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November 21, 2016

To,

The Director
NSHM Knowledge Campus,
Kolkata - Group of Institutions,
124, B.L. Saha Road,
Kolkata - 700 053,
West Bengal

Subject: Accreditation status of programme applied by NSHM Knowledge Campus, Kolkata - Group of Institutions, 124, B.L. Saha Road, Kolkata - 700 053, West Bengal.

Sir,

This has reference to your application ID. No. 1422 dated 22/06/2015 in Tier-II format seeking accreditation by National Board of Accreditation to the UG Pharmacy programme offered by NSHM Knowledge Campus, Kolkata - Group of Institutions, 124, B.L. Saha Road, Kolkata - 700 053, West Bengal.

2. An Expert Team conducted an on-site evaluation of the program during 24th to 25th September, 2016. The report submitted by the Expert Team was considered by the concerned Committees constituted for the purpose in NBA. The competent authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the program as given in the table below:

SI. No.	Name of the Programme (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1	Pharmacy	Tier II Document	Provisionally Accredited	Academic Years 2016-2017 and 2017-2018 i.e. upto 30-06-2018	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Col.5 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier.

- 3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.
- 4. The accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to NSHM Knowledge Campus, Kolkata Group of Institutions, 124, B.L. Saha Road, Kolkata 700 053, West Bengal as a whole. As such the Institute should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because it is programme accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the programme(s) accredited, level of program and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the date from which the accreditation is effective, should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

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- 5. The accreditation status of the above program is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited program as indicated in the Table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of your Institution.
- 6. The accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in Table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.
- 7. Copy of Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team and Evaluators' report in respect of the above program are also enclosed.
- 8. If the Institute is not satisfied with the decision of NBA, it may appeal within thirty days of receipt of this communication giving reasons for the same and by paying the requisite fee.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa) Member Secretary

Encls: 1. Copy of Report of Chairman of the Visiting Team.

2. Copy of Expert Report of the Visiting Team.

Copy to:

 The Registrar
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- Director Technical Education
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- 3. Accreditation File
- 4. Master Accreditation file of the State.