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PRESS RELEASE

The Board of Professional Entrance Examinations completed the first online counselling of MD/MS/PG Diploma candidates on 01-05-2018, when it notified a list of 459 candidates. The Board, due to extra-ordinary situations prevailing in the Valley, conducted second upgradation/allotment round on 07-05-2018 against the shortfall reported by the Colleges, through physical round of counselling instead of online counseling as a candidate friendly measure and to ensure that the vacant seats do not get waste, as no admission can be granted after 12-05-2018 as per MCI schedule, which has the seal and stamp of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India. During the upgradation round against 52 odd seats almost every candidate approached the Board and the Board working round the clock ensured that the process is completed. Accordingly, 110 candidates were allotted seats/upgraded.

On the basis of the shortfall received from the colleges, the Board conducted one more round of counselling on 09-05-2018. However, almost all the candidates, irrespective of their rank/age approached the Board and raised certain demands and some candidates tried to create confusion and derail the whole process. However, the Board as a candidate friendly measure granted certain relaxations in the procedures as under:-

- i) The time for submission of resignation has been extended upto 10-05-2018 2.00 p.m.
- ii) The conversion of category seats into OM has been delayed upto 3.00 p.m. on 10-05-2018;
- iii) Unfilled category seats to be filled from categories on 10-05-2018 (2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.)
- iv) Mopping up round to be held on 11-05-2018. All willing and eligible candidates can participate in the process at their own risk and responsibility and the Board shall not be responsible under any circumstances if the candidate allotted the seat during mopping up round is not able to join the college within the stipulated cut o time of 12.05.2018 and such candidates will fall under SRO 48 of 2018.

The Board as a candidate friendly measure has considering the prevailing situation and the delay in admission process due to litigations, filed an application before the Hon'ble Supreme Court for grant of extension in time in completion of process, but the Hon'ble Supreme Court has not granted any relief so far.