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DENTAL COUNCIL OF INDIA

(CONSTITUTED UNDER THE DENTISTS ACT, 1948)

No.DE-BDS(Gen)Students-2015/ 9349
To,

Dated the 30 September, 2015

1.	The Principal Secretary (Health & FW), Department of Health & Family Welfare, Government of Punjab, R. No. 426, 4th Floor, Mini Secretariat, Sector 9, Chandigarh - 160 009	2.	The Director, Directorate of Medical Education and Research, Block-E, Sikhya Bhawan, 7th Floor, Punjab School Education Board's Building, Sector-62 (Phase-8), Sahibzada Ajit Singh Nagar, Mohali -160 062 Punjab
3.	The Registrar, Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Sadiq Road, Faridkot - 151 203 Punjab	4.	The Principal, All the dental colleges in the State of Punjab

Sub: **Admission to BDS Course in Dental Colleges as per Revised BDS Course Regulations, 2007- for Strict Compliance.**

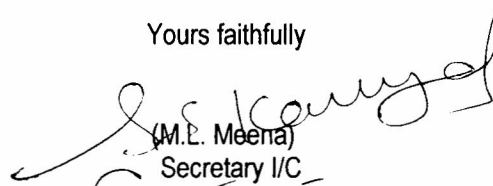
Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to the Public Notice published in The Tribune on 29.09.2015 thereby allowing the candidates for admissions in BDS Course at Dental Colleges in the State of Punjab for the academic session 2015-2016 on the basis of marks obtained in their qualifying examination (10+2) which is a clear cut violation of provisions of Selection of Procedure as prescribed in Revised BDS Course Regulations, 2007, as already informed, vide DCI Circular No.DE-BDS(Gen)-2015/2097 dated 07.05.2015, to the Principal of all Dental Colleges and other competent authorities viz. concerned State Governments, Universities, Director Medical Education to strictly follow the provisions of Selection of Students for admission to BDS Course as prescribed in Revised BDS Course Regulations, 2007, failing which the Council shall take necessary action against such dental colleges, under Section 10B of the Dentists (Amendment) Act, 1993 and Section 16A of the Dentists Act, 1948, as the case may be.

2. The Revised BDS Course Regulations, 2007 clearly indicates that the competitive entrance examination is mandatory for admissions to BDS Course, except in states having only one Dental College and one university board/examining body conducting the qualifying examination, the marks obtained at such qualifying examination may be taken into consideration.

3. In view of the above, it is once again requested to follow the provisions of Selection of Students for admissions to BDS Course as prescribed in Revised BDS Course Regulations, 2007, to maintain the highest standard of dental education in the country, and the dental colleges shall not be allowed to admit students in BDS Course in violation of DCI Regulations.

Yours faithfully


(M.E. Meena)
Secretary I/C
Dental Council of India

Copy to:-

1. The Secretary to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, (Deptt. Of Health- DE Section), Nirman Bhawan, Maulana Azad Road, New Delhi - 110011.
2. The President, Dental Council of India, New Delhi.
3. BDS / Legal Cell.
4. DE-55-2015 (30.09.2015).