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NOTIFICATION

The 22nd February, 2022

No.HLB.280/2006/419.- In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India, the Governor of Assam is hereby pleased to make the following rules further to amend the Assam Medical Education Service Rules, 2008, hereinafter referred to as the principal Rules, in the manner hereinafter appearing, namely:-

Short title, commencement and application

- (1) These rules may be called The Assam Medical Education Service (Amendment) Rules, 2022.
 - (2) They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.
 - (3) It shall be applicable from the academic session 2022 to regulate the admission of the students into Post Graduate /Master of Dental Surgery (MDS) courses in the Medical Colleges and Dental Colleges of Assam respectively.

Amendment of rule 2

- In the principal Rules, in rule 2, after clause (k), the following new clauses shall be inserted, namely:-
 - "(1) 'MHRB' means Medical Health Recruitment Board;
 - (m) 'PVR' means Police Verification Report;
 - (n) 'ACR' means Annual Confidential Report;
 - (o) 'MCI' means Medical Council of India;
 - (p) 'NMC' means National Medical Commission;

- (q) 'UGC' means University Grants Commission;
- (r) 'DACP' means Dynamic Assured Career Progression Scheme of the State Government."

Amendment of rule 5 3. In the principal Rules, in rule 5,-

- (i) in sub- rule (1), in the first line, the words "post of Director of Medical Education Planning and Research and the" appearing in between the words "The" and "posts" shall be deleted.
- (ii) for sub-rule (2),the following shall be substituted, namely:-
 - (a) The posts of Director of Medical Education Planning and Research, Principal-Cum-Chief/ Superintendent, Controller of Examination shall be filled up by selection from eligible candidate."

Amendment of rule 7

- In the principal Rules, in rule 7, for the existing provision, the following shall be substituted, namely:-
 - "7. The minimum age limit and upper age limit for entry in the service and also the age of superannuation of all members under these rules shall be as may be prescribed by the Government from time to time."

Amendment of rule 8 5. In the principal Rules, in rule 8,-

- in clause (ii), for the existing provision, the following shall be substituted, namely:-
 - "(ii) The minimum academic qualification and experience of a candidate for direct recruitment shall be as prescribed by the National Medical Commission (NMC) for Medical posts and by University Grants Commission (UGC) for nonmedical posts from time to time as adopted by the Government from time to time."
- (ii) in clause (iii) for the existing provision, the following shall be substituted, namely:-
 - "(iii) For the posts of Registrar/ Resident Physicians, Lecturers (non-medical) and all other equivalent posts in different subjects the basic qualification required shall be Doctor of Medicine (MD) or Master of Surgery (MS) Degree or Diplomate of National Board (DNB) in the concerned subject as prescribed by NMC from time to time."

Amendment of rule 11 6. In the principal Rules, in rule 11,-

- (i) (a) in sub-rule (1), in clause (i), in the last line, for the words "Medical Council of India", the words "National Medical Commission" (NMC) shall be substituted;
 - (b) in clause (ii), in the third line, for the word "MCI" appearing in between the words "with" and "regulation", the words "National Medical Commission (NMC) shall be substituted.
- (ii) in sub-rule (2), in the last line, for the word "MCI", appearing in between the words "as per" and "norms" the words "National Medical Commission (NMC) shall be substituted.
- (iii) after sub-rule (2), the following new sub-rule (3) shall be inserted, namely:-
 - "(3) A member of the service under the rules shall also be eligible for promotion, re-designation and financial benefits, provided he/she possesses requisite qualification and experience. The member shall have to opt for promotion as prescribed in the DACP Scheme."

Amendment of rule 12 7. In the principal Rules, in rule 12,-

- (i) in sub-rule (3), in the second line, in between the words, 'post of' and "Principal-cum-Chief Superintendent", the words and symbol "Director of Medical Education, Planning and Research" shall be inserted.
- (ii) after sub-rule (7), the following new sub-rules (8) and (9) shall be inserted, namely:-
 - "(8) Though the posts of Deputy Director of Medical Education, Joint Director of Medical Education and Additional Director of Medical education are not filled up by selection, the posts of Deputy Director of Medical Education, Joint Director of Medical education and Additional Director of Medical education shall be equivalent to the posts of Assistant Professor, Associate Professor and Professor respectively.
 - (9) The term of appointment of the members holding the Administrative Posts by selection as per rule 12, shall be for a period of five years or the date of superannuation whichever is earlier."

Amendment of rule 13 8. In the principal Rules, in rule 13,-

- (i) in the first line, in between the words "the service" and "shall be", the words "in non medical posts" shall be inserted.
- (ii) in clause (d), in the fourth line, for the words 'MCI' appearing in between the words "as per" and "norms", the words "NMC" shall be substituted.
- (iii) after clause (e), the following new clause (f) shall be inserted, namely:-
 - "(f) The academic qualification for promotion and re designation of Faculty in Medical Colleges shall be as may be prescribed by The National Medical Commission (NMC) for medical posts and the UGC for non medical posts, from time to time.

Amendment of rule 15 9. In the principal Rules, in rule 15,-

- (i) in sub-rule (1), for serial No. 1, the following shall be substituted, namely:-
 - "1. Senior most Secretary not below the rank of Commissioner and Secretary, Health and Family Welfare – Chairman.".
- (ii) in sub-rule (3), for the existing provision, the following shall be substituted, namely:-
- (3)(a) In case of selection for the post of Director of Medical Education, Assam, the Selection Board shall consist of the following members, namely:-
 - (i) Chief Secretary, Assam Chairperson
 - (ii) Senior most Secretary in Health Member and Family Welfare Department – Secretary
 - (iii) Representative of Personnel Member Department (Not below the rank of Secretary)-
 - (iv) Representative of Finance Member Department (Not below the rank of Secretary)-

- (b) In case of selection for the posts mentioned under sub-rule (2) of rule 5, the Selection Board shall consist of the following the member, namely:-
 - (i) Senior most Secretary in Health Chairperson and Family Welfare Department-
 - (ii) Commissioner and Secretary, Health and Family Welfare Department
 Representative of Personnel Member Department (Not below the rank of Secretary) -
 - (iii) Director of Medical Education- Member
 - (iv) Joint Secretary / Deputy Secretary of Member Health and Family Welfare Secretary Department –

Amendment of rule 22 10. In the principal Rules, in rule 22,-

- (i) in sub-rule (1), in the fourth line, for the figure, symbol and words "2 (two) years", the figure, symbol and words "1(one) year" shall be substituted.
- (ii) in sub-rule (2), in clause (b), for the word and number "rule 23", the word and number "rule 20" shall be substituted.
- Amendment of rule 26 11. In the principal Rules, in rule 26, after clause (ix), the following new clause (x) and (xi) shall be inserted, namely:-
 - "(x) The acceptance by the Government for resignation/ voluntary retirement by a member of the service shall be dependent upon the need of the larger public interest.
 - (xi) The acceptance of the No-Objection Certificate for applying to any post, be it directly under Central Government or any State Government or any other organisation/authority established by the Central or State Government or any other organisation shall be considered only if patient care or academic services at such institute/college where a member of service is so serving, are not affected and shall be dependent upon the need of the larger public interest."

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