

PRESS NOTE

NBE, an autonomous organisation of Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India, has been entrusted with the task of conducting National Eligibility cum Entrance Test - Post Graduate (NEET-PG 2019) for admission to various medical Post-Graduate courses in the Country. NBE is conducting NEET-PG 2019 on 6/1/2019 for more than 1,48,000 candidates in 165 cities all across the country. The examination is being conducted on computer based platform in one single session.

NBE had several centres arranged in Jammu & Kashmir. Due to inclement weather conditions in Jammu & Kashmir, some candidates from Srinagar Valley who had opted for testing centre in Jammu or other cities were facing extreme difficulty in moving from Srinagar to their designated test centre due to complete blockage of air and road transport.

NBE is committed to give an opportunity to such affected candidates to appear in NEET-PG 2019. NBE had taken up this matter with Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India, Medical Council of India and Govt. of Jammu & Kashmir and after discussions it has been decided, being a *Force majeure* situation, to hold a separate examination for these affected candidates. The date, time and venue shall be informed in due course.

NEET-PG being a high stake and national level examination, NBE is taking all measures to ensure that sanctity of the examination is preserved.

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