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No. RGUHSB/RRAC/AUTH(MEET)/12/199SYN/2025

Date: 04.04.2025

NOTIFICATION

Sub: Revised Ordinances Governing valuations for the MBBS students admitted during or before academic year 2018-19 (RS-3 Scheme) - Reg.

1. RGU/Auth/24th Con/Synd/04/2022-23, Dtd: 05.09.2022. Ref:

- 2. RGU/Auth/ 25thCon/Syn/16/2023-24, Dtd: 13.06.2023.
- 3. RGU/Exam/Med/RS-3/Eva/2023-24, Dtd:06.07.2023.
- 4. RGU/Exam/PRE/MED/NMC/CC/013/2024-25, dtd: 08.01.2025.
- 5. Letter from NMC No. U015(29)/3/2025-UGMEB-NMC, dtd 12.02.2025.
- 6. Committee of Academic Council (CAC) decision in its meeting held on 10.03.2025.
- 7. Syndicate decision in its 199th meeting held on 01.04.2025.

Preamble:-

The University ordinance vide Ref. No. (1), was implemented for all Under Graduate Courses of University including MBBS RS-3 & RS-4 batch of students wherein, a single general evaluation followed by another evaluation was done for all the theory answer booklets.

Subsequently, an amendment vide Ref. No. (2), the RS-3 batch of students were relegated from the previous notification vide Ref. No. (1). Further, as per the orders of Hon'ble High Court in various writ petitions, the University issued a notification vide Ref. No. (3), wherein four valuations for the theory answer scripts was introduced for the students of RS-3 batch only.

Many students of RS-3 batch approached the University, stating the disparity in the evaluation system of the MBBS students belonging to RS-3 and RS-4 batch. Hence, the university sought a clarification from National Medical Commission (NMC) regarding the number of valuations applicable to RS3 students, by the University, vide Ref. No. (4).

The NMC, vide Ref (5), clarified regarding the valuation for RS-3 students

> "It is informed that the existing regulations, guidelines and acts issued by the NMC do not specify the number of valuations or the

process for valuing theory answer scripts. The current regulations only address the appointment of examiners, with no mention of the number of valuations. Therefore, the university may proceed as deemed appropriate, ensuring that no student is disadvantaged while maintain the quality of medical education".

Whereas, the request of the students of RS-3 batch of students and the reply letter of the National Medical Commission were placed before the Committee of Academic Council (CAC) held on 10.03.2025. The CAC vide Ref. No. (6), recommended the adoption of the Ordinance/Notification Governing the Valuation of Theory Answer Scripts dated 05.09.2022 for RS3 students (admitted on or before 2018-19 academic year) and the repeal of the Notification dated 06.07.2023, vide Ref. No. (3).

Whereas, the Syndicate, in its 199th meeting held on 01.04.2025, approved the recommendations of the CAC, vide Ref. No. (4).

Accordingly, the valuation procedure for MBBS RS-3 batch of students admitted during or before the academic year 2018-19 is revised and notified as follows:

ORDINANCE GOVERNING VALUATION OF THEORY ANSWER SCRIPTS OF MBBS RS3 SCHEME DATED: 04.04.2025

In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 35(1) of the RGUHS Act, 1994, and in supersession of all previous notifications, circulars, and ordinances governing the valuation of theory answer scripts for RS3 Students, the Syndicate, in its 199th meeting held on 01.04.2025, has promulgated the following ordinance.

1. TITLE AND COMMENCEMENT:

This ordinance shall be called "Revised Ordinances Governing valuations of Theory answer booklets for the MBBS students, admitted during or before the academic year 2018-19 (RS-3 Scheme)"

This ordinance shall come into effect from the examinations conducted on or after 01.04.2025 for the RS-3 batch of MBBS students.

2. APPLICABILITY:

This ordinance shall apply to the evaluation of theory answer scripts of MBBS RS-3 scheme students (admitted during or before Academic Year 2018-19). This ordinance does not apply to viva-voce, clinical, or practical examinations.

3. DEFINITIONS:

a) General Valuation: Means evaluation conducted by the first eligible examiner of the respective faculties through the digital valuation system.

b) Re-evaluation: Means evaluation conducted by the second eligible examiners of the respective faculties through the digital valuation system.

4. PROCEDURE FOR VALUATION:

- a) All answer scripts of MBBS RS3 scheme students shall undergo: General Valuation by the first eligible examiner & Re-evaluation by the second eligible examiner.
- b) Both evaluations shall be conducted through the digital valuation system before the computation of results.

5. PROCEDURE FOR COMPUTATION OF RESULTS:

- a) The highest total marks awarded by either of the two evaluators shall be considered for the Computation and declaration of the result.
- b) If decimal values arise in the individual total marks awarded by an examiner, they shall be rounded off to the next higher value for result computation.
- c) After the computation and declaration of the results, under no circumstances, revaluation is permitted.
- 6. REPEAL: The University notification RGU/Exam/Med/RS-3/Eva/2023-24 dated 06.07.2023 is hereby repealed.

By Order

(Approved in eoffice No. 92718)

REGISTRAR

To,

The Principals of Medical Colleges affiliated to RGUHS.

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