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Conditional Permission

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क्रमांक/ Ref. No.- 18-6/2024-25/SID(MARB)

दिनांक/Dated: 05.04.2024

To,

**The Principal,**  
Santhigiri Siddha Medical College,  
Santhigiri (P.O)  
Thiruvananthapuram-600106,  
Kerala  
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**Subject: - Grant of Conditional Permission to Santhigiri Siddha Medical College, Santhigiri (P.O), Thiruvananthapuram- 600106, Kerala, (Inst. ID-SID0271) with 50 seats in UG (BSMS) course for the academic session 2024-25 under section 28 of NCISM Act, 2020 and relevant regulations thereunder-reg.**

Sir/Madam,

With reference to the subject mentioned above, I am directed to inform you that in pursuance of the provision of National commission for Indian System of Medicine Act, 2020, the Indian Medicine Central Council Act,1970 (48 of 1970) has been repealed with effect from the 11th day of June, 2021. With effect from the said date, the Central Council of Indian Medicine constituted under sub-division (1) of section 3 of the Indian Medicine Central Council Act, 1970 (48 of 1970) shall stand dissolved. Now, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (3) of the section 1 of the said Act, the Central Government hereby notifies that all the provisions of the National Commission for Indian System of Medicine Act, 2020 has been come into force with effect from the 11th day of June, 2021 and as per regulation 59 (2) of The National Commission for Indian System of Medicine ACT, 2020, Medical standards, requirements and other provisions of the Indian Medicine Central Council Act, 1970 and the rules and regulations made there under shall continue to be in force and operate till new standards or requirements are specified under this Act or the rules and regulations made there under. Further, the provision of concerned regulations which are inconsistent with the provision of NCISM Act, 2020 shall not be applicable.

1. Further, to assess the available facilities of teaching, non-teaching, Hospital staff, practical training and other infrastructure facilities at your college namely **Santhigiri Siddha Medical College, Santhigiri (P.O), Thiruvananthapuram- 600106, Kerala, (Inst. ID-SID0271)** inspection of your College was conducted on **22.02.2024 and 23.02.2024 on hybrid mode** as a part of annual visitation by the visitation team of Medical Assessment and Rating Board, NCISM to process **the Conditional permission with 50 seats in UG (BSMS) course under Section 28 of NCISM Act, 2020 for the academic session 2024-25.**
2. Further, the visitation report and all other related documents were assessed in terms of the enforced regulations namely, the "Indian Medicine Central Council (Requirements of Minimum Standard for under-graduate Siddha Colleges and attached Hospitals) Regulations, 2016", provisions under the NCISM Act, 2020 and relevant Regulations there under.
3. Thereafter, the assessment report was placed in the **84<sup>th</sup> Board meeting** of Medical Assessment and Rating Board for Indian System of Medicine (NCISM) held on **22.03.2024**. On careful examination of the assessment report it is found that **your college is fulfilling the notified & approved criteria.**
4. **Accordingly, as per regulation 3(3) (a) of MSR, 2016, the college is fulfilling the basic eligibility criteria for conditional permission for the academic year 2024-25. Hence the Board decided to issue the Conditional Permission with 50 seats in UG (BSMS) course under section 28 of NCISM Act, 2020 for the academic session 2024-25.**
5. Therefore, **Conditional Permission is granted to Santhigiri Siddha Medical College, Santhigiri (P.O), Thiruvananthapuram- 600106, Kerala, (Inst. ID-SID0271) with 50 seats in UG (BSMS) course for the academic session 2024-25 under section 28 of NCISM Act, 2020** subject to the condition that college is fulfilling the following requirements: -
  - i) The college shall submit an undertaking in the form of affidavit duly notarized within one month explaining the details of providing EPF and ESI facilities to the teaching, non-teaching staff of the Colleges/Hospitals and regularly paying the same as per the provisions of Employees' Provident Funds and Miscellaneous Provisions Act, 1952 & ESI Act, 1948 and relevant Rules and Regulations.
  - ii) It is further informed that minimum 15% of undergraduate seats of the permitted intake capacity of **50 seats** shall be treated as all India quota. The counselling for seats under all India quota shall be conducted by respective counselling authority as designated by Central Government for A.Y. 2024-25 and counselling for the remaining 85% seats or as the case may be, shall be conducted by the concerned Counselling

Authority of that State/UT. **The permission of the college stands withdrawn if the college fails to comply with the aforesaid direction of the Central Government/NCISM for all India quota or the students admitted thereunder.**

- iii) It is also informed that determination of fee and all other charges in respect of 50% of seats in private Medical Institutions and deemed to be University should be as per the guidelines issued by NCISM vide ref no. BUSS/Fee/ASU/2022-23 dated 16.09.2022. Fees of the remaining 50% of seats are to be fixed as per the guidelines of Fee Fixation/Regulatory Committee (FRC) of respective State/UT/Deemed to be University.
6. Admissions made in violation of the above conditions will be treated as invalid and action will be initiated under NCISM Act & Regulations thereunder.
7. Discrepancies, if any, may be immediately brought to the notice of Medical Assessment and Rating Board for Indian System of Medicine, NCISM.
8. **The following requirements should be fulfilled by the college by 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2024 and compliance report should be sent to get permission for the academic session 2025-2026:**
- i) All the requirements of Minimum Standard of infrastructure and teaching & training facilities as specified in Regulation 3 of the "Indian Medicine Central Council (Requirements of Minimum Standard for under-graduate Siddha Colleges and attached Hospitals) Regulations, 2016;
- ii) All the requirements of the Indian Medicine Central Council (Minimum Standards of Education in Indian Medicine) Amendment Regulations, 2016 (for Siddha);
- iii) All the requirements under the provisions of the NCISM Act, 2020 and relevant Regulations made thereunder should be fulfilled in to; and
- iv) All the requirements under the provisions of the new MES regulations of NCISM which come into force before 31<sup>st</sup> December 2024 shall be fulfilled.
9. The fulfilment of the conditions given above may be made within the time period specified and compliance report should be submitted by the college to President, Medical Assessment and Rating Board for Indian System of Medicine. The Medical Assessment and Rating Board for Indian System of Medicine will verify that the conditions have been fulfilled for considering the permission for the academic session 2025-26.
10. Please acknowledge the receipt of this letter.

*Handwritten signature and date: 10/11/24*

**डॉ. रघुराम भट्ट (Dr. Raghurama Bhatta U.)**  
**Dr. Raghurama Bhatta U.**  
**President,**  
**Medical Assessment and Rating Board for Indian System of Medicine**  
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- (ii) Secretary to the Govt. of India, Ministry of AYUSH, Ayush Bhawan, B-Block GPO Complex, INA, New Delhi 110023.
- (iii) The Principal Secretary, Department of Health and Family Welfare Govt. of Kerala, Secretariat Building, Thiruvananthapuram Kerala, for information and necessary action.
- (iv) The Director, Department of AYUSH, National AYUSH Mission, Deepa Arcade 27/2312 (5), General Hospital Junction, Near Holy Angels Convent School, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala for information and necessary action. (E-mail ID: - [pskeralaayush@gmail.com](mailto:pskeralaayush@gmail.com))
- (v) The Registrar, Kerala University of Health Sciences, Medical College PO, Thrissure-68596 for information and necessary action.
- (vi) Guard file.

**(Dr. Raghurama Bhatta U.)**  
**President,**  
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