

Minutes of Meeting of the **Admissions Regulating Authority** held under the **Chairmanship of Justice D. K. Deshmukh (Retd.)** on Friday, the **12th August, 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.

Following Members of the Admissions Regulating Authority were present:

1. Dr. M.S. Kekre : Member
2. Dr. K.M. Kulkarni : Member
3. Mr. P.E. Gaikwad : Member
4. Mr. Sitaram Kunte : Member Secretary (Pravesh Niyantaran Samiti – Higher & Technical Education) and Principal Secretary, Higher and Technical Education Department, Government of Maharashtra.
5. Mr. C.V. Oak : Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority and Commissioner, State CET-CELL, M.S.

1) Smt. Medha Gadgil, Member Secretary (Pravesh Niyantaran Samiti – Medical Education) and Addl. Chief Secretary, Medical Education and Drugs Department, 2) Dr. Ravi Bapat, Member, 3) Dr. Arun Jamkar, Member and 4) Dr. Raju Mankar, Member were unable to attend 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 Mrs. Anjali Ambhire : Dy. Secretary, Medical Education and Drugs Department, M.S.
- 2 Dr. P.H. Shingare : Director, Medical Education and Research, Mumbai
- 3 Dr. S.K. Mahajan : Director, Technical Education, Mumbai
- 4 Vd. Shradha Sude : Asst. Director on behalf of Director of AYUSH, Mumbai
- 5 Dr. Dayanand Meshram : Exam Co-ordinator- Technical Education, State CET-CELL.
- 6 Dr. S.Y. Chikhalikar : Exam Co-ordinator- Higher Education, State CET-CELL.
- 7 Vd. N.R. Saboo : Exam Co-ordinator – AYUSH Department, State CET-CELL



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- 8 Dr. P.R. Raikar : Asst. Exam Co-Ordinator,
Medical Education, State CET-CELL
- 9 Vd. R.P. Bhurke : Asst. Exam Co-Ordinator,
AYUSH Department, State CET-CELL
- 10 Mr. U.A. Agnihotri : Asst. Exam Co-Ordinator,
Technical Education, State CET-CELL
- 11 Mr. A.A. Lonkar : Asst. Exam Co-Ordinator,
Technical Education, State CET-CELL
- 12 Mr. G.T. Kedar : Asst. Exam Co-Ordinator,
Higher Education, State CET-CELL
- 13 Mr. J.M. Patil : Asst. Exam Co-Ordinator,
Higher Education, State CET-CELL
- 14 Mr. Ajit Kudnikar : Officer on Special Duty, Maharashtra
University of Health Sciences, Nashik
- 15 Mr. R.S. Kapse : Section Officer on behalf of Registrar,
Maharashtra University of Health Sciences,
Nashik.
- 16 Mr. Haribhau Shinde : Administrative Officer on behalf of
Director, Higher Education, Pune.
- 17 Mr. Vinayak Vispute : Administrative Officer, State CET-CELL,
Mumbai

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

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) which came into force on the 12th May, 2015, **the Pravesh Niyantaran Samiti existing as on the date of commencement of the Act shall continue to exercise the powers of the Admissions Regulating Authority till such Authority is duly constituted under the Act.**

Item No. 1: To approve and confirm Minutes of the Meeting of the Admissions Regulating Authority held on Wednesday, the 27th July, 2016 in the Conference Hall, office of the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai - 400 001.

Minutes of the Meeting of the Admissions Regulating Authority held on Wednesday, the 27th July, 2016 in the Conference Hall, Office of the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai - 400 001 are approved and confirmed.



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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 Wednesday, the 27th July, 2016, details of which are as below:-

Meeting on 27 th July 2016	Actionable Points	Action taken
Item No. 1	To approve and confirm the Minutes of the Admissions Regulating Authority held on Wednesday, 27 th July 2016 at Conference Hall, Office of the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai.	Minutes of the Meeting are displayed on the Website and Notice Board of Authority on 08/08/2016.

The Authority noted and approved the action of the office.

A) Medical Education :**Item No. 3: To consider and decide on the Verification/Observation report - email dated 27th July, 2016 received from Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai.**

The Admissions Regulating Authority perused the observation report w.r.t. MBBS (02 Colleges), BDS (01 College) and B.Sc. Nursing (07 Colleges) submitted by the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai having found no discrepancies in admission process of these Under Graduate Courses for the Academic Year 2015-16.

The Admissions Regulating Authority, after deliberations decides to approve the collegewise admissions for Academic Year 2015-16, where the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai found no discrepancy. The report of Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai is marked herewith as **Annexure-A**.

It is noticed that Directorate in its verification report dated 27/07/2016 pointed out that various B.Sc. Nursing Colleges/Institutes, admitted students from both the lists i.e. MH-CET-2015, Asso-CET-2015 and also admitted Non-CET students during the admission process.

The Authority perused the Government Resolution No. एमईडी १०१५/प्र.क्र. ७६/१५/शिक्षण - २, dated 29th April 2015, in this regard.

After, deliberations, the Authority decides to approve admissions of B.Sc. Nursing course as per the provisions of Government Resolution dated 29/04/2015 which is effective for Academic Year 2015-16 and on the basis of verification and observation report of Directorate of Medical Education & Research, Mumbai (in which the admissions have been approved). However the Directorate should sort out and dispose off with the discrepancies after appropriate compliances within two weeks from respective College/Institute.



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Item No. 4: **Letter dated 30th July, 2016 received from Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik requesting, review of decisions taken by the Authority w.r.t. admissions of students in First Year MBBS course for the Academic Year 2014-15 in the Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Satara and declaration of their 1st Year MBBS exam result.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik regarding review of decisions taken by the Authority w.r.t. admissions of students in First Year MBBS course for the Academic Year 2014-15 in the Institute of Medical Sciences, Satara and declaration of their 1st Year MBBS exam result.

The Authority went through the decisions taken by the Authority in its meetings held on 6th May 2016 (at Item No. 3), 8th June 2016 (at Item No. 3(a)), 13th July, 2016 (at Item No. 14(a)) and 27th July, 2016 (at Item No. 1). The Authority concludes that the decisions taken by the Authority in its above mentioned meetings warrants no change.

In continuation of the decisions taken as mentioned above, after deliberations, the Authority further resolves that the admissions of the students of the Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Satara for Academic Year 2014-15 are provisionally approved by the Authority and the Authority shall not review it. Office to inform accordingly.

Item No. 5: **To consider and decide on letters/representations received from :-**

Item No. 5(a): **Letter dated 2nd August, 2016 and 8th August, 2016 received from Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Satara requesting to declare the result of 1st year MBBS exam passed students who have been admitted in Academic Year 2014-15 and to extend the time period for payment of penalty amount. (Ref. Minutes of the Meeting dated 6th May, 2016 at Item No. 3).**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letters dated 2nd August, 2016 and 8th August, 2016 received from Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Satara requesting to declare the result of 1st Year MBBS exam passed students who have been admitted in Academic Year 2014-15 and to extend the time period for payment of penalty amount.

The Authority went through the decisions taken by the Authority in its meeting held on 6th May, 2016 at Item No. (3), 8th June, 2016 (at Item No. 3[a]) and 27th July, 2016 (at Item No. 1).

The Authority allowed Dr. M.R. Deshmukh, President of Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Mayani, Satara, Adv. Nitin Pawar and Mr. Prafulla Patil; to be present in the meeting and present their remarks on the subject.

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Dr. M.R. Deshmukh, the President of Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Mayani, Satara requested the Authority to inform the Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, Nashik to declare the result of 1st Year MBBS exam passed students who have been admitted in Academic Year 2014-15 and informed that regarding the payment of penalty amount the Institute had already applied for loan from bank and it may take some time for scrutiny and other needful process, required to be done by the bank. Accordingly he requested to extend the time period by 45 days for payment of penalty amount.

The Authority made it clear that the Authority has already taken conscious decisions in its meetings on 6th May, 2016, 8th June, 2016, 13th July, 2016 and 27th July, 2016. Regarding payment of penalty amount the Authority further directs to the aforesaid College/Institute to submit the sanction letter of loan approval of the Bank, to the Authority before 30th August, 2016. Only after the receipt of the sanction letter of loan approval of the Bank on or before 30th August, 2016, the appropriate decision regarding extension to be given to the College/Institute for payment of penalty amount would be taken. The College/Institute should submit its undertaking immediately to the office of the Authority regarding submission of sanction letter before 30th August, 2016. Accordingly further decision, regarding final approval of these students would be taken by the Authority. Office to inform accordingly. The development in this regard to be placed before the Authority in the next meeting.

Dr. Deshmukh, President of the Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Satara who was present in the meeting, accepted the above decision of the Authority.

Item No. 5(b): Letter dated 21st July 2016 received from DES Brijlal Jindal College of Physiotherapy, Pune asking eligibility of PIO card holder for B.P.Th. Course for the Academic Year 2016-17.

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from DES Brijlal Jindal College of Physiotherapy, Pune asking eligibility of PIO card holder for B.P.Th. Course for the Academic Year 2016-17.

The Authority went through the eligibility criteria published by the State CET-CELL in its Information Brochure of MHT-CET-2016 for admission to Health Science Degree courses as published by the State CET-CELL. After deliberations, the Authority decides that as per the eligibility criteria published by the State CET-CELL w.r.t. MHT-CET-2016, the provisions need to be followed by all concerned Colleges/Institutes. The eligibility criteria regarding admissions under NRI quota is already declared and published time to time by the office of the Admissions Regulating Authority which is also required to be followed by all concerned Colleges/Institutes as per the case may be. Office to inform accordingly.



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Item No. 5(c): Letters received from following Nursing Colleges/Institutes asking permission to admit Non-CET students for B.Sc. Nursing course for the Academic Year 2016-17.

- i) Letter dated 8th August, 2016 Bombay Hospital College of Nursing, Mumbai.
- ii) Letter dated 8th August, 2016 received from Fortis Institute of Nursing, Mumbai.
- iii) Letter dated 8th August, 2016 received from St. Andrews College of Nursing, Pune.
- iv) Letter dated 8th August, 2016 received from KDA Nursing College, Mumbai.

The Authority perused the aforesaid letters received from the Colleges/Institutes asking permissions to admit Non-CET students for B.Sc. Nursing course for the Academic Year 2016-17.

The attention is drawn to the sub-section (7) of section (10) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Education Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 (Mah. Act No. XXVIII of 2015), dated 17th August 2015.

The Authority, after deliberations, concludes that as per the provisions of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 the aspect of granting the permission to admit the students on the Non-CET basis does not come within the purview of the Authority. Office to inform accordingly.

B) Higher and Technical Education:-

Item No. 6: To approve the proposals of Technical Institutions for Transfer of Candidates (Course/Institute) for degree Courses as per Admission Rule 17(2), which have been verified by the Directorate Technical Education M.S. and displayed on websites of the Admissions Regulating Authority and Directorate Technical Education M.S. w.r.t. the Academic Year 2016-17.

The Authority perused the Proposals received from Technical Institutions for Transfer of Candidates (Course/Institute) for Degree courses as per Admission Rule 17(2), which have been verified by the Directorate of Technical Education, M.S. and displayed on websites of the Admissions Regulating Authority and Directorate of Technical Education M.S. w.r.t. the Academic Year 2016-17.

The Authority went through the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions to the Full Time Professional Undergraduate Technical Courses) Rules, 2016 rule no. 17 (2) Published on 11th March 2016.



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As per provisions of Rule 17(2) of the Rules 2016, the Principals of the Professional Undergraduate Technical Institutes, submitted the proposals with their recommendations to office of the Admissions Regulating Authority. These Applications were forwarded to the Director, Technical Education M.S., Mumbai for scrutiny/verification and observations.

The Director submitted its reports on a) 27th July 2016, b) 29th July 2016, c) 30th July 2016, d) 1st August 2016 and e) 6th August 2016.

The Authority in its previous meeting held on 27th July, 2016 had empowered the Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority to approve the transfer of candidates (Course/Institutes) on the basis of observation reports submitted by the Director, Technical Education and to publish the same on the official website of the Authority. Accordingly it was published on 2nd August, 5th August and 6th August 2016, subject to approval of the Admissions Regulating Authority.

The Authority perused the lists below mentioned:-

Sr. No.	Date on which the list is published	Approved List	Approved list, subject to compliance	Disapproved list
1	1 st August, 2016	Annexure - A	Annexure - B	Annexure - C
2	2 nd August, 2016	Annexure - P	Annexure - Q	Annexure - R
3	6 th August, 2016	Annexure - X	Annexure - Y	Annexure - Z

After deliberations, the Authority approved/disapproved the lists published by the Authority as mentioned above.

Item No. 7: **To approve the Proposals of Technical Institutions for transfer of Candidates (Course/Institution) for degree courses as per Rule 17(2) which has been verified by Directorate Technical Education but approved subject to submission of requisite documents as per Annexure - displayed on website of Admissions Regulating Authority and Directorate Technical Education, M.S.**

The Authority perused the proposals of Technical Institutions for transfer of Candidates (Course/Institution) for degree courses as per Rule 17(2) which have been verified by Directorate of Technical Education though the approval is subject to submission of requisite documents as per Annexure, - displayed on website of Admissions Regulating Authority and the Directorate of Technical Education, M.S.

The Authority went through the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions to the Full Time Professional Undergraduate Technical Courses) Rules, 2016 rule no. 17 (2) published on 11th March 2016.



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The Authority in its previous meeting held on 27th July, 2016 had empowered the Secretary, Admissions Regulating Authority to approve the transfer of candidates (Course/Institutes) on the basis of observation reports submitted by the Director, Technical Education and to publish the same on the official website of the Authority. Accordingly it was published on 1st August and 6th August, 2016, subject to approval of the Admissions Regulating Authority. The respective Colleges/Institutes complied with the requisite documents and submitted the report to the Office of the Authority.

The Authority perused the compliance report submitted by respective Colleges.

After deliberations, the Authority approved the transfer of candidates (Course/Institutes) as per the compliance report. The details of which are marked and as i) Annexure - AA, ii) Annexure - AB, iii) Annexure - AC and iv) Annexure - AD.

The Authority directed, the office of the Admissions Regulating Authority to declare the list of candidates who have submitted/complied as per the discrepancies, as well as list of candidates who have not submitted/complied as per the discrepancies on website of Admissions Regulating Authority and the Director, Technical Education M.S., Mumbai.

Item No. 8: **To consider, discuss and decide about approval of the admissions to Higher & Technical Education courses for the Academic Year 2015-16.**

Item No. 8(a): **To consider, discuss and decide on proposals received for approval of admissions where there are no discrepancies.**

Nil


Item No. 8(b): **To consider, discuss and decide on proposals received for approval of admissions where there are discrepancies.**

TECHNICAL EDUCATION

The Admissions Regulating Authority perused observations of the Director, Technical Education, Mumbai, having found certain discrepancies in admission process of **1** college/Institute. The Admissions Regulating Authority after deliberations decides to approve eligibility and selection process of following **1** college/Institute in Technical Education for Academic Year 2015-16, subject to the Director, Technical Education or his Officers or the Competent Authorities sorting out and disposing off with the said discrepancies after appropriate compliances from respective Institution for Academic Year 2015-16, within four weeks.

Sr. No.	Course	No. of Colleges/Institutes
1	B. Engineering	1
	Total	1

(List attached - **Annexure-B**)


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In respect of MBA and MCA Admissions:-

1. The Proposals of approval of admissions done in following colleges MBA & MCA for Academic Year 2015-16 was put up before Authority in Meeting dated 13th April, 2016 and 8th June 2016 respectively.
2. The Decision taken in Meetings held on 13th April, 2016 and 8th June 2016 which are as under _____

1. Attention is drawn to the mandate of the Hon'ble Supreme Court's in (2003) 6 Supreme Court cases 697 Islamic Academy of Education v/s. State of Karnataka Para. No. 16 as re-produced hereunder:

"We thus hold that the management could select students, of their quota, either on the basis of the common entrance test conducted by the State or on the basis of a common entrance test to be conducted by an association of all colleges of a particular type in that State e.g. medical, engineering or technical etc. The common entrance test, held by the association must be for admission to all colleges of that type in the state. The option of choosing, between either of these tests, must be exercised before issuing of prospectus and after intimation to the concerned authority and the committee set up hereinafter. If any professional college choose not to admit from the common entrance test conducted by the association then that college must necessarily admit from the common entrance test conducted by the State. After holding the common entrance test and declaration of results the merit list will immediately be placed on the notice board of the colleges which have chosen to admit as per this test. A copy of the merit list will also be forthwith sent to the concerned authority and the committee. Selection of students must then be strictly on the basis of merit as per that merit list." (emphasis supplied)

Authority further decides not to approve the admissions done through any other CET/CAP process which is not approved by concerned Authorities"

3. Also The Authority decided in its Meeting held on 8th June 2016 as under ____

"Authority further decided not to approve the admissions done through any other CET/CAP process which is not approved by concerned Authorities. The Authority also directed that the concerned colleges should submit the list of the admitted students along with the name of the concerned CET through which they appeared and the Director Technical Education, Mumbai should certified it and submit the report to the Authority accordingly. Office to inform accordingly."

4. Aforesaid Colleges submitted the list of the admitted students along with the name of the concerned CET through which they appeared as per their letters of dated 15th July 2016 and 23th July 2016 along with certification of Joint Director respectively.



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5. Authority perused letters of above colleges and observations of Joint Director Technical Education. After going through it and Joint Director, Technical Education, having found certain discrepancies in admission process of 02 colleges/institutes done through CET conducted by the Directorate of Technical Education, Mumbai only. Authority after deliberation decides to approve eligibility and selection process of following 02 colleges/institutes in Technical Education for Academic Year 2015-16 of CET-2015 students only, subject to the Director, Technical Education or his Officers or the Competent Authorities sorting out and disposing off with the said discrepancies after appropriate compliances from respective institutions for Academic Year 2015-16, within four weeks. The details of which are as under:-

i) MBA College with Admission Details for A.Y. 2015-16

Sr. No.	Name of the College	Name of the Institute	Total No. of candidates admitted through MH CET	Total No. of candidates admitted through AMMI CET	Total No. of candidates admitted through CMAT CET	Total No. of admitted candidates
1	D.B. Institute of Management and Research	MB2520	37	68	2	107

ii) MCA Colleges with Admission Details for A.Y. 2015-16

Sr. No.	Inst ID	Inst Name	Total No. of candidates admitted through Govt. CET	Total No. of candidates admitted through Association CET	Total No. of candidates admitted through Other CET	Total No. of admitted candidates
1	Shri Mahatma Basweshwar Edu. Society Institute of Computer Education, Latur	MC2123	51	5	-	56

6. The Admissions done through the Association CET which is conducted on the basis of Hon'ble High Court order in Civil application No. 1045 of 2015 in Writ Petition No. 6122 of 2014 and Civil application No. 1046 of 2015 in Writ Petition No. 6121 of 2014, dated 22nd April, 2015.

In view of this Authority decides no action necessary at this stage from the Authority, court order to be obeyed. Office to inform accordingly.



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Item No. 9: **To consider and decide on letters/representations received from :-**

Item No. 9(a): **Letter dated 22nd July, 2016 received from Lady Amritbai Daga College for Women of Arts, Commerce and Science and Smt. Ratnidevi Purohit College of Home Science and Home Science Technology, Nagpur asking for permission to conduct Institute Level CET – 2016 B.HMCT Course.**

The Authority perused the letter dated 22nd July, 2016 received from Lady Amritbai Daga College for Women of Arts, Commerce and Science and Smt. Ratnidevi Purohit College of Home Science and Home Science Technology, Nagpur asking for permission to conduct Institute Level CET – 2016 B.HMCT Course.

The Authority noted that the College is a Grant-in-aid College and hence is of the view that it may approach to the State Government.

In view of the provisions of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 the Authority directs the aforesaid College to follow the Admission Rules as per the above act.

Item No. 9(b): **Letters dated 6th August 2016 and 8th August 2016 received from Indian Education Society's College of Architecture, Mumbai and L S Raheja School of Architecture, Mumbai respectively and various candidates (List attached) asking for Transfer of Candidates (Course/Institution) as per Rule 17(2) for B. Architecture course admitted through MASA for Academic Year 2016-17.**

The Authority perused the letters received from the Architecture Colleges and various candidates regarding transfer of candidates (Course/Institution) as per Rule 17(2) for B. Architecture course admitted through MASA for Academic Year 2016-17.

The Admissions Regulating Authority perused observation report of the Director, Technical Education M.S., Mumbai submitted vide letter no. २/एनजीसी/संस्थाबदल /२०१६/९९८ व ९९९, dated 1/8/2016.

It is noticed that the admissions of aforesaid Colleges are conducted and done through the MASA for the Academic Year 2015-16 and MASA has not taken prior approval from the Authority for conducting admissions of B. Architecture course for the Academic Year 2015-16. Even in rules framed by the MASA there is no provision for Transfer of Candidates from one Institute to another Institute.

In view of above, after deliberations, the Authority decides not to accede to the request made by the aforesaid Colleges/Institutes and students. Office to inform accordingly.



Item No. 9(c): Letter dated 6th August, 2016 received from Smt. Trupti Prakash Sawant, M.L.A. asking for Admission Quota in IES Architecture College, Bandra Mumbai for First Year B.Arch admissions to the wards of officers/employees of MHADA.

The Authority perused the letter received from Smt. Trupti Prakash Sawant, M.L.A. asking for Admission Quota in IES Architecture College, Bandra Mumbai for First Year B.Arch admissions to the wards of officers/employees of MHADA.

The Principal Secretary, Higher and Technical Education Department stated that, as per the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015, there is no provision of Admission Quota in Private and unaided Professional Colleges/Institutes to the wards of Officers/Employees of the MHADA and the same rule is also communicated to the concerned.

In view of this, the Authority, after deliberations, decides that no action is necessary from the Authority. Decision of the Higher and Technical Education Department be informed to the concerned. Office to take necessary steps.

Item No. 10: To consider and decide on the various representations received from candidates seeking admission to B.Ed. course who didn't appear for Government CET for the Academic Year 2016-17.

The Authority perused the various representations received from the candidates seeking admission to B.Ed. course who didn't appear for Government CET for the Academic Year 2016-17.

The Authority went through the decision taken by the Authority in its meeting held on 27th July, 2016 at Item No. 15(b) and after deliberations, the Authority concludes that the decision taken by the Authority in its meeting held on 27th July, 2016 at Item No. 15(b) warrants no change. Office to inform accordingly.

C) State CET-CELL:-

Item No. 11: To peruse the statement of Accounts submitted by Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL, for the period of 13-07-2016 to 09-08-2016.

The Authority noted the following statement of Accounts submitted by State CET-CELL, for the period 13/07/2016 to 09/08/2016. The details of which are marked as **Annexure - D.**



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Item No. 12: **To discuss and decide on incorporating 13 Colleges/Institutes (MBBS/BDS) in 'Common Admission Process' for Academic Year 2016-17 on which penalty of Rs. 20 Lakh per student has been imposed on them as per the decision taken by the Authority in its meeting held on 15th October, 2015 along with letter dated 3rd August, 2016 received from the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai seeking guidance regarding incorporating 13 Colleges/Institutes of MBBS and BDS courses, on whom penalty has been imposed by the Authority, in "Common Admission Process" for the Academic Year 2016-17.

The Authority went through the decision taken by the Authority in its meeting held on 15th October, 2015 at Item No. 3.

The Authority also perused the Hon'ble High Court Order dated 14th March, 2016, given in Writ Petition No. 12695 of 2015.

After deliberations, the Authority directs the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to incorporate 13 MBBS/BDS Colleges/Institutes in 'Common Admissions Process' for admissions to First Year degree courses for the Academic Year 2016-17 and inform the concerned students that their selection to these Colleges/Institutes would be subject to final outcome of the matter pending before the Hon'ble Court.


The Authority also directs to the office of the Authority to inform the Lawyer of the Authority to file application before Hon'ble Court with request to let the Colleges/Institutes, deposit the penalty amount as directed by the Authority to the Court. Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL and Office of the Authority to take necessary steps.

Item No. 13: **To consider and decide on the following matters with the permission of the Chair.**

Item No. 13(a): **Letter dated 11th August, 2016 received from Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai regarding admission process of Private and Unaided Medical and Dental Colleges through NEET-CET-2016 for the Academic Year 2016-17.**

The Authority perused the aforesaid letter received from the Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Mumbai regarding admission process of Private and Unaided Medical and Dental Colleges through NEET-CET-2016 for the Academic Year 2016-17.

The Authority also perused the letter dated 9th August, 2016 received from Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India.


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The Commissioner, State CET-CELL submitted that the admissions of Private and Unaided Medical and Dental Colleges are to be conducted on the basis of result of NEET-CET-2016 and Ministry of Health and Family Welfare in its aforesaid letter stated that "State/UT Governments may preferably go for combined counseling for admission to MBBS/BDS courses in all Medical/Dental Colleges including Deemed Universities". The Commissioner further submitted that to conduct the admission process of Deemed University Medical/Dental Colleges, the CET CELL needs their all other relevant admissions details. However the Government of Maharashtra through the Medical Education and Drugs Department, should issue specific Government Resolution in this respect.

Mrs. Anjali Ambhire, Dy. Secretary, Medical Education and Drugs Department, Maharashtra State who was present in the meeting stated that the Department will comply with the same and issue the necessary order that day itself.

In view of the above, after deliberations, the Authority approved the request made by the Commissioner, State CET-CELL and asked Medical Education and Drugs Department, Government of Maharashtra to issue the necessary Government Resolution immediately. Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL to take necessary steps and inform the Authority accordingly.

Item No. 13(b): To discuss in respect of the following issues raised by the Directorate of Technical Education, Mumbai.

1. Transfer of candidates in B.Arch course by change of institute admitted by MASA for 2015-16.

AS per the letter No. 2/NGC/ Sanstha Badal/ARCH/2016/1064, dated 12nd August 2016, the Director, Technical Education has informed the following points regarding the "Non recommendation" for change of Institute of students who are admitted to first year B.Arch. through MASA for 2015-16 –

- i. Rules for admission proposed by MASA for year 2015-16 are not approved by then the Pravesh Niyantran Samiti and/or Admissions Regulating Authority.
- ii. Neither the admissions through MASA for academic year 2015-16 are approved by the Pravesh Niyantran Samiti and/or Admissions Regulating Authority
- iii. The admission rules proposed by MASA in 2015-16 do not mention any provision for "Change of Institute".
- iv. As MASA has filed the writ Petition No. 5468 of 2015 against Government of Maharashtra, in Bombay High Court, in which Hon. High Court has not passed any interim order. The next hearing date is 16 February 2017. Hence the matter is subjudice.

- v. Allowing such transfers may mean as approving these admissions and may affect on the stand taken by Government in above referred writ petition.

Considering the above facts, the Director, Technical Education, Mumbai has not recommended the "Change of Institute" proposals of the students admitted through MASA.

After deliberations, in view of the above the Authority decides not to approve such proposals of transfers i.e. change of Institutes. Office to inform accordingly.

2. To discuss and decide about admissions to First year of B.Arch. in the institutes which have received permission after CAP

Dr. S.K. Mahajan, the Director, Technical Education, Mumbai stated that the that the Directorate of Technical Education, Mumbai is still receiving the approvals for courses in Architecture from Council of Architecture even after 5th August 2016. The allotment for CAP round IV was displayed on 6th August 2016 and its reporting at ARC was scheduled between 7th to 9th August 2016. It is practically not possible to consider these institutes for admissions for academic year 2016-17. Hence Director, Technical Education, Mumbai proposed not to consider such Institutes for admissions for Academic Year 2016-17. On discussion it was resolved that the Institutes which got approval after 5th August 2016 from Council of Architecture shall not be considered for admission to first year Undergraduate course in Architecture for academic year 2016-17.

3. To discuss and decide about the issues related with change of course title .

Dr. S.K. Mahajan, the Director, Technical Education, Mumbai stated that some institutes are receiving the AICTE approval for change of course titles, already the CAP process is at its fag end and if at this stage the course titles are changed then students previously admitted may take objection. Also it will result into the situation where in same class students will get admitted with two different course titles which will be strange and impracticable.

After deliberations, the Authority decides that any change of course though approved by AICTE and communicated after start of CAP will not be considered for Academic Year 2016-17. The admissions will continue with current course title. Office of the Commissioner, State CET-CELL inform accordingly.

4. To brief the Authority about the complaints of fake caste certificate and action taken by DTE

Dr. S.K. Mahajan, the Director, Technical Education, Mumbai stated that the Directorate, Technical Education, Mumbai has received total 18 cases in the form of complaints stating that some admitted candidates have submitted fake caste certificates/Caste Validity certificates through CAP.

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As an immediate action DTE has forwarded the cases to respective Certificate Issuing Authority and has requested to verify genuineness of the documents. In one case the Issuing Authority has confirmed that the document is faked. Accordingly the Institute is already directed to cancel the admission of the candidate and the Director of the Institute is also directed to lodge the FIR against the candidate.

The Authority noted.

Next meeting of the Admissions Regulating Authority will be held on **Tuesday, the 30th August, 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 : 26 AUG 2016

Place : Mumbai


(D.K. DESHMUKH)
CHAIRMAN

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