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To
All Public and Private
Medical and Dental Colleges
Sindh

<u>Subject: Violation of august Supreme Court of Pakistan Judgment in CP No.4944</u> of 2021

As held by the august Supreme Court of Pakistan in its Judgment in CP No.4944 of 2021 and as mandatorily required under Section 18(1) of the PMC Act 2020, ONLY students who have qualified the MDCAT as notified by Pakistan Medical Commission are eligible for admission to a medical or dental college. This applies to ALL medical or dental colleges in Pakistan without exception.

Furthermore, under Section 34(2) of the PMC Act 2020, any college who admits a student who has not qualified the MDCAT as per PMC records and results notified shall be proceeded against with;

- i) a mandatory fine equal to the tuition fee for the whole duration of the study of the student wrongly admitted;
- ii) removal of the student from the college; and
- iii) cancellation of the registration and recognition of the college with the PMC.

With reference to the ongoing admissions, it is clarified that there shall be NO EXCEPTION to the above requirements of the law and any college, private or public, violating the requirements of Section 18(1) of the PMC Act 2020 and admitting a student who has not qualified the MDCAT shall be penalized as above under Section 34(2) PMC Act 2020.

Please also note that no entity has the legal authority to alter the applicability and ambit of Section 18(1) of the PMC Act, 2020 or act contrary to the Judgment of the august Supreme Court of Pakistan.

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