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MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA**POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE**

Minutes of the meeting of the Postgraduate Medical Education Committee held on Wednesday the 9th January, 2008 at 11.00 a.m. in the Office of the Medical Council of India, Pocket-14, Sector-8, Dwarka, New Delhi.

Present:

1.	Dr. Indrajit Ray, Chairman	Principal, Medical College, Kolkata.
2.	Dr. B.P. Dubey	Prof. & Head of Forensic Medicine, Gandhi Medical College, Bhopal.
3.	Dr. D.K. Sharma	Principal-cum-Dean, Muzaffarnagar Medical College, Muzaffarnagar (UP)
4.	Dr. Rani Bhaskaran	Prof. & Head, Deptt. of Neurology, Dr. Somervel Memorial CSI Medical College & Hospital, Trivandrum.
5.	Dr. Narendra Prasad	Prof. of Surgery (Retd.), Patna Medical College, Patna, 6, Doctor's Colony, Kankerbagh, Patna.
6.	Dr. D.G. Mhaisekar	Prof. & Head of TB & Respiratory Medicine, Govt. Medical College, Nanded, Maharashtra
7.	Dr. H. P. Bhalodiya	Professor of Orthopaedics, B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad (Gujarat)
8.	Dr.M.M. Deka	Principal, Gauhati Medical College, Guwahati

Lt. Col. (Retd.) Dr. A.R.N. Setalvad – Secretary

Apology for absence was received from Prof. A. Rajasekaran.

1. Minutes of the last meeting of the Postgraduate Committee – confirmation of.

The Postgraduate Committee noted the contents of the letter dated 5th January, 2008 of Prof. A. Rajasekaran.

The Postgraduate Committee confirmed the minutes of the last meeting of the Postgraduate Committee held on 16.12.2007 with the following corrections/modifications:-

Item No. 20: Starting of M.D.(Biochemistry) course at Santosh Medical College, Ghaziabad under Santosh University u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956.

At point No.2 of the decision of the PG Committee, it was recorded as under:-

- Teaching faculty is deficient by 2 Asstt. Prof. for total requirement of undergraduate & postgraduate teaching & training.

The decision of the PG Committee at point No.2 be read corrected as follows:-

- Dr. Reema Sharma, Associate Professor; Dr. Pradeep Kumar, Associate Professor and Dr. Preeti Sharma, Assistant Professor do not possess M.Sc.(Medical Biochemistry) and Ph.D.(Medical Biochemistry) qualifications. Dr. D.K. Srivastava has been appointed as Dean, hence, cannot be considered as teacher in the department. Resultantly, teaching faculty is deficient by 2 Assistant Professors for total requirement of undergraduate & postgraduate teaching & training.

Item No. 105. Recognition of various PG courses under Madras University in respect of JIPMER Pondicherry.

The decision of the PG Committee be read corrected as follows:

“The Postgraduate Committee considered the request dated 01.11.2007 received from the Director, JIPMER, Pondicherry and noted that the institute was started in 1956 and was affiliated to Madras University until 1986. The affiliation was changed to Pondicherry University from the year 1986 all the MBBS seats have been affiliated to Pondicherry University and PG degree & diploma and Post Doctoral course in different disciplines of Medical Sciences from the year 2004.

The Committee further noted that earlier the qualifications were granted by Madras University and included in the Schedule & decided to include the said qualifications under Pondicherry University in the governing schedule as recognized postgraduate qualifications.”

2. Minutes of the last meeting of the Postgraduate Committee – action taken thereon.

The Postgraduate Committee approved the action taken on the minutes of the meeting of the Postgraduate Committee held on 16.12.2007.

3. Starting of DM(Pulmonary & Critical Care Medicine) course at Govt. Medical College, Thiruvananthapuram under Kerala University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector’s report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Thiruvananthapuram for starting of DM(Pulmonary & Critical Care Medicine) course at Govt. Medical College, Thiruvananthapuram u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector’s report (December, 2007) and decided to form a Sub-Committee comprising of Dr. D.G. Mhaisekar & Dr. Rani Bhaskaran, to deliberate upon the matter and to submit its report, at the earliest.

4. Starting of MD(Pulmonary Medicine) course at Lala Ram Sarup Instt. of TB & Respiratory Diseases, New Delhi under Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector’s report (November, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at LRS Institute of TB & Respiratory Diseases, New Delhi for starting of M.D.(Pulmonary Medicine) course at Lala Ram Sarup Institute of TB & Respiratory Diseases, New Delhi u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector’s report (November, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting MD (Pulmonary Medicine) course at Lala Ram Sarup Institute of TB & Respiratory Diseases, New Delhi under Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956, because of the following:-

1. There are 520 beds in 5 Units which is not as per MCI norms.
2. None of the specialists shown as teachers possess teaching experience required as per Regulations for the respective posts.
3. Dr. Sanjay Singh in Unit I, Dr. Rakesh Agarwal in Unit II & Dr. D. Behera in Unit IV do not possess prescribed academic qualifications.
4. Teaching faculty complement is inadequate in all the Units.
5. The institute is admitting DNB students also which is not as per the Council norms.
6. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

5. Starting of M.D. (Radio-Diag.) & DMRD course at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Instt. Pondicherry under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The compliance verification report (January, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Instt., Pondicherry under Pondicherry University for consideration of starting of M.D.(Radio-Diag.) & DMRD courses u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (January, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of MD(Radio-Diag.) & DMRD courses at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Instt. Pondicherry under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students for degree and 1(one) student for diploma course per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said courses. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualifications at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

6. Starting of MD(Anaesthesia) course at Command Hospital (WC), Chandimandir, Haryana affiliated to Kurukshetra University u/s 10A of the IMC Act,1956.

Read: The compliance verification report (November, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Command Hospital (WC), Chandimandir, Haryana for consideration of starting of MD(Anaesthesia) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (November, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting of MD (Anaesthesia) course at Command Hospital (WC), Chandimandir, Haryana under Kurukshetra University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956, because of the following:-

1. Brig. V.P. Singh, Professor & HOD, Lt.Col. Nitin Sharma, Asstt. Prof. & Lt.Col. Sanil Mohan, Asstt. Prof. are on leave and could not be verified.
2. Promotion of Dr. C.S.Ahluwalia, Assoc. Prof. is not as per Regulations as he possesses experience of only 2 years 9 months as Asstt. Prof. in a recognized medical institution against the requirement of 5 years as per Regulations.
3. Resultantly, teaching faculty is deficient by 1 - Professor, 2 - Assoc. Professors and 3 - Sr. Residents.
4. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

7. Starting of MD(General Medicine) course at Govt. Medical College, Chandigarh under Panjab University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Chandigarh for starting of M.D.(General Medicine) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting MD (General Medicine) course at Govt. Medical College, Chandigarh under Panjab University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956, because of the following:-

1. There are only 2 teachers in Unit II & III.
2. Promotions of Dr. Atul Sachdeva, Dr. Ram Singh & Dr. S.S. Lehl are not as per Regulations as they do not possess experience of 5 years as Asstt. Professor required as per Regulations for promotion to the post of Assoc. Professor.
3. Resultantly, teaching faculty component is inadequate.
4. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

8. Starting of MD(Pharmacology) course at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College and Research Institute,

Pondicherry under Pondicherry University for consideration of starting of MD(Pharmacology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of MD(Pharmacology) course at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Instt. Pondicherry under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admissions to 3 (three) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

9. Starting of MS(ENT) course at Govt. Medical College, Chandigarh under Panjab University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Chandigarh under Panjab University for starting of M.S.(ENT) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of M.S.(ENT) course at Govt. Medical College, Chandigarh under Panjab University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 1(one) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

10. Starting of MD(Pathology) course at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University for consideration of starting of MD(Pathology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of MD(Pathology) course at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admissions to 3 (three) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

11. Starting of M.D.(Radio-Diagnosis) course at Amrita School of Medicine, Kochi under Amrita Vishwa Vidya Peetham (Deemed University) u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Amrita School of Medicine, Kochi, Kerala under Amrita Vishwa Vidya Peetham (Deemed University) for starting of M.D.(Radio-Diagnosis) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting MD (Radio-Diagnosis) course at Amrita School of Medicine, Kochi, Kerala under Amrita Vishwa Vidya Peetham (Deemed University) u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956, because of the following:-

1. Dr. M.D. Bhansali, Prof. & Head and Dr. P. K. Nazar, Assoc. Prof. do not possess recognized postgraduate qualification.
2. Promotion of Dr.Rajesh Kanan, Assoc. Prof. is not as per Regulations as he possesses experience of only 4 years 11 months as Assistant Professor.
3. Resultantly, teaching faculty complement is inadequate.

4. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

12. Starting of M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.) course at Amrita School of Medicine, Kochi under Amrita Vishwa Vidya Peetham (Deemed University) u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Amrita School of Medicine, Kochi, Kerala under Amrita Vishwa Vidya Peetham (Deemed University) for starting of M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting of M.D.(Obst. & Gynae.) course at Amrita School of Medicine, Kochi, Kerala under Amrita Vishwa Vidya Peetham (Deemed University) u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956, because of the following:-

1. The institute has made a MOU with Lakshmi Hospital, 6 k.m. away from the college for utilizing the clinical material for the students which is not acceptable as being contrary to the Regulations.
2. Clinical material available at the own hospital is grossly inadequate: Deliveries – 278 per year, Caesarean Section 239 /year; MTP & abortions 112/year.
3. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

13. Starting of M.D.(Anaesthesiology) course at Amrita School of Medicine, Kochi under Amrita Vishwa Vidya Peetham (Deemed University) u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Amrita School of Medicine, Kochi, Kerala under Amrita Vishwa Vidya Peetham (Deemed University) for starting of M.D.(Anaesthesiology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of MD(Anaesthesiology) course at Amrita School of Medicine, Kochi, Kerala under Amrita Vishwa Vidya Peetham (Deemed University) u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admissions to 5 (five) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

14. Starting of MS(General Surgery) course at Katihar Medical College, Katihar under B.N. Mandal University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Katihar Medical College, Katihar under B.N. Mandal University for starting of MS(General Surgery) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Secretary informed the members of the Postgraduate Committee that an inspection of the institute was carried out by the Council Inspectors in June, 2007 for increase of seats from 60 to 100 in MBBS course.

The Postgraduate Committee observed that the Executive Committee at its meeting held on 13th & 14th June, 2007 wherein the members of the Adhoc Committee appointed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court were also present while considering the inspection report of the institute for increase of seats in Ist MBBS course from 60 to 100 had decided as under:-

“The members of the Adhoc Committee appointed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court and the Executive Committee of the Council considered the Council Inspectors report (05th & 06th June, 2007) and noted the following:-

1. The shortage of teaching staff required at present stage is as under:-
 - (a) The shortage of teaching faculty is 16 % (i.e. 21 out of 131) as under:-
 - (i) Professor :2 (Anatomy –1 & Radio-diagnosis –1)

- (ii) Assoc. Prof. :11 (Physiology –1, Biochemistry –2, Community Medicine –1, General Medicine –1, TB & Chest –1, Dermatology –1, Psychiatry –1, Obst. & Gynae. –1, Radio-diagnosis –1 & Dentistry –1)
- (iii) Asst. Prof. :08 (Anatomy –1, Community Medicine –4, TB & Chest –1, Psychiatry –1 & Obst. & Gynae. –1)
- (b) The shortage of Residents is 14.5 % as under :-
- (i) Sr. Resident :09 (General Medicine –1, Paediatrics –1, Psychiatry –1, General Surgery –1, Orthopaedic –1, ENT –1, Ophthalmology –1, Obst. & Gynae. –1 & Anaesthesia –1)
- (ii) Jr. Resident :02 (ENT –1 & Dentistry –1)
2. Clinical Material is inadequate in terms of bed occupancy, number of deliveries and laboratory and radiological investigations as under:-

	Daily Average		Day of Inspection	
	O.P.	I.P.	O.P.	I.P.
Bed occupancy%	82		65%	
Operative work				
Number of normal deliveries	-		-	
Number of caesarian Sections	01		-	
Radiological Investigations	O.P.	I.P.	O.P.	I.P.
X-ray	35	20	55	12
Ultrasonography	25	15	22	10
Special Investigations	03	02	01	01
C.T. Scan	0.5	01	01	-
Laboratory Investigations				
Biochemistry	83	57	86	35
Microbiology	12	12	15	08
Serology	14	15	08	07
Parasitology	08	05	05	02
Haematology	127	182	140	181
Histopathology	0	02	0	0
Cytopathology	03	02	05	06
Others	19	12	21	17

- The bed occupancy was 65% on the day of inspection.
- Hostels: Accommodation is available only for 245 boys and girls against the requirement of 340 at this stage.
 - Accommodation is available only for 35 residents, which is inadequate against the requirement of 100 at this stage.
 - There are no units in TB & Chest, Skin & VD & Psychiatry, as there is no faculty in these departments.
 - There is overcrowding of beds in all departments
 - In O.P.D.: No facilities are provided for Bio-Medical waste. Space is inadequate in the OPD block. Each specialty is provided only 2 rooms and 1 small teaching area for 5 to 5 to 7 students. No Audio Visual aids and other teaching facilities are provided. There is no separate injection room for male and female patients. No needle destroyers are provided. In the Gynae. OPD, rusted instruments were kept in a manual sterilizer which was not in working order. No other autoclaved instruments or gloves were available.
 - Wards: There is overcrowding of beds in all wards. The roof of the 2nd floor of the Medical and allied wards is temporary and was found to be leaking in many places due to rains. There is no Central Oxygen and Central Suction anywhere in the Hospital. There is no Post-operative ward within or outside the OT complex. No ward is provided with duty doctor room, nurse duty room, pantry, examination/procedure room, teaching area and side laboratory. Nursing stations are placed in the corridors. Many wards are located in cubicles of 07 beds. There are no clinical demonstration areas in the wards. No audiovisual aids and other teaching facilities are provided.
 - There is no lecture theatre in the Hospital
 - Registration and Medical Record Section: Indoor registration is computerized but not cross linked with outdoor registration numbers.
 - There is no disaster trolley or crash cart.
 - Operation theatre unit: There are 9 operation theatres against the requirement of 10 at this stage. The air-conditioning is not working in most O.Ts. No O.T. is having central oxygen & nitrous oxide supply and suction.
 - Equipment for Radiological Department is inadequate. Only 03 static units – (2 of 300 mA, 1 of 60mA) are available and 1 mobile unit (1 of 60 mA) are available.
 - CSSD: No bowl sterilizer and instrument washing machine are available in CSSD. Racks, trays and mixers are not available.
 - Nursing Staff is inadequate as under:-

Nursing Superintendent:	02
Deputy Nursing Superintendent:	2
Matron :	Nil
Asstt. Nursing Superintendent	2
Nursing Sisters	10

16. RHTC, Hazipur is located in a rented leased private house with 4 rooms, which is not as per Regulations. Staff as prescribed under the Regulations is not available. At Barsoi Health Centre also staff as prescribed under the Regulations is not available.
17. In Anatomy Department: The research laboratory is ill equipped. Instruments/equipments to carryout PG research work are not available.
18. In Physiology Department: The research laboratory is ill equipped. Instruments/ equipments to carryout PG research work are not available.
19. Number of books in the departmental libraries are inadequate as under:- TB & Chest:20, Skin & V.D.:20, Psychiatry:20, Orthopaedics:68, Oto-Rhino-Laryngology:72, Ophthalmology: 54, Radio-Diagnosis:59 and Anaesthesia:56.
20. There is no ICCU.
21. Other deficiencies pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above and Govt. of India letter dated 15.03.2005 issued after the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in case of Mridul Dhar Vs. UOI & Ors. directing the Council to strictly adhere to the time schedule prescribed under the regulations, the members of the Adhoc Committee appointed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court and of the Executive Committee of the Council decided to return the application, recommending disapproval to the Central Govt. for increase of seats in 1st MBBS course from 60 to 100 at Katihar Medical College, Katihar for the academic session 2007-08."

In view of above, the Postgraduate Committee decided to carry out another inspection of the institute and defer the consideration of the matter till then.

15. Starting of DM(Gastroenterology) course at Moti Lal Nehru Medical College, Allahabad under Allahabad University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Moti Lal Nehru Medical College, Allahabad under Allahabad University for starting of DM(Gastroenterology) course u/s 10 A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting of DM(Gastroenterology) course at Moti Lal Nehru Medical College, Allahabad under Allahabad University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956, because of the following:-

1. Unit 1 has 40 beds which is not as per Regulations.
2. Bed occupancy is 70% which is inadequate.
3. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

16. Starting of MD(Dermatology) course at Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University for starting of MD(Dermatology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting of MD(Dermatology) course at Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956, because of the following:-

1. Average daily OPD is 27 which is inadequate.
2. There is no departmental research laboratory.
3. Punch grafting and suction technology are not available.
4. Resultantly, instrumentation is inadequate.
5. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

17. Increase of seats in MD(Radio-Diagnosis) & DMRD courses at Alluri Sitarama Raju Academy of Medical Sciences, Eluru under NTR University of Health Sciences, u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Alluri Sitarama Raju Academy of Medical Sciences, Eluru

under NTR University of Health Sciences for increase of seats in MD(Radio-Diagnosis) & DMRD courses u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats in MD (Radio-Diagnosis) & DMRD courses at Alluri Sitarama Raju Academy of Medical Sciences, Eluru under NTR University of Health Sciences u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 from 1 (one) to 3 (Three) for degree & 1 (one) to 2 (two) for diploma students per year till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act,1956.

18. Increase of seats in MD(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. courses at Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences, Karad under Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences (Deemed University), Karad u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences, Karad under Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences (Deemed University) for increase of seats in MD(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. courses u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for increase of seats in MD(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. courses at Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences, Karad under Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences (Deemed University) u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956, because of the following:-

1. Number of MTPs are only 3-10/month.
2. Available clinical material is just adequate for existing intake of 1 degree & 2 diploma.
3. Two Assoc. Prof. – Dr. Lomte & Dr. S. Patil are on contract basis with fixed salary of Rs.8,000. Four Asstt. Professors – Dr. Suhas Deshpande, Dr. Padmaja Halve, Dr. Preeti Deshpande & Dr. Yamini Patil are on fixed salary of Rs.6000. Two Assoc. Prof. & 7 Asstt. Prof. are not on fixed salary. This shows that the salary structure is not uniform and they may not be working full time in the institute.
4. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

19. Increase of seats in MS(General Surgery) course at T.D. Medical College, Alappuzha under Kerala University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at T.D. Medical College, Alappuzha for increase of seats in MS(General Surgery) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for increase of seats in MS(General Surgery) course at T.D. Medical College, Alappuzha under Kerala University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956, because of the following:-

1. There is no Assoc. Professor in Unit 1.
2. There are only 2 teachers in Unit II, III & IV.
3. Resultantly, teaching faculty complement is incomplete.
4. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

20. Increase of seats in MS(General Surgery) course at Vinayaka Missions Medical College & Hospital, Karaikal, Pondicherry under Vinayaka Mission University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Vinayaka Missions Medical College & Hospital, Karaikal, Pondicherry for increase of seats in MS(General Surgery) course at Vinayaka Mission's Medical College, Pondicherry u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for increase of seats in MS(General Surgery) course at Vinayaka Missions Medical College & Hospital, Karaikal, Pondicherry under Vinayaka Mission University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956, because of the following:-

1. Average OPD is 30-40/day. The figures of the clinical material given by the institute are not commensurate with number of investigations and blood units consumed.
2. No research papers have been published from the department.
3. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

21. Increase of seats in DM(Neurology) course at Institute of Postgraduate Medical Education & Research, Kolkatta under West Bengal University of Health Sciences u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Institute of Postgraduate Medical Education & Research, Kolkata under West Bengal University of Health Sciences for increase of seats in DM/(Neurology) course at u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats in DM (Neurology) course at Institute of Postgraduate Medical Education & Research, Kolkata under West Bengal University of Health Sciences u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 from 3 (three) to 4 (four) students per year till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act,1956.

22. Increase of seats in MS(Orthopaedics) course at Armed Forces Medical College, Pune under Maharashtra University of Health Sciences u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Armed Forces Medical College, Pune for increase of seats in MS(Orthopaedics) course at Armed Forces Medical College, Pune.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for increase of seats in MS(Orthopaedics) course at Armed Forces Medical College, Pune under Maharashtra University of Health Sciences u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 because of the following:-

1. Col. V. K. Sinha, Professor & Head of Unit I possesses M. S. (Gen. Surgery) qualification and does not possess prescribed academic qualification required for the post.
2. Capt. R. Prabhakar, Asst. Prof. in Unit II does not possess prescribed academic qualification for the post.
3. Only 2 teachers are available in Unit III.
4. Resultantly, teaching faculty complement is incomplete in Units II & III.
5. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

23. Increase of seats in MS(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. courses at Era Lucknow Medical College, Lucknow under Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Era's Lucknow Medical College & Hospital, Lucknow under Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University for increase of seats in MS(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. courses at Era's Lucknow Medical College, Lucknow u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats in MS(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. courses at Era's Lucknow Medical College, Lucknow under Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Avadh University u/s 10A of the I.M.C.

Act,1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 from 1(one) to 2 (two) students per year in each course till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act,1956.

24. Starting of M.S.(ENT) course at Amrita School of Medicine, Kochi under Amrita Vishwa Vidya Peetham (Deemed University) u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Amrita School of Medicine, Kochi, Kerala under Amrita Vishwa Vidya Peetham (Deemed University) for starting of M.S.(ENT) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of MS(ENT) course at Amrita School of Medicine, Kochi, Kerala under Amrita Vishwa Vidya Peetham (Deemed University) u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

25. Starting of D.P.M. and increase of seats in MD(Psychiatry) course at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute, Pondicherry for starting of D.P.M. course & increase of seats in MD(Psychiatry) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting of D.P.M. and increase of seats in MD(Psychiatry) course at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956, because of the following:-

1. Average daily OPD is 20 – 22.
2. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

26. Increase of seats in MS (Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. courses at Alluri Sitarama Raju Academy of Medical Sciences, Eluru under NTR University of Health Sciences, u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Alluri Sitarama Raju Academy of Medical Sciences, Eluru under NTR University of Health Sciences for increase of seats in MS(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. courses u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats in MS(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. courses at Alluri Sitarama Raju Academy of Medical Sciences, Eluru under NTR University of Health Sciences u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 from 2 (two) to 3 (three) for degree & 1 (one) to 2 (two) for diploma students per year till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act,1956.

27. Increase of seats in MD(Radio-Diag.) course at K.S. Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (November, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at K.S. Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore for increase of seats in MD(Radio-Diagnosis) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (November, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for increase of seats in MD(Radio-Diagnosis) course at K.S. Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 because of the following:-

1. Clinical material is just adequate for the present intake.
2. Special investigations like ERCP, PTCA, Aortography/Arteriography, Lmphangiography, etc. are not available.
3. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

28. Increase of seats in DM(Gastroenterology) course at Govt. Medical College, Calicut under University of Calicut u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Calicut Medical College, College, Calicut under University of Calicut for increase of seats in DM(Gastroenterology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats in DM(Gastroenterology) course at Calicut Medical College, Calicut under University of Calicut u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 from 1 (one) to 2 (two) students per year till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

29. Starting of MD (Dermatology) course at K.S. Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The compliance verification report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at K.S. Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore for consideration of starting of M.D.(Dermatology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of MD(Dermatology) course at K.S. Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

30. Starting of MD(Pathology) course at K.S. Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The compliance verification report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at K.S. Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore for consideration of starting of M.D.(Pathology) course.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting of M.D.(Pathology) course at K.S. Hegde Medical Academy, Mangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following:-

1. Dr. S. K. Padma, Asso. Prof. does not possess recognized PG qualification.
2. Additional component of teaching faculty is deficient by 1 Tutor.
3. Resultantly, teaching faculty complement is incomplete.
4. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

31. Starting of MD(Pathology) & DCP courses at Alluri Sitarama Raju Academy of Medical Sciences, Eluru (A.P.) – Permission of Central Govt. – Regarding.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Alluri Sitarama Raju Academy of Medical Sciences, Eluru under NTR University of Health Sciences for consideration of starting of MD(Pathology) & DCP courses u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of MD(Pathology) & DCP courses at Alluri Sitarama Raju Academy of Medical Sciences, Eluru under NTR University of Health Sciences u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admissions to 3 (three) students per year in each course till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

32. Starting of MD(Microbiology) course at Thanjavur Medical College, Thanjavur under The Tamilnadu Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Thanjavur Medical College, Thanjavur under The Tamilnadu Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai for starting of MD(Microbiology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of MD(Microbiology) course at Thanjavur Medical College, Thanjavur under The Tamilnadu Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

33. Increase of seats in MD(Biochemistry) course at Thanjavur Medical College, Thanjavur under The Tamilnadu Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Thanjavur Medical College, Thanjavur under The Tamilnadu Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai for increase of seats in MD(Biochemistry) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats in MD(Biochemistry) course at Thanjavur Medical College, Thanjavur under The Tamilnadu Dr. MGR Medical University, Chennai u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 from 1 (one) to 3 (three) students per year till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act,1956.

34. Starting of M.D.(Pathology) course at Vydehi Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Vydehi Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore for starting of M.D.(Pathology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of MD(Pathology) course at Vydehi Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admissions to 2 (two) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

35. Increase of seats in MD(Paediatrics) & D.C.H. course at Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences, Karad under Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences (Deemed University), Karad u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (October, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences, Karad for increase of seats in MD(Paediatrics) & D.C.H. course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (October, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for increase of seats in MD(Paediatrics) & DCH course at Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences, Karad Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences (Deemed University), Karad u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 because of the following:-

1. Flt Lt (Dr.) V. Y. Kshirsagar, Prof. & Unit II head and Dr. C. D. Aundhakar, Prof. & Unit III head do not possess recognized PG qualifications. Dr. G. G. Joag & Dr. R. A. Yadav, Asst. Prof. do not possess recognized PG qualification. Hence Unit III has no PG teacher with recognized PG qualification.
2. Resultantly, there are only 3 PG teachers with recognized PG qualifications which are just adequate for present intake of 1 degree & 2 diploma.
3. Teaching needs to be strengthened.
4. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

36. Starting of M.Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery) course at Gauhati Medical College, Guwahati under Gauhati University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Gauhati Medical College, Guwahati under Gauhati University for starting of M.Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery) course at Gauhati Medical College, Gauhati.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of M.Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery) course at Gauhati Medical College, Gauhati under Gauhati University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

37. Starting of MD(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. course at M.V.J. Medical College & Research, Hospital, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) alongwith the communication from the Inspector dated 8.1.2008 on the physical and other teaching facilities available at

M.V.J. Medical College & Research Hospital, Bangalore for starting of MD(Obst. & Gynae.) courses u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) alongwith the communication from the Inspector dated 8.1.2008 and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting of MD(Obst. & Gynae.) & D.G.O. courses at M.V.J. Medical College & Research Hospital, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following:-

1. Number of deliveries (Average) is Normal: 1/day; Caesarean: 1/day which is inadequate. Number of deliveries needs to be improved by improving antenatal services.
2. Total MTP in 2007 are only 242 till date of inspection (i.e. average of < 1/day).
3. Resultantly, clinical material is inadequate.
4. On the day of inspection, only 3 beds are functional in Obst. & Gynae. ICU. Separate Eclampsia room is not functional.
5. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

38. Starting of MD(Paediatrics) & D.C.H. course at M.V.J. Medical College & Research, Hospital, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at M.V.J. Medical College & Research Hospital, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore for starting of MD(Paediatrics) & D.C.H. course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of MD(Paediatrics) & D.C.H. courses at M.V.J. Medical College & Research Hospital, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students per year in each course till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualifications at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

39. Starting of MD(Anaesthesia) & D.A. course at M.V.J. Medical College & Research, Hospital, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at M.V.J. Medical College, & Research Hospital, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore for starting of M.D.(Anaesthesia) & D.A. course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of MD(Anaesthesia) & D.A. courses at M.V.J. Medical College & Research Hospital, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students per year in each course till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualifications at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

40. Starting of D.C.P. course at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University for starting of D.C.P. course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of D.C.P. course at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

41. Starting of D.G.O. course at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University for starting of D.G.O. course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of D.G.O. course at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

42. Increase of seats in M.Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery) course at Sri Jayadeva Institute of Cardiology, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Sri Jayadeva Institute of Cardiology, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore for increase of seats in M.Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats in M.Ch.(Cardio-Thoracic Surgery) course at Sri Jayadeva Institute of Cardiology, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 from 2 (two) to 5 (five) students per year till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act,1956.

43. Starting of MD(Microbiology) course at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute, Pondicherry for starting of MD(Microbiology) course at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College and Research Institute, Pondicherry u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting of MD(Microbiology) course at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College and Research Institute, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University because of the following:-

1. Dr. U. K. Singh, Professor & Head possesses M. D. (Path. & Bact.) from K. G. Medical College, Lucknow while only M. D. (Pathology) is a recognized qualification from the institute and M. D. (Microbiology) qualification from the institute is not recognized.
2. Resultantly, teaching faculty component is incomplete.
3. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

44. **Starting of MD(Biochemistry) course at Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.**

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University for starting of MD(Biochemistry) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of MD (Biochemistry) course at Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 3 (three) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

45. **Maharashtra University of Health Sciences and MGM University of Health Sciences (Deemed University) – Recognition of MS (General Surgery) qualification in respect of students being trained at MGM Medical College, Navi Mumbai.**

Read: The Council inspector report (May, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at MGM Medical College, Navi Mumbai for purpose of recognition of MS (General Surgery) qualification granted by Maharashtra University of Health Sciences and MGM University of Health Sciences (Deemed University).

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (May, 2007) and decided to recommend that MS (General Surgery) qualification granted by Maharashtra University of Health Sciences and MGM University of Health Sciences (Deemed University) in respect of students being trained at MGM Medical College, Navi Mumbai be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admission to 4 (four) students per year prospectively i.e. from the academic year 2008-09.

46. **Goa University – Recognition of MS (ENT) qualification in respect of students being trained at Goa Medical College, Panaji.**

Read: The compliance verification report (December, 07) together with compliance and Council Inspector's (April, 2007) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Goa Medical College, Panaji under Goa University for purpose of recognition of MS (ENT) qualification granted by Goa University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification inspection report (December, 07) along with compliance and Council Inspector's report (April, 2007) and observed that the deficiencies pointed out vide the decision of the Postgraduate Committee taken at its meeting held on 06.06.2007 have not till been complied with as (1) Dr. Sandesh Chodankar, Asstt. Prof. & Dr. Carnegie De Sa, Lecturer do not possess requisite postgraduate qualification. Resultantly, teaching complement is incomplete in Unit-I.

In view of above, the Committee decided to reiterate its earlier decision taken at its meeting held on 06.06.2007 to recommend not to recognise MS (ENT) qualification granted by Goa University in respect of students being trained at Goa Medical College, Panaji and further decided to reiterate its decision to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in M.S.(ENT) course from the ensuing academic session 2008-2009.

47. **Osmania University, Andhra Pradesh University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada and N.T.R. University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada - Approval of Gandhi Medical College, Hyderabad for the award of M.D.(General Medicine) qualification.**

Read: The compliance verification report (December, 07) togetherwith compliance and Council inspector report (October, 2002) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Gandhi Medical College, Hyderabad for approval of the college for the award of M.D.(General Medicine) qualification earlier granted by Osmania University, Andhra Pradesh University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada & now by NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification report (December, 07) togetherwith compliance and Council inspector report (October, 2002) and decided not to approve Gandhi Medical College, Hyderabad for the award of M.D.(General Medicine) qualification earlier granted by Osmania University, Andhra Pradesh University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada & now by NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada because of the following:-

1. Unit-I does not have Assoc. Prof.
2. Dr. Nagamani, Asst. Prof. in Unit IV does not possess recognized PG qualification.
3. Resultantly, teaching faculty complement is incomplete.
4. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

In view of above, the Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to henceforth stop admissions in MD (General Medicine) course from the academic session 2008-2009.

48. West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata – Recognition of M.D/MS(Anatomy) qualification in respect of students being trained at R.G. Kar Medical College, Calcutta.

Read : The compliance togetherwith Council inspector report (April, 2007) on the standard examination and other teaching facilities for recognition of M.D/MS(Anatomy) qualification granted by West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata in respect of students being trained at R.G. Kar Medical College, Calcutta.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance togetherwith Council inspector report (April, 2007) and decided to recommend that M.D/MS(Anatomy) qualification granted by West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata in respect of students being trained at R.G. Kar Medical College, Calcutta be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 4 (four) students per year prospectively i.e. from the academic year 2008-09.

49. Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore – Recognition of MS (Ophthalmology) qualification in respect of students being trained at Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore.

Read : The Council inspector report (December, 07) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore for purpose of recognition of MS (Ophthalmology) qualification granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend that MS (Ophthalmology) qualification granted by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore in respect of students being trained at Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act,1956 restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year prospectively i.e. from the academic year 2008-09.

50. Grant of permission to open a PGIMER attached to Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital, New Delhi.

Read: The letter dated 4/10/2007 received from the Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & F.W. seeking comments of the Council for opening a PGIMER attached to Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital, New Delhi.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter dated 4/10/2007 received from the Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & F.W. seeking comments of the Council for opening a PGIMER attached to Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital, New Delhi and decided to form a Sub-Committee comprising of Dr.D.K. Sharma & Dr. H.P. Bhalodiya to deliberate upon the matter and to submit its report at the earliest.

51. Starting of MS(Orthopaedics) course at Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read : The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University for starting of MS(Orthopaedics) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of MS (Orthopaedics) course at Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

52. Starting of D.P.M. course at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read : The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University for starting of D.P.M. course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of D.P.M. course at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

53. Starting of D.T.C.D. course at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read : The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University for starting of D.T.C.D. course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of D.T.C.D. course at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

54. Increase of seats in MD(Pathology) course at Dr. D.Y. Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune under Dr. D.Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, (Deemed University) u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read : The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Dr. D.Y. Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune under Dr. D.Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, (Deemed University) for increase of seats in MD(Pathology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats in M.D.(Pathology) course at Dr. D.Y. Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune under Dr. D.Y. Patil Vidyapeeth, (Deemed University) u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 from 2 (two) to 6 (six) students per year till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination

of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

55. Mumbai University - Approval of M.G.M Medical College, Navi Mumbai for the award of M.S.(Orthopaedics) qualification.

Read : The compliance verification report (December, 07) togetherwith compliance and Council Inspector's report (Jan., 2006) of standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at M.G.M. Medical College, Navi Mumbai for purpose of approval of the College for the award of M.S.(Orthopaedics) qualification granted by Mumbai University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification report (December, 07) togetherwith compliance and Council Inspector's report (Jan., 2006) and decided to recommend that M.G.M. Medical College, Navi Mumbai be approved for the award of MS (Orthopaedics) qualification granted by Mumbai University restricting the number of admission to 2 (two) students per year.

The Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to restrict the number of admissions from 2(two) to 1 (one) student for D. Ortho. course per year prospectively commensurate with number of available PG teachers.

56. Madras University and The Tamilnadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical Univerisity, Chennai- Approval of Kilpauk Medical College, Chennai for the award of M.S.(Orthopaedics) & D.Ortho. qualifications .

Read : The compliance verification report (December, 07) togetherwith compliance Council Inspector report (April, 2004) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Kilpauk Medical College, Chennai for purpose of approval of the college for the award of M.S.(Orthopaedics) & D.Ortho. qualifications earlier granted by Madras University and now by The Tamilnadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University, Chennai.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance verification report (December, 07) togetherwith compliance Council Inspector report (April, 2004) and decided to recommend that Kilpauk Medical College, Chennai be approved for the award of M.S.(Orthopaedics) & D.Ortho. qualifications earlier granted by Madras University and now by The Tamilnadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University, Chennai restricting the number of admissions to 5 (five) students per year.

The Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to restrict the number of admissions from 8(eight) to 1 (one) student for D. Ortho. course per year commensurate with number of available PG teachers prospectively i.e. from the academic year 2008-2009..

57. Bombay University and Mumbai University – Recognition of MD (SPM/Community medicine) qualification in respect of students being trained at T.N. Medical College, Mumbai.

Read : The Council inspector report (November, 07) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at T.N. Medical College, Mumbai for purpose of recognition of MD (SPM/Community Medicine) qualification after 30.04.81 earlier granted by Bombay University and now by Mumbai University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (November, 2007) and decided to recommend that MD (SPM/Community Medicine) qualification after 30.04.81 earlier granted by Bombay University and now by Mumbai University in respect of students being trained at T.N. Medical College, Mumbai be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 7(seven) students for degree per year.

The Committee further decided to direct the institution authorities to restrict the number of admissions from 8(eight) to 1 (one) student for Diploma in Community Medicine course per year commensurate with number of available PG teachers prospectively i.e. from the academic year 2008-2009.

58. Increase of seats in MD(Obst. & Gynae.) course at Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College, Swangi, Wardha under Datta Meghe Institute of Medical Sciences (Deemed University) u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspectors report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at J.N. Medical College, Swangi, Wardha for increase of seats in MD(Obst. & Gynae.) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats in MD(Obst. & Gynae.) course at J.N. Medical College, Swangi, Wardha under Datta Meghe Institute of Medical Sciences (Deemed University) u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 from 3 (three) to 5 (five) students per year till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

59. Starting of DM(Cardiology) course at Moti Lal Nehru Medical College, Allahabad – Permission of Central Govt. – Regarding.

Read: The letter dated 13/12/2007 received from the Principal, Moti Lal Nehru Medical College, Allahabad for carrying out the inspection for starting of DM (Cardiology) course at Moti Lal Nehru Medical College, Allahabad.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter received from the Principal, Moti Lal Nehru Medical College, Allahabad and observed that Regulation 3.2 of the Qualifying Criteria in Part-I of the Scheme for permission of the Central Government for opening a New or Higher course of Study or Training (including a Postgraduate Course of Study or Training) in a Medical College/Institution reads as under:

“3.2 The permission letter regarding desirability and feasibility for opening a new or higher course in the medical college/institution has been obtained by the applicant from the respective State Government or the Union Territory administration”

In view of above, the Postgraduate Committee decided that as the institution has not submitted any Essentiality Certificate or permission letter regarding desirability and feasibility for opening of D.M. (Cardiology) course in the institution from the State Government, the qualifying criteria as required under the Regulations are not fulfilled and further decided to return the application to the Central Government recommending disapproval of the scheme. It was also decided that this decision may also be communicated to the Secretary, Medical Education, Govt. of U.P. for necessary action.

60. Starting of 14 Super-specialty courses at Narayana Medical College, Nellore (A.P.) – Permission of Central Govt. – regarding.

Read: The applications received from Narayana Medical College, Nellore after the last date for starting of 14 Super-specialty courses at Narayana Medical College, Nellore.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the applications received from Narayana Medical College, Nellore after the last date for starting of 14 Super-specialty courses at Narayana Medical College, Nellore and decided to return the application to the Central Government as there is no provision to keep any application pending for the next year in the Council as per Regulations.

61. Starting of MD(Community Medicine) course at Fr. Muller Medical College, Mangalore - Permission of Central Govt. - regarding.

Read: The letter dated 27/12/2007 received from the Dean, Fr. Muller Medical College, Mangalore for postponement of inspection to next academic session for starting of MD(Community Medicine) course at Fr. Muller Medical College, Mangalore.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter dated 27.12.2007 received from the Dean, Fr. Muller Medical College, Mangalore requesting to postpone the inspection for starting of MD(Community Medicine) course to the next academic year and decided to return

the application to the Central Government as there is no provision to keep any application pending for the next year in the Council as per Regulations.

62. Starting of MD(Radio-Diagnosis) & MD(Community Medicine) courses at Dr. D.Y. Patil Medical College, Kolhapur - Permission of Central Govt. - regarding.

Read: The letter dated 26/10/2007 received from the Dean, D.Y. Patil University, Kolhapur for postponement of inspection of their college for starting of MD(Radio-Diagnosis) & MD(Community Medicine) course at Dr. D.Y. Patil Medical College, Kolhapur.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter dated dated 26/10/2007 received from the Dean, D.Y. Patil University, Kolhapur for postponement of inspection of their college for starting of MD(Radio-Diagnosis) & MD(Community Medicine) course and decided to return the application to the Central Government as there is no provision to keep any application pending for the next year in the Council as per Regulations.

63. Starting of M.S.(Anatomy) course at Vydehi Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Vydehi Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Bangalore for starting of M.S.(Anatomy) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting MS (Anatomy) course at Vydehi Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956, because of the following:-

1. Dr. M.L. Jain, Prof. & Head and Dr. Kanta Motwani, Prof. do not possess recognized postgraduate qualification.
2. Cold storage cabinet is not available.
3. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

64. Starting of M.D.(Forensic Medicine) course at Vydehi Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Vydehi Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Bangalore for starting of M.D.(Forensic Medicine) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of M.D.(Forensic Medicine) course at Vydehi Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admission to 1 (one) student per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

65. Starting of MD(Radio-Diag.) & DMRD courses at NKP Salve Instt. of Medical Sciences, Nagpur under Maharashtra University of Health Sciences, u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at NKP Salve Instt. of Medical Sciences, Nagpur under Maharashtra University of Health Sciences for starting of MD(Radio-Diag.) & DMRD courses u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. not to issue Letter of Intent for starting of MD(Radio-Diag.) & DMRD courses at NKP Salve Instt. of Medical Sciences, Nagpur

under Maharashtra University of Health Sciences u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 because of the following:-

1. DSA is not available. ERCP & Lymphangiography are not available. Resultantly, instrumentation is inadequate.
2. Dr. S. Dhande, Asstt. Prof. possesses MD (Radio-Therapy) which is not prescribed academic qualification for the post.
3. Other deficiencies as pointed out in the inspection report.

66. Starting of MD(Paediatrics) course at Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (November, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry for starting of MD(Paediatrics) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (November, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of M.D.(Paediatrics) course at Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry under Pondicherry University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admissions to 2 (two) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

67. Starting of M.D.(Community Medicine) course at Vydehi Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Vydehi Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Bangalore for starting of M.D.(Community Medicine) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (November, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of M.D.(Community Medicine) course at Vydehi Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admissions to 2 (two) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

68. Starting of various Postgraduate courses at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute, Pondicherry u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The letter dated 2/1/2008 received from the Director, Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute, Pondicherry for postponement of inspections to the next academic year.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the letter dated 2.1.2008 received from the Director, Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute, Pondicherry requesting to postpone the inspection for starting of Anatomy, Physiology & Forensic Medicine postgraduate courses to the next academic year and decided to return the application recommending disapproval of the scheme to Govt. of India for necessary action at their end.

69. Increase of seats in D.A. course at Narayana Medical College, Nellore affiliated to Dr.NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada, A.P..

Read: The Council Inspector's report (November, 2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Narayana Medical College, Nellore affiliated to Dr.NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada, A.P. for increase of seats in D.A. course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (November, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for increase of seats in D.A. course at Narayna Medical College, Nellore affiliated to Dr.NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada, A.P. u/s 10A of the I.M.C. Act,1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 from 1 (one) to 2 (two) students per year till the first batch admitted against the increased number appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification for the additional increased intake at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act,1956.

70. Kashmir University–Recognition of M.D.(Pathology) qualification in respect of students being trained at Govt. Medical College, Srinagar.

Read: The compliance togetherwith compliance verification report (October, 2007) alongwith Council inspector report (March,2004) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Srinagar togetherwith compliance for purpose of recognition of M.D.(Pathology) qualification granted by Kashmir University.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the compliance togetherwith compliance verification report (October, 2007) alongwith Council inspector report (March,2004) and decided to verify the compliance by way of inspection.

71. Starting of MD (Pathology) course at MVJ Medical College & Research Hospital, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10 A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December'2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at MVJ Medical College & Research Hospital, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore for starting of M.D.(Pathology) course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of M.D.(Pathology) course at MVJ Medical College & Research Hospital, Bangalore under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admissions to 3 (three) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

72. Starting of DA course at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University u/s 10 A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (Jan'2008) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University for starting of DA course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (January, 2008) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of D.A. course at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admissions to 2 (two) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

73. Starting of Diploma in Community Medicine course at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University u/s 10 A of the IMC Act, 1956.

Read: The Council Inspector's report (December'2007) on the physical and other teaching facilities available at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar for starting of Diploma in Community Medicine course u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956.

The Postgraduate Committee considered the Council Inspector's report (December, 2007) and decided to recommend to the Central Govt. to issue Letter of Permission for starting of Diploma in Community Medicine course at Govt. Medical College, Bhavnagar under Bhavnagar University u/s 10A of the IMC Act, 1956 prospectively i.e. from the academic session 2008-2009 restricting the number of admissions to 2 (two) students per year till the first batch admitted appears in the final examination of the said course. The institution be advised to apply for recognition of the qualification at the time of first available examination as per the provision of Section 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956.

(Lt. Col. (Retd.) Dr.ARN Setalvad)
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*New Delhi, dated the
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