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Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi-110108
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject- Regarding oversight Committee for implementation of reservation for OBC candidates in UG/PG medical Colleges/ Institutions of the country.

The Minutes of the meeting of the "Oversight Committee" held under the Chairmanship of Dr. D.C. Jain, Spl DG(ME) on 11th March 2011 at 3.00 P.M. in connection with implementation of reservation for OBC candidates in Central Educational Institutes are placed below for information and necessary action.

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All the Directors
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Minutes of the meeting held on 11th March, 2011 at 3.00 P.M. under the Chairmanship of Prof.(Dr.) D.C. Jain Spl. DG(ME), Ministry of Health & Family Welfare in Resource Centre, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi.

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The meeting was held under the Chairmanship of Prof.(Dr.) D.C. Jain Spl.DG(ME), Ministry of Health & Family Welfare on 11th March, 2011 at 3.00 P.M. to review the status of implementation of OBC reservations in Central Educational Institutes for Undergraduate and Postgraduate courses.

The list of participants of the above mentioned meeting is enclosed. The members from (i) JIPMER, Puducherry, (ii) RIMS, Imphal and (iii) ICMR could not attend the said meeting. The Director, RIMS, Imphal showed its inability to attend meeting due to visit of President to Imphal and have sent the required information.

The Chairman apprises the members/Dean/Directors/Representative of each Institutes were welcomed and after formal introduction, the issues were discussed mainly based on the status of the OBC implementation in their Institutes, and any constraint related with the faculty position, infrastructure and the equipments for implementing the reservation for Other Backward Classes in the Reservation Act 2006(excluding the creamy layer of the country). In this regard, the institution wise detail is given below:-

Lady Hardinge Medical College:-

As regards to the **Undergraduate course**, the Director LHMC stated that there is already increase in the MBBS seats from 130 to 150 in 2008-09. Although the infrastructural facilities viz. lecture theatre, dissection hall, examination hall, demonstration room, bed strength, museums, laboratories, operation theatre, OPD and ward space for clinical teaching and training, library facility and hostel for students and residents are extremely insufficient for conducting the course for 150 students intake per year.

As per Hon'ble High Court order dated 11-08-2010 in the CWP No. 4378/10 titled Ashhar Musharib Firdausi Vs. University of Delhi & Ors. has given order to implement the 27% reservation of OBC in the Institutes. The seats may be increased from 150 to 200 in LHMC w.e.f. session 2011-2012. I, therefore, do not deem it appropriate to grant any relief to the petitioner. However, with effect from the next academic year Lady Hardinge Medical College are directed to carry out the mandate of the Act by reserving 27% of the seats for OBC candidates, irrespective of whether they have complied with Section 5(1) or not.

The status of existing faculty as per MCI norms for 200 intake per year is 15% deficient and can be rectify by recruiting the faculty on contract basis. As per the bed strength is concerned, 25.9% shortage in hospital. There is acute shortage of technical, administrative and other supportive staff infrastructure as well.

As regards to the **Post-Graduate course**, a total of 27% reservation is already implemented in the academic year 2010-11.

Action:- Director, LHMC to take up matter relating to increase in number of MBBS Seats with Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.

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Regional Institute of Medical Sciences, Imphal:-

As regards to the **Undergraduate course**, to implement the 27% reservation for OBC category, the present 100 undergraduate admissions per year needs **to be increased from 100 to 154 admissions per year which is yet to be implemented in RIMS, Imphal**. The proposals for enhancement of infrastructures & staff have already been submitted and is under consideration in MOH& F.W. For affective implementation of 27% OBC reservation after increasing the admission capacity, the 7(seven) beneficiary States may be instructed accordingly, as the responsibility of complying with the reservation policy lies with the beneficiary States of RIMS, also.

As regards to the **Post-Graduate course**, the 27% reservations for OBC in 'All India Quota' is already implemented from the year 2010-11. As per the State Quota, concerned there are 73 PG seats out of which 14 are filled by the open candidates rest all the seats are being filled by the sponsored category in service candidates from seven beneficiary States and the status of implementation in State Quota will rest upon the RIMS including all the seven States.

Action:- Director, RIMS, Imphal to follow-up the matter relating to increase in seat with Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.

All India Institute of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation (AIIPM&R), Mumbai.

As regards to the **Undergraduate course**, they have already implemented 27% reservations in B.Sc. (Prosthetic & Orthotics) by increasing seats from 20 to 31.

As regards to the **Post-Graduate course**, implemented the 27% reservation in DNB (PMR), Master in Physiotherapy, Master in Occupational Therapy, Diploma in Rehabilitation Physiotherapy, Diploma in Rehabilitation Occupational Therapy and M.Sc. (Prosthetic & Orthotics).

As regards to the development of infrastructure and creation of posts, (i) the expenditure of 21.55 crores for demolition and reconstruction of the workshop building with an academic block, the expenditure will met from the plan funds outlet of AIIPMR, Mumbai. (ii) the expenditure of Rs.1.50 crore (approximate expenditure for the first three years) on (6+2) 8 posts to be created will be met from the Plan fund outlay of the AIIPMR, Mumbai. (iii) the expenditure of Rs.2.50 crore (approximate expenditure for the first three years) on creation fo 13 faculty and 4 supporting staff will be met from the Oversight Committee's budgetary allocations.

Action: - Director, AIIPH&R, Mumbai to furnish a copy of proposal referred above.

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National Institute of Mental Health & Neurosciences {NIMHANS}, Bangalore:-

The Director, NIMHANS, Bangalore, has requested to take this matter to the concerned authorities to increase the post graduate MD seats, in a phased manner. **There are 20 PG seats, which needs to be increased from 20 to 22 seats in the year 2011-12 and 22 to 24 in the year 2012-13.** As per MCI criteria, the department has 19 post graduate teachers, of which 9 are Professors. The MCI has changed the ratio of seats from 1:1 to 1:2 for Professors thus over all the department can take 28 MD students as per this ratio.

The number of beds at present under psychiatry is 650, which is enough to train the increased number of post graduate students. Since there is a shortage of trained and specialist Psychiatry in the Country and the Government of India and Union Health Minister have sought an increase of qualified psychiatry, this increase in the number would attempt towards achieving the goal.

Action: - Director, NIMHANS to take necessary action urgently to increase number of PG seats to implement 27% OBC reservations.

Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education & Research-Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital, New Delhi {PGIMER-Dr.RMLH}:-

The Director, PGIMER-Dr.R.M.L.Hospital, mentioned that there were 11 P.G. seats prior the instructions regarding implementation of reservations the OBC candidates. 54 of additional seats have already been increased and the complete fulfillment of reservations needed for OBC candidates is already been implemented. The proposal for required infrastructure and faculty and other supportive manpower is under consideration in Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.

Action: - Director, PGIMER-Dr.RML Hospital to follow up proposal with MOH&FW.

Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education & Research (PGIMER) Chandigarh: -

PGIMER, Chandigarh has completely implemented the OBC reservations into their Post Graduate courses, Para-medical courses, B.Sc Nursing, Post B.Sc. Nursing and M.Sc. Nursing. Prior to the instruction for implementation, the PGIMER had 396 PG seats in 2008. They have increased PG seats 54% i.e. from 396 to 610 seats and have implemented the 27% OBC reservations. As far as the EFC and other information, in regard with the faculty and infrastructure, this Directorate have no information.

VMMC & Safdarjang Hospital: -

As regards to the **Undergraduate course**, there is increase of MBBS seats from 100 to 150 in phased manner {120 in year 2008-09, 140 in year 2009-10 and 150 in year 2010-11}. **There is need to increase 04 MBBS seats to achieve the goal of implementation of 27% OBC reservations.** At present, they have the faculty for 150 only. As regards to infrastructure, faculty and supportive staff concerned, the proposal of Rupees 128.5 crores has been sent to Ministry of Finance for final approval.

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As regards to the **Post-Graduate course**, there is increased number of Post Graduate seats from 47 to 144 seats and have already fulfilled the implementation of 27% reservations in the said institute.

Action: - *Principal-VMMC to furnish proposal to MOH&FW to increase 4 seats of MBBS and may follow proposal for infrastructure development etc.*

All India Institute of Medical Sciences {AIIMS}:-

As regards to the **Undergraduate course**, although they have implemented 27% OBC reservation (19 out of 72 seats), there is no infrastructure, space, faculty, demonstrators and equipments to carry the increased load of students.

As regards to the **Post-Graduate course**, the All India Institute of Medical Sciences {AIIMS} has started implementation of OBC reservation since 2008 (in two sessions each year) and till January 2011 they have filled 123 seats (21.7%). In remaining three sessions (July 2011, Jan 2012 and July 2012) they have to fill another 116 seats to make it 27% OBC reservations. However, they lack facilities like hostels, space, equipment, beds, senior residents, faculty etc. to continue further increase.

Action: - *Director AIIMS to take necessary steps to upgrade the infrastructure, faculty, equipments etc.*

International Institute for Population Sciences, Mumbai: -

They have implemented the reservations for MPS, M.Phil and Ph.D in phased manner from 2008-2009, 2009-10 and 2010-11 and will achieve the 27% OBC reservation by the year 2011-12. The seats have been increased from 32 to 44, 8 to 11 and 24 to 33 in respective subjects on self-financing basis.

L.R.S. Institute of Tuberculosis and Respiratory Diseases, New Delhi: -

They have DNB Programme in T.B. and Respiratory Diseases. Prior to the implementation of reservations, there were six PG seats in the year 2008-09 and have been increased four seats in each year i.e. 2009-10, 2010-11 and 2011-12 and will be achieving the complete 27% reservations by academic year 2011-12.

National Centre for Disease Control (NCDC), Delhi: -

The institute conducts the Master of Public Health (MPH), having 20 seats out of which 2 seats are reserved for the WHO sponsored candidates and remaining 18 seats the five seats are reserved for OBC candidates. They have already fulfilled the 27% OBC reservations in year 2010-11.

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Rajkumari Amrit Kaur College of Nursing, New Delhi: -

As regards to the undergraduate courses are concerned, the institute has B.Sc. (Nursing) course and they have increased the seats from 45 to 69 in phased manner for the years 2008-09, 2009-10 and 2010-11.

As regards to the Post Graduate courses are concerned, they are conducting the M.Sc (Nursing) course, and the seats have been increased from 15 to 23 in phased in phased manner for the years 2008-09, 2009-10 and 2010-11.

As regards the infrastructure concerned, the class rooms are too small to accommodate the 70 students per year. There is shortage of faculty also as there is no increase on faculty as per increase in seats of students. The top positions are lying vacant since many years.

Action: - Principal, Rajkumari Amrit Kaur College of Nursing, to take necessary steps to upgrade infrastructure and increasing faculty members.

All India Institute of Hygiene & Public Health (AIHH&PH), Kolkata: -

The institute is conducting the MD-Community Medicine, MEPII, MVPII, M.Sc. Nutrition, MPH, DPH, DMCW, DIH, Diploma in Dietician, DNEA(CH), DHE and DHS. They have increased the PG seats from 122 to 155 in academic session 2009-10, from 155 to 193 in academic session 2010-11, from 193 to 267 in academic session 2011-12. And will be achieving the goal of 27% OBC implementation in academic year 2011-12.

All India Institute of Speech & Hearing, Mysore:-

The institute is conducting B.Sc. (Sp. &H) B.S.Ed(HI), M.Sc. (Aud), M.Sc. (SLP), m.s.Ex.(HI), PGDCL-SLP, PDGFSST and PDGNA and have increased the seats of total intake of 204 out of which 56 are earmarked for OBC candidates and have fulfilled the 27% OBC reservation.

National Institute of Health & Family Welfare (NIHFW), New Delhi: -

The institute is conducting MD -Community Health Administration and Diploma in Health Administration and has increased the seats from 8 to 10 from the academic year 2011-12 to implement the 27% OBC reservations.

JIPMER, Puducherry.

No representative or Dean attended the said meeting. As regards to the Under Graduate programme, MBBS, B.Sc.(Nursing) and B.Sc.(MLT) they have increased the seats and implemented 27% OBC reservations. As regards to the Post Graduate programme, the total number of MD and MS seats are 88 and 16% of seats are reserved for OBCs. They have implemented 16% OBC reservations by 2010-11. They have increased 09 PG seats in M.Sc. Medical Biochemistry and have implemented 27% reservation from the academic year 2010-11.

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Action:- *By Director, JIPMER, to increase PG seats in MD and MS courses to implement the 27% OBC reservations.*

C.I.P. Ranchi.

The institute is conducting the Post Graduate courses (medical and non-medical). As regards to the medical PG courses, the seats in MD (Psychiatry) seats have been increased from 06 to 09 and in DPM the seats have been increased from 12 to 18. As regards to the non-medical Post Graduate courses, the seats have been increased from 08 to 12 M.Phil in PSW and M.Phil in Medical Sociology, the seats have been increased from 12 to 18 and in Diploma in Psychiatry Nursing the seats have been increased from 12 to 18 and have achieved the total implementation of reservation in OBC from academic year 2010-11.

LGB Institute of Mental Health, Tejpur, Assam.

The Director attended the meeting but did not submit the proforma. As per telephonic discussion, they have informed that they have 2 MD Psychiatry seats and 03 seats of M.Phil in Clinical Psychology, but no reservation has been implemented in these courses. The institute has increased the DNB seats from 2 to 3 in primary and secondary each and Diploma in Psychiatry Nursing (DPN) from 06 to 12 and have implemented the 27% OBC reservation in these courses.

Action: *-by Director, LGB Institute of Mental Health, Tejpur, Assam to increase the PG seats in MD Psychiatry and M.Phil in Clinical Psychology for implementation of 27% reservations.*

The meeting ended with the vote of thanks to chair.

