



## FEES REGULATING AUTHORITY

Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions  
(Regulation of Admissions and Fees)

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### Minutes of Meeting of Authority

Dt. 10/06/2023

The Meeting of the Fees Regulating Authority (constituted under section 11(2)(3)(4) of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 held on 10<sup>th</sup> June 2023 in the Conference Hall, Room No. 305, Government Polytechnic Building, 49 Kherwadi, Ali Yawar Jung Marg, Bandra (E), Mumbai – 400 051.

The following were present:-

1.	Hon'ble Justice V. L. Achliya (Retd.), Chairperson of Fees Regulating Authority	: Present.
2.	Dr. Vijay Vasant Khole, Ex-Vice Chancellor, Mumbai University, Member of Fees Regulating Authority	: Presence dispensed for a day at his request.
3.	Shri. Manoj Damodar Chandak, Chartered Accountant, Member of Fees Regulating Authority	: Present.
4.	Shri. Ratnakar (Shirish) Phadtare, Cost Accountant, Member of Fees Regulating Authority	: Present.
5.	Shri. Dharmendra Dilip Mishra, Professional Educationist, Member of Fees Regulating Authority	: Present.
6.	Shri. L. S. Mali, I.A.S., Member Secretary of Fees Regulating Authority	: Present through video conferencing.

### **Part-B**

#### **Item No.1:**

**To consider the proposals for approval of fees for the academic year 2023-2024.**

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**To consider the letter dated 21/04/2023 received from N.K.P. Salve Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre and Lata Mangeshkar Hospital, Nagpur (MBBS0006).**

"Discussed.

By letter dated 21/04/2023 the Dean of the above mentioned college has informed that the Institute has inadvertently submitted the proposal for Upward Revision of fees instead of No Upward Revision of fees for the academic year 2023-2024 in respect of M.D., M.S. & Super Speciality course



alongwith M.B.B.S course and requested to allow the Institute to withdraw the proposal to the extent of M.D., M.S. & Super Speciality course.

On due consideration of the request, the Authority is of the view the request cannot be entertained in the light of the provisions of the Maharashtra Unaided Private Professional Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions and Fees) Act, 2015 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act 2015"). So also the reason assigned cannot be accepted as genuine and inadvertent mistake. The Institute has submitted full fledged proposal with supporting evidence seeking Upward Revisions of fees in respect of M.B.B.S., M.D., M.S. & Super Speciality course run by the Institute. The online proposal was submitted on 14/12/2022. The hard copy of the proposal was submitted in the month of January 2023. By no stretch of imagination, it can be inferred that the mistake was inadvertent & Institute has wrongly selected the option of Upward Revision of fees. The reason assigned is false and by way of afterthought.

As provided u/s. 14 (1)(a) of the Act of 2015 the Unaided Institute running the Professional courses are required to submit the proposal in a manner prescribed u/s. 14 (1) (a) of the Act of 2015. In fact the Institute has acted in accordance with sec. 14 (1)(a) of the Act of 2015 and submitted full fledged proposal with requisite documents to finalized the reasonable fees for the academic year 2023-2024 .

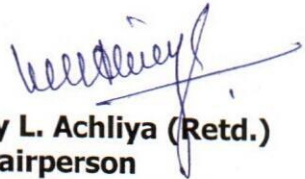
The Option to continue to apply the fees structure approved for the previous academic year for the immediate next succeeding year can be exercised by the Institute by opting for No Upward Revision of fees by choosing not to submit the proposal as provided u/s. 14 (1)(b) of the Act of 2015. Once the proposal is submitted in a manner prescribed u/s. 14 (1)(a) of the Act of 2015 no option available u/s. 14 (1)(b) of the Act of 2015 & the proposal submitted cannot be withdrawn fully or partly. The Authority has to decide the proposal as received for the determination of fees for the academic year 2023-2024 submitted by the Institute for M.B.B.S. course as well as M.D., M.S. & Superspeciality course.

In view of above the request of the Institute for part withdrawal of the proposal to the extent of M.D., M.S. & Superspeciality course cannot be entertained. The reason assigned appears to be false and afterthought. It was therefore decided to reject the application.

Let follow up action be taken accordingly".

**Date: 10<sup>th</sup> June 2023**

**Place: Mumbai**

  
**Justice Vijay L. Achliya (Retd.)**  
**Chairperson**  
**Fees Regulating Authority**  
**State of Maharashtra**