

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Technical Education - EAMCET Engineering and other Professional Courses admissions - Implementation of reservations for SC/ST/BC's in Engineering and other professional courses - Certain instructions - Issued.

HIGHER EDUCATION(EC.2)DEPARTMENT

G.O.RL.No.550,

Dated:30-07-2001
Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.184 Edn. dt.20-08-1993.
2. Supreme Court order dt.15-2-1996 in W.P. (C) No. 693 of 1995
3. A.P. High Court Order dt.23-2-2000 in W.P.No.26404 of 1999 & W.A.No.795 of 2000 & Batch.
4. From the CTE., AP., Hyd. Letter No.H2/8216/2001 Dt. 6-6-2001.

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ORDER:-

The Commissioner of Technical Education, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad is informed that the issue of implementing reservations to Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes/Backward Classes in Engineering Admissions has been examined in detail in the light of the judgement of the Supreme Court in Ritesh R. Shah Vs Dr.Y.L.Yamul AIR 1996 SC 1378 which was relied by the High Court of Andhra Pradesh in its judgement, dated 23-2-2000 in W.P.No. 26404 of 1999 & W.A.No. 795/2000 and batch and also in consultation with Backward Classes Welfare Department. The Legislature Committee on Welfare of Backward Classes, in its meeting held on 24-01-2001 has also discussed about the procedure adopted for the implementation of Backward Classes reservations for admission in Engineering Colleges and other professional courses and observed that the same procedure be adopted as followed in the admissions in the M.B.B.S. course. Besides this, there are certain representations from Backward Classes Welfare Association requesting to follow the judgement of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Ritesh Shah's case in Engineering admissions and to implement the rule of reservation for Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe/Backward Classes in true spirit.

2. The Andhra Pradesh Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admission into Under-graduate Professional courses through Common Entrance Test) Rules, 1993 issued in G.O.Ms.No. 184 Education dated 20-08-1993 stipulate the following reservations, namely:-

- (i) SC's 15%
- (ii) ST's 6%
- (iii) BC's 25% and shall be allocated among the four groups of Backward Classes as follows:-
 - i) Group A - 7 %
 - ii) Group B - 10%
 - iii) Group C - 1%
 - iv) Group D - 7%

3. In the case of 'Ritesh R.Shah Vs. Dr.Y.L.Yamul and others' (A.I.R. 1996 S.C. 1378) the Supreme Court held as follows:-

"A student who is entitled to be admitted on the basis of merit though belonging to a reserved category cannot be considered to be admitted against seats reserved for reserved category. But at the same time the provisions should be so made that it will not work out to the disadvantage of such candidate and he may not be placed at a more disadvantageous position than the other less meritorious reserved category candidates. The aforesaid objective can be achieved if after finding out the candidates from amongst the reserved category who would otherwise come in the open merit list and then asking their option for admission into the different colleges which have been kept reserved for reserved category and there after the cases of less meritorious reserved category candidates should be considered and they will be allotted seats in whichever colleges the seats should be available." In other words, while a reserved category candidate entitled to admission on the basis of his merit will have the option of taking admission in the colleges where a specified number of seats have been kept reserved for reserved category but while computing the percentage of reservation he will be deemed to have been admitted as an open category candidate and not as a reserved category candidate".

4. Keeping in view of the judgement of the Supreme Court, the High Court in its order dated 23.2.2000 in batch of W.P. Nos. including Contd..3..

W.P.No. 26404 of 1999 and W.A.No. 795 of 1999 relating to MBBS admissions made by the NTR University of Health Sciences has ordered to fix the meritorious SC, ST & BC category students strictly in order of merit for the general seats adhering to the principles laid down by the Supreme Court in the Ritesh R. Shah's Case and accommodate meritorious students belonging to Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe and Backward Classes students by deleting the other students allotted in the open competition from the list and resultant equal number of vacancies shall be filled up by drawing the other meritorious candidates belonging to Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe and Backward Classes communities who will be next eligible. Therefore it is clear that the resultant vacancies shall be filled by the students belonging to the respective reservation categories only.

5 After careful consideration and due examination of the issue relating to implementation of reservation for Schedule Caste/Schedule Tribe and Backward Classes in Engineering and other Professional Courses the following instructions are hereby issued.

- (i) In the counselling process, the seats to be filled by open competition should be filled up first, wherein the candidates should be called for counselling based on merit alone irrespective of whether they belong to S.C., ST or B.C in accordance with the instructions issued by the Government in G.O.Ms.No. 996, Employment & Social Welfare, dated: 11th November, 1975.
- (ii) Next, reservation categories like SC/ST/BC candidates will be counselled to fill up the seats earmarked for them in their respective categories. During this process, if a candidate belonging to Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe/Backward Classes who had taken admission under open competition, opts for a better branch or a better college of his choice for which he or she would be eligible as per the rules of reservation, the seat vacated by him or her in open competition shall be filled with a candidate from the same reservation category only, in order of merit.

6. Necessary amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions into Under-Graduate Professional Courses through Common Entrance Test) Rules, 1993 issued in G.O.Ms.No.184, Education dt.20-8-1993 shall be issued separately.

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7. The Commissioner of Technical Education, Andhra Pradesh/ the Chairman, A.P. State Council for Higher Education shall take further action to follow the above instructions in implementing the rule of reservation to SC/ST/BCs in admissions of Engineering, B.Arch., B.Pharmacy and other professional courses through Common Entrance tests. The Commissioner of Technical Education shall send necessary proposals for amendment of the said rules at the earliest.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G.SUDHIR,

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

- ✓ The Commissioner of Technical Education, A.P., Hyderabad.
- Copy to the Chairman, A.P. State Council for Higher Education, A.P., Hyderabad. For information and immediate necessary action.
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//Forwarded by Order//

V. Venkatesh Kumar
SECTION OFFICER

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Andhra Pradesh Medical Colleges (Admission into Post Graduate Medical Courses) Rules, 1997 -
Implementation of Rule of Reservation - Modified - Orders - Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (E2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 44

Date: 25-02-2005

Read the following:

- 1) G.O.Ms.No.453, GAD (SPF-B) dt.3-7-1974
- 2) G.O.Ms.No.996, E&S.W.Dept., dt.11-11-1975
- 3) G.O.P.No.646, Education(W1) Department,dt.10-7-1979
- 4) G.O.Ms.653, dt.29-11-1988
- 5) G.O.Ms.No.260, HM&FW (E2) Dept., dt.10-7-1997.
- 6) G.O.Ms.No.335, HM&FW (E2) Dept., dt.12-10-2000
- 7) G.O.Ms.No.279, HM&FW (E2) Dept., dt.09-07-2001
- 8) G.O.Ms.No.284, HM&FW (E2) Dept., dt.18-07-2001.
- 9) G.O.Ms.No.550, Higher Education (EC.2) Dept., dt.30-7-2001.
- 10) G.O.Ms.No.467, HM&FW (E2) Dept., dt.12-12-2002.
- 11) G.O.Ms.No.154, HM&FW (E2) Dept., dt.12-05-2003.
- 12) G.O.Ms.No.518, HE (YE.II) Dept., dt.1-7-2003.
- 13) G.O.Ms.No.719, HM&FW (E2) Dept., dt.16-12-2003.
- 14) G.O.Ms.No.14, HM&FW (E2) Dept., dt.17-01-2004.
- 15) G.O.Ms.No.91, SW (CV1) Dept., dt.23-12-2004.

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ORDER:

In order to ensure that the Rule of Reservation is observed strictly in making admissions to Post Graduate courses in NTR University of Health Sciences, the Government have decided to evolve a comprehensive procedure for filling up of seats in Post Graduate Medical Courses which also involves stiff competition because of courses and seats being limited, etc. The procedure has been evolved based on the rulings / observations of the Hon'ble High Courts and Hon'ble Supreme Court in AIR 1996 SC 1378 in particular, the regulations in force, and also to obviate unethical practices and to ensure transparency and proper implementation of Rule of Reservation.

2. The following notification shall be published in the extraordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette dated: 25.02.2005.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 read with sub-section (1) of section 15 of the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institution (Regulation of Admission and Prohibition of Capitation Fee) Act, 1983 (Andhra Pradesh Act No.5 of 1983), the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following Rules in partial modification of the orders issued vide references read above.

I. PREPARATION OF SEAT MATRIX:

The NTR University of Health Sciences shall prepare the Seat Matrix as follows:

- i) All the courses should be arranged in alphabetical order and under each course the colleges should again be arranged in alphabetical order separately for Andhra University Area, Osmania University Area, Sri Venkateswara University Area and Statewide seats.
- ii) Roster points should be allotted to all the seats available duly mentioning women and PH points as applicable as per rules (separately for AU area, OU area, SVU area and State wide seats) continuing from the point where it ended in the previous year.

The lists will be prepared accordingly for the subsequent years.

- iii) In the lists so prepared, after every 6 points, which shall be local (L) seats, every 7th point shall be unreserved seat as per six point formula (SPF).
- iv) All the unreserved seats specifying course, college and roster point category from these three university areas and state wide seats should then be culled out and clubbed category wise and lists prepared for open and each of the reserved category seats placing the universities in alphabetical order.
- v) For filling up the remaining 85% of statewide seats, instructions issued in Para 6 of G.O.Ms.No.453, GA (SPF-B) Dept., dt. 3-7-1974 should be followed in the ratio of 42:36:22 among AU, OU, SVU respectively.
- vi) The service points (reservation at present being 15% for clinical and 30% for non clinical) shall be fixed after grouping the seats into clinical and non clinical in open and each of the reserved categories in the unreserved and state wide list and in each of the university local area lists.
- vii) The following lists are to be culled out from the main matrix:
 - a) **Unreserved and statewide open seats** that are open for all university areas and open to all communities shall be filled as per state merit list.
 - b) **Unreserved and statewide reservation seats** that are open for all university areas but to be filled in only by reserved candidates belonging to concerned categories shall be filled category wise and state merit.
 - c) **Local area open seats** (for each university) open to all communities and shall be filled as per the local area merit.
 - d) **Local area reservation seats** (for each university) shall be filled with reserved category candidates concerned as per the local area reserved category wise merit list.

II. PREPARATION OF MERIT LISTS:

The NTR UHS shall prepare and publish the following merit lists along with APPG Medical entrance test results.

- a) Statewide Open (General), Women, Disabled and In-service Merit Lists.
- b) Statewide SC/ST/BC-A/BC-B/BC-C/BC-D, Women, and In-service Merit Lists.
- c) OU/AU/SVU Open (General), Women, Disabled and In-service Merit Lists.
- d) OU/AU/SVU, SC/ST/ BC-A/BC-B/BC-C/BC-D, Women and In-service Merit Lists.

III. MERITORIOUS RESERVED CANDIDATES:

- i) All reserved category candidates who qualify in the open (general) merit list shall necessarily attend the counselling for open category seats and shall exercise his/her option and then if, he /she desires to opt for either a different course or college, he/she may attend the counselling meant for that reserved category, **provided:**

- a) If he/she is not present or if present, fails to or refuses to take a seat in open category, he/she shall not be allowed for attending the counselling for reserved seats.
- b) He/she cannot opt for a course or college under reservation, if the same combination of course and college is available in open category.

Note: These rules {i.e. III (i), (a) and (b)} should be given wide publicity this year and should be published in future in the prospectus of the University and PG counseling notification.

IV. COUNSELLING PROCEDURE:

- i) The seats reserved for women / in-service / PH candidates as applicable under each category of OC/SC/ST/BC-A / BC-B/BC-C / BC-D will be available to all the candidates within the category. In other words, the seats earmarked for women, PH and in-service shall be pooled with the category concerned for providing wider choice. They shall be called for counselling as per roster points and they shall choose from among the courses / colleges available for that entire category. For ex: PH reservation is available only under OC category and a PH candidate when called for counselling at his /her roster point can opt for any of the courses available under OC category.

The order of counselling should be as follows:

- ii) All the unreserved and statewide seats have to be filled first as follows:
 - a) Open seats showing women, in-service & PH roster points placed university alphabetical order wise shall be filled up first.
 - b) Reservation seats for each category showing women & in-service roster points placed university alphabetical order wise shall then be filled up thereafter, based on statewide category merit lists.
- iii) While filling up 85% of the statewide seats (presently balance 19 seats), it shall be ensured that the ratio prescribed for the three universities as at I (v) above is maintained.
- iv) After the unreserved and statewide seats are all filled up, the local area seats shall be filled up. While filling up local area seats (AU/OU/SVU areas), the open category seats shall be filled up first, as per local area merit. Where after, the reservation seats shall be filled as per the concerned local area reservation category merit.
- v) The counselling for each of the reserved category seats should commence, only after filling up of open category seats.
- vi) If any merit candidate belonging to SC/ST/BC category, after attending the open merit counselling and exercising his/her option, opts to take a different course or college in the reservation category (as per roster), the seat so vacated by this candidate should be filled in by next meritorious candidate belonging to that particular reservation category only. (as per Principles laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Ritesh R.Shah case, AIR 1996 SC 1378, Hon'ble High Court in W.P.No.26404 of 1999 and W.A.No.795 of 1999 relating to admissions in NTR University of Health Sciences and as per G.O.Rt.No. 550, dt, 30-07-2001, Higher Education (EC-2) Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh).
- vii) If a SC, ST, BC candidate gets selected under "unreserved open or unreserved reservation category" and if he/she opts for a different course or college under "reservation category" of his/her respective local area, the resultant vacated unreserved seat should be allotted to the same category candidate, in order of merit.

- viii) If a SC, ST, BC candidate gets selected under Local area open category and if he/she opts for a different course or college under “reservation category” of his/her respective local area, the resultant vacated local area seat should be allotted to the same local area reserved category candidate, in order of merit.
- ix) The vacated seat of a meritorious reserved category candidate (from the open category) should be immediately added to the seats available under that reserved category for being filled up by the next meritorious candidate from that category. For ex: if a ST meritorious women / service candidate from open category, vacates a seat in the open category, the same shall be made available to the next meritorious ST women / service candidate as case may be, who will however choose from among the courses available for ST category including the vacated seat course.
- x) If sufficient number of candidates are not available to fill up the seats reserved for SCs, they shall be filled up by suitable candidates from the STs and vice-versa. If the required number of candidates are not available for filling up the quota of seats reserved for SCs and STs, they may be filled up by candidates from the general pool on basis of merit.
- xi) If sufficient number of candidates of any particular group of BCs are not available to fill up the seats reserved for that group, they may be filled up by suitable candidates in any other group in order of merit. If no suitable candidate is available in any of the four groups, then the seats may be filled from the general pool.

V. RESERVATION FOR WOMEN / DISABLED (DIFFERENTLY ABLED):

- i) Reservation for women and disabled shall be provided as per G.O.Ms.No.65, General Administration (Ser.D) Department, dated 15-02-1997, and subsequent amendments if any made thereto.
- ii) The guidelines of Medical Council of India shall be observed in making admissions of differently abled candidates.
- iii) If the seats meant for Women/Disabled are unfilled for want of qualified/eligible candidates, such seats shall be filled up by qualified male/physically fit candidates belonging to the respective open/reservation category as the case may be.

VI. IN SERVICE RESERVATION : The first service point in the roster should be in accordance with the last point of previous year’s admissions in each category of clinical (every 6th point) and non-clinical (every 3rd point) courses. However, admissions of in-service candidates should be limited to the percentage of seats as envisaged in G.O.Ms.No.260, Health Medical and Family Welfare (E2) Department, dated 10-07-1997 or as may be amended from time to time by Government.

VII. PUBLICATION OF SEAT MATRIX: The Seat Matrix has to be published by NTR University of Health Sciences at least one day before counseling.

VIII. SEATS SANCTIONED BY MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA AFTER PUBLICATION OF SEAT MATRIX:

The courses recognized by MCI and courses/seats sanctioned after publication of seat matrix have to be added at the end of respective unreserved and statewide or local area roster, as the case may be for that year as per inter-se alphabetical order among the newly sanctioned courses / colleges. In the subsequent years, the comprehensive seat matrix in alphabetical order shall be prepared.

IX. VERIFICATION OF CASTE/TRIBE STATUS AND IMPLEMENTATION OF RULE OF RESERVATION:

An officer not below the rank of Deputy Director from Social Welfare, Tribal Welfare and Backward Classes Welfare Departments shall be deputed by the respective Heads of Departments to be present at the time of counseling to ensure proper implementation of Rule of Reservation and Verification of Community Certificates.

- X. The Registrar, NTR University of Health Sciences shall follow the above stated instructions and the Seat Matrix as is being communicated to him separately, by Tribal Welfare Department in consultation with other Departments.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.I.V.SUBBA RAO

PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Commissioner of Printing, Stationery & Stores Purchase

(Printing Wing) Deptt., Chanchalguda, Hyderabad (with a request to publish the notification in A.P. Gazette and supply 500 copies)

The Registrar, NTR UHS, Vijayawada.

The Director of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad.

All Heads of Departments under the control of HM&FW Department.

The Director, Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupathi.

The Director, Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad.

All Principals of Medical Colleges in the State,

through Director of Medical Education, Hyderabad.

The Higher Education Department.

The Social Welfare /Tribal Welfare/ B.C.Welfare Departments.

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**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

HIGHER EDUCATION DEPARTMENT – ADMISSION OF STUDENTS IN PROFESSIONAL COURSES IN UNAIDED NON-MINORITY INSTITUTIONS - THE ANDHRA PRADESH UN-AIDED NON-MINORITY PROFESSIONAL INSTITUTIONS (REGULATION OF ADMISSIONS INTO UNDER-GRADUATE AND PHARM-D (DOCTOR OF PHARMACY), PROFESSIONAL COURSES THROUGH COMMON ENTRANCE TEST) RULES 2011 – ORDERS- ISSUED.

HIGHER EDUCATION (EC.2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No 74

Dated: 28-07-2011.

Read the following:-

- 1) G.O.Ms.No.53, Higher Education (EC) Dept., Dt.10.5.2006.
- 2) G.O.Ms.No.62, Higher Education (EC) Dept., Dt.26.5.2006.
- 3) G.O.Ms.No.124, Higher Education (EC.2) Dept., Dt.19.8.2006.
- 4) G.O.Ms.No.191, Higher Education (EC) Dept., Dt.6.10.2007
- 5) G.O.Ms.No.68, Higher Education (EC) Dept., Dt.10.7.2008.
- 6) G.O.Ms.No.110, Higher Education (EC) Dept., Dt.14.7.2008.
- 7) G.O.Ms.No.140, Higher Education (EC) Dept., Dt.31.7.2008.
- 8) G.O.Ms.No.175, Higher Education (EC) Dept., Dt.19.7.2008.
- 9) G.O.Ms.No.6, Higher Education (EC) Dept., Dt.27.1.2009.
- 10) G.O.Ms.No.59, Higher Education (EC) Dept., Dt.13.7.2009.
- 11) G.O.Ms.No.152, Higher Education (EC) Dept., Dt.5.12.2009.
- 12) AICTE revised approval Process Hand Book 2011-12 and notification dt.4.7.2011.

ORDER:

In the G.O. 1st read above Government have issued rules for Admission of students in Professional courses in Unaided Non-Minority Institutions. The said rules were subsequently amended through the G.Os 2nd to 11th read above. The All India Council for Technical Education has notified a new Regulation in vide reference 12th read above for prescribing 45% qualifying marks for entry into under graduate professional courses (40% in case of Reserved Categories) in the aggregate or group subject. In view of the above, Government have decided to issue a fresh set of Comprehensive rules for Admission of students in Professional courses in Unaided Non-Minority Institutions.

2. The following notification will be published in an Extra Ordinary Issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette, dt.28.07.2011.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 3 and 15 of the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admission and prohibition of Capitation Fee) Act, 1983, (Andhra Pradesh Act 5/1983) and in supersession of the Andhra Pradesh Unaided Non-Minority Professional Institutions (Regulation of Admissions into under-graduate Professional Courses through Common Entrance Test) Rules, 2006 issued in G.O.Ms.No.53, Higher Education (EC) Dept, dated 10.5.2006 as subsequently amended, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following Rules for admission into under Graduate Professional Courses in Engineering (including Technology) and Pharmacy in Un-aided Non-Minority Professional Institutions in the State.

1. Short Title, applicability and commencement:

- (i) These rules may be called the Andhra Pradesh Unaided Non-Minority Professional institutions (Regulation of Admissions into Under-graduate and Pharm.D (Doctor of Pharmacy) Professional Courses through Common Entrance Test) Rules, 2011.
- (ii) They shall apply to all Unaided non-Minority Professional Institutions imparting Under-Graduate professional Courses in Engineering (Including Technology) and Pharmacy in the State.
- (iii) They shall come into force from the academic year 2011-12.

2. Definitions:

- (i) In these rules, unless the context to otherwise requires:
 - (a) "Act" means the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Prohibition of Capitation Fee) Act, 1983 (Andhra Pradesh Act No. 5 of 1983).
 - (b) "Admissions and Fee Regulatory Committee" (AFRC) means Committee established and constituted by the Government for regulating the admissions and for fixing the fees to be charged from candidates seeking admission into Unaided Minority and Non-Minority Professional institutions.
 - (c) "Common Entrance Test" means EAMCET/EAMCET-AC, the examination conducted for assigning rank or merit to candidates, which will be the basis for admission of the candidates into the first year of concerned Under-Graduate Courses in various Unaided Non-Minority Professional Institutions in the State.
 - (d) "Competent Authority" means the Chairman, Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education.
 - (e) "Convener of EAMCET Admissions" means the Commissioner / Director of Technical Education or any other officer of such rank, nominated by the Competent Authority for selection and allotment of candidates for admission.
 - (f) "Convener of EAMCET-AC Admissions" means a person nominated by the Association(s) of Unaided Professional Colleges for selection and allotment of qualified candidates for admission.
 - (g) "Eligible Candidate" means the candidate who is eligible for admission as per the eligibility criteria prescribed under Rule 4 hereunder.
 - (h) "Government" means State Government of Andhra Pradesh.

- (i) "Inspecting Authority" means the Authority/Officer appointed by the Admission and Fee Regulatory Committee for inspecting and scrutinising the Admissions of the candidates made in the Un-aided Professional Institutions.
 - (j) "Institutions" means, unless otherwise specifically mentioned, all the Unaided Non-Minority Professional Institutions imparting Professional Courses in Engineering (Including Technology) and Pharmacy.
 - (k) Non-Resident Indian (NRI) / NRI Sponsored Candidates means a candidate, born to a parent of Indian Origin residing outside the country or 'ward' of a person of Indian Origin residing outside the country, and who has passed the qualifying examination or its equivalent.
 - (l) "Qualified Candidate" means the candidate who passed the qualifying examination obtained not less than 45% marks (40% in case of Reserved Categories) in the prescribed group subjects and has appeared for the Common Entrance Test EAMCET/EAMCET-AC, as the case may be, for admission into the related Professional Course and has been assigned ranking in the Common Merit List.
 - (m) "Qualifying Examination" means the examination of the minimum qualification passing of which with not less than 45% marks (40% in case of reserved categories) in the prescribed group subjects entitles one to seek admission into the relevant Professional Course as prescribed in the Andhra Pradesh Common Entrance Test for entry into Engineering; Pharmacy, Agricultural, Medical and Dental courses Rules, 2011.
 - (n) "Single Window System" means a system by which available seats in all the Institutions are offered through Common Centralized Counseling or Decentralized Online Counseling to qualified candidates in order of merit in the Common Entrance Test.
 - (o) "State **Council**" means the Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education, constituted under the Andhra Pradesh Council of Higher Education Act, 1988 (Andhra Pradesh Act No.16 of 1988).
 - (p) "University" means the University concerned in which the particular courses are offered
- (ii) Words and expressions used but not defined in these rules shall have the same meaning assigned to them in the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admission and Prohibition of Capitation Fee) Act, 1983. (Andhra Pradesh Act 5 of 1983) and the

Andhra Pradesh Common Entrance Test for entry into Engineering, Pharmacy, Agriculture, Medical and Dental Courses Rules, 2011.

3. Allotment of Seats:

- (i) The seats to be allotted in each Un-aided Non-Minority Professional Institution under these Rules for Admission of Candidates shall be classified as:
 - (1) Category A seats
 - (2) Category B seats
- (ii) The Category A seats shall be 70% of sanctioned intake of seats in each course in Un-Aided Non-Minority Professional Institution, which shall be filled with eligible candidates on the basis of Rank obtained at EAMCET / EAMCET-AC, as the case may be, following the provision of sub rule (i) of Rule 6 and Rule of Reservation laid down in Rule 7.
- (iii) The Category B Seats shall be 30% of the total intake of seats in each course in respect of Un-Aided Non-Minority Professional Institutions, which shall be open for admission to all the eligible candidates on merit basis including candidates belonging to other States and Union Territories of India and NRIs / NRI Sponsored Candidates, following the provisions of sub rule (ii) of Rule 6.
- (iv) The sanctioned intake of seats in Under graduate Pharmacy and Pharm.D (Doctor of Pharmacy) Courses in each institution shall be filled up by eligible candidates from M.P.C. and Bi.P.C streams in the ratio of 50:50. Vacant seats, if any, in either stream shall be filled up by eligible candidates in the other stream.

4. Eligibility Criteria for Admission:

The eligibility criteria for Admission into Engineering (including Technology), Pharmacy, and Professional Courses shall be as mentioned below:

- (i) The Candidate shall be an Indian National or Persons of Indian Origin (PIO) / Overseas Citizen of India (OCI) Card Holders.
- (ii) In respect of Under-graduate Professional Courses in Engineering (Including Technology) and Pharmacy the candidate should have completed 16years of age as on 31st December of the Academic year for which the admissions are being conducted. In respect of Pharm.D (Doctor of Pharmacy) course the candidate should have completed 17years of age as on 31st December of the Academic year for which the admissions are being conducted.
- (iii) The candidate should have passed the qualifying examination (10+2) conducted by the Board of Intermediate Education, Andhra Pradesh or equivalent with Physics & Mathematics as compulsory subjects along with one of the Chemistry/Bo-Technology/Biology subjects and obtained at-least 45% marks in the above subjects taken together/ (40% in case of candidates belonging to reserved categories) and should have secured a rank at the Common Entrance Test and shall satisfy other conditions laid down in these Rules:

- (iv) The Candidate should satisfy Local/Non-Local status requirement for admission into Category A seats as laid down in the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions) order, 1974 as subsequently amended.
- (v) Candidates should satisfy the eligibility requirements for Admission into Category 'B' seats as laid down in Rule 6(ii) of these rules.

5. Method of Admission:

The general guidelines for the admission of candidates into Private Un-Aided Non-Minority Professional Institutions offering Engineering (Including Technology) and Pharmacy shall be as follows,-

- (i) (1) All the Category A seats shall be filled by the respective Institutions by admitting candidates as allotted by the Convener of EAMCET admissions/ Convener of EAMCET - AC admissions, as the case may be, depending upon the option exercised by the institution as per sub-clause (4) of clause (a) in Rule 11 of the Andhra Pradesh Common Entrance Test for entry in to Engineering, Pharmacy, Agriculture, Medical and Dental courses Rules, 2011.
- (2) All the Category B seats shall be filled by the respective Institutions on merit basis following the procedure laid down in the Rule 6(ii) hereunder.
- (ii) The Convener of EAMCET admissions / Convener of EAMCET – AC admissions shall allot candidates to Institutions in terms of Rules laid down herein.
- (iii) The admissions shall be made in the order of merit on the basis of the ranking assigned in EAMCET/EAMCET – AC as per Rule 5 / sub Rule (7) of Rule 12 of the Andhra Pradesh Common Entrance Test for entry into Engineering, Pharmacy, Agriculture, Medical and Dental courses Rules, 2011.
- (iv) The total number of candidates to be admitted in each course in the Un-aided Non-Minority Professional Institutions shall not exceed the limits prescribed by the All India Council for Technical Education / Pharmacy Council of India, as the case may be from time to time
- (v) The admission of the candidates made in various Un-aided Non-Minority Professional Institutions shall be subject to scrutiny by the inspecting Authority appointed for the purpose.

6. PROCEDURE OF ADMISSIONS:

(i) TO FILL UP CATEGORY- A SEATS (70%):

For the purpose of admissions for Category- A seats, all the Institutions shall be divided into two groups viz., EAMCET and EAMCET –AC streams basing on the option exercised by them as per sub-clause (4) of clause (a) in Rule 11 of Andhra Pradesh Common Entrance Test for entry into Engineering, Pharmacy, Agriculture, Medical and Dental courses Rules -2011. There shall be separate counseling for admission in respect of each stream through Single Window System. The procedure to be followed for such admissions shall be as given below:

(a) ADMISSIONS INTO NON-MINORITY INSTITUTIONS UNDER EAMCET STREAM:

- (1) A Committee for EAMCET Admission into Institutions, which opted for EAMCET, shall be constituted by the Competent Authority with the following members to advise the Convenor of EAMCET Admissions, in the matters relating to admissions and on such other matters necessary for the smooth conduct of admissions.
 - (a) Chairman of Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education.(Chairman)
 - (b) Secretary of Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education.
 - (c) Convener of EAMCET Admissions (Member Convener).
 - (d) Professor in-charge of Computer / online systems in admission camp.
 - (e) Two representatives of the Universities as nominated by the State Council.
 - (f) Three representatives of the Private Unaided Technical Institutions as nominated by the State Council.
 - (g) Commissioner / Director of Technical Education or his nominee.
 - (h) One special invitee nominated by the State Council.
- (2) The Convener of EAMCET Admissions shall collect Rank lists of the qualified candidates of EAMCET prepared by the Convenor of EAMCET, as per sub-rule (3) of Rule 5 of the Andhra Pradesh Common Entrance Test for entry into Engineering, Pharmacy, Agriculture, Medical and Dental courses Rules, 2011.
- (3) The Convener of EAMCET Admissions shall prepare and notify the schedule for admissions, venue, timings and all other necessary details in at least three leading newspapers one each in Telugu, Urdu and English, at least 8-10 days before the commencement of counselling. The decision of the Committee for EAMCET Admissions shall be final in issuing notification and the schedule and procedure of counselling.
- (4) The Convener of EAMCET Admissions shall adopt computerised Single Window system of Counselling either by following centralized or decentralized Online Counselling at various centres for the convenience of the Candidates and shall prepare the seat matrix of Unaided Non-Minority Professional Institutions. He shall make all the necessary arrangements for manpower, admission venue, drawing scrutiny officers from other departments, fee collection, networking, facilities for Online Counselling at various centres, mobilization of software etc., in consultation with the Admission Committee.
- (5) No Management of Unaided Non-Minority Professional Institution shall issue notification and call for applications for admission separately or individually except as provided in Rule 6 (i) (a) (11) and Rule 6(i) (b) (11) of these rules.
- (6) Candidates shall be called for counselling and provisional allotment of Courses / Institutions shall be made in the order of merit assigned at EAMCET by following the Rules of Reservation issued by the Government from time to time and G.O.Ms.No.550, Higher

Education Department dated: 30.7.2001 and such allotment is only provisional.

- (7) The selection of candidates and allotment of Courses / Institutions in respect of Unaided Non-Minority Professional Institutions, shall be solely on the basis of merit as adjudged by the rank obtained in EAMCET subject to the condition that the candidate should have passed the qualifying examination. However, mere appearance at the Entrance Test and obtaining rank in the merit list does not entitle a candidate to be considered for admission automatically into any Course / Institution unless he / she also satisfies the rules and regulations of admission prescribed by the concerned University / Government including marks to be obtained in the qualifying examination.
- (8) Once a candidate secures admission to a particular College / Institution based on his / her option, no more claim for admission into other Colleges, to any other kind of seat or any other course, be entertained during that phase of admissions.
- (9) The candidates admitted into Unaided Non-Minority Professional Institutions shall pay at the time of admission the fees payable per student per annum as prescribed by the AFRC.
- (10) The Convener, EAMCET Admissions shall handover the vacant seats, if any to the Institutions concerned after conducting the counselling till the last rank of EAMCET.
- (11) The institution shall fill, on merit basis, such vacant seats handed over by the Convenor of Admissions duly conducting internal sliding reservation category wise in each course before issuing the notification for admissions by the individual Institutions. The vacant seats so arising in each course after the exercise of internal sliding shall be filled reservation category wise with eligible candidates through Institutional spot admission ensuring merit and transparency still vacant seats, if any, may be filled with the candidates securing not less than 50 % marks in the prescribed group subjects in the Qualifying examination.
- (12) The Institution shall obtain ratification from the Competent Authority for all the admissions including internal sliding conducted by the Institution.
- (13) The Convener of EAMCET Admissions shall prepare the final list of candidates, admitted course-wise and Institution-wise and send the same to Concerned Universities, Institutions and AFRC.
- (14) The Competent Authority in consultation with the Committee of EAMCET Admission shall fix the cut off dates for each stage of admissions.
- (15) All the candidates called for Counselling shall produce the specified original documents along with duly attested photocopies and the Convenor of EAMCET Admissions shall be entitled to cause verification of all the documents produced by the candidates.

(b) ADMISSIONS INTO NON-MINORITY INSTITUTIONS UNDER EAMCET –AC STREAM:

- (1) Committee for EAMCET-AC Admissions into institutions, which opted for EAMCET- AC shall be constituted by the Association of Un-aided Professional Colleges to advise the Convenor of EAMCET-AC Admissions in the matters relating to admission and on such other matters necessary for the smooth conduct of Admissions.
- (2) The Convener of EAMCET -AC Admissions shall collect Rank lists of the qualified candidates of EAMCET –AC prepared by the Convener of EAMCET-AC as per Clause (c) of sub- rule (7) of Rule 12 of the Andhra Pradesh Common Entrance Test for entry into Engineering, Pharmacy, Agriculture, Medical and Dental courses Rules, 2011 and EAMCET prepared by the Convener of EAMCET as per sub rule (3) of Rule 5 of the Andhra Pradesh Common Entrance Test for entry into Engineering, Pharmacy, Agriculture, Medical and Dental courses Rules, 2011.
- (3) The Convener of EAMCET-AC Admissions shall prepare and notify the schedule for admissions, venue, timings and all other necessary details in at least three leading newspapers one each in Telugu, Urdu and English, at least 8-10 days before the commencement of counselling. The decision of the Committee for EAMCET-AC Admissions shall be final in issuing notification, schedule and procedure of counselling.
- (4) The Convener of EAMCET-AC Admissions shall adopt computerised Single Window system of Counselling either by following centralized or decentralized Online Counselling at various centers for the convenience of the Candidates and shall prepare the seat matrix of Unaided Non-Minority Professional Institutions. He shall make all the necessary arrangements for manpower, admission venue, drawing scrutiny officers from other departments, fee collection, networking, facilities for Online Counselling at various centres, mobilization of software etc., in consultation with the Admission Committee.
- (5) No Management of Unaided Non-Minority Professional Institution shall issue notification and call for applications for admission separately or individually except as provided in Rule 6(i) (a) (11) and Rule 6 (i) (b) (11) of these rules.
- (6) Candidates shall be called for counselling and provisional allotment of Courses / Institutions shall be made firstly in the order of merit assigned at EAMCET-AC and, if vacant seats still remain, then in the order of merit assigned at EAMCET by following the Rules of Reservation issued by the Government from time to time and G.O.Ms.No.550, Higher Education Department dated: 30.7.2001 and such allotment is only provisional.
- (7) The selection of candidates and allotment of Courses / Institutions in respect of Unaided Non-Minority Professional Institutions, shall be solely on the basis of merit as adjudged firstly by the rank obtained in EAMCET-AC and, if vacant seats still remain, then by rank obtained in EAMCET subject to the condition that the candidate should have passed the qualifying examination. However, mere appearance at the Entrance Test and obtaining rank in the merit list does not entitle a candidate to be considered for admission automatically into any Course / Institution unless he / she also satisfies the rules and regulations of admission prescribed by the concerned University /

Government including marks to be obtained in the qualifying examination.

- (8) Once a candidate secures admission to a particular College / Institution based on his / her option, no more claim for admission into other Colleges, to any other kind of seat or any other course, be entertained during that phase of admissions.
- (9) The candidates admitted into Unaided Non-Minority Professional Institutions shall pay at the time of admission the fees payable per student per annum as prescribed by the AFRC.
- (10) The Convener, EAMCET-AC Admissions shall handover the vacant seats, if any to the Institutions concerned after conducting the counselling till the last rank of EAMCET-AC and EAMCET as provided under clauses (6) and (7) above.
- (11) The Institution shall fill, on merit basis, such vacant seats handed over by the Convenor of Admissions duly conducting internal sliding reservation category wise in each course before issuing the notification for admissions by the individual Institutions. The vacant seats so arising in each course after the exercise of internal sliding, shall be filled reservation category wise with eligible candidates through Institutional spot admission duly ensuring merit and transparency still vacant seats, if any, be filled with the candidates securing not less than 50 % marks in the prescribed group subjects in the qualifying examination.
- (12) The Institution shall obtain ratification from the Competent Authority for all the admissions including internal sliding conducted by the Institution.
- (13) Convener of EAMCET-AC Admissions shall prepare the final list of candidates, admitted course-wise and Institution-wise and send the same to concerned Universities, Institutions and AFRC.
- (14) The Competent Authority in consultation with the Committee of EAMCET- AC Admission shall fix the cut off dates for each stage of admissions.
- (15) All the candidates called for Counselling shall produce the specified original documents along with duly attested photocopies and the Convenor of EAMCET-AC Admissions shall be entitled to cause verification of all the documents produced by the candidates.

(ii) **TO FILL UP CATEGORY- B SEATS (30%):**

1. The Institution shall conduct Admissions to the seats available as specified below:

- (i) The Institution shall not issue notification and receive the applications until the EAMCET admission notification is issued by the concerned.
- (ii) The NRI seats (not exceeding 15% of the sanctioned intake in each course) shall be filled on merit basis with NRI / NRI sponsored candidates who have passed the qualifying examination with not less than 50% of in the prescribed group subjects or Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) equivalent to 5 on a scale of 10.

- (iii) The remaining seats shall be filled on merit basis with candidates belonging to other States and Union territories who have secured rank at AIEEE and secured not less than 50 % of aggregate marks in the qualifying examination.
- (iv) The seats remaining unfilled from (ii) and (iii) above shall be filled with eligible candidates on merit basis following eligibility criteria laid in rule (4) of these rules.
- (v) There after, if any seats still remain unfilled such seats may be filled on merit basis with candidates securing not less than 50% in the prescribed group subjects taken together in the qualification examination.

2. The Institution shall follow the procedure mentioned below to conduct the Admissions:

- (i) The Managements of the Colleges shall notify the details of courses offered with intakes, schedule of admissions, cost of Application form and Minority/ Non Minority, statues in popular news dailies one in each language i.e. English, Telugu & Urdu which is to be displayed on the College website and also on the college notice board.
- (ii) The blank application forms for admission in 'B' category seats shall be made available to the candidates from the college counter on payment of the prescribed fee. The facility for downloading the form of application from the college website should also be provided. In this case, the cost of procuring the application from shall be paid to the college by the applicant at the time of submission of the duly filled in application forms.
- (iii) The college authorities shall enter the day wise sale of applications with the name of the candidates and address in a Register opened for the purpose and it shall be made available for inspection for any Officer authorized by the Competent Authority.
- (iv) The college shall issue an acknowledgment / receipt for the applications received.
- (v) The Management shall prepare the merit list of eligible applicants for each course and announce the same by displaying both on the website and notice board of the college for at least two weeks from the date of announcement.
- (vi) The Institution shall obtain ratification from the Competent Authority for all the admissions conducted under Category B seats by the institution.
- (vii) The Management shall collect the Tuition fees as prescribed by AFRC for category 'B' seats.

- (viii) The Managements shall comply with the above instructions and failure in implementing the same shall entail to withdrawal of Government permission, University affiliation and AICTE approval.
- 3. After scrutiny, the Competent Authority shall send the ratified list of admitted candidates from outside the State, NRIs and others admitted by the Institution to the University concerned and also to the respective Institutions.

7. **Rules of Reservation for admission:**

- (i) Category A seats shall be reserved, to the following categories in Admissions to Professional courses:

- (1) **Region-wise reservation of seats:**

Admission to 85% of the seats in each course shall be reserved for the local candidates and the remaining 15% of the seats shall be un-reserved seats as specified in the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulations and Admissions) Order, 1974 as subsequently amended.

EXPLANATION: For purpose of these rules,-

(i) **Local Areas means:**

- (1) The part of the State comprising the districts of Adilabad, Hyderabad (including Twin Cities) Ranga Reddy, Karimnagar, Khammam, Medak, Mahaboobnagar, Nalgonda, Nizamabad and Warangal shall be regarded as the Local Area for the purpose of admission to the Osmania University, the Kakatiya University and the Telangana University and to any other educational institutions (other than a state-wide university or state-wide educational institution) which is subject to the control of the State Government and is situated in that part.
- (2) The part of the State comprising the districts of Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam, East Godavari, West Godavari, Krishna, Guntur and Prakasam shall be regarded as the Local Area for the purpose of admission to the Andhra University, the Acharya Nagarjuna University and Adikavi Nannaya University and to any other educational institutions (other than a state-wide university or state-wide educational institution) which is subject to the control of the State Government and is situated in that part.
- (3) The part of the State comprising the districts of Anantapur, Kurnool, Chittoor, Cuddapah and Nellore shall be regarded as the Local Area for the purpose of admission to the Sri Venkateswara University, the Sri Krishnadevaraya University and the Yogi Vemana University and to any other educational institutions (other than a state-wide university or state-wide educational institution) which is subject to the control of the State Government and is situated in that part.

(ii) The Local Candidate means:

- (A) A candidate for admission shall be regarded as a local candidate in relation to a local area.-

- (a) If he/she has studied in educational Institution or educational Institutions in such local area for a period of not less than four consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he/she appeared or as the case may be, first appeared in the relevant qualifying examination, or
 - (b) Where, during the whole or any part of the four consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he/she appeared or, as the case may be, first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination, he/she has not studied in any educational Institutions, if he/she has resided in that local area for a period of not less than four years immediately preceding the date of commencement of the relevant qualifying examination in which he/she appeared or, as the case may be, first appeared.
- (B) A candidate for admission to the Course who is not regarded as local candidate under clause (A) in relation to any local area shall,-
- (a) If he has studied in educational Institutions in the State for a period of not less than seven consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he/she appeared or, as the case may be, first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination be regarded as a local candidate in relation to,-
 - (i) Such local area where he/she has studied for the maximum period out of said period of seven years, or
 - (ii) Where the period of his/her study in two or more local areas are equal, such local area, where he/she has studied last in such equal period, or
 - (b) If, during the whole or any part of seven consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he/she appeared or, as the case may be, first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination, he/she has not studied in the educational Institutions in any local area, but has resided in the State during the whole of the said period of seven years, be regarded as a local candidate in relation to,-
 - (i) Such local area where he/she has resided for the maximum period out of the said period of seven years, or
 - (ii) Where the periods of his/her residence in two or more local areas are equal, such local area where he/she has resided last in such equal periods.
- (C) The following categories of candidates are eligible to apply for admission to the remaining 15% of un-reserved seats:
- (a) All the candidates eligible to be declared as local candidates.
 - (b) Candidates who have resided in the State for a total period of 10 years excluding periods of study outside the State or either of whose parents have resided in the State for a total period of ten years excluding period of employment outside the State.

- (c) Candidates who are children of parents who are in the employment of this State or Central Government, Public Sector Corporations, Local Bodies, Universities and other similar quasi-public Institutions, within the State.
- (d) Candidates who are spouses of those in the employment of the State or Central Government, Public Sector Corporations, Local Bodies, Universities and Educational Institutions recognized by the Government or University OR other competent authority and similar quasi Government Institutions within the State.
- (D) If a local candidate in respect of a local area is not available to fill any seat reserved or allocated in favour of a local candidate in respect of that local area, such seat shall be filled if it had not been reserved.

NOTE: For details, see the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulations of Admission) Order, 1974 as subsequently amended.

(2) Reservation for SC/ST/BC Communities:

- (a) 15% of seats in each course in each institution shall be reserved for the candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes .
- (b) 6% of seats in each course in each Institution shall be reserved for the candidates belonging to the scheduled Tribes.

The seats reserved for scheduled Tribes shall be made available to scheduled Castes and Vice-versa, if qualified candidates are not available in the category.

If qualified candidate belonging to Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes communities are not available the left over seats reserved for them shall be treated as unreserved seats and shall be filled by the candidates of General pool.

- (c) 29% of seats in each course in each institution shall be reserved for the candidates belonging to the Backward classes and shall be allocated among the four groups of Backward classes as shown below:

GROUP 'A'	-	7%
GROUP 'B'	-	10%
GROUP 'C'	-	1%
GROUP 'D'	-	7%
⁽²⁾ GROUP 'E'	-	4%

If qualified candidates belonging to Backward class of a particular group are not available, the leftover seats can be adjusted for the candidates of next group. If qualified candidates belonging to Backward classes are not available to fill up the 29% seats reserved for them, the left over seats shall be treated as unreserved and shall be filled up with candidates of General pool.

No candidate seeking reservation for admission under the above categories be allowed to participate, in the Counseling for admission unless he produces the Integrated Community Certificate prescribed by the Govt., and issued by the Revenue Authorities in the Government (vide G.O. Ms. No: 58, Social Welfare (J), Dept., Dated: 12-5-1997).

- (3) The following reservations in admissions to Professional courses may be provided in respect of Category- A seats in accordance with consensus arrived at between Private Unaided Professional Institutions and the Government:

(1) Reservation of seats for women:

A reservation of 33 1/3% of seats in favour of women candidates in each course and in each category (OC / SC/ST/BC/PH/CAP/NCC/SP).

The above reservation shall not be applicable if women candidates selected on merit in each category exceeds 33 1/3%.

If sufficient number of women candidates are not available in the respective categories those seats shall be diverted to the men candidates of the same category.

(2) Reservation for Special Categories:

(a) There shall be horizontal reservation in each category (OC, BC, SC, ST) in each course of an institution, for the following categories, to the extent indicated against them.

- (i) Physically Handicapped (PH) – 3% (three percent) for Visually handicapped / hearing impaired / Orthopaedically Handicapped (each 1%) (one percent).
- (ii) Children of Armed Forces Personnel (CAP) – 2% (two percent) for the children of armed persons i.e. Ex-Servicemen, Defence Personnel including the Children of Border Security Force and the Central Reserve Police Force residing in Andhra Pradesh for a minimum period of 5 years.
- (iii) National Cadet Corps (NCC) – 1% (one percent) for National Cadet corps candidates.
- (iv) Sports and Games (SP) – ½ % (half percent) for sports and Games candidates.

If qualified candidates belonging to NCC / SP / CAP categories are not available, the left over seats shall be filled up with candidates of General Pool of the same local area.

Note: The candidates claiming reservation benefits under the above categories shall produce original documents in support of their claim to the Convenor or Admissions and he shall be entitled to refer the original documents of the candidates claiming reservation for scrutiny and confirmation, to the following authorities.

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| (i) NCC | - | To the Director of NCC, Andhra Pradesh |
| (ii) Sports & Games | - | To the Vice-Chairman and Managing Director, Sports Authority of Andhra Pradesh (SAAP) |
| (iii) Physically handicapped- | - | To the Director, Medical & Health Services, AP |
| (iv) CAP | - | To the Director, Sainik Welfare Board, A.P. |

(b) The priorities in respect of the special categories mentioned above shall be in accordance with Government Orders issued from time to time.

8. Penalty for violation of rules:

In case of violation of Admission rules laid herein by any private institution thereby resulting in making irregular admissions such institutions shall be liable for penalty or cancellation of affiliation of the University concerned or for referring the matter to apex bodies like All India Council of Technical Education / Pharmacy Council of India / Council of Architecture disqualifying the college from making admission in future.

9. FEE for Engineering (including Technology) /Pharmacy Colleges:

- (i) "The fee payable per student per annum for each discipline in each institution shall be as prescribed by the AFRC .
- (ii) The fee prescribed and collected from NRIs, in excess of the fees prescribed for non-NRI candidates under Category B shall be utilized for benefiting the students from economically weaker sections of the society whose eligibility criteria shall be as notified by the Government. The mechanism for extending such benefit to the students belonging to economically weaker sections shall be as prescribed by the Admission and Fee Regulatory Committee.
- (iii) The Government may notify specific Fee Waiver Scheme(s) with the approval of Admission and Fee Regulatory Committee for benefiting the disadvantaged sections of society.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M.G. GOPAL
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Commissioner, Printing, Stationary and Stores Purchase,
Chanchalguda, Hyderabad (with a request to supply 250 copies
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The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education,
Hyderabad

The Commissioner, Technical Education, A.P. ,Hyderabad

The Registrars of all Universities in the State.

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**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Medical Education – Andhra Pradesh Medical Colleges (Admission into Post Graduate Medical Courses) Rules, 1997 – Certain amendments to existing rules – Notification – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (E1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 43

Date:13-3-2013.
Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No. 260, HM&FW (E2) Department, Dated: 10/07/1997.
2. G.O.Ms. No. 74, HM&FW (E2) Dept, Dated: 21-3-2006.
3. From the Registrar, Dr NTR University of Health Sciences, A.P., Vijayawada Letter No.5144/EA2/PG/2012-1, Dated:30-11-2012
4. Govt. Letter No. 22695/E1/2012, Dated 29-01-2013
5. From the Registrar, Dr NTR University of Health Sciences, A.P., Vijayawada Letter No.5144/EA2/PG/2012, Dated:30-01-2013.

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ORDER:

The proposal submitted by the Registrar, Dr NTR University of Health Sciences, A.P., Vijayawada was examined in detail, and amendments to 100 point roster has been proposed to which Government has provisionally agreed. Previously, the admission process was as per "Roster System". Now, it has been proposed to make admissions "broad specialty-wise". The advantage of the system is that the seats in all the important broad specialties will be reserved for respective categories and their selection to the desired specialties is ensured. This would facilitate the category candidates to obtain seats in broad specialties to enable them to pursue Super Specialty courses related to the Broad Specialty chosen by them.

In the letter 4th read above, the Registrar, Dr NTR University of Health Sciences, A.P., Vijayawada was requested to propose amendments to provide for reservation in broad specialties i.e., General Medicine, Surgery, Gynecology etc., so that SC, ST students can get into clinical broad speciality and thereafter opt for super speciality broad speciality.

In the letter 5th read above, the Registrar, Dr NTR University of Health Sciences, A.P., Vijayawada has reported that as the counseling is linked with the seat matrix to provide reservation broad speciality-wise and area-wise, the Registrar has furnished the following proposed amendments to be issued as a fresh G.O. in lieu of G.O.Ms.No.74, HM&FW (E2) Dept, Dated: 21-03-2006 with regard to selection of candidates for admission into PG broad speciality.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 read with sub-section (1) of Section 15 of the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admission and Prohibition of Capitation Fee) Act,1983 (A.P.Act No.5 of 1983), in supersession of the earlier rules regarding preparation of seat matrix and the selection procedure for admission into PG broad speciality in the Competent Authority Quota, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the rules for preparation of seat matrix and the selection procedure for admission into PG broad speciality in the Competent Authority Quota:-

I. PREPARTION OF THE SEAT MATRIX:

The Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences shall prepare the seat matrix for the Competent Authority seats as per the guidelines given below:-

- a. The reservations to SC,ST and BC shall be 15, 6 and 29% in each broad speciality in each University area.

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- b. The number of seats for SC, ST and BCs shall be maintained as per reservations in each broad speciality in each University area.
- c. The 29% of seats for BC shall be distributed as BC-A-7%, BC-B-10%, BC-C-1%, BC-D-7% and BC-E -4% .
- d. The seats for BC's shall be allotted as per the percentage of reservation limiting to 29%. In determining the number of seats for each sub group, the highest fraction shall be counted as one followed by the next highest one and so on.
- e. The reservations for BC sub groups shall be maintained broad speciality wise as far as possible. When a seat cannot be earmarked for a sub group, the seat shall be allotted to any BC sub group by merit.
- f. When the number of seats in a broad speciality for BC is 1 or 2, the BC seats shall be allotted to any sub-group on merit.
- g. When the number of BCs seats in a broad speciality and in a college are 4 or more than 4 at least one seat shall be allotted to each sub group of BCs as per percentage of sub group reservation.
- h. When the seats for all the BCs subgroups cannot be allotted in a college, the seats to sub groups shall be rotated among the colleges every year.
- i. 30% of seats in Clinical broad speciality and 50% of the seats in pre and Para clinical broad speciality for Degree and Diploma broad speciality separately are reserved for in-service candidates under service quota. The reservations to SC,ST and BC shall be followed in clinical and non-clinical broad speciality. The principle of reservation and merit needs to be followed for in-service candidates. Candidates selected on merit in respective category shall be however counted against service quota. Service rendered shall be calculated as per date specified by Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences.
- j. 33 1/3% and 3% seats of PG Degree and Diploma broad speciality shall be reserved for women differently-abled candidates respectively which are also horizontal reservations.
- k. The unreserved seats shall be calculated broad speciality wise and university area wise and shall be limited to each institution depending upon the number of seats in that broad speciality and in that college.
- l. The reservations shall also be maintained as far as possible for the unreserved seats also.
- m. When the number of unreserved seats are 2, one seat shall be reserved under OC and one seat shall be rotated amongst SC, ST and BC in that order every year.
- n. When the number of unreserved seats are more the unreserved seats for OC and categories shall be rotated among the colleges every year viz.,

Osmania University:-

- OC rotation will begin from Govt. colleges preferably Osmania/ Gandhi/ Kakatiya Medical College, Warangal followed by Private colleges.

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Andhra University:-

- OC rotation will begin from Govt. colleges preferably Andhra Medical College / Government Medical College Guntur / Rangaraya Medical College, Kakinada followed by Private Colleges.

Sri Venkateshwara University:-

- OC rotation will begin from Govt. colleges preferably Kurnool Medical College, Kurnool / S.V. Medical College, Tirupati followed by Private Colleges.
- o. Seat matrix shall be prepared separately for Andhra University / Osmania University / Sri Venkateshwara University and Statewide broad speciality.

II. SELECTIONS PROCEDURE:

- i. Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences will announce the dates and centres at which selections will be made.
- ii. The selections shall be done separately for service and non-service seats.
- iii. The selections are broad speciality wise and university area wise.
- iv. As per the G.O.Ms.No.42, the unreserved seats will be filled first and then the local seats.
- v. Both local and non-local candidates are eligible for unreserved seats.
- vi. First all the OC seats in a broad speciality in all the colleges shall be filled and then the reserved category seats shall be filled.
- vii. A reserved category candidate selected under OC in a college in a broad specialty shall be permitted to slide into the same broad specialty to another college. The seat vacated shall be filled with the candidate of the same reserved category.
- viii. A reserved category candidate selected under OC in a college in a broad specialty shall be permitted to slide into another broad specialty. The seat vacated shall be filled with the OC candidate in the subsequent counseling treating the seat as OC.
- ix. A reserved category candidate selected under OC and does not join the broad speciality, the said vacancy shall be treated as OC and shall be filled in the subsequent counseling.
- x. A reserved category candidate selected under OC and slides into a category seat in another college and does not join in the broad speciality, the seat vacant under OC category shall be treated as OC and the category into which he has slid not joined shall be treated as respective category seat in the subsequent counseling.
- xi. Where a reserved category candidate slides to another college or broad speciality such seat vacated shall be filled by another reserved candidate of the same category.
- xii. On the dates notified, the candidates shall be called in order of merit by the selection committee and shall opt for the broad speciality of their choice from the available broad speciality in the college. The selection committee shall issue the selection order immediately. The selection shall be made only from among the

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candidates who are physically present themselves when their hall tickets numbers are called out in order of merit.

- xiii. Provisional Selection shall be made by the selection committee constituted by the Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences. The selection intimation shall be issued specifying the date by which the candidate has to report to the respective college.
- xiv. The selection committee shall display the allocation of seats to schedule castes, schedule Tribes, Backward Classes and service candidates in the Medical Colleges of the University area local area wise at the time of selections.
- (a) Claims of the candidates will not be considered if they are absent when called at the time of selection and the next in the merit would be selected. The selected candidate shall submit the original certificates to the selection committee and shall pay the University fees immediately at the counters available at the centre.

The candidates shall submit required bond and shall pay the college fees at their respective colleges on or before the date fixed for the same.

- (b) If a candidate after choosing the broad speciality fails to pay the fees or after paying the fees fails to submit the bond, the selection of such candidate stands cancelled automatically.
- (c) The candidates shall be called to appear before the selection committee one after the other and they shall not enter the selection committee room in groups.
- (d) Any person who obstructs the proceedings of the selection committee or otherwise misbehaves or causes disturbance at the selection committee meetings and obstructs or causes obstruction to its peaceful functioning shall be liable for such disciplinary action as may be taken by the University.

N.B.

- (a) The procedure envisaged in G.O.Ms.No.996, E & S.W Department, dt. 11-11-76 will be followed in selecting the candidates.
- (b) Procedure indicated in G.O.P.No.646 Education Dept., dt.10-07-79 as amended in G.O.Ms.No.42, Higher Education Department, Dt. 18-05-2009 shall be followed in selecting the local candidates.
- (xiv) Vacancies after the 1st counseling shall be filled by another counseling on the date notified in the notice board of the University / website of the university.
- (xv) The selection committee shall have power to review the provisional selection in case of any errors, mis-representation, fraud or gross injustice. In all matters relating to the selections and admissions, the decision of the selection committee shall be final and binding on the candidates and selections can not be questioned after closure of admissions.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K.R. KISHORE
PRL. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner of Printing, Stationery & Stores Purchase
(Printing Wing) Deptt., Chanchalguda, Hyderabad (with a request to publish the notification in the Extraordinary issue of A.P. Gazette and supply 500 copies)

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The Registrar, NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada.
The Director of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad.
All Heads of Departments under the control of HM&FW Department.
The Director, Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupathi.
The Director, Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad.
All Principals of Medical Colleges in the State,
through Director of Medical Education, Hyderabad.
The Higher Education Department.
The Social Welfare / Tribal Welfare / B.C.Welfare / General
Administration (Services) Departments.
Copy to:
The Secretary to GOI, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, New Delhi.
All Sections in the Department.
The Law (E) Department.
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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Higher Education – Amendment to GO.Rt.550 – Implementation of reservations for SC/ST/BC’s in all Higher Education Institutions - Orders- Issued.

HIGHER EDUCATION (E.C) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 111

Dated: 13-08-2019
Read the following:

- 1.G.O.Rt.No.550, Higher Education (EC.2) Dept., dated 30.07.2001.
- 2.Orders, Dt.24.08.2018 of Supreme Court of India Civil Appeal No(S) 8529 of 2018 in SLP (C) No.22000 of 2018 filed by Dega Venkata Harsha Vardhan and others Vs. Akula Venkata Harshavardhan and others.
- 3.From the APSCHE, Lr. No.APSCHE/550/15030/352/3/2019/EC, Dt.01.04.2019.
- 4.From the Spl. CTE, AP, Lr.No.EHE02-17/9/2019-Bsec-CTE, Dt.29.03.2019.

In pursuance of the orders of the Supreme Court in the reference 2nd read above, in the circumstances reported by the Spl. CTE, AP and the Secy., APSCHE in the references 3rd and 4th read above, Govt. after careful examination of the matter hereby issue the following amendment to the G.O.Rt.No.550, HE (EC.2) Dept., Dt.30.07.2001 against para (5):-

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5(i) In the counselling process, the seats to be filled by open competition should be filled up first, wherein the candidates should be called for counselling based on merit alone irrespective of whether they belong to SC, ST or BC in accordance with the instructions issued by the Government in G.O.Ms.No.996, Employment & Social Welfare, dated 11th November, 1975.	5 (i) The counselling process shall be web based. In the counselling process open competition seats should be filled up first basing on the options exercised by all the candidates in the order of merit irrespective of whether they belong to SC, ST or BC in accordance with the instructions issued by the Government in G.O.Ms.No.996, Employment & Social Welfare, dated 11th November, 1975.
5(ii) Next, reservation categories like SC/ST/BC candidates will be counselled to fill up the seats earmarked for them in their respective categories. During this process, if a candidate belonging to Scheduled Caste/ Scheduled Tribe/ Backward Classes who had taken admission under open competition, opts for a better branch or a better college of his choice for which he or she would be eligible as per the rules of reservation, the seat vacated by him or her in open competition shall be filled with a candidate from the same reservation category only, in order of merit.	5 (ii)(a).Next, reservation categories like SC/ST/BC candidates will be counselled to fill up the seats earmarked for them in their respective categories. During this process, a Meritorious Reserved Candidate (MRC) who had taken admission under open competition, belonging to Scheduled Caste/ Scheduled Tribe/Backward Classes will be given the options to opt for a better branch or a better college of his or her choice for which he or she would be eligible as per the rules of reservation. 5 (ii)(b). In this process , if a MRC candidate has joined in slided/re-allotted college as per rules of reservation , the vacated seat in open competition will be filled with candidate from the same reserved category only, in order of merit. If the MRC candidate has not joined in slided/re-allotted college as per rules of reservation, the vacated seat in open competition will be filled with open category candidates only , in order of merit.

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2. The Secretary, APSCHE, the CTE, AP, the Spl. CCE, AP, the Vice Chancellors of all State Universities shall take further necessary action accordingly.

J.S.V.PRASAD
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner of Technical Education, AP, Vijayawada
The Spl. CCE, A.P.Vijayawada.
The Secretary, APSHCE, Tadepalli.
All VC of the State Universities in AP

Copy to:

The PS to Principal Secretary to Govt., HM&FW Dept.
The PS to Prl. Secy. to Govt., BC Welfare Dept.
The PS to Prl. Secy., Social Welfare Dept.
The PS to Spl. C.S, HE Dept.
The Registrar, Dr.NTR UHS, Vijayawada.

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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
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Medical Education – Admissions into Undergraduate and Post Graduate Medical and Dental Courses – Constitution of High Level Committee – Orders – Issued.

HEALTH MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (C1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 187

Dated: 13-03-2020
Read the following:

1. Hon'ble Supreme Court orders Dt. 24.8.2008 in Civil Appeal No. (S) 8529 of 2018 in SLP (C) No.22000 of 2018.
2. Hon'ble High Court orders dt. 6.9.2019 in W.P Nos 11018 of 2019 and batch cases.
3. From the Registrar, Dr. NTRUHS, Vijayawada Lr. No. 3700/MBBS/ BDS/EA1/2019 (CC) Dt.18.02.2020.

ORDER:

In the reference 2nd read above, the Hon'ble High Court in its orders dt.6.9.2019 in Writ Petition Nos.11018 of 2019 & Batch, has directed the Government to appoint a High-level Committee consisting of two seniormost I.A.S officers of Secretary level, two versatile academicians / Professors and two designated senior advocates of the Andhra Pradesh High Court, to look into the various issues pertaining to the process of counseling and for submitting a detailed report, making suggestions for holding the counseling in a more transparent manner and to have a quietus to the recurring problem.

2. The Government after careful examination of the matter, hereby constitute a High Level Committee with the following members to look into the various issues pertaining to the process of counseling and for submitting a detailed report, making suggestions for holding the counseling in a more transparent manner and to have a quietus to the recurring problems:

S. No	Name of the Member	Designation
1	Sri Satish Chandra, I.A.S.,	Special Chief Secretary to Government, Higher Education Department
2	Dr. K.S. Jawahar Reddy, I.A.S.,	Special Chief Secretary to Government, Health Medical & Family Welfare Department
3	Dr. I.V. Rao, MD, Former VC of Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences	Academician / Professor
4	Dr. K. Siva Sankara Rao, MS, Prof. & HOD of Surgery, Siddhartha Medical College	Professor
5	Sri Ganta Rama Rao	Senior Advocate
6	Sri A. Satya Prasad.	Senior Advocate
7	The Registrar, Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada.	Convener

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3. The Registrar, Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences shall take necessary action to place the required material before the Committee and take further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

NILAM SAWHNEY
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Members through the Registrar, Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada.

The Registrar, Dr. NTR University of Health Sciences, Vijayawada.

The PS to Special Chief Secretary to Government, Higher Education Department.

The PS to Special Chief Secretary to Government, Health Medical & Family Welfare Department.

Copy to:

The Learned Advocate General, High Court of Andhra Pradesh.

The Director of Medical Education, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada.

The PS to Chief Secretary to CM.

The OSD to Deputy Chief Minister (HFW&ME).

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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Higher Education – Amendment to GO.Rt.550, dated: 30.7.2001 read with G.O.Rt.111, HE (EC) Department, dated: 13.8.2019 – Implementation of reservations for SC/ST/BC's in all Higher Educational Institutions - Orders-Issued.

HIGHER EDUCATION (E.C) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 159

Dated: 13-11-2020.
Read the following:

- 1.G.O.Rt.No.550, Higher Education (EC.2) Dept., dated 30.07.2001.
- 2.G.O.Rt.No.111, HE(EC) Dept., Dt.13.08.2019.
- 3.G.O.Rt.No.187, HM& FW Dept. Dated:13.03.2020.
- 4.Report of High Level Committee, Dt.09.09.2020.
- 5.From the NTR Health University, Lr.No.3700/MBBS/BDS/EA1/2019, Dt.10.09.2020.
- 6.From the HM&FW Dept. (Comp.No.571004), Dt.01.10.2020.

ORDER:-

Based on the High Level Committee report in the reference 4th read above and in the circumstances reported by NTR Health University and HM&FW Department in the references 5th and 6th read above, Government after careful examination of the matter hereby issue the following amendment to the G.O. Rt. No. 550, HE (EC.2) Department, Dt.30.07.2001 read with G.O.Rt.111, HE (EC) Department, Dt.13.08.2019 against para 5(ii)(b):-

AMENDMENT

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5(ii) (b). In this process, if a MRC candidate has joined in slided / re-allotted college as per rules of reservation, the vacated seat in open competition will be filled with candidate from the same reserved category only, in order of merit. If the MRC candidate has not joined in slided / re-allotted college as per rules of reservation, the vacated seat in open competition will be filled with open category candidates only, in order of merit.	5(ii) (b). In this process, if a MRC candidate has slided / re-allotted college as per rules of reservation, the vacated seat in open competition will be filled with candidate from the same reserved category only in order of merit. If the MRC candidate has not joined in slided / re-allotted college in reserved category it will be considered as open category seat. If the reserved candidate after sliding who occupied the MRC vacated seat in open category did not join, it would be filled by same reserved candidate as per rule of reservation in the order of merit and this process shall be continued till the MRC vacated seat gets filled up.

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2. The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education, the Commissioner of Technical Education, AP, the Special Commissioner of Collegiate Education, AP and all the Vice Chancellors of State Universities shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

SATISH CHANDRA
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner of Technical Education, AP, Vijayawada
The Spl. Commissioner of Collegiate Education, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education, Tadepalli.
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The Registrar, Dr.NTR UHS, Vijayawada.

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