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Sub: Constitution of Enabling Units for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBD)

Ref: NMC Circular dated 27/07/2026, No: NMC/U-11021/24204/PwBD/2026.

In accordance with the above circular, an Enabling Unit is hereby constituted in our institute with following members in compliance with the provisions of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016.

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The Enabling Unit shall function as the single point of contact for students with benchmark disabilities and shall, inter alia:

- A. facilitate access to reasonable accommodation, academic and clinical support measures, and barrier-free access within the institution;
- B. receive and address requests relating to disability-specific accommodations during the course of study, including clinical training and internship;
- C. disseminate information regarding the availability, role, and contact details of the Enabling Unit to all students at the time of admission and through the institution's website and notice boards;
- D. coordinate with the designated Disability Assessment Board, faculty, hospital administration, and other competent authorities to ensure timely implementation of reasonable accommodation in accordance with the RPwD Act, 2016 and the guidelines issued by the National Medical Commission; and
- E. maintain records of requests received and accommodations provided, while ensuring confidentiality and non-discrimination.

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To:

All Members of Enabling Unit for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities (PwBD).