education, 2013 along with letter dated 18/04/2013 received

from Dr. Shashi Tharoor, Minister of State for Human Resource Development, Govt. of India, New Delhi.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the matter with regard to Inclusion of DM (Paediatric Neurology) in Postgraduate Medical Education, 2013 along with letter dated 18/04/2013 received from Dr. Shashi Tharoor, Minister of State for Human Resource Development, Govt. of India, New Delhi and decided to refer the matter to the President with the request that such matters of Academic implications should be either referred to a Sub-Committee having representatives from PG Committee, Executive Committee & Academic Committee or the matter may be discussed in a joint meeting of these bodies or any other modality deemed fit by the President.

26. Change of Nomenclature of DM (Immunology) to DM (Clinical Immunology & Rheumatology) consideration of representation regarding.

Read: the letter dated 01/10/2013 received from the Dean, Professor & Head, Dept. of Immunology, Sanjay Gandhi Postgraduate Institute of Medical, Lucknow with regard to Change of Nomenclature of DM (Immunology) to DM (Clinical Immunology & Rheumatology).

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter dated 01/10/2013 received from the Dean, Professor & Head, Dept. of Immunology, Sanjay Gandhi Postgraduate Institute of Medical, Lucknow with regard to Change of Nomenclature of DM (Immunology) to DM (Clinical Immunology & Rheumatology) and decided to refer the matter to the President with the request that such matters of Academic implications should be either referred to a Sub-Committee having representatives from PG Committee, Executive Committee & Academic Committee or the matter may be discussed in a joint meeting of these bodies or any other modality deemed fit by the President.

27. Recognition of MD(Pediatrics) course taught at University College of Medicine under Calcutta University.

Read: the letter dated 24/03/2014 received from Prof. S.K. Bandyopadhyay, Director of Medical Education & Ex-officio Secretary, Department of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of West Bengal, Kolkata with regard to recognition of MD(Pediatrics) course taught at University College of Medicine under Calcutta University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter dated 24/03/2014 received from Prof. S.K. Bandyopadhyay, Director of Medical Education & Ex-officio Secretary, Department of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of West Bengal, Kolkata with regard to recognition of MD(Pediatrics) course taught at University College of Medicine under Calcutta University and decided to follow the procedure as has been done for other courses for students admitted to University College of Medical Sciences and then transferred to other colleges and the matter may then be placed before the General Body for approval.

28. W.P. (Cri.) No. 1900/1981-Dr. Upendra Baxi v/s State of U.P.

Read: the matter with regard to W.P. (Cri.) No. 1900/1981-Dr. Upendra Baxi v/s State of U.P. along with noting received from the Legal Section.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the matter with regard to W.P. (Cri.) No. 1900/1981-Dr. Upendra Baxi v/s State of U.P. along with noting received from the Legal Section and decided to refer the matter to the President with the request that such matters of Academic implications should be either referred to a Sub-Committee having representatives from PG Committee, Executive Committee & Academic Committee or

the matter may be discussed in a joint meeting of these bodies or any other modality deemed fit by the President.

29. Recognition of M.D. (Radio-Diagnosis) at Indira Gandhi Medical College, Nagpur from 1988 - regarding correction in notification.

Read: the letter dated 14/02/2014 received from the Dean, Indira Gandhi Medical College, Nagpur with regard to correction in notification for Recognition of M.D. (Radio-Diagnosis) at Indira Gandhi Medical College, Nagpur from 1988.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter dated 14/02/2014 received from the Dean, Indira Gandhi Medical College, Nagpur with regard to correction in notification for Recognition of M.D. (Radio-Diagnosis) at Indira Gandhi Medical College, Nagpur from 1988 and noted that it seems to be an inadvertent error mentioning year of examination instead of year of admission. The Committee decided that recommendations be made to the Central Government for making necessary correction in the Schedule of IMC Act, 1956.

30. Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore - Recognition of MD(Microbiology) qualification in respect of increased intake from 02 to 03 seats at Karnataka Institute of Medical Sciences, Hubli.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (May, 2013) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Karnataka Institute of Medical Sciences, Hubli under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore for Recognition of MD(Microbiology) qualification in respect of increased intake from 02 to 03 seats u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the assessment report (May, 2013) and decided to recommend that MD(Microbiology) qualification in respect of increased intake from 02 to 03 seats granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore in respect of students being trained at Karnataka Institute of Medical Sciences, Hubli be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee further decided that the recognition so granted shall be for a maximum period of 5 years from the date of notification upon which the institute shall have to apply for renewal of recognition. Failure to seek timely renewal of recognition as required shall invariably result in stoppage of admission to the postgraduate course.

31. Swami Vivekanand Subharti University, Meerut - Recognition of MS (Orthopaedics) in respect of students being trained at Subharti Medical College, Meerut.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (May, 2013) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Subharti Medical College, Meerut under Swami Vivekanand Subharti University, Meerut for Recognition of MS (Orthopaedics) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council assessor's report (May, 2013) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to recognize MS (Orthopaedics) granted by Swami Vivekanand Subharti University, Meerut in respect of students being trained at Subharti Medical College, Meerut because of the followings:-

1. Dr. Sayeed Ahmed, Sr. Resident in Unit -II has no 3 years teaching experience in Orthopaedics. Hence, he cannot be considered as Senior Resident.

2. Dr. Vikas Trivedi, Assoc. Professor in Unit-II (DNB Orthopaedics) has no teaching experience of 1 year after DNB before appointment to the Post of Asst. Professor. Hence, his appointment is irregular.
3. Dr. Manvinder Gaur, Sr. Resident in Unit-III passed DNB from non-teaching hospital and has no teaching experience of 1 year before appointment to the Post of Senior Resident. He is not eligible for appointment to the Post of Sr. Resident.
4. After the present assessment (May, 2013) upto 06/02/2014 when another assessment was held 5 faculty members have left.
5. Average daily Blood Unit consumed is 1 to 1.8, which is very low.
6. Other deficiencies pointed out in the assessment report.

32. Swami Vivekanand Subharti University, Meerut - Recognition of MD (TB & Chest Diseases) in respect of students being trained at Subharti Medical College, Meerut.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (May, 2013) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Subharti Medical College, Meerut under Swami Vivekanand Subharti University, Meerut for Recognition of MD (TB & Chest Diseases) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council assessor's report (May, 2013) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to recognize MD (TB & Chest Diseases) granted by Swami Vivekanand Subharti University, Meerut in respect of students being trained at Subharti Medical College, Meerut because of the followings:-

1. Promotion of Dr. Naresh Kumar, Assoc. Professor is not as per Regulations. He has been promoted after 4 years as Asst. Professor, without any publications. Hence, he cannot be considered as Assoc. Professor. Consequently, there is a deficiency of Assoc. professor.
2. Both Sr. Residents (Dr. U.P. Singh and Dr. Jay Kumar Kriplani) are diploma holders and they did not have 3 years teaching experience in the subject prior to their appointment as Senior Resident. Hence, they are not eligible to be appointed as Senior Resident.
3. Other deficiencies pointed out in the assessment report.

33. Utkal University, Orissa - Recognition of MD(Microbiology) qualification at SCB Medical College, Cuttack.

Read: the letter dated: 05.06.2013 received the from Director Medical Education & Training, Odisha with regard to recognition of MD(Microbiology) qualification from retroerspective effect at SCB Medical College, Cuttack under Utkal University, Odisha.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter dated: 05.06.2013 received from the Director Medical Education & Training, Odisha with regard to recognition of MD(Microbiology) qualification from retroerspective effect at SCB Medical College, Cuttack under Utkal University, Odisha and noted that the Course was started on orders of the Govt. of India dated 14/5/1999 on the subject "Paucity of teachers in non-clinical subjects like anatomy, physiology, biochemistry, micro-biology, forensic medicine and community medicine - resolution adopted in the 6th Conference of Central Council of Health and Family Welfare held on 8-10th April, 1999" under the orders the colleges were asked to take steps to start postgraduate courses in non-clinical subjects for which they were required to give only formal application u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The college applied under same instructions and submitted a formal application and started MD (Microbiology) course in the year 2000-2001 and has been continuing since then. However, the course was recognized from March, 2009 vide MCI letter

dated 17/01/2013. Now, the college has requested that the course was started with the permission of Govt. of India in 2000-01 and its recognition should be from that date instead of 2009. The Postgraduate Committee perused the entire correspondence and recommended that recognition date of MD(Microbiology) qualification at SCB Medical College, Cuttack granted by Utkal University be treated as 2000 instead of 2009.

34. Banaras Hindu University - Recognition of M.Ch. (Surgical Oncology) qualification in respect of students being trained at Institute of Medical Sciences, BHU, Varanasi.

Read: the compliance along with the Council Assessor's report (July, 2012) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Institute of Medical Sciences, BHU, Varanasi under Banaras Hindu University for Recognition of M.Ch. (Surgical Oncology) qualification u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance along with the Council Assessor's report (July, 2012) and noted that section 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 regarding permission to start/ increase in PG seats was introduced in 1993 and no course can be started after that without the permission of MCI/ Central Govt. Courses started prior to that have been recognized although they were started without permission.

The present course was started in the year 2006 without the permission of MCI/ Central Govt. and hence cannot be recognized. Earlier decision of the Board of Governors is reiterated.

35. Saurashtra University, University Road, Rajkot - Recognition of DA qualification in respect of students being trained at C.U. Shah Medical College & Hospital, Surendra Nagar.

Read: the matter with regard to recognition of DA qualification in respect of students being trained at C.U. Shah Medical College & Hospital, Surendra Nagar granted by Saurashtra University, University Road, Rajkot.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the matter with regard to recognition of DA qualification in respect of students being trained at C.U. Shah Medical College & Hospital, Surendra Nagar granted by Saurashtra University, University Road, Rajkot and decided that the typing error mentioned may be rectified and recommended to the Central Govt. for recognition of 2 seats instead of 1 seat.

36. Santosh University - Recognition of MD (Forensic Medicine) qualification in respect of students being trained at Santosh Medical College, Ghaziabad.

Read: the compliance along with the Council Assessor's report (May, 2011) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Santosh Medical College, Ghaziabad under Santosh University for Recognition of MD (Forensic Medicine) qualification u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance along with the Council Assessor's report (May, 2011) and decided to verify the compliance by way of assessment.

37. Santosh University - Recognition of MD (Pathology) qualification in respect of students being trained at Santosh Medical College, Ghaziabad.

Read: the compliance along with the Council Assessor's report (May, 2011) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Santosh Medical College, Ghaziabad under Santosh University for Recognition of MD (Pathology) qualification u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance along with the Council Assessor's report (May, 2011) and decided to verify the compliance by way of assessment.

38. Santosh University - Recognition of MD (Pharmacology) qualification in respect of students being trained at Santosh Medical College, Ghaziabad.

Read: the compliance along with the Council Assessor's report (May, 2011) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Santosh Medical College, Ghaziabad under Santosh University for Recognition of MD (Pharmacology) qualification u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance along with the Council Assessor's report (May, 2011) and decided to verify the compliance by way of assessment.

39. Santosh University - Recognition of DA qualification in respect of students being trained at Santosh Medical College, Ghaziabad.

Read: the compliance along with the Council Assessor's report (May, 2011) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Santosh Medical College, Ghaziabad under Santosh University for Recognition of DA qualification u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance along with the Council Assessor's report (May, 2011) and decided that the institution may be directed to pay the necessary fee and get re-assessment done within a period of 3 months failing which, the PG Committee may consider stopping their admission, since the college has been admitting students since, 2011 without proper recognition.

40. Starting of DM(Cardiology) course at Mamata Medical College, Khammam under Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (14/03/2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Mamata Medical College, Khammam under Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada for Starting of DM(Cardiology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (14/03/2014) and decided that the reply received in response to the office letter is not satisfactory. The Dean of the college along with the concerned faculty be asked to appear in person to submit their explanation.

41. Increase of seats in M.Ch(Urology) course at Mamata Medical College, Khammam under Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (27/03/2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Mamata Medical College, Khammam under Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada for Increase of seats in M.Ch(Urology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (27/03/2014) and decided that the reply received in response to the office letter is not satisfactory. The Dean of the college along with the concerned faculty be asked to appear in person to submit their explanation.

42. Starting of DM (Pulmonary Medicine) course at Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi under Delhi University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (03/03/2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi under Delhi University for Starting of DM (Pulmonary Medicine) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 along with the letter dated 07/05/2014 received from the Dean, Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (03/03/2014) along with the letter dated 07/05/2014 received from the Dean, Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to disapprove the scheme for Starting of DM (Pulmonary Medicine) course at Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi under Delhi University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following reasons:-

1. 2 faculty members Dr. Naresh Kumar and Dr. M.K. Daga neither have degree in Super-Speciality of Pulmonary Medicine nor 2 years special training as required under MCI regulations. The basic appointment of Dr. Naresh Kumar and Dr. M.K. Daga is in the department of General Medicine. Hence, they cannot be considered as faculty in the said department. Consequently, there is only 1 faculty left in the department.
2. There are no Senior/ Junior Resident.
3. Other deficiencies pointed out in the assessment report.

43. Starting of M.Ch.(Gynaecological Oncology) course at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (10/03/2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka for Starting of M.Ch.(Gynaecological Oncology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 along with the letter dated 06/05/2014 received from the Dean, St. John's Medical College, Bangalore.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (10/03/2014) along with the letter dated 06/05/2014 received from the Dean, St. John's Medical College, Bangalore and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for Starting of M.Ch.(Gynaecological Oncology) course at St. John's Medical College, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2014-2015 restricting the number of admissions to 1(One) students per year, till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

44. Starting of DM(Neonatology) course at Govt. Medical College, Kozhikode, Calicut under Kerala University of Health and Allied Sciences, Thrissur u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (02nd May 2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Kozhikode, Calicut under Kerala University of Health and Allied Sciences, Thrissur for Starting of DM(Neonatology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (02nd May 2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to disapprove the scheme

for Starting of DM(Neonatology) course at Govt. Medical College, Kozhikode, Calicut under Kerala University of Health and Allied Sciences, Thrissur u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following reasons:-

1. There is no qualified Neonatologist in the department.
2. None of the 3 faculty members from Paediatrics who rotate in Neonatal division have received any formal training in Neonatology.
3. There is no separate Head of Department of Neonatology and HOD, Paediatrics looks after the work of Neonatology although he is not a Neonatologist. No faculty member has been designated as HOD, Neonatology.
4. The Nursing personnel are very few and the Unit does not conform to National Nursing Norms. (Patient: Nurse Ratio).
5. There are no Senior Residents.
6. Average daily OPD is 25
7. The work of speciality clinics is carried out under the department of Paediatrics. The Residents of Paediatrics are posted here and carry out the work under the supervision of the faculty.
8. There is no Departmental Library.
9. OPD: There is no separate OPD available for Neonatology.
10. There is no separate department of neonatology.
11. Other deficiencies pointed out in the assessment report.

45. Increase of seats in DM(Neurology) course at Govt. Medical College, Kozhikode, Calicut under Kerala University of Health and Allied Sciences, Thrissur u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (30th May 2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Kozhikode, Calicut under Kerala University of Health and Allied Sciences, Thrissur for Increase of seats in DM(Neurology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (30th May 2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for Increase of seats in DM(Neurology) course at Govt. Medical College, Kozhikode, Calicut under Kerala University of Health and Allied Sciences, Thrissur u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2014-2015 from 1(One) to 2(Two) students per year till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

46. Starting of M.Ch.(Surgical Gastroenterology) course at Govt. Medical College, Kozhikode, Calicut under Kerala University of Health and Allied Sciences, Thrissur u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (02nd May 2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Kozhikode, Calicut under Kerala University of Health and Allied Sciences, Thrissur for Starting of M.Ch.(Surgical Gastroenterology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (02nd May 2014) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to disapprove the scheme for Starting of M.Ch.(Surgical Gastroenterology) course at Govt. Medical College, Kozhikode, Calicut under Kerala University of Health and Allied Sciences, Thrissur u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following reasons:-

1. Promotion of Dr. Ramesh Ranjan, Professor & HoD is not as per Regulations. He has been Asst. Professor after M.Ch. only for a period of 1 year 4 months. Hence, he cannot be considered Professor. Consequently, faculty complement is incomplete.
2. 20 beds scattered at different places, which is not acceptable.
3. Departmental library has only 16 books.
4. There is no departmental research lab.
5. There are 200-250 surgeries per year, which is less.
6. Other deficiencies pointed out in the assessment report.

47. Starting of DM (Nephrology) course at JSS Medical College, Mysore under JSS University, Mysore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (03/03/2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at JSS Medical College, Mysore under JSS University, Mysore for Starting of DM (Nephrology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 along with the letter dated 06/05/2014 received from the Principal, JSS Medical College, Mysore.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (03/03/2014) along with the letter dated 06/05/2014 received from the Principal, JSS Medical College, Mysore and noted the clarification submitted by the institute. The Committee further decided to refer the matter of Dr. Aiyappa M.R. who is shown as Senior Resident in Nephrology was also shown as Senior Resident in Medicine to the Ethics Committee for appropriate action.

48. Starting of M.Ch.(Gynaec Oncology) course at Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the Council Assessor's report (10/03/2014) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka for Starting of M.Ch.(Gynaec Oncology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 along with the letter dated 06/05/2014 received from the Director, Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bangalore.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Assessor's report (10/03/2014) along with the letter dated 06/05/2014 received from the Director, Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bangalore and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for Starting of M.Ch.(Gynaec Oncology) course at Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2014-2015 restricting the number of admissions 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.

The Chairman of P.G. Committee Dr. S.B. Siwach recused himself from this Item since, he had been working with this institute sometime back. Dr. D.J. Borah was the Chairperson for this item.

49. Increase of seats in MD(Radio-Diagnosis) course at M.M. Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Mullana, Ambala under Maharishi Markandeshwar University, Mullana, Ambala u/s 10(A) of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: the matter with regard to Increase of seats in MD(Radio-Diagnosis) course at M.M. Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Mullana, Ambala under Maharishi Markandeshwar University, Mullana, Ambala u/s 10(A) of the IMC Act, 1956 along

with the letter dated 07/05/2014 received from the Under Secretary to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, New Delhi.

The communication dated 07/05/2014 received from the Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, New Delhi with regard to Increase of seats in MD(Radio-Diagnosis) course at M.M. Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Mullana, Ambala under Maharishi Markandeshwar University, Mullana, Ambala u/s 10(A) of the IMC Act, 1956 was placed before the PG Committee, which decided as under:

- A. "The applicant college submitted their compliance on 01/03/2011 (well within permissible time). They gave 1st reminder on 23/06/2011, 2nd reminder on 27/09/2011 and 3rd reminder on 23/12/2011 (date which has been mentioned in the minutes of PG Committee meeting).

The students were admitted by order of Hon'ble High Court dated 26/04/2012 in response to the applicant college's application dated 27/11/2010 for academic year 2011-12 and the same application has been under dispute all through this period.

- B. (i) Assessment dated January, 2011- deficiencies pointed out
- i. Radiation protection measure not in place.
 - ii. Equipments and infrastructures are very old and insufficeient for increase of seats.
 - iii. Other deficiencies/remarks pointed out in the assessment report.
- (ii) Compliance verification assessment dated 13/03/2012- deficiencies pointed out

Investigation load as shown in 2009 & 2012 in terms of number of X-Ray and USG per day has declined over the period. DSA not available even through the college is running Postgraduate programme. Clinical load has not increased, rather decreased over the period of last 03 years.

	2009	March 2012
Daily X-Rays	229	100/125
CT Scan	10	12-15
MR Scan	3	8
Mammography	1-2	1
USG	109	60-80

In addition to above, as per Assessor's remarks on verification of total emolument drawn by the teachers from this institution for the financial year and schedule of PG student teaching programme, it is seen that the teachers found to have different salary pattern. This reflects a suspicion that few of them are not at all full time teachers. Attendance register was not available claiming that they are using biometric punching system."

Note: Although it was a compliance verification on 13/03/2012 to verify deficiencies pointed out in inspection report dated January, 2011 but the BoG brought out fresh deficiencies in the compliance verification dated 13/03/2012 which is not permissible. In the 2nd assessment report there is no mention of deficiencies pointed out in the first assessment report which means either they were not there or they have been rectified. Order of Hon'ble High Court in this regard is reproduced below:

“ ...

- (a) As the petitioners are aware of the defects pointed out by the respondents, they are granted a week's time, from the receipt of a copy of this order to approach the Board of Governors, in support of their plea that they have removed defects.
- (b) Upon the petitioners approaching the respondent-Board of Governors, by way of a written communication, in terms referred to above, the Board of Governors shall consider the matter within a week.
- (c) If the Board of Governors proposed to reject the application for increase of seats, it shall grant an opportunity of hearing to the petitioners within a week and take a final decision within a week thereafter.”

- C. Yes, PG committee examined the fresh assessment report (ordered by BOG itself) dated 28/10/2013 and also perused the earlier assessment reports, compliances submitted by the applicant college (in writing and during personal hearing), orders of Hon'ble High Court of Punjab & Haryana and deficiencies pointed out in BOG order dated 19/02/2011 and 31/03/2012 on the basis of which BOG disapproved the scheme. The PG Committee came to the definite conclusion (on the basis of available documents) that college was entitled for enhancement of seats (3 to 6) in MD Radiodiagnosis.

Although PG Committee considered all aspects but it will be pertinent to mention here that the decision of BOG dated 31/03/2012 was quashed by Hon'ble High Court on 16/07/2013 and the appellant college was granted right of personal hearing. On the basis of the personal hearing given to the college by BOG on 06/08/2013 and considering the fact that fresh deficiencies have been pointed out in the compliance verification dated 13/03/2012 (instead of verifying the deficiencies pointed out in assessment dated January, 2011) the BOG itself decided to get a fresh assessment done instead of relying on the earlier assessments and deficiencies pointed out in their earlier orders dated 19/02/2011 and 31/03/2012 and compliance given by the college & submissions made by them during personal hearing on 06/08/2013. The BOG itself had ordered fresh assessment of the college and it is this last assessment report (28/10/2013) which is relevant and was brought before the PG Committee.

It is clarified that whatever action has been taken by PG Committee has been on the orders of Hon'ble High Court or BOG. Nothing has been considered by PG Committee suo-moto.”

It was recommended that appropriate reply, as mentioned above be sent to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, New Delhi.

The Chairman, Dr. S.B. Siwach again chaired the meeting.

50. **Scheme for starting of M.Ch. (Urology) course at Father Mullers Institute of Medical Education and Research, Mangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 for the academic year 2014-2015.**

A hearing was given by the Postgraduate Committee to the Dean, Dr. J.P. Arya on 13/05/2014 with regard to the clarification on the discrepancy of Dr. Pradeep, Sr. Resident in Urology who had also been shown as Senior Resident in the department of General Surgery. The committee noted that the faculty member Dr. Pradeep, Sr. Resident did not appear for hearing.

During the hearing, the Dean has confessed that Dr. Pradeep, Sr. Resident had been shown as both Sr. Resident in Urology and also as Sr. Resident in the department of General Surgery during assessments of these 2 different departments of the institute in a span of few months.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the clarification submitted and decided to refer the matter along with the written submissions given by the Dean during the hearing to the Ethics Committee for further appropriate action.

51. Scheme for starting of DM(Cardiology) course at JSS Medical College, Mysore under JSS University, Mysore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 for academic year 2014-2015.

A hearing was given by the Postgraduate Committee to the Dean, Dr. H. Basavan Godwappa and Faculty member Dr. Venkatesh R. on 13/05/2014 with regard to the clarification on the discrepancy of Dr. Venkatesh R., Sr. Resident in Cardiology who had also been shown as Sr. Resident in the department of General Medicine.

During the hearing, the Dean and the faculty member have confessed that Dr. Venkatesh R. had been shown as both Sr. Resident in Cardiology and also as Sr. Resident in the department of General Medicine during assessments of these 2 different departments of the institute in a span of few months.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the clarification submitted and decided to refer the matter along with the written submissions given by the Dean/ faculty member during the hearing to the Ethics Committee for further appropriate action.

52. Scheme for Increase of seats in M.Ch. (Plastic Surgery) course at Raja Rajaeswari Medical College & Hospital, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 for the academic year 2014-2015.

The Committee noted that neither the Dean nor Dr. Navin N., Senior Resident appeared for hearing and the committee decided to refer the matter to the Ethics Committee for further appropriate action.

53. Starting of DM(Cardiology) course at Sree Balaji Medical College & Hospital, Chromepet, Chennai under Bharath University, Chennai u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 for the academic year 2014-15.

A hearing was given by the Postgraduate Committee to the Dean, Dr. Gunasekaran, Ex- Dean Dr. Balakrishnan and Faculty member Dr. R. Vedamanickam on 13/05/2014 with regard to the clarification on the discrepancy of Dr. R. Vedamanickam, Sr. Resident in Cardiology who had also been shown as Asst. Professor in the department of General Medicine.

During the hearing, the Dean, ex-Dean and the faculty member have confessed that Dr. R. Vedamanickam had been shown as both Sr. Resident in Cardiology and also as Asst. Professor in the department of General Medicine during assessments of these 2 different departments of the institute in a span of few months.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the clarification submitted and decided to refer the matter along with the written submissions given by the Dean/ faculty member during the hearing to the Ethics Committee for further appropriate action.

Office Note: The Postgraduate Section is advised to bring out all pending reports, if any, within 3 months.

Meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

**(Dr. Reena Nayyar)
Joint Secretary**

**New Delhi, dated the
13th May, 2014**

APPROVED

**(Dr. Siri Bhagwan Siwach)
Chairman**

