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ACADEMIC SECTION (PG)

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Dated: 20.09.2022

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Grant of Temporary Permission under section 14(1) of the IMC Act, ,1956 read with section 61(2) of the National Medical Commission Act-2019 – Mandatory compliance of the National Medical Commission Act-2019 by all the Foreign Nationals Residents regarding

Pursuant to notification vide File No.15017/77/Regn./039760-63, dated 12.09.2022 issued by National Medical Commission, vide which it is provided that Section 34 of NMC Act, 2019 states that “a foreign citizen who is enrolled in his country as a medical practitioner in accordance with the law regulating the registration of medical practitioners in that country may be permitted temporary registration in India for such period and medical practice by person possessing such qualifications”.

2. Section 14(1) of IMC Act, 1956 verbatim- “(1) The Central Government after consultation with the Council may, by notification in the Official Gazette, direct that medical qualifications granted by medical institutions in any country outside India in respect of which a scheme of reciprocity for the recognition of medical qualifications is not in force, shall be recognized medical qualifications for the purpose of this Act or shall be so only when granted after a specified date:

“Provided that medical practice by persons possessing such qualifications –

- (a) shall be permitted only if such persons are enrolled as medical practitioners in accordance with the law regulating the registration of medical practitioners for the time being in force in that country;
- (b) shall be limited to the institution to which they are attached for the time being for the purposes of teaching, research or charitable work; and
- (c) shall be limited to the period specified in this behalf by the Central Government by general or special order”.

3. Now, it has come to the notice of the Commission that Foreign National who come to India for MD/MS/Fellowship have been allowed to join/continue the course without having obtained temporary permission from National Medical Commission. In some cases candidates Registration certificate in Medical Council of their country is also expired.



4. **Section 34(2) of NMC Act, 2019 verbaton - “(2) Any person who contravenes any of the provisions of this section shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year, or with fine which may extend to five lakh rupees or with both.”**

5. Therefore, all the Foreign Nationals residents to be admitted for MD/ MS/ MDS/ Fellowship course are hereby advised to comply with the said Act and register themselves under NMC Act for obtaining TEMPORARY PERMISSION from National Medical Commission **prior to their joining** in the Institute under section 14(1) of the IMC Act, 1956 read with section 61(2) of the National Medical Commission Act-2019 for medical practice at AIIMS, New Delhi.

6. Those who have enrolled/ registered under NMC Act-2019 and are working as MD/ MS/ MDS/ DM/ MCH student, must get the Registration Certificate in Medical Council of their country, must get it renewed within stipulated time/ expiry date.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority


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