

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA <u>Abstract</u>

Health & Family Welfare Department – Medical Education Services – Academic-Admission to Graduate and Post Graduate Medical and Dental Courses under NRI Quota in Self Financing institutions - Conditions - Modified – Orders issued.

HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (S) DEPARTMENT

GO(MS) No. 193/2013/H&FWD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 22.05.2013

- Read: (1) The Kerala Professional Colleges or Institutions (Prohibition of Capitation fee, Regulation of Admission, Fixation of Non-exploitative fee and other measures to ensure Equity and Excellence in Professional Education) Act 2006 (Act 19 of 2006)
 - (2) Judgment dated 18.12.2012 of the Hon'ble High Court in WP(C) No.14708/2012 filed by Dr.Gowri Raj
 - (3) G.O (MS)No.34/2013/H&FWD dated 05.02.2013
 - (4) The Minutes of the meeting held on 06.03.2013 by the Hon'ble Chief Minister with the Kerala Private Medical College Manangements' Association
 - (5) Representation dated 22.03.2013 from the Co-Ordinator, Kerala Christian Professional College Managements' Federation

<u>ORDER</u>

As per the Government Order read as 3rd paper above Government have issued orders specifying the "dependants" under NRI Quota in compliance with the Judgment read as 2nd paper above, as follows.

"An Applicant who depends upon his/her Father/ Mother/Husband/ Wife/Brother/Sister/Half Brother/Half Sister who is working abroad"

2. The Hon'ble Chief Minister had convened a meeting of the Managements of the Self Financing Medical Colleges on 06.03.2013 to discuss the issues regarding admissions and fee structure in the Self Financing Colleges. At the meeting, inter alia the Managements have demanded for modifying the definition of NRI quota, including more relatives eligible for sponsoring applicants to the MBBS and BDS courses considering the socio cultural, traditional and the family bondage exists among the people of the State.

3. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to modify the term "dependents" as envisaged in the Government Order read as 3^{rd} paper above as follows.

"An applicant, who depends upon his/her Father/ Mother/ Brother/ Sister/ Husband/ Wife/ Brothers and Sisters (inclusive of first cousins) of Father or Mother/ Half Brother/ Half Sister/Adopted Father or Adopted Mother working abroad"

4. The Government Order read as 3rd paper above is modified to the above

extent.

By Order of the Governor **RAJEEV SADANANDAN** Principal Secretary to Government

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The Director of Medical Education, Thiruvananthapuram The Director of Health Services, Thiruvananthapuram The Commissioner for Entrance Examinations, Thiruvananthapuram The Registrar, Kerala University of Health Sciences, Thrissur-680 596 The Advocate General, Ernakulam The Principal of All Self Financing Medical/Dental Colleges in the State (through DME) The Secretary, Kerala Christian Professional College Managements' Federation, C/o Rajagiri School of Engineering & Technology, Rajagiri Valley.P.O, Cochin-682039 The Secretary, Kerala Private Medical College Management Association, Malabar Medical College Campus, Modakkalloor P.O, Kozhikode The Higher Education Department The Health & Family Welfare (B,C,D,J,K) Departments Stock File/Office Copy

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