

Minutes of Meeting of the Admissions Regulating Authority held under the Chairmanship of Justice D. K. Deshmukh (Retd.) on Friday, the 6th May, 2016 at 12:00 p.m. in the Conference Hall, Office of the Regional Central, Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, 4th floor, Government Dental College Building, St. Georges Hospital Campus, Near CST, Fort, Mumbai - 400 001

Following Members of the Admissions Regulating Authority were present:

1. Dr. Ravi Bapat : Member
2. Dr. M.S. Kekre : Member
3. Mr. P.E. Gaikwad : Member
4. Mr. Sitaram Kunte : Member Secretary (Pravesh Niyamtran Samiti – Higher and Technical Education) and Principal Secretary, Higher and Technical Education Department
5. Mr. C.V. Oak : Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority and Commissioner, State CET-CELL, Mumbai.

1) Dr. V.S. Singh, Acting Member Secretary (Pravesh Niyamtran Samiti – Medical Education) and Principal Secretary, Medical Education and Drugs Department, 2) Dr. Arun Jamkar, Member, 3) Dr. K.M. Kulkarni, Member and 4) Dr. Raju Mankar, Member were unable to attend the meeting and were granted leave of absence.

Mr. P.L. Darade, Under Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority and following invitees and officers were also present:

- 1 Mr. Sanjay Kamlakar : Dy. Secretary, Medical Education and Drugs Department, Mantralaya, Mumbai
- 2 Dr. P.H. Shingare : Director, Medical Education and Research, Mumbai
- 3 Vd. K.R.Kohli : Director, AYUSH Department, Mumbai
- 4 Dr. Dayanand Meshram : Exam Co-ordinator - Technical Education, CET-CELL.
- 5 Dr. A.S. Vyas : Exam Co-ordinator - Medical Education, CET-CELL.
- 6 Dr. S.Y. Chikhlikar : Exam Co-ordinator - Higher Education, CET-CELL.
- 7 Shri Ajit Sasulkar : Under Secretary, Medical Education and Drugs Department, Mantralaya, Mumbai.



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- 8 Dr. Raghuwanshi : Officer on Special Duty on behalf of Director Medical Education and Research, Mumbai.
- 9 Mr. Jayant M. Patil : Asst. Exam Co-ordinator - Higher Education (Law), CET-CELL.
- 10 Dr. S.B. Chaudhari : Asst. Director on behalf of Director, Higher Education, Pune.
- 11 Shri S.B. Shirbate : Asst. Director on behalf of Director, Technical Education, Mumbai.
- 12 Mr. Sanjay Deshmukh : Desk Officer, Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik.
- 13 Mr. Vinayak Vispute : Administrative Officer, State CET-CELL.

Copies of Agenda along with copies of the relevant documents were circulated to the Members and invitees.

Item No. 1: To approve and confirm Minutes of the Meetings of Admissions Regulating Authority held on Wednesday, the 13th April, 2016 in the Conference Hall, office of the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai - 400 001.

Minutes of the Meeting of Admissions Regulating Authority held on Wednesday, the 13th April 2016 in the Conference Hall, Office of the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai - 400 001 are approved and confirmed, subject to following corrections/modifications:-

1) Item No. 13 To discuss and finalize the agency for conducting various CET's and CAP process of CETs (Detailed chart is attached herewith):-

Sr. No. 11 to 16 The Authority perused the following report submitted by the office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL, Mumbai read as under :-

Sr. No.	CET Name	Date of CET	Mode of Examination	Agency to be Authorized to conduct CET	Agency to be Authorized to conduct CAP
			Online/Offline		
11	MH - SS CET (Maharashtra Health Super Specialty Entrance Test)	20/06/2016	Online	IBPS	IBS




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			Online/Offline		
12	PGP/PGO/PGSLAP/MSc (P&O)-CET	08/08/2016	Online	IBPS	IBS
13	PGA - CET (Post Graduate Ayurved Common Entrance Test)	07/08/2016	Online	IBPS	IBS
14	PGH - CET (Post Graduate Homeopathic Common Entrance Test)	21/08/2016	Online	IBPS	IBS
15	PGU-CET (Post Graduate Unani Common Entrance Test)	21/08/2016	Online	IBPS	IBS
16	MAH - M. Pharm CET (Master of Pharmacy)	No CET	Nil	Nil	MSBTE

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15	PGU-CET (Post Graduate Unani Common Entrance Test)	18/09/2016	-	-	IBPS
16	MAH - M. Pharm CET (Master of Pharmacy)	-	-	No CET	MSBTE


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In view of the provisions of section 9, sub section 3 of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 (Mah. Act No. XXVIII of 2015) published on 17th August 2015, the Pravesh Niyantaran Samiti existing as on the date of commencement of the Act shall continue to exercise the powers of Admissions Regulating Authority till such Authority is duly constituted under the Act.

Item No. 2: To review action taken by office on decisions arrived at in the previous meetings.

The Authority perused the action taken report on the decisions arrived at in its previous meeting held on Friday, the 13th April 2016 details of which are as below:-

Meeting on 13th April 2016	Actionable Points	Action taken
Item No. 1	To approve and confirm the Minutes of the Admissions Regulating Authority held on Friday, 13 th April 2016 at Conference Hall, Office of the Regional Center, Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Mumbai.	Minutes of Meeting are displayed on the Website and Notice Board of Authority on <u>3/05/2016</u> .

Authority noted and approved the action of the office.

Part - I (Medical Education)

Item No. 3: To consider the hearing of the students/parents and College/Institute in respect of approval of admissions process of admitted students in First Year MBBS course for the Academic Year 2014-15 in the Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Mayani, Satara.

The Authority heard to Dr. M.R. Deshmukh, President of Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Mayani, Satara.

Mr. Abhishek J. Marathe, Sachin R. Gupta, Sanyukta Dudhat and Ms. Krutika Ratnparkhi, students of Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Mayani, Satara admitted in First Year MBBS course for the Academic Year 2014-15, were also present on behalf of the students of the Institute for Academic Year 2014-15.

The Authority went through the Hon'ble Supreme Court orders dated 18-09-2014 and 25-09-2014 in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 469 of 2014.



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The Authority also went through the decisions taken by the Pravesh Niyantran Samiti/Admissions Regulating Authority, in its earlier meetings held on a) 29th September 2014 (at Item No. 12[b]), b) 31st October 2014 (at Item No. 6[c] & 6[d]), c) 12th December 2014 (at Item No. 8[a] & 10[b]), d) 10th February 2015 (at Item No. 3) and 13th April, 2016 (at Item No. 22[d]).

The Authority noticed that the aforesaid College/Institute has violated the Hon'ble Supreme Court orders dated 18-09-2014 and 25-09-2014 in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 469 of 2014.


The 95 students have been admitted to the college/Institute on 30/09/2014, during the Academic Year 2014-15 & students have been pursuing the courses. If the admissions are not approved, the students will suffer. On the contrary if admissions are approved subject to certain conditions, nobody's interest is likely to be adversely affected. If the admissions are not approved, the seats would remain vacant. In this view of the matter, the Authority decides to approve the admissions subject to imposition of penalty on the Institute which has given admissions contrary to specific directions of Hon'ble Supreme court.

After deliberations, the Authority decided to charge the penalty of Rs. 20,00,000/- per student to the aforesaid College/Institute for the irregular/unjust, admissions done in Academic Year 2014-15, and directed the President of the aforesaid College/Institute to pay the total penalty amount within three months from the date of meeting. 10% (ten percent) of the total penalty amount should be paid within 15 days from the date of meeting. The Authority further directed that only after receipt of 10% of penalty amount, provisional approval to the admissions of the said students, may be given. Final approval should be given to the students only after receiving the full amount of penalty. The Authority also directed the President of the said Institute to submit immediately the undertaking to that effect on stamp paper.

This has to be considered as a one time measure in view of the public law damages, deficiencies and wrongs done by the aforesaid College. The College should not follow such irregularity in future. The Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik may also be asked to not to give affiliation to the College/Institute from the Academic Year 2016-17 until the said College/Institute comply with the above directions of the Authority. The Authority further directed that after receipt of the above penalty amount, the Authority should be informed about it.

The Authority decides it as a onetime measure. The Authority further decided that the Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik may treat these admissions as having been approved by the Authority after fulfilling the above directions of the Authority and may accordingly process the examination forms of the said students of the aforesaid College/Institute.

Dr. M.R. Deshmukh, the President of Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Mayani, Satara who was present in the meeting, accepted the decisions of the Authority with respect to the irregularity and unjust/unfair admission process adopted for the


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Academic Year 2014-15. He requested to the Authority to give the time period of at least three months for full compliance of the directions of the Authority.

The Authority further decides that the above decision of the Authority is subject to final outcome of the matter pending before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

Office to take necessary steps and inform accordingly to all concerned.

Item No. 4: Letter dated 12th April 2016 received from the Association of Management of Unaided Private Medical and Dental Colleges of Maharashtra regarding Post Graduate Medical/Dental admissions for the Academic Year 2016-17.

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from Association of Management of Unaided Private Medical and Dental Colleges of Maharashtra regarding Post Graduate Medical/Dental admissions for the Academic Year 2016-17.

The Authority also perused the Hon'ble Supreme Court order dated 11th April, 2016 in Review Petition (C) Nos. 2159-2268 of 2013 and 2048-2157 of 2013.

The attention is drawn on the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulations of Admissions and fees) Act, 2015 (Mah Act No. XXVIII of 2015).

After deliberations, the Authority is of the opinion that no action is necessary at this stage, so far as no Interim relief / Final order of Hon'ble Supreme Court is issued in the case and the Act, 2015 is effective. Office to inform accordingly.

Part - II (State CET-CELL)

Item No. 5: To discuss and decide in respect of admission process of Post Graduate Dental course of M.A. Rangoonwala Dental College, Pune for the Academic Year 2016-17.

The Authority perused the letter dated 19th April 2016 received from Maharashtra Cosmopolitan Education Society, Pune regarding filling of Dental Post Graduate (MDS) seats of M.A. Rangoonwala Dental College, Pune for the Academic Year 2016-17 along with letter dated 20th April 2016 of State Common Entrance Test CELL, Mumbai and letter dated 22nd March 2016 of M.A. Rangoonwala College of Dental Sciences and Research Center, Pune.

The Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulations of Admissions and fees) Act, 2015 (Mah Act No. XXVIII of 2015) has come into force on 12th May 2015.

This authority is constituted under that Act and therefore has to act in accordance with provisions of that Act.



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After deliberations, the Authority directed the State CET-CELL to act as per the provisions of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulations of Admissions and fees) Act, 2015 and inform the college accordingly.

Item No. 6: To consider and decide on letter dated 4th May 2016 received from Directorate of Technical Education, Mumbai regarding revision of remuneration to Facilitation Center (FC) and Admission Reporting Center (ARC).

The Authority perused the aforesaid proposal date 04/05/2016, received from the Directorate of Technical Education, Mumbai regarding revision of remuneration to Facilitation Center (FC) and Admission Reporting Center (ARC).

After deliberations, the Authority approved Rs. 100/- as remuneration per student to the Facilitation Center (FC) and the Admission Reporting Center (ARC) as proposed by the Directorate. Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to take necessary action.

Item No. 7: To consider and decide on the following matters with the permission of the Chair.

Item No. 7(a): Letter dated 12th April 2016 received from The Director, Higher Education, Pune regarding Private and Unaided Colleges Registration fees for CAP process of B.Ed., M.Ed., B.P.Ed., M.P.Ed. and Law (3 and 5 Years) courses for the Academic Year 2016-17.

The Authority perused the aforesaid proposal received from the Directorate of Higher Education, Pune regarding Private and Unaided Colleges/Institutes registration fees for CAP process of B.Ed., M.Ed., B.P.Ed., and Law (3 and 5 Years) courses for the Academic Year 2016-17.

After deliberations, the Authority approved Rs. 1,000/- as registration fees for CAP process of B.Ed., M.Ed., B.P.Ed., and Law (3 and 5 Years) courses for the Academic Year 2016-17 as proposed by the Directorate. Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to take necessary action.

Item No. 7(b): To discuss and decide and plan for the verification of admission process of Post Graduate Medical and Dental Courses for the Academic Year 2016-17.

The Authority perused the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Education Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and fees) Act, 2015 (Mah Act No. XXVIII of 2015).

After deliberation, the Authority resolves as under :



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The Authority directs all Private and Unaided Post Graduate Medical and Dental Colleges as under :-

- a) Where the vacancies arise after the last CAP round of PGM/PGD-CET-2016, Colleges/Institutes shall immediately publish the vacancy position on its notice board and also on websites of the College/Institute. The College will immediately inform the same to a) The State CET-Cell, Mumbai, b) Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Maharashtra State & c) Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik, by e-mail & registered post without fail, who will put it on their respective websites immediately.
- b) Notifications in five leading newspapers having wide circulation in the State should contain the following details:-
 - (i) Category/Subject wise vacancy position,
 - (ii) Specimen format of Application Form (all contact details to be mentioned in the form),
 - (iii) Schedule of admission with date, time and venue.
- c) All Colleges/Institutes shall submit admission approval Proposals to the Authority within 15 days from the Cut -off date of admission.
- d) In case of failure/non observance of due dates same should be brought to the notice of Admissions Regulatory Authority immediate by the concerned for further actions.
- e) All Colleges / Institutes shall submit the proposal for approval of admissions done in NRI Quota before 30th June 2016.

The Authority further directs the Colleges/Institutes to **submit the following admissions details in duplicate to the Authority on or before 15th June 2016 (within office hrs) :-**

- a) Category/Subject wise vacancy position after last CAP round of APGM/APGD-CET-2016 - *(Annexure - A)*.
- b) Copy of advertisements - *(Annexure - B)*.
- c) Merit list prepared by concerned College (for i) Vacant seats from CAP Quota, ii) Management Quota and iii) NRI/Vacancy Against NRI Quota) - *(Annexure - C)*.
- d) List of provisional admissions :
 - i) List of candidates selected through CAP round - *(Annexure - D)*.
 - ii) List of Admissions granted against the vacant seats - *(Annexure - E)*.


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- iii) List of candidates selected in NRI/Vacancy Against NRI Quota - (Annexure - F).
- iv) Complete list of candidates selected for the Academic Year 2016-17 - (Annexure - G).
- e) Name of students in Merit list but not selected - (Annexure - H).
- f) Refusal letters from Merit Candidates, if not selected - (Annexure - I).
- g) Any other relevant information which is essential to assess the transparency of the system - (Annexure - J).

The Authority further directs the concerned Colleges/Institutes to follow above directions strictly. **Those Colleges/Institutes who fail to submit their admissions details to the Authority, within the prescribed time limit, admission process of the said Colleges/Institutes is likely to be disapproved by the Authority for the Academic Year 2016-17.**

The Authority also decides in respect of verification of admission process of Post Graduate Medical and Dental Courses for the Academic Year 2016-17, as under:-

- i) The Director, Medical Education and Research will check and verify the Post Graduate admissions through College/Institute institute level, vacancy against CAP, minority quota, non minority Quota and Admissions against NRI Quota done in private Medical & Dental Colleges/Institutes for the Academic Year 2016-17, Where the admissions are done in violation of triple test, same are to be brought to the notice of the Authority.
- ii) The Director, Medical Education and Research shall follow the procedure and schedule laid down in section (9) sub section (5) of the Act. Office to inform accordingly and take the necessary steps.

Item No. 7(c): Opening of separate Bank Saving Account of the Authority.

The Authority directs to the Office of the Authority to open separate Bank account in the name of "THE SECRETARY, ADMISSIONS REGULATING AUTHORITY, MUMBAI in the Nationalized Bank at the earliest and meet their expenses from the receipts. The Authority further decides that the Secretary of the Authority is the Authorized person. Office to take necessary steps and inform the Authority accordingly.

Item No. 7(d): To finalize the office space for Authorities and State CET-CELL

As per the decision taken by the Admission Regulating Authority in its meeting held on 13th April 2016 (at Item No. 20) the Commissioner, State CET-CELL, Mumbai has stated that space of the Excelsior Building, A.K. Naidu Marg, Fort, Mumbai - 400 001 under the ownership of Maharashtra State Finance Corporation, Mumbai is shortlisted.



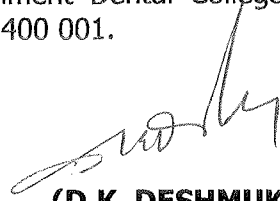
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In view of above, the Authority directs the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to visit and inspect and do the needful for finalization of the said premises for the office of the Authorities and State CET-CELL and submit its report before the Authority in its next meeting for consideration.

Next meeting of Admissions Regulating Authority will be held on **Wednesday, the 8th June, 2016** at 12:00 p.m. in the Conference Hall, Office of the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, 4th Floor, Government Dental College Building, St. Georges Hospital Campus, Near CST, Fort, Mumbai - 400 001.

Date : 24.05.2016

Place : Mumbai



(D.K. DESHMUKH)
CHAIRMAN

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