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The Registered Medical Practitioners of all streams of Medicine (Allopathy, Dental and AYUSH etc) and general public are hereby cautioned and advised as follows:

As per Section 35 and 37 of the National Medical Commission (NMC) Act, 2019 (the relevant provisions of which are extracted below for ready reference):

Section 35

(1) *The medical qualification granted by any University or medical institution in India shall be listed and maintained by the Under-Graduate Medical Education Board or the Post-Graduate Medical Education Board, as the case may be, in such manner as may be specified by the regulations and such medical qualification shall be a recognised medical qualification for the purposes of this Act.*

(2) *Any University or medical institution in India which grants an undergraduate or postgraduate or super-speciality medical qualification not included in the list maintained by the Under-Graduate Medical Education Board or the Post-Graduate Medical Education Board, as the case may be, may apply to that Board for granting recognition to such qualification.*

(4) *Where the Under-Graduate Medical Education Board or the Post-Graduate Medical Education Board, as the case may be, decides to grant recognition to a medical qualification, it shall include such medical qualification in the list maintained by it and also specify the date of effect of such recognition.*

(8) *All medical qualifications which have been recognized before the date of commencement of this Act and are included in the First Schedule and Part I of the Third Schedule to the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 (102 of 1956), shall also be recognized medical qualifications for the purposes of this Act, and shall be listed and maintained by the Under-Graduate Medical Education Board or the Post-Graduate Medical Education Board, as the case may be, in such manner as may be specified by the regulations.*

Section 37

(1) *The medical qualifications granted by any statutory or other body in India which are covered by the categories listed in the Schedule shall be recognised medical qualifications for the purposes of this Act.*

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(3) The Central Government may, on the recommendation of the Commission, and having regard to the objects of this Act, by notification, add to, or, as the case may be, omit from, the Schedule any categories of medical qualifications granted by a statutory or other body in India and on such addition, or as the case may be, omission, the medical qualifications granted by such statutory or other body in India shall be, or shall cease to be, recognized medical qualifications for the purposes of this Act.

From the above, it is evident that:

- A. A MODERN SCIENTIFIC MEDICINE qualification will be recognised only if it is listed and maintained by the Under-Graduate Medical Education Board, NMC or the Post-Graduate Medical Education Board, NMC.
- B. Any undergraduate or postgraduate or super-speciality or fellowship MODERN SCIENTIFIC MEDICINE qualification is invalid if it is not included in the list maintained by the Under-Graduate Medical Education Board, NMC or the Post-Graduate Medical Education Board, NMC.
- C. Where the Under-Graduate Medical Education Board, NMC or the Post-Graduate Medical Education Board, NMC, decides to grant recognition to a medical qualification, then it shall include such medical qualification in the list maintained by NMC.
- D. The medical qualifications granted by any statutory or other body in India which are covered by the categories listed in the Schedule alone shall be recognised medical qualifications.
- E. The Central Government may, by notification, add to, or, omit from, the Schedule any categories of medical qualifications granted by a statutory or other body in India and on such addition, or omission, the medical qualifications granted by such statutory or other body in India shall be, or shall cease to be, recognized medical qualifications for the purposes of this Act.

In view of the above, any purported MODERN SCIENTIFIC MEDICINE Diploma / Fellowship training and certification programs offered by self styled and unrecognized facilities such as Council of Cosmetology, Tricology, Regenerative and Aesthetic Sciences of India (COCTRASI), Institute of Laser and Aesthetic Medicine (ILAMED), Asian Institute of Advanced Dentistry (AIAD) etc., (the aforesaid list of unrecognized facilities is only illustrative and not exhaustive) have absolutely no recognition whatsoever. Consequently, such unrecognized Diploma / Fellowship training and certification programs are futile and are nothing but a colossal waste of his / her own time, effort and money. It is further made clear that, any person who obtains training and certification from such unrecognized facilities will be doing so at his



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/ her own peril and expense. Further, if it is found that any person after obtaining such unrecognized certification is found to be advertising and displaying such certification and / or is found to be practicing modern medicine on the basis of such certification in the State of Telangana then such person will face strict legal action from the Telangana Medical Council as per Indian Medical Council (Professional Conduct, Etiquette and Ethics) Regulations, 2002, Section 20 and 22 of Telangana Medical Practitioners Registration Act, 1968, Section 34 r/w 54 of National Medical Commission Act, 2019, whichever is applicable.

PLEASE BE AWARE AND INFORMED ACCORDINGLY.



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