No. DE-22-BDS(Academic)-2020/ 2415

Dated the 7th October, 2020

To

The Principal of all self financed dental colleges for strict compliance

Sub: No salary and regular payment to the faculties working in the self-financed dental colleges during lockdown period due to COVID-19 – Regarding.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to say that as per advisory issued by the Ministry of Labour & Employment, Govt. of India, New Delhi, your institutions has to extend your coordination and contribute to the national cause by not cutting/deducting salaries of any faculty/staff working in the colleges and to ensure regular on-time payments during hour of need, during the COVID-19 pandemic.

In this connection, I am directed to say that the DCI already vide letter dated 21.4.2020 and subsequently on 18.6.2020 requested you to kindly not to cut the salary of the staff during the pandemic but still, the DCI is receiving number of representations about cutting their salaries during the Covid-19 pandemic. The same has also been noticed by the Executive Committee of the DCI held on 2.09.2020.

With the above and as per decision of the Executive Committee, I am directed to again request you to not to cut the salary of the staff and furnish the bank statement of all the faculty/staff working in the institutions for the last six months reflecting their name and post, within 15 days, positively, failing which, necessary action shall be taken against the institutions under the provision of the Dentists Act, 1948 and regulations made thereunder.

Yours faithfully

(Alka Mehta)
Deputy Secretary
Dental Council of India

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