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MINUTES OF THE 19<sup>TH</sup> COUNCIL MEETING (9<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF THE 2<sup>ND</sup> REGULAR COUNCIL) OF THE ARUNACHAL PRADESH MEDICAL COUNCIL HELD AT HOTEL ACHI AMA, NAHARLAGUN ON 23<sup>TH</sup> JUNE (FRIDAY), 2017 AT 1100 HRS.

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**The following were present :-**

1. **Dr. Emi Rumi** - Chairman (Member)  
Jt. Director Health Services (P&D)  
Directorate of Health Services, Naharlagun, A.P
2. **Dr. Moji Jini** - Member  
Director Medical Education, T&R  
Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Naharlagun
3. **Dr. M. Lego** - Member  
Director Family Welfare  
Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh, Naharlagun
4. **Dr. Hage Tam** - Member  
Rtd. Jt. Director Health Services (Leprosy)  
Directorate of Health Services, Naharlagun, A.P
5. **Dr. Bombei Tayeng (Toko)** - Member  
Gynaecologist,  
Tomo Riba Institute of Health & Medical Sciences  
Naharlagun
6. **Dr. Nabam Budh** - Member  
Deputy Director of Health Services (SBTC) &  
Nodal Officer, Blood Cell  
Directorate of Health Services, Naharlagun, A.P.

**In Attendance:-**

1. **Dr. Mika Umpo** -Registrar cum Secretary, APMC

Dr. Mika Umpo, Registrar cum Secretary, APMC welcomed all Members present in the meeting. He informed the house that Dr. Allok Yirang, Vice President, APMC and Dr. R. Doye, Member, APMC communicated telephonically that due to urgent Govt. assigned duties they were unable to attend the APMC meeting. Registrar cum Secretary requested members present to elect a Chairperson among them for conduct of business of meeting as per rule 8 of the Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council Rules, 2006. The members present elected Dr. Emi Rumi as the Chairperson of the meeting. Thereafter, Secretary tabled the Agenda Items before the house which were brought in the business list for deliberation and requested the Chairperson to preside over the meeting.



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### **Agenda Item-2 :**

**Welcome of 2 (two) newly inducted ex-Officio members of the Council –Dr. M. Lego, DFW & Dr. Moji Jini, DME, T&R and felicitation to Dr. Moji Jini in recognition of his contribution to Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council in the capacity of first Registrar cum Secretary (2005-2015).**

Chairperson welcomed Dr. Moji Jini, Director Medical Education, T&R, A.P and Dr. Mormor Lego, Director Family Welfare, A.P as ex-officio member of the Council by virtue of posts. Dr. Emi Rumi on behalf of the Council felicitated Dr. Moji Jini with a memento in recognition of his valuable contribution for establishment of the Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council being the first Registrar cum Secretary of APMC for ten years from January 5, 2005 to November 16, 2015. Dr. Jini accepted and thanked the Council for recognition with his words, *“I am touched”*.

### **Agenda Item-3 :**

**Appraisal of Activities & Action taken of the resolutions adopted in the 18<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting (8<sup>th</sup> meeting of 2<sup>nd</sup> Regular Council) held on 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2017– By Registrar-cum-Secretary, APMC.**

The Chairperson took Agenda Item No.3 which was in the business list of the meeting and requested the Registrar cum Secretary to place Activities and Action Taken Report of the resolutions adopted in the 18<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting held on 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.

Secretary with due permission from the Chair briefed activities taken up by APMC & appraised of action taken of the resolutions adopted in the 18<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting as –

#### **1. Activities taken up by APMC:**

- (i) Pursued the Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council (Amendment) Bill, 2017 laid in the Legislative Assembly and accordingly the Arunachal Pradesh Sixth Legislative Assembly on 8th March, 2017 passed the Bill and His Excellency Governor of Arunachal Pradesh assent the Bill on 28/04/2017. After assent, the Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council (Amendment) Act, 2017 enacted and notified in the Arunachal Pradesh Gazette (Extraordinary) on May 5, 2017.
- (ii) List of doctors registered with Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2016 to 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2017 published in Arunachal Pradesh Gazette (Extraordinary) for general information.
- (iii) One Shri Rajendra Prasad Jayaswal from Uttar Pradesh applied for registration and on verification of the supportive medical degree documents as submitted by him with Geetanjali Medical College, Udaipur, Rajasthan, it was found the documents were fake as communicated by the Dean of the said Medical College; and accordingly FIR was filed at Naharlagun Police Station and the person was trapped and a booked by the I/O of the case on 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2017.



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- (iv) Since 18<sup>th</sup> Council meeting, the APMC had accredited CME credit hours to total of 04 CMEs conducted by IMA-AP branch and 01 CME conducted by DME, T&R, A.P.
- (v) The Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council expenditure audited and Audited Statement of Account & Utilization certificate for the financial year 2016-17 placed before the members.

## **2. Appraisal of Action taken of the resolutions adopted in the 18<sup>th</sup> Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council Meeting**

- i. The APMC strictly adhering to implementation of Delhi High Court Order dated 08/04/2016 in W.P. (C)No.7865/2010 with regard to stop other system of Medicine to practice Modern Scientific System of Medicine. Copy of the High Court Order was widely circulated to all concerned.
- ii. As resolved vide Agenda Item No. 4, The Deptt. File No. Mest-2016/181 was returned to Dept. concerned with the NS remark and copy of minutes that 04 (four) posts of Epidemiologist created by the Ministry of Health & F.W, Govt. of A.P vide order No.MDEV-39/14 of dated 13/4/2016 be taken as Public Health Specialist post under Specialist Sub Cadre of APHS as Epidemiologist is a promotional post under APHS from Public Health Specialist post.

Chairperson then requested members to get clarification from Registrar cum Secretary, APMC, if any require, pertaining to Council office activities and action taken report placed by the Registrar cum Secretary, APMC.

Dr. Nabam Budh, Member sought clarification from Registrar cum Secretary, APMC about the status of unregistered doctors practicing in the State and what action initiated against them.

Registrar cum Secretary informed that the APMC communicated the list of unregistered Govt. doctors of the State to the Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh and accordingly the State Govt. issued notice to all defaulters. And at present, 14 doctors in Govt. services are yet to register their medical qualification(s) as per the list provided earlier by the Establishment Branch of the Directorate of Health Services. In context to private medical practitioners is concerned, it is difficult to figure out how many are practicing in the State without APMC registration till verification of various places of the State done. However, Council from time to time published Notice in local newspaper directing medical practitioners (allopath) to register their medical qualification which is mandatory under Section 8(d) of the Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council Act, 2004 and Rule 24 (2) of the Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council Rules, 2006 to practice in the State. The same is also communicated to all Deputy Commissioners of the State so to ensure no unregistered doctors practice under their jurisdiction. Secretary also mentioned that the Council requested the A.P IMA Branch to made registration number of APMC a mandatory field while taking attendance of participants of CME programmes conducted by them and accordingly they complied of which in turn help to find out the numbers of unregistered doctors as one source of data. And as per the last CME participants list provided by AP IMA Branch made it possible to find out a physician practicing in the State having MCI registration, however, while



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communicated to him he assured to register in the State also at the earliest.

Dr. Bombei Tayeng (Toko) suggested that the data of private practitioners may be collected from the Clinical Establishment Branch of the Directorate of Health Services as it is now mandatory to register all clinical establishments in the State under the Clinical Establishment (Registration and Regulation) Act, 2010.

**Council approved the activities and action taken by the office.**

**Action: Registrar cum Secretary, APMC**

#### **Agenda Item-4 :**

**Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council (Amendment) Act, 2017 (At no. 5 of 2017). Council's further decision thereof.**

The members of the Council discussed relating to the Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council (Amendment) Act, 2017 ; and as per the new amendment, Director Medical Education, T&R , A.P and Director Family Welfare, A.P are the new members of the Council (ex-officio) and two more members need to be elected from registered doctors of the State Register of the Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council. The President and Vice President of the Council shall be elected by the members.

The Council resolved that till such time election process completed and two more members get elected and having complete composition of the Council, in the interim, Dr. Moji Jini, DME, T&R, A.P would function as the President, APMC and Dr. Allok Yirang as the Vice President, APMC. This resolution adopted with voice vote.

**Action: Registrar cum Secretary, APMC**

#### **Agenda Item 5 :**

**Council's Stand on MCI Regulation 1.5 of the IMC (Professional Conduct, Etiquette and Ethics) amendment 2016: "Prescription of GENERIC MEDICINE legibly, preferably in CAPITAL LETTERS."**

The Council gone through all documents pertaining to Generic medicine and MCI regulation clause 1.5 of the India Medical Council (Professional conduct, etiquette and ethics) (Amendment) Regulation,- Part -I" 2016 which read as " Every physician should prescribe drugs with generic names legibly and preferable in capital letters and he/ she shall ensure that there is a rational prescription and use of drugs".

Dr . Hage Tam mentioned that the Govt. needs to ensure generic drugs available at various outlets and monitoring should be done by the Govt. and thereby any physicians found failing to comply prescribing generic drugs then disciplinary action would be undertaken by the Council.

Dr. Jini further adding to that requested Dr. Mika Umpo, Registrar cum Secretary, APMC to create awareness through social media among fellow physicians about the myth of lack of efficacy of generic drugs which construed by many physicians.

The Council appreciated the Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh order to this effect and for making generic drugs available at nominal cost at various Jan Aushadhi outlets in the State.



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After having threadbare discussion, the Council resolved to endorse the MCI's Notification dated 21<sup>st</sup> September, 2016 unanimously. And any doctor found violating the clause 1.5 of ethics regulation, suitable disciplinary action would be undertaken by the Council.

**Action : Registrar cum Secretary, APMC**

**Agenda Item 6 :**

**Any other items raised by the Members and approved by Chairman for discussion (if any).**

**(i) Seeking any MCI guidelines for maintaining distance between Clinical Establishment & Pharmacy – by Dr. Bombei Tayeng (Toko), Member, APMC.**

Dr. Bombei Tayeng (Toko) sought guidelines if any, issued by MCI for maintaining distance between Clinical Establishment and Pharmacy as there are lots of Pharmacy in the State adjacent to many hospitals/ Nursing Homes/ Private practitioners clinics.

The Registrar cum Secretary, APMC informed that he has not come across or received any guidelines from Medical Council of India with regard to maintaining distance between Clinical Establishment & Pharmacy. However, he ensured the honourable Member to disseminate if such guidelines received or came to his knowledge.

**(ii) Sex determination test –Dr. M. Lego, Member, APMC**

Dr. Lego placed a copy of IMA Resolution to Fight against Sex Selection as resolved in 81<sup>st</sup> meeting of the Central Council of IMA held on 27<sup>th</sup> December, 2006 at S.R.K. Memorial Hall, Dr. AKN Sinha Nagar, Patna and therefore Dr. Lego sought the opinion of the Council and its role. In this regard, Chairman informed that physicians are to act in accordance with existing the Pre-Conception and Pre-Natal Diagnostic Techniques (Prohibition of Sex Selection) Act, 1994 and PCPNDT Rules, 2012 (amended from time to time); and failing to comply by physicians would invite disciplinary proceeding. Adding to that Dr. Mika Umpo, Registrar cum Secretary mentioned that Govt. of A.P constituted the State Inspection & Monitoring Committee in connection with effective implementation of PCPNDT Act, 1994 of which President/ Secretary, A.P Medical Council is the Member.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks offered to the Chairperson of the 19<sup>th</sup> Council meeting & Members of APMC by the Registrar cum Secretary, APMC. He mentioned that the discussion was very constructive.

**( Dr. Mika Umpo )**  
Registrar-cum-Secretary,  
Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council,  
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**Approved by :-**

**(Dr. Moji Jini)**  
President,  
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Dated Naharlagun, the 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 2017.

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