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**Government of Pakistan
Ministry of National Health Services, Regulations & Coordination

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NOTIFICATION

SR.O. (I)/2021.-In pursuance of Section 39 of the Pakistan Medical Commission Act, 2020 ((XXXIII of 2020), the following methods, qualifications and other conditions are laid down in terms of Section 4 and Section 10 of PMC Act,2020 for appointment of members of the Medical and Dental Council and members of the National Medical and Dental Academic Board in the Pakistan Medical Commission.

1. Short Title and application.- The Appointment of Members (Council and Board) Rules, 2021 shall come into effect immediately upon promulgation and shall be applicable to all nominations and appointment to the Medical and Dental Council and the National Medical and Dental Academic Board as may be made subsequent to the notification of these rules.

NOMINATION TO MEDICAL AND DENTAL COUNCIL

2. Search and Nomination Committee.-(1) The Prime Minister shall constitute a search and nomination committee, for recommendations of persons suitable to be appointed as members of the Medical and Dental Council and the National Medical and Dental Academic Board, which shall consist of:-

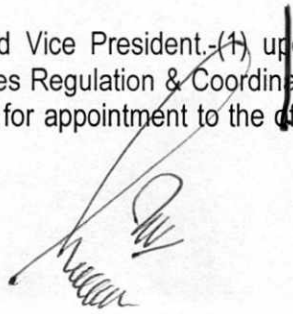
(a)	Minister In-charge or a Federal Minister or Special Assistant / Advisor to PM nominated by the Prime Minister	Chairman
(b)	Secretary, Establishment Division	Vice Chairman
(c)	Secretary, Ministry of National Health Services, Regulation and Coordination (NHSR&C)	Member
(d)	The head of a renowned Public Medical University	Member
(e)	The head of a private Medical Institution	Member
(f)	A representative of civil society with substantial contribution to public healthcare to be nominated by the Prime Minister	Member
(g)	And a senior member of the medical profession to be nominated by the Prime Minister	Member

(2) The Chairman shall chair the meeting of the search and nomination committee and in his absence; the vice Chairman shall chair the meeting.

(3) The Search and Nomination Committee shall after due scrutiny compile a proposed panel of three candidates for each of the following position of members for submission to the Prime Minister of Pakistan for nominations as provided for under clause (a), (b) and (c) of section 4(1) of the Pakistan Medical Commission Act, 2020 (Act XXXIII of 2020).

3. The Ministry of National Health Services, Regulation & Coordination shall upon receiving the nominations approved by the Prime Minister of Pakistan, notify the members of the Medical and Dental Council under Section 4 of the Pakistan Medical Commission Act 2020 (Act XXXIII of 2020).

4. Appointment of President and Vice President.-(1) upon the members of the Council having been notified, the Ministry of National Health Services Regulation & Coordination shall place before the Federal Cabinet the names of the eligible members of the Council for appointment to the office of the President and Vice President of the Council.



(2) The President or Vice President may resign their office or membership to the Council by writing under their hand addressed to the Prime Minister and the office or seat, as the case may be, of such officer or member shall be deemed to have fallen vacant from the date of acceptance of the resignation by the Prime Minister of Pakistan.

(3) The nomination and appointment President and Vice President and Members of the Medical and Dental Council will be on honorary basis.

5. (1) The Search and Nomination Committee shall after due scrutiny compile a proposed panel of three candidates for each of the following position of members of the National Medical and Dental Academic Board for submission to the Prime Minister of Pakistan for approval.

(2) The Ministry of National Health Services, Regulation & Coordination shall seek from each of the Provincial Governments nominations for members of the National Medical and Dental Academic Board provided for under clause (c), and (d) of Section 10(1) of the Pakistan Medical Commission Act, 2020 (Act XXXIII of 2020) and upon receipt of such nomination place the same before the Prime Minister of Pakistan for approval.

(3) The search and nomination committee shall after due scrutiny compile a proposed panel of two candidates for each of the following position of members of the Board for submission to the Federal Government for nominations as provided for under clause (e) of Section 10(1) of the Pakistan Medical Commission Act, 2020 (Act XXXIII of 2020).

6. Upon at least fourteen members of the Board having been notified, the Ministry of National Health Services, Regulations & Coordination shall place before the Federal Cabinet the names of the eligible members of the Board for appointment to the office of the Chairman of the National Medical Academic Board.

7. The nomination and appointment as Chairman and Members of the National Medical and Dental Academic Board shall be on honorary basis.

8. All nominations and appointments to the Medical and Dental Council and the National Medical and Dental Board of the Pakistan Medical Commission as having been made prior to the promulgation of these rules shall be deemed to have been validly made and hereon shall be subject to these rules from the date of notification of these rules.

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