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| 6. Sikkim | 12. Jammu & Kashmir |

Subject: Guidelines for Allocation of Central Pool MBBS/BDS seats for the academic year 2017-18 – reg.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the subject mentioned above and to enclose herewith the Guidelines to be followed by the beneficiary States/UTs/Government Departments for selection and nomination of candidates against Central Pool MBBS/BDS seats for the academic year 2017-18 for information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,



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**Guidelines for selection and nomination of candidates
against Central Pool MBBS/BDS seats for the academic year
2017-18**

I. Selection of candidates by beneficiary States/Union Territories:

1.1 The following are the beneficiary States/UTs:

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| 1. Arunachal Pradesh | 7. Tripura |
| 2. Manipur | 8. Andaman & Nicobar Islands |
| 3. Meghalaya | 9. Dadra & Nagar Haveli |
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1.2 Eligibility conditions:

Only the children of

- (i) permanent residents of the State/UT concerned;
- (ii) the employees of the State/UT Government concerned;
- (iii) the employees of the Central/Other State/UT Government on deputation to the State/UT concerned and
- (iv) the employees of the Central/other State/UT. Govt. posted in and having their headquarters within the State/UT concerned will be eligible.

The children of Central/State/UT Government employees aforementioned should be treated at par with the local resident.

1.3 Educational Qualification:

As per Graduate Medical Education Regulation 1997 of Medical Council of India, for becoming eligible for entrance examination, candidate must have passed in the subjects of Physics, Chemistry, Biology/Bio-Technology and English individually and must have obtained a minimum of 50% marks (40% for SC/ST and 45% for Gen-PH and 40% for SC-PH/ST-PH category candidates) taken together in Physics, Chemistry, Biology/Bio-Technology at the qualifying examination.

1.4 Selection of Candidates:

1.4.1 National Eligibility cum Entrance Test (NEET)

The selection of candidates will be made on the basis of rank obtained in the National Eligibility cum Entrance Test (NEET)-2017 being conducted by Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi. As per Graduate Medical Education Regulations 1997 of Medical Council of India, it shall be necessary

for the candidates to obtain minimum marks at 50th percentile at NEET 2016. However, in respect of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, the minimum marks shall be at 40th percentile. In respect of candidates with locomotory disability of lower limbs, the minimum marks shall be at 45th percentile. The percentile shall be determined on the basis of highest marks secured in the All India common merit list in National Eligibility Cum Entrance Test for admission to MBBS/BDS courses.

1.5 **Reservation:**

The reservation policy being followed by concerned beneficiary State/UT will apply on Central Pool MBBS/BDS seats.

2. **Selection of candidates by State of Jammu & Kashmir:**

2.1 **Eligibility conditions:**

Central Pool MBBS seats are being allocated to State Government of Jammu & Kashmir for selection and nomination of the candidates from the State of Jammu & Kashmir belonging to either of the following three categories: -

- i) Children of families where a parent or a direct member of the family has been killed in acts of terrorism or has been an innocent victim in cross-firing or in firing by armed forces in combating terrorism;
- ii) Children of such persons who are exposed to substantive risk due to their assignment mainly relating to combating acts of terrorism; added weightage is to be given to persons who have come in the 'hit list' of terrorist organizations; and
- iii) Children of such families of both Muslims and non-Muslims who have migrated from Kashmir due to the current situation and have lost their means of livelihood including their business or use of their property.

The State Government of Jammu & Kashmir has to ensure that the candidates selected should fall within one of the above three categories. The children of All India Service Officers posted in the State would also be eligible to participate in the said merit system. Selection of candidates in Category (iii) above should be entirely on merit among the eligible candidates in this category.

2.2 **Educational Qualification:**

As per Graduate Medical Education Regulation 1997 of Medical Council of India, for becoming eligible for entrance examination, candidate must have passed in the subjects of Physics, Chemistry, Biology/Bio-Technology and English individually and must have obtained a minimum of 50% marks (40% for SC/ST and 45% for PH category candidates) taken together in Physics, Chemistry, Biology/Bio-Technology at the qualifying examination as mentioned in clause 4(2) of Regulations on Graduate Medical Education 1997.

2.3 **Selection of Candidates:**

The selection of candidates will be made on the basis of rank obtained in the National Eligibility cum Entrance Test (NEET)-2017 being conducted by Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi. As per Graduate Medical Education Regulations 1997 of Medical Council of India, it shall be necessary for the candidates to obtain minimum marks at 50th percentile at NEET 2016. However, in respect of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, the minimum marks shall be at 40th percentile. In respect of candidates with locomotory disability of lower limbs, the minimum marks shall be at 45th percentile. The percentile shall be determined on the basis of highest marks secured in the All India common merit list in National Eligibility Cum Entrance Test for admission to MBBS/BDS courses.

2.4 **Reservation:**

The reservation policy being followed by Government of Jammu & Kashmir will apply on Central Pool MBBS/BDS seats.

3. **Selection of candidates by beneficiary Government Departments:**

The following are the beneficiary Government Departments:

1. Ministry of Defence (Kendriya Sainik Board) – for wards/children of Defence personnel
2. Ministry of Home Affairs - for wards/children of Para-Military personnel
3. Ministry of Home Affairs - For Civil Terrorist Victims Category
4. Ministry of External Affairs - for wards/children of Mission Staff posted abroad
5. Ministry of HRD - for Tibetan Refugees
6. Cabinet Secretariat – for wards of SSF, RAW, ARC Dte., SPG
7. Indian Council of Child Welfare - for National Bravery Award Winners

3.1 **Educational Qualification:**

As per Graduate Medical Education Regulation 1997 of Medical Council of India, for becoming eligible for entrance examination, candidate must have passed in the subjects of Physics, Chemistry, Biology/Bio-Technology and English individually and must have obtained a minimum of 50% marks (40% for SC/ST and 45% for Gen-PH and 40% for SC-PH/ST-PH category candidates) taken together in Physics, Chemistry, Biology/Bio-Technology at the qualifying examination.

3.2 **Selection of Candidates:**

The selection of candidates will be made on the basis of rank obtained in the National Eligibility cum Entrance Test (NEET)-2017 being conducted by Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi. As per Graduate Medical

Education Regulations 1997 of Medical Council of India, it shall be necessary for the candidates to obtain minimum marks at 50th percentile at NEET 2016. However, in respect of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, the minimum marks shall be at 40th percentile. In respect of candidates with locomotory disability of lower limbs, the minimum marks shall be at 45th percentile. The percentile shall be determined on the basis of highest marks secured in the All India common merit list in National Eligibility Cum Entrance Test for admission to MBBS/BDS courses.

3.3 **Reservation:**

22½ % of the seats allotted to each Government Department concerned will be reserved for students belonging to Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes. The break-up of this reservation will be as follows:-

- (a) A distinct reservation of 15% for Scheduled Castes and 7½% for Scheduled Tribes.
- (b) The reservation as mentioned in sub-para (a) above, can be interchanged. Thus, if a sufficient number of candidates are not available to fill-up seats reserved for Scheduled Tribes, they may be filled-up by suitable candidates from Scheduled Castes and vice-versa; and
- (c) If the number of available scheduled caste and Scheduled Tribe qualified candidates is less than 22 ½% of the seats; the balance can be given to non-scheduled caste and Scheduled Tribe candidates.

4. **Selection of candidates by Ministry of External Affairs:**

The Central Pool MBBS/BDS seats are allocated to Ministry of External Affairs for the following two categories:

- (A) Children of Indian Mission staff posted abroad.
The requisite guidelines for selection of children of Indian Mission staff posted abroad are given in Para 3 above.
- (B) Foreign national students of friendly foreign countries (as per bilateral agreements with these countries)

4(B).1 **Selection of Candidates:**

The selection of candidates will be made on the basis of rank obtained in the National Eligibility cum Entrance Test (NEET)-2017 being conducted by Central Board of Secondary Education, New Delhi. As per Graduate Medical Education Regulations 1997 of Medical Council of India, it shall be necessary for the candidates to obtain minimum marks at 50th percentile at NEET 2016. In respect of candidates with locomotory disability of lower limbs, the minimum marks shall be at 45th percentile. The percentile shall be determined on the basis of highest marks secured in the All India common merit list in National Eligibility Cum Entrance Test for admission to MBBS/BDS courses.
