No. DE-22-BDS(Academic)-2020/3181 Dated the 3rd November, 2020

To

The Principal of all self financed dental colleges for strict compliance

Sub: Advisory on non-payment of salary during the period of Covid-19 from 01.01.2020 to till date and furnishing of Bank Statement reflecting the details of salary paid to the staff of a dental college from January 2020 to till date to this council— Regarding.

Sir/Madam,

In continuation of this Council’s circular No.DE-22-BDS(Academic)-2020/21042020 dated 21.04.2020 and subsequent reminders dated 18.06.2020 and 07.10.2020, on non-payment of salary to teaching faculty/staff working in dental colleges during lockdown period, I am further directed to say that the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare in its letter dated 18.06.2020 has already also directed Chief Secretaries of all the States and UTs in terms of the order dated 17.06.2020 passed by the Hon’ble Supreme Court in Writ Petition No. 759/2020 for payment of salaries of doctors and health workers during the period of Covid-19 on time. Further, it was also stated that “non-compliance of which will be treated as an offence under the Disaster Management Act read with the Indian Penal Code and action taken accordingly against defaulting hospitals/institutions/authorities”.

2. Accordingly, I am further directed to request all the dental colleges to ensure the payment salaries of their doctors and all Health Workers on time and their quarantine period has not been treated as leave.

3. Further, I am directed to once again request the Principal of all self financed dental colleges to strictly comply with the advisory and instructions issued by the Central Government and also to furnish the bank statement reflecting the details of salary paid to the staff of a dental college from January 2020 to till date to this council.

This issues with the prior approval of the Executive Committee in its meeting held on 02.11.2020.

Yours faithfully

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