## No.27209/Health-II/H5/2024-25 GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY CHIEF SECRETARIAT (HEALTH)

Puducherry, the 08.01.2025

VTO

The Coordinator (Admission), CENTAC, Puducherry.

Sir.

Sub: Chief Secretariat (Health-II) – Inclusion of One seat - MS (Orthopaedics) in the PG MD / MS Seat Matrix 2024-25 under Management Quota of PIMS as per the approval accorded by the Post Graduate Medical Education Board, NMC, New Delhi for conducting admission– Reg.

Ref: This Secretariat PG MD/MS Seat Matrix issued vide Letter of even no. dated 30.09.2024.

I am directed to stated that the PG MD/MS Seat Matrix for the academic year 2024-25 was issued to CENTAC, Puducherry vide reference cited above, wherein, one seat was earmarked to MS (Orthopaedics) under CENTAC Government quota in Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Puducherry as the NMC has accorded approval for only one seat in MS (Orthopaedics) (reduced from 02 to 01) for the academic year 2024-25.

- 2. Subsequently, on 2<sup>nd</sup> appeal made by the PIMS, Puducherry to NMC, the Post Graduate Medical Education Board, NMC, New Delhi has accorded approval for the restoration and continuation of two MS (Orthopaedics) Seats for the academic year 2024-25 in respect of PIMS, Puducherry vide Order dated 29.11.2024.
- 3. Accordingly, it is directed that the additional one seat approved by the NMC above be allotted to PIMS under Management Quota as per the Seat Sharing policy and the admission for the above one seat be processed along with remaining unfilled PG MD/MS seats in the ensuing rounds as per the CENTAC counselling procedures.
- 4. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Yours faithfully.

UNDER SECRETARY TO GOVT. (HEALTH-II)

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The Director, Directorate of Health and Family Welfare Services, Puducherry.