GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (J2) DEPARTMENT

MEMO.NO.21511/J2/2007-3

Dated: 27-02-2009.

Sub:- Medical Education – Recognition status of the Diploma in Public Health and Sanitation Technology being awarded by the College of Medical Technology, Ongole – Reg.

Ref:- 1.Govt.Memo.No.2740/J2/2006-1, dt.10.7.2006.
2.Notice from Sri M.Lakshmana Sarma, Advocate, High Court of A.P., dt.15.10.2007 & 26.11.2008.
3.Govt. D.O.Lr.No.21511/J2/07-2, dt.1.1.2009.
4.From the Commr., E&T, Hyd., Lr.No.J1/65/09, dt.2.2.2009.

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In the reference 1st cited, the Government have clarified to the Commissioner, Employment & Training, A.P., Hyderabad that the Diploma certificates in Public Health and Sanitation Technology awarded by the College of Medical Technology, Ongole from 5.7.2002 i.e. the date of issue of amendment to rules are not valid and those certificates cannot be registered in Employment-Exchanges for the purpose of recruitment of Multi Purpose Health Assistant (Male).

- 2. In the reference 2nd cited, Sri M.Lakshmana Sarma, Advocate in his contempt notices has stated that the Government Memo No.2740/J2/2006-1, dated 10.7.2006 is legally not valid and contrary to the judgment dated 26.9.2003 in W.P.No.12715/2002. He has, therefore, requested to withdraw the same so that the students of the petitioners institution who obtained diplomas in pursuance of the High Court orders can get themselves registered under the provisions of the Andhra Pradesh Para Medical Board Act, 2006
- 3. The Commissioner, Employment & Training, Hyderabad vide reference 4th cited has clarified that the candidates qualified in Diploma in Public Health and Sanitation may register in the Employment Exchanges after registration in A.P.Para Medical Board under Act No.38/2006.
- In G.O.Ms.No.600, Health, Medical and Family Welfare (J2) Department 4. dated.18.11.1994, the Government have issued orders recognizing the Diploma in Public Health and Sanitation Technology being awarded by the Board of Examination, College of Medical Technology, Ongole, for the purpose of appointment to the posts of Multipurpose Health Assistants in the State of A.P. by amending the G.O.Ms.No.273, Health, Medical and Family Welfare (H1) Department dt.24.4.1989. Subsequently, Government have issued orders in G.O.Ms.No.277, Health, Medical and Family Welfare (J2) Department dt.5.7.2002 cancelling the orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.600, dt.18.11.1994 and orders were also issued amending the special rules deleting the certificate of Public Health being awarded by the said College vide and Sanitation Technology G.O.Ms.No.278, Health, Medical and Family Welfare (J2) Department dt.5.7.2002. Aggrieved by this, the Institution has filed W.P.No.12715/2002 and W.P.No.4252/ 2003 for quashing the said G.Os.

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- 5. The Hon'ble High Court while disposing the above W.P.s by its common judgment dated 26.9.2003 has given liberty to the petitioner-Institute to continue the diploma course even after the rule is amended and conduct training courses and issue diploma certificates to the candidates as there is no prohibition under any statute and further observed that the order does not preclude the Government from reconsidering the matter and include Diploma Certificates in Public Health & Sanitation Technology issued by the petitioner for the post of Multi Purpose Health Assistant (Male & Female) on the petitioner-college complying with the further terms and conditions as the Government may think necessary for the said purpose. After examining, the entire issue pertaining to the College of Medical Technology, Ongole, has been referred vide Govt.Lr.No.34078/ J2/1997-68, dated 10.11.2008 to the Secretary, A.P.Para Medical Board, Hyderabad with a request to take appropriate action as per the provisions contained in A.P.Para Medical Board Act, 2006.
- 6. The Government reviewed the entire issue in consultation with the Law Department and hereby rescind the Govt.Memo.No.2740/J2/2006-1, dated 10.7.2006 as it runs against the Hon'ble High Court disposal.

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