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DIRECTOR &  
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RAJYA SABHA SECRETARIAT  
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No. RS.12/1/2011-Com.(H&FW)


July 20, 2011

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject : Representation from Joint Forum of Medical Technologists of India.**

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith a copy of self-contained representation addressed to the Chairman, Parliamentary Standing Committee on Health and Family Welfare, received from the Joint Forum of Medical Technologists of India pertaining to their grievances.

The Department of Health and Family Welfare is requested to furnish its comments on the issues raised in the above representation as also the remedial steps taken in the matter by the 5<sup>th</sup> August, 2011 for consideration of the Committee.

  
(R.B. Gupta)

**Director  
&  
Welfare Officer**

The Ministry of Health & Family Welfare  
Department of Health & Family Welfare  
(Shri K. Chandramauli, Secretary)  
Government of India  
Nirman Bhawan,  
New Delhi

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RS.No.12/1/2011-Com.(H&FW)

Dated the 18<sup>th</sup> October, 2011

From

Arpana Mendiratta,  
Joint Director

To

Shri Kaptan Singh Sehrawat,  
General Secretary'  
Joint Forum of Medical Technologists of India  
Room No. 233, Kalawati Saran Children's Hospital,  
Bangla Sahib Marg,  
New Delhi-110001

**Sub: Representation from Joint Forum of Medical Technologists of India, New Delhi.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your representation dated 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2011 on the subject mentioned above and to state that the matter was taken up with the Department of Health and Family Welfare, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare to seek their comments on the issues raised in your representation. A copy of the comments, as received from Department of Health and Family Welfare, is sent herewith for your information.

Yours faithfully,



(ARPANA MENDIRATTA)

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Committee on Health &  
Family Welfare  
Dy. No. 214  
Date 11/9/11

No. H-11019/02/2011-PMS  
Government of India  
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare  
(PMS Section)

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi-11  
Dated the 3 September 2011


**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject: - Reference received from Rajya Sabha Secretariat regarding representation from Joint Forum of Medical Technologists -regarding.**

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The undersigned has been directed to refer to OM No. RS.12/1/2011-Com (H&FW) dated 20.07.2011 received from Rajya Sabha Secretariat on the subject cited above and to provide the following information w. r. t. issues raised by Joint Forum of Medical Technologists of India: -

- i. **Request for setting up of Central Statutory Council for Medical Technologists:** A bill namely 'Paramedical and Physiotherapy Central Councils Bill, 2007' was introduced in Lok Sabha on 04.12.2007, which stands lapsed due to the dissolution of 14<sup>th</sup> Lok Sabha. In the meanwhile the bill has been kept in abeyance in view that this Ministry is considering setting up of a National Commission for Human Resources in Health (NCHRH), an overarching regulatory body subsuming all professional bodies in health sector like MCI, DCI, INC etc. which includes paramedical streams like medical laboratory technology also.
- ii. **Upgradation and uniformity in pay scales of Medical Laboratory Staff:** The matter of upgradation and uniformity in pay scales of Medical Laboratory Staff is under consideration in consultation with Department of Expenditure.
- iii. **Constitution of a High Power Committee for Cadre Review of Medical Laboratory Staff:** The issue of formation of high power committee for cadre review of medical laboratory technicians is under consideration in this Ministry in consultation with DGHS.
- iv. **Continuation and enhancement of Patient Care Allowance:** MH Division, DGHS who is dealing with issues related to Patient Care Allowance, has been requested to intimate their comments along with remedial steps taken, which will be sent ~~on receipt~~ soon.

  
(Aparna Sharma)  
Director  
Ph: 23061669

To

Rajya Sabha Secretariat,  
(Kind Attn: Sh. R. B. Gupta, Director & Welfare Officer)  
Parliament House/Annexe, New Delhi-1



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14<sup>th</sup> October, 2011

Sh. Debasish Panda,  
Joint Secretary,  
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare,  
Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi.

Dear Debasish Panda,

A delegation of Joint Forum of Medical Technologists of India (JFMTI) met me and requested to consider some important issues raised by them.

In my viewpoint, the issues raised by the JFMTI delegation are genuine which are long pending with DGHS/Ministry of Health & FW; need to be redressed on priority. I have come to know that there are some important cadres of the allied health professionals who have been deprived of their due rights since a petty long time. It is needless to mention that these cadres play a pivotal role in diagnosis and treatment of disease.

The issues raised by them are as under:

1. Early enactment of NCHRH Bill for constitution of Central Statutory Council.
2. Uniformity and upgradation of Pay-Scales of Medical Laboratory Technical Staff.
3. Constituting a High Power Committee for Cadre review of all Allied Health Professionals/Paramedical Staff.
4. Doubling of Patient Care Allowance (PCA) at par with nursing allowance.
5. Considering JFMTI submission on proposed NIAHS Project.

I request you to call a meeting of representatives of JFMTI (Ref. by Shri Kaptan Singh Sehrawat, General Secretary, JFMTI- Ph. 9968256365) for detail discussion and please put your all efforts to settle these long pending issues.

Yours sincerely,

(Dr. Sanjay Jaiswal)

BY HAND  
MOST IMMEDIATE

F. No. A-28011/01/2009-PMS  
Government of India  
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi-11  
Dated the 09th February 2009

**MEETING NOTICE**

**Subject: Notice received from Joint Forum of Medical Laboratory Technical Staff regarding agitation and work boycott-reg.**

A meeting has been scheduled under chairmanship of Mrs. Shalini Prashad, Joint Secretary on 09.02.2009 at 03.00 PM in her chamber (144 'A', Nirman Bhawan) to discuss the demands of Joint Forum of Medical Laboratory Staff -reg.

2. All are requested to make it convenient to attend the meeting.

  
(C. S. Mishra)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

To: -

- ✓ 1. Shri Kaptan Singh Sehrawat, Convener, Joint Forum of Medical Lab Technical Staff, Kalawati Hospital Workers Union, Kalawati Saran Children's Hospital, Bangla Sahib Marg, New Delhi-1.
2. Dr. L. Sonar, DDG (P), Dte. GHS.

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