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No.F.-37/Circular/2023-Estt. (H.)

Dated: 26 FLB 2024

CIRCULAR

Reference is invited to Circulars dated 20.06.2023 and 14.08.2023 wherein it was directed that all Nursing Staff and Pharmacists (including contractual) must ensure that their registration with the respective Delhi Nursing Council (for Nursing Staff) and Delhi Pharmacy Council (for Pharmacists) is timely renewed to comply with the statutory requirements and also submit their valid registration certificate to their concerned Establishment Section for maintenance of records.

Representations dated 28.06.2023 and 26.08.2023 were received from AIIMS Nurses Union to withdraw the aforesaid Circular dated 20.06.2023 and 14.08.2023.

The matter was considered by the Competent Authority and it was decided to seek clarification from the Indian Nursing Council in the matter that whether the nursing staffs of AIIMS are required to compulsorily register themselves with Delhi Nursing Council <u>OR</u> they can continue working in AIIMS with registration of any State Nursing Council and also about the validity of Registration period and accordingly a letter and its reminder were sent to INC on 19.09.2023 & 05.12.2023.

The Indian Nursing Council vide their letter No. F.No. 18-09/Aiims/2023-INC dated 10.01.2024 has clarified that as per the Regulations of Indian Nursing Council (Nurses Registration & Tracking System) Regulations, 2019, a registered nurse/midwife, registered auxiliary nurse midwife, registered lady health visitor is required to seek reciprocal registration when she/he moves from on SNRC to another SNRC where she/he intends to practice. Further the Regulation 6 of the said Regulations provides:

"6. Reciprocal/Transfer of Registration-i) For transfer of registration from one State to another State, the registered nurse would login and apply online in NRTS portal and state reasons for such transfer of registration. ii) On issue of NOC by the previous SNRC online, new SNRC after biometric authentication and verification shall complete transfer formalities with the <u>same registration number as before</u> iii) All the SNRCs shall charge a uniform Reciprocal Registration Fee as indicated in the Schedule. SNRCs shall also levy a penalty as indicated in the schedule, from an applicant if the reciprocal registration has not been done within three months after leaving the earlier SNRC jurisdiction."

Thus, it is mandatory for all Nursing Staff working in AIIMS, New Delhi to register themselves with Delhi Nursing Council on their joining and also ensure timely renewal of their registration with DNC.

Accordingly, in order to comply with the Statutory requirement the Chief of Centres/Head of all departments and Incharges of all sections in AIIMS may inform to all employees (Nursing Staff and Pharmacists) working under their administrative control to comply with the order <u>within one month</u> from the issue of this circular.

Appropriate action will be taken against the employee(s) for violation of rules, if it is later found that their registration certificate is not valid and is not renewed within the above prescribed timeline.

The representations dated 28.06.2023 and 26.08.2023 of AIIMS Nurses Union is accordingly disposed off.

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