## No.U.12012/134/2015-ME – I [3114018] Government of India Ministry of Health & Family Welfare

(Department of Health& Family Welfare)

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi-11 Dated the 30 August, 2017.

## **ORDER**

Subject: Conditional permission for admission of 5<sup>th</sup> batch in MBBS course (100 to 150 seats) for the academic year 2016-17 in respect of **Rohilkhand Medical College** & **Hospital, Bareilly**-Decision of the Central Government.

Whereas the **Rohilkhand Medical College & Hospital**, **Bareilly** made application to the Medical Council of India for renewal of permission for admission of 5<sup>th</sup> batch (100-150) in MBBS Course for the academic year 2016-17;

- 2. Whereas the Medical Council of India (MCI) conducted assessment of the college on 19th & 20th November, 2015 and the assessment report was considered by the Executive Committee of MCI in its meeting held on 28.12.2015 and following was noted:-
  - Deficiency of faculty is 8.78 % as detailed in report.

2. Shortage of Residents is 7.14 % as detailed in report.

- 3. Data of OPD attendance provided by institute at 1,610 are inflated. Actual OPD is around 1,000 which is inadequate against requirement of 1,200.
- Bed occupancy as observed by assessors is 38.75 % (i.e. 279/720) on 1st day of assessment. Data of 80 % provided by institute are inflated.
- Total number of actual Major operations on day of assessment are only 04.
   Data of 25 Major operations provided by institute are inflated.
- 6. Total number of actual Minor operations on day of assessment are only 10.

  Data of 70 Minor operations provided by institute are inflated.
- 7. There was NIL Normal Delivery & NIL Caesarean Section on day of assessment. There was no woman in Labour room.
- 8. Data of Radiological & Laboratory investigations as provided by institute are inflated.
- 9. Emergency O.T. is non-functional for last 1 year.

10. Facilities in Central Research laboratory are inadequate.

11 Wards: There is no Demonstration room in male medical ward. In Tb & Chest ward, distance between 2 beds is < 1.5 m. RHTC: Family folders are not maintained. Temperature chart is not maintained in cold chain equipment. 2 MSW & 1 PHN do not have required qualification.

13.UHC: Family folders are not maintained. 2 MSW & 1 PHN do not have required qualification.

- 14. Most of the beds in the wards appeara vacant and the bed occupancy is grossly inadequate.
- 15. The nursing stations in most of the wards are not in proper place. Staff nurses are not visible in most of the wards.

16. The faculty chambers are inadequate for the number of faculty in most departments.

17. Most of the patients in medical wards are projected as being of dengue fever with

temperature charts revealing normal body temperature.

18. Most of the patients in medical wards are admitted on account of trivial complaints which did not warrant admission and are not useful for teaching purposes.

19.In surgical wards, most of the patients are of vague, mild and occasional pain abdomen which has not been investigated with any test at all and the patients

does not appear to be in need of admission.

20. Many individuals occupying the beds in surgical wards were presented as patients but no medical record was available for them and on enquiring from the individuals, they confirmed that they are not patients but only attendants.

21.Almost all the medical files of admitted patients have similar wordings in the

Nursing notes for three times a day.

22. Some medical files were shown as patient files but the patients were not traceable in the ward and were then depicted as having left against medical advise (LAMA) prior to the inspection. It appears that record of already discharged patients was presented as that of currently admitted patients. However, this was not supported by the physical presence of these patients.

23.Most of the patients in the OT lists of different surgical departments for the day of

inspection were not present in the Operation theatre or in the wards

24. None of the patients of the previous days surgery OT list were present in the ward/surgical ICU.

25. The PAC room appears uninhabited and has no doctor, register or any equipment.

26.In Ophthalmology ward, none of the patients of OT list of previous two days (26th and 27th October, 2015) are available in the ward nor were any of them discharged as per the discharge register.

27.In TB and Chest, there are 3 postgraduate seats. However, there are no Professors or Associate Professors which grossly affects undergraduate and postgraduate

teaching.

28.In the Deptt. of Radiodiagnosis, the yearly PG intake is 2 and there is no Professor.

This adversely affects PG teaching & UG teaching.

- 29.In Dermatology, the PG intake is three while there are only two Professors. This adversely affects PG teaching & UG teaching.
- 3. Whereas, based on the above, the MCI vide letter dated 31.12.2015 recommended to the Central Govt. not to renew permission for admission of 5<sup>th</sup> batch (100-150 seats) in MBBS course at **Rohilkhand Medical College & Hospital**, **Bareilly** for the academic session 2016-17;
- 4. Whereas, u/s 10 A (4) of IMC, Act, 1956, the Ministry afforded an opportunity of hearing to the college before a personal hearing committee on 19.01.2016 and the matter was referred back to the MCI for review;
- 5. Whereas the compliance verification assessment of the College was carried out by Council's assessors on 30.03.2016 and the compliance verification assessment report was considered by the Executive Committee of MCI in its meeting held on 13.05.2016 and following was noted:-

Shortage of Residents is 9.30 % as detailed in the report.

On random verification, it was observed that at least 4 Senior Residents are not staying in the campus. Many other Senior Residents who are above 60 y of age are also not staying in the campus.

3. OPD data provided by institute are highly inflated. Assessors visited OPD at 10 a.m., 12 noon & 1 p.m. and very few patients were seen in OPD during all 3 visits. Actual OPD attendance on day of assessment was around 750 on day of assessment against requirement of 1,200.

Bed occupancy was 45 % on day of assessment.

- 5. Many patients were admitted on 28/03/2016 & 29/03/2016 as verified from case sheets. In many patients who were admitted day before assessment, complaints did not match with treatment mentioned on case paper. In General Surgery ward, 20 patients were admitted the day before with trivial complaints and had not received even oral drugs and post admission investigations were not carried out.
- 6. Total number of Major operations on day assessment is only 06 which is inadequate.
- 7. Total number of Minor Operations as verified by assessors was only 01; however, the register showed 05 Minor operations.

8. There was NIL Normal Delivery & NIL Caesarean Section on day of assessment.

- 9. Data of Clinical Material, Radiological & Laboratory investigations as provided by institute are inflated.
- 10. Emergency O.T. is non-functional.

11. Facilities in Central Research Laboratory are inadequate.

12. Patients in Paediatrics ward were of adult age and case sheets did not match with complaints & treatment.

13. Nursing stations are not in proper places in many wards.

- 14. Medical files of many admitted patients have similar wordings in the Nursing notes. One such file is of patient named Jyoti.
- 15. Workload of Special investigations like Ba, IVP was NIL on day of assessment.

16. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the assessment report.

In view of the above, the Executive Committee of the Council decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to renew the permission for admission of 5th Batch of MBBS students against the increased intake i.e. from 100-150 in respect of **Rohilkhand Medical College & Hospital, Bareilly** under M.J.P Rohilkhand University, Bareilly u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 for the academic year 2016-2017.

The Executive Committee of the Council further decided to apply clause 8(3)(1)(c) of Establishment of Medical College Regulation (Amendment),2010(Part II), dated 16th April, 2010 and amended on 18th March, 2016,

6. Whereas MCI vide letter dated 15.5.2016 recommended to the Central Government not to renew the permission for admission of 5th batch against increased intake from 100-150 in MBBS course at **Rohilkhand Medical College & Hospital, Bareilly** for the academic session 2016-17 u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 for the academic year 2016-2017.

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- 7. Whereas the Ministry accepted the recommendation of MCI issued letter data 10.06.2016 directing the College not to take admission of 5<sup>th</sup> batch against increase intake from 100-150 in MBBS course at **Rohilkhand Medical College & Hospit**: **Bareilly** for the academic session 2016-17.
- 8. Whereas on Oversight Committee (OC) directive, the Ministry obtained complian from the college afresh and forwarded it to MCI. MCI returned the compliance citivarious reasons. Ministry forwarded the reply of MCI to OC.
- 9. Whereas the OC vide its letter dated 12.08.2016 approved the renewal permission for admission of 5th batch against increased intake from 100-150 in MBI course at Rohilkhand Medical College & Hospital, Bareilly for the academic session 2016-17 with certain conditions;
  - 10. Whereas the Central Government on the approval of the OC issued necessary lett for renewal of permission on 20.08.2016 for admission of 5<sup>th</sup> batch (100-150 seats) MBBS course at **Rohilkhand Medical College & Hospital, Bareilly** for the academic ye 2016-17 with conditions imposed by the OC;
  - 11 Whereas the Executive Committee of the Council in its meeting held on 21.03.20: noted that upon receipt of the request through the Central Govt. u/s 11(2) of the IMC A 1956, the assessments to assess the standard of examination held by Mahatma Jyoti Phule Rohilkhand University, Bareilly and to assess the physical and the other teachifacilities available for recognition/approval of Rohilkhand Medical College & Hospit Bareillyfor the award of MBBS degree granted by Mahatma Jyotiba Phule Rohilkhan University, Bareilly against the increased intake i.e. from 100 to 150 seats u/s 11(2) of t IMC Act, 1956 and Compliance Verification Assessment for renewal of permission f admission of 5th batch of MBBS students against the increased intake i.e. from 100 150 seats u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 for the academic year 2016-17 with reference the conditional approval accorded by Oversight Committee have been carried out by t Council assessors on (23.02.2017) and (16th & 17th March, 2017) and noted t following:-
    - 1. Deficiency of faculty is 10.7% as detailed in the report.
    - 2. Shortage of residents is 6.97% as detailed in the report.
    - 3. Bed Occupancy was 36.62% at 10 a.m. on day of assessment.
    - 4. ICUs: There were only 1 patient in SICU, PICU & only 2 patients in ICCU. PICU not well equipped.
    - 5. There were only 12 Major Operations for the whole hospital on day assessment.
    - 6. There was NIL woman in the Labour room at time of taking round at 11.30 a.m.
    - Wards: Nursing stations are not properly placed and are non-functional in sor wards. Teaching rooms are common for 203 wards in a few departments.
- 12. Whereas, the MCI vide letter dated 24.03.2017 has informed and recommended the Ministry as under:-

In view of the above, the college has failed to abide by the undertaking it had given to the Central Govt. that there are no deficiencies as per clause 3.2(i) of the directions passed by the Supreme Court mandated Oversight Committee vide communication dated 13/08/2016. The Executive Committee, after due deliberation and discussion, has decided that the college has failed to comply with the stipulation laid down by the Oversight Committee. Accordingly, the Executive Committee recommends that as per the directions passed by Oversight Committee in para 3.2(b) vide communication dated 13/08/2016 the college should be debarred from admitting students in the above course for a period of two academic years i.e. 2017-18 & 2018-19 as even after giving an undertaking that they have fulfilled the entire infrastructure for Rohilkhand Medical College & Hospital, Bareilly for the award of MBBS degree granted by Mahatma Jyotiba Phule Rohilkhand University, Bareilly against the increased intake i.e. from 100 to 150 seats u/s 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956 and Compliance Verification Assessment for renewal of permission for admission of 5th batch of MBBS students against the increased intake i.e. from 100 to 150 seats u/s 10 A of the IMC Act, 1956 for the academic year 2016-17, the college was found to be grossly deficient. It has also been decided by the Executive Committee that the Bank Guarantee furnished by the college in pursuance of the directives passed by the Oversight Committee as well as GOI letter dated 20/08/2016 is liable to be encashed.

13. Whereas the Ministry granted personal hearing to the College on 11.04.2017 by the Hearing Committee in DGHS. The Hearing Committee after considering the oral and written submission of the College submitted its report to the Ministry. In its report, the Hearing Committee observed as under:

Sl.	Deficiencies reported by MCI	Observations of hearing committee
I.	Deficiency of faculty is 10.7% as detailed in the report.	Reply not satisfactory. Deficiency persists
II.	Shortage of residents is 6.97% as detailed in the report.	Reply not satisfactory. Deficiency persists
III.	Bed Occupancy was 36.62% at 10 a.m. on day of assessment.	Reply not satisfactory. Deficiency persists
IV.	ICUs: There were only 1 patient in SICU, PICU & only 2 patients in ICCU. PICU is not well equipped.	Reply not satisfactory. Deficiency persists
V.	There were only 12 Major Operations for the whole hospital on day of assessment.	Reply not satisfactory. Deficiency persists
VI.	There was NIL woman in the Labour room at time of taking round at 11.30 a.m.	Reply not satisfactory. Deficiency persists
VII.	Wards: Nursing stations are not properly placed and are non-functional in some wards. Teaching rooms are common for 203 wards in a few departments	Reply not satisfactory. Deficiency persists



- 14. Whereas the Ministry after considering the recommendation of MCI and Hearing report, decided to debar the College for admitting students for two academic years i.e 2017-18 & 2018-19 and also to authorize the MCI to encash the Bank Guarantee of Rs. 2.00 Crore. Accordingly, the decision was communicated to the College vide Ministry's letter dated 31.05.2017.
  - 15. Whereas the college filed WRIT (C) No. 30074 of 2017 in the Hon'ble Allahabad High Court and the Court gave the following direction on 19.08.2017:-

We adjourn the matter for a period of three weeks allowing the counsel for the Union of India and Medical Council of India to file counter affidavit to the writ petition as well as to the miscellaneous application. However, we are to the opinion that the petitioner is entitled for further interim relief as given by the Supreme Court in the case of Glocal Medical College & Super Specialty Hospital & Research Centre Vs. Union of India & Another dated 1st August, 2017 relevant paragraph 25 is extracted herein under:-

"25.In the above persuasive premise, the Central Government is hereby ordered to consider afresh the materials on record pertaining to the issue of confirmation or otherwise of the letter of permission granted to the petitioner colleges/institutions. We make it clear that in undertaking this exercise, the Central Government would re-evaluate recommendations/views of the MCI, Hearing Committee, DGHS and the Oversight Committee, as available on records. It would also afford an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner colleges/institutions to the extent necessary. The process of hearing and final reasoned decision thereon, as ordered, would be completed 21 peremptorily within a period of 10 days from today. The parties would unfailingly co-operate in compliance of this direction to meet the time frame fixed"

In the light of the aforesaid direction of the Supreme Court, this Court directs the Central Government to re-evaluate the recommendations/Views of the MCI, Hearing Committee, DGHS and the Oversight Committee within two weeks from the date of production of certified copy of this order.

16. Now, therefore, in compliance with the above direction of Hon'ble High Court, the Ministry granted hearing to the college on 24.8.2017. The Hearing Committee submitted its report to the Ministry with the following conclusion:-

"The request of the college was that they are recognized for 100 seats and have also become due for recognition for increased intake from 100 to 150. The college further claimed that MCI has sought compliance after inspection on 24.04.2017 and in the meanwhile, the college has been debarred for 2 years vide order dated 31.05.2017 without affording them a chance for submitting compliance. Debarring the college for 2 years for 50 additional seats and encashment of bank guarantee is harsh.

The Committee has noted that compliance verification of the college was carried out by MCI on 17-18 March, 2017. MCI has conducted another compliance inspection on 24.04.2017 wherein the deficiencies pointed out in 17-18 March inspection have been verified.

On perusal of both the reports the Committee notices that the deficiency of residents, ICU, number of patients and nursing station in wards have been rectified. While bed occupancy is recorded at 82.36%, the assessors have also noted that a large number of patients did not seem to require admission.

The main deficiency regarding faculty has increased from 10.7% to 14.46% which includes 5 faculty and 18 tutors. The contention of the college was that PG students in pre and para clinical subjects may be counted as tutors. However, the Committee is not agreeable since PG students get stipend as residents while tutor being a faculty gets salary. The Committee further noted college document dated 18.05.2017 issued to the OBC Branch, Bareilly which indicates stipend being paid to PG students in non clinical subjects.

In view of the continued deficiency of faculty, the Committee agrees with the Ministry order dated 31.05.2017. However, it may be added that compliance inspections under Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956 have been conducted by MCI and compliance has been sought. In the given facts, MCI may expedite recognition process for the increased intake but till that time debarment on 50 additional admissions may continue."

17. Accepting the recommendations of the Hearing Committee, the Ministry reiterates its earlier decision dated 31.05.2017 to debar the Rohilkhand Medical College & Hospital, Bareilly from admitting students against increased intake from 100-150 for two academic years i.e. 2017-18 & 2018-19 and authorizes MCI to encash Bank Guarantee of Rs. 2.00 Crore.

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