Proceedings of the meeting of the Educational Fee Fixation Committee held under the Chairmanship of Justice Akhilesh Chandra (Retd.) on 17.07.2025 at 11:30 A.M. in presence of the following Members:-

- (1) Sri Dinesh Kumar Jha, Joint Secretary, Department of Health, representing Member Secretary
- (2) Dr. Md. Sharif, Senior Professor, Ex-Principal, Patna Law College
- (3) Sri Ashish Rohatgi, C.A. (Member)

Agenda wise following resolutions are taken:-

Agenda No.1:-

Confirmation of the proceedings of the previous meeting dated 30.12.2024.

The proceedings of the previous meeting dated 30.12.2024 are confirmed.

Agenda No.2:-

Approval of expenditures till date.

Expenditures are approved till date.

Agenda No.03:-

To monitor the progress of earlier resolutions taken vide Agenda Nos.05 (ii) besides deferred Agenda No.03 in the previous meeting dated 30.12.2024.

- (i) Relating to appointment of an Office Assistant on the second sanctioned post.

 Dr. Ranjeet Kumar Sinha, OSD assures to do the needful immediately
- (ii) Relating to framing of Rules.
 Mr. Dinesh Kumar Jha, Joint Secretary intimates that the matter was considered by the Cabinet and for more needful it was returned to the office and now after due approval the same will be resent.

(iii) Accommodation and infrastructure for the Committee.

Still no progress. Mr. Dinesh Kumar Jha assures to expedite the matter and at the same time take immediate step to get the Lift in the building which is for more than two months not functioning, operational at the earliest.

(iv) Issuance of necessary directions to all concerned with respect to insertion of the status of fee fixed by the Committee in the respective proposals of the Private Medical and Dental Colleges while mentioning their respective fee structures before the BCECE Board.

The colleges have been intimated vide letter No. Sa.Sa.-1/Shee. Shu-04/2016-345 (1) dated 11.04.2025

(v) The action taken with respect to RDJM Medical College & Hospital, Turki, Muzaffarpur in the light of letter No.Sa.Sa.-1/Vividh-13/2017-262 (1) dated 15.05.2024 and letter No. 524 (Ka) dated 09th September, 2024.

The reminder has been issued to the college vide letter dated 11.07.2025 for compliance. Mr. Jha assures to expedite the matter.

(vi) (a) Relating to the action taken by NMC.

Deferred due to absence of Dr. Santhosh Kumar Kraleti, representing NMC

(b) Relating to status of the LPA, if filed.

L.P.A. No.1096 of 2024 has been file but the same is still pending for Admission. Mr. Jha assures to expedite it.

(vii) Relating to the notifications to be issued by the State of Bihar with respect to the fee for U.G. and P.G. Medical courses of various colleges, fixed by the Committee respectively on 18.07.2024, 22.08.2024, 19.09.2024 and 15.10.2024.

Still under consideration before the concerned authority and Mr. Jha assures to take care of, not only with respect to the above but also the fee fixed on 10.12.2024 and even today.

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Agenda No.04:-

04. To consider and discuss the report of the Working Group with respect to the proposals submitted on 30.12.2024 vide Ref No. LBKMCH 440-443-446/24 dated 29.12.2024 and the revised proposal dated 19.02.2024 by Lord Buddha Koshi Medical College and Hospital, Saharsa.

On due consideration the Committee passed 13 pages reasoned order which be kept with the file after communicating to all concerned under the signature of Dr. Ranjeet Kumar Sinha, OSD., the operative portion of which is as follows:-

The above revised proposal, which was under consideration since before during inter se discussions among the Members, seems nearer to the tentative conclusion arrived by the Members. Consequently, the revised proposal dated 19.02.2025 is accepted and the fee for the session 2024-25 MS/MD course, as detailed below, is fixed :-

1. MS-Ophthalmology (Eye)	20.00
2. MS-ENT	15.00 For resident Indians and
3. MD-Radiology	44.00

for NRI only for MD Radiology USD 102,400.00, per annum excluding Hostel & Mess Charges but the college will not charge any amount under the above head more than what is proposed in revised proposal as mentioned in para-09 of the order.

The Committee further directs that the institution shall not charge either directly or indirectly any other amount over and above the amount fixed as fee and if any other amount is charged under any other head or guise that is donations, fee by any other name the same would amount to charging of capitation fee. Any deviation of this order of the committee will invite serious consequences.



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Agenda No.05.

05. To consider and discuss the report of the Working Group with respect to the proposal submitted on 09.01.2025 vide Ref. No.5055/25 dated 08.01.2025 and the revised proposal dated 20.02.2025 by Madhubani Medical College, Madhubani and pass necessary orders.

On due consideration the Committee passed 11 pages reasoned order which be kept with the file after communicating to all concerned under the signature of Dr. Ranjeet Kumar Sinha, OSD., the operative portion of which is as follows:-

The above revised proposal, which was under consideration since before during inter se discussions among the Members, seems nearer to the tentative conclusion arrived by the Members. Consequently, the revised proposal of the college submitted on 20.02.2025 is accepted and fee per annum for MS Otorhinolaryngology for the batch 2024-27 is fixed Rs.12 Lacs for resident Indian and 22,000 USD for NRI excluding hostel and mess charges but the college will not charge any amount under the above head more than what is proposed in revised proposal as mentioned in para- 09 of the order.

The Committee further directs that the institution shall not charge either directly or indirectly any other amount over and above the amount fixed as fee and if any other amount is charged under any other head or guise that is donations, fee by any other name the same would amount to charging of capitation fee. Any deviation of this order of the committee will invite serious consequences.

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Agenda No.06

06. To consider and discuss about the future courses, if any to be adopted) with respect to order dated 24.09.2024 passed by the Hon'ble High Court, Patna in CWJC No.13742 of 2023 arising out of the order dated 08.08.2023 of this Committee with respect to Madhubani Medical College, Madhubani.

Discussed and it is resolved to authorize the Member Secretary to request the Hon'ble Court through proper channel for hearing and necessary order at the earliest possible,

Agenda No.07

- 07. Any other point or points under the permission of the Hon'ble Chairman.
 - (i) The Committee is shocked due to non-completion of the process of fixation of fee with respect to Mithila Minority Dental College and Hospital, Darbhanga, R.D.J.M Medical College and Hospital, Turki, Muzaffarpur, Madhubani Medical College, Madhubani, Netaji Subhas Medical College and Hospital, Bihta, Patna, Shree Narayan Medical Institute and Hospital, Saharsa and Lord Buddha Koshi Medical College and Hospital, Saharsa only because the laches on the part of the respective colleges which caused delay in submission of their proposals and furnishing complete supporting documents.

It is considered opinion of the Committee that the Member Secretary in his official capacity should take initiative so that in future no such occasion may arise.

(ii) It is also shocking that in spite of due information a few colleges such as, Himalaya Medical College and Hospital, Chiksi, Paliganj, Patna, Katihar Medical College, Katihar, Narayan Medical College and Hospita, Jamuhar Rohtas and M.G.M. Medical College and Hospital, Kishanganj have not yet submitted their proposals before the Committee.

It is also supposed that the Member Secretary shall in his official capacity also look into the matter.

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(iii) Since the proposals submitted by the colleges as above para (i) are under active consideration/scrutiny of the Working Group, which assures to submits its reports on or before 23rd July, 2025.

In view of the above and commencement of the counselling for admission, the Members of the Committee shall be meeting to consider the reports, etc. and decide the respective fees at 11.30 A.M. on Friday (25.07.2025).

Dinesh Kumar Jha,
Joint Secretary, Health Department
representing Member Secretary

Educational Fee Fixation Committee, Bihar, Patna

Justice Akhilesh Chandra (Retd.)

Chairman

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