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To all the Existing Pharmacy Institutions, which applied for 2026-27 academic session

Sub: Opening of Portal for Introduction of New Course (INTRO) and Raise of Intake (RAISE) of existing courses.

Sir/Madam,

With reference to the subject cited above, it is informed that in compliance with the Order dt. 8.9.2025 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme court in Miscellaneous Application No. 1409 of 2025 with IA No. 155217 of 2025 in Civil Appeal No. 9048 of 2012, that the Council has re-developed a new application process on the DIGI-PHARMed Portal for the submission of applications pertaining to Introduction of New Course (**INTRO**) and Raise of Intake (**RAISE**) in existing courses.

The INTRO and RAISE portal shall remain open throughout the year, subject to the academic calendar and timelines prescribed. Accordingly, PCI is enabling institutions to submit their applications through this newly developed portal in alignment with the prescribed schedule shared by Council earlier vide circular No. 563 having Ref. No. 14-56/2025-PCI (Review of SIF) dated 12.09.2025.

Please note that:

- the Intro/Raise application for 2026-2027 Academic Session has been already considered based on the SIF submitted by the institutions as the separate portal was under development.
- For the existing SIF, institutions will be required to submit **the SIF** as usual based on **future communications** by the Council later on for future academic sessions **as per the** academic calendar.

Only those institutions that have successfully submitted their Standard Inspection Form (SIF) for the academic session 2026-2027 shall be eligible to apply for INTRO and RAISE application.

For institutions which have not applied for the 2026-2027 academic session will be required to firstly submit the application for 2027-2028 Academic session once Council opens the portal. **Subsequently**, the **Intro/Raise application** window will be **opened for these institutions**.

Important Instructions:

- The portal shall be used exclusively for submission of INTRO and RAISE applications only. This application should not be considered as an existing SIF application for the given academic session by any existing institutions.
- The institution must note that the application received till 14th November will only be considered for the prospective session as per the academic calendar.
- Institutions are advised to ensure that all pre-requisite requirements and documentation are completed prior to submission. The application is divided into two phases i.e.
 1. **Phase 1:** Submission of Statutory documents and additional necessary documents.
 2. **Phase 2:** Once the first stage of statutory documents submission is approved by the Council, then institutions will receive option to update the additional documents and information for their applicable category.

In case, the Phase 1 is not “approved” then institutions application will be not considered for the Intro/Raise and neither will the option to submit Phase 2 appear.
 3. The application will be considered as submitted only after the completion of Phase 1 with approved status and submission of Phase 2 details by the institutions along with the OTP authentication. If any institutions have only Phase 1 status as “submitted and approved” but did not complete the Phase 2 application then such applications will not be considered for the Intro/Raise Consideration of those existing institutions.

Yours faithfully

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Registrar-cum-Secretary