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Government of India
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare

Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi-110 011.
Dated the 10 December, 2014

To

To

1. Dr. Alexander Thomas,
President,
Association of National Board
Accredited Institutions (ANBAI),
Bangalore Baptist Hospital,
Bellary Road, Bangalore – 560 024

Dr. Anurag Agarwal,
Additional Director
National Board of
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New Delhi – 110 029.

Sub: Representation of Association of National Board Accredited Institutions (ANBAI) and National Board of Examinations (NBE) relating to amendment in Teachers' Eligibility Regulations-Regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to ANBAI's letter dated 06.10.2014 and NBE's letter Nos. NBE/XXXII/2014/4895 dated 01.10.2014, NBE/XXXII/2014/8743 dated 08.10.2014, NBE/III/2014/9835 dated 11.11.2014 on the above cited subject and to reiterate that the matter has already been taken up with Medical Council of India (MCI) and a D.O. letter of even number dated 21.08.2014 from Secretary (Health) to the President, MCI has been sent directing the Council to withdraw the circular issued in this regard and also advised to refrain from such practices in future. Further, a Public Notice has also been uploaded on the website of Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, i.e. www.mohfw.nic.in, informing that the letter dated 09.04.2014 issued by MCI to the Health Secretaries/DMEs of States/UTs in connection with instructions relating to the amendment in Teachers' Eligibility Qualification Regulations, 1998 is *void ab-initio*.

2. This issues with the approval of Joint Secretary (ME).

Yours faithfully,



(Amit Biswas)

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