## Important notice for qualified Physically Handicapped (PH) candidates

#### For All India Quota –UG (MBBS/BDS)

**Reference:** National Eligibility cum Entrance Test NEET – 2013 (For Admission to MBBS/BDS Courses- Information Bulletin)

### Clause 11.1 (d), which read as under:

## RESERVATION OF SEATS IN GOVERNMENT MEDICAL COLLEGES UNDER 15% ALL INDIA QUOTA:

- (d) 3% seats are reserved on horizontal basis for Physically Handicapped candidates (only for locomotor disabilities of lower limbs between 50% to 70%, provided that in case any seat in this 3% quota remains unfilled on account of unavailability of candidates with locomotor disability of lower limbs between 50% to 70% then any such unfilled seat in this 3% quota shall be filled up by persons with locomotor disability of lower limbs between 40% to 50% before they are included in the seats of respective category) in 15% All India UG quota seat. Detailed information in this regard is available on the website of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare - www.mohfw.nic.in Candidates who considered themselves eligible for this category are advised to ensure their eligibility by getting themselves examined at any Government Medical College/District Hospital/Government Hospital. However, candidates may kindly note that in case of selection under PH category, they will be required to produce Disability Certificate from one of the disability assessment boards, constituted at the four metro cities, mentioned below, before their schedule date of counselling:
  - Vardhman Mahavir Medical College and Safdarjung Hospital, Ansari Nagar, Ring Road, New Delhi-110029 (Tel No.011-26190763 & 26163072)
  - ii. All India Institute of Physically Medicine and Rehabilitation, Hazi Ali Park, K. Khadya Marg, Mahalaxmi, Mumbai- 400034 (Tel No.022-23544341)
  - iii. Institute of Post Graduate Medical Education & Research, 244, Acharya J.C. Bose Marg, Kolkata-20 (Tel No.033- 22235181)
  - iv. Madras Medical College, Park Town, Chennai-600003 (Tel No.044 25305301)

Please also refer to the MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA AMENDMENT NOTIFICATION New Delhi, the 25<sup>th</sup> March, 2009, which read a under:

# MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA AMENDMENT NOTIFICATION New

### Delhi , the $25^{\mbox{th}}$ March, 2009

No. MCI-34(41)/2008-Med./54469 - In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 33 of the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956(102 of 1956), the Medical Council of India with the previous approval of the Central Government hereby makes the following regulations to further amend the Regulations on Graduate Medical Education, 1997, namely:-

1. (i) These Regulations may be called the "Regulations on Graduate Medical Education (Amendment),  $2009 \, \text{Part} - \text{I.}$ "

- (ii) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
- 2. In the Regulations on Graduate Medical Education, 1997, the following **additions** / **modifications** / **deletions** / **substitutions**, shall be as indicated therein:-
- 3. In Chapter II, Clause 4 under the heading "Admission to the Medical Course Eligibility Criteria", the following **shall be added** after sub-clause 2(f): -
  - "3. 3% seats of the annual sanctioned intake capacity shall be filled up by candidates with locomotory disability of lower limbs between 50% to 70%.

Provided that in case any seat in this 3% quota remains unfilled on account of unavailability of candidates with locomotory disability of lower limbs between 50% to 70% then any such unfilled seat in this 3% quota shall be filled up by persons with locomotory disability of lower limbs between 40% to 50% - before they are included in the annual sanctioned seats for General Category candidates.

Provided further that this entire exercise shall be completed by each medical college / institution as per the statutory time schedule for admissions and in no case any admission will be made in the MBBS course after 30<sup>th</sup> of September."

4. The following proviso **shall be added** before the proviso to Clause 5 (5) (ii):-

"Provided that the eligibility criteria for admission to persons with locomotory disability of lower limbs in terms of Clause 4(3) above – will be a minimum of 45% marks instead of 50% taken together in qualifying examination and competitive entrance examination for admission in MBBS course."

[Lt. Col.(Retd.) Dr. A.R.N. Setalvad]
Secretary
Medical Council of India

**Foot Note:** The Principal Regulations namely, "Regulations on Graduate Medical Education, 1997" were published in Part – III, Section (4) of the Gazette of India vide Medical Council of India Notification dated the 4<sup>th</sup> March, 1997 and amended vide Council notification dated 29.05.1999, 02.07.2002, 30.09.2003, 16.10.2003, 01.03.2004, 20.10.2008, 15.12.2008 & 22.12.2008

### **Important Instructions for the Candidates**

All qualified physically handicapped (PH) candidates are advised to get themselves examined immediately at one of the under mentioned Disability Assessment Boards constituted at the 4 metro cities, to get PH Certificate:

- i. Vardhman Mahavir Medical College & Safdarjang Hospital, Ansari Nagar, (Ring Road), New Delhi-110029.
- ii. All India Institute of Physcial Medicine and Rehabilitation, Hazi Ali Park, K. Khadya Marg, Mahalaxmi, Mumbai-400034.
- iii. Institute of Post Graduate Medical Education & Research, 244 Archarya J.C. Bose Marg, Kolkata-700020.
- iv. Madras Medical College, Park Town, Chennai-600003.

All qualified physically handicapped candidates may please note that only on the basis of the disability certificate issued by one of the 4 above-mentioned Disability Assessment Boards, on prescribed format available with these institutions, candidates will be eligible for admission under 15% All India Quota seats in PH category, subject to fulfillment of other eligibility conditions.

Immediately after obtaining the PH certificate/ Certificate from the above mentioned Disability Assessment Boards, the candidates must send the scanned copy of the certificate at e-mail- adgme@nic.in and another self-attested photo-copy may be

sent by speed post addressed to: The Assistant Director General (ME), Directorate General of Health Services, R.No. 352, A- Wing, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi-110011, Ph No. 011-23062493 Fax – 011-23061907. On the overleaf of the certificate, the candidates must mention their name, All India Rank, Category, mobile number and e-mail address.

At the time of registration, the candidates must fill at the appropriate space their category as PH1 or PH2 as per his/her certificate. The clarification regarding PH1 and PH2 is given as under:

### PH - 1: Candidates with locomotor disability of lower limbs from 50% to 70%

{Certified by one of the Disability Assessment Boards constituted at 4 metro cities as mentioned above.}.

## PH - 2: Candidates with locomotor disability of lower limbs between 40% to less than 50%

{Certified by one of the Disability Assessment Boards constituted at 4 metro cities as mentioned above.}.