The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Ministry of Health & F.W.,
Nirman Bhawan,
New Delhi.

Kind Attention:- Ms Anita Tripathi, U.S. (ME)

Sub: West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata – Recognition of MD(Microbiology) qualification in respect of students being trained at School of Tropical Medicine, Kolkata.

I am directed to state that the Board of Governors, Medical Council of India considered the assessment report (May, 2012) on the standard of examination and other teaching facilities available at School of Tropical Medicine, Kolkata for Recognition of MD(Microbiology) qualification granted by the West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata and it was decided as under:

"The Board of Governors considered the assessment report (May, 2012) and decided to recommend that MD(Microbiology) qualification granted by West Bengal University of Health Sciences, Kolkata in respect of students being trained at School of Tropical Medicine, Kolkata be recognized and included in the 1st Schedule to the I.M.C. Act, 1956 restricting the number of admissions to 05(Five) student(s) per year."

The attention of the institute is drawn to Clauses 6.4 and 6.6 of the Postgraduate Medical Education (Amendment) Regulations, 2000, Part-II, dated 21st July, 2009 and act accordingly at appropriate time, which reads as under:-

6.4 The recognition so granted to a Post Graduate Course shall be for a maximum period of 5 years, upon which it shall have to be renewed.

6.6 Failure to seek timely renewal of recognition as required in sub-clause-4 shall invariably result in stoppage of admissions to the concerned Post Graduate Course.

You are requested to issue notification recognizing the above qualification on or after May, 2012. A copy of inspection report is enclosed herewith.

[Prof. Sanjay Shrivastava]
Secretary

Dated: 05-01-13