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F. No. 28-439-2015-NBA

To,

The Principal, Vivekanand Education Society's College of Pharmacy, Hashu Advani Memorial Complex, Behind Collector Colony, Chembur (E), Mumbai - 400 074, Maharashtra.

Subject: Extension of the Period of Accreditation status granted to UG Pharmacy program offered by Vivekanand Education Society's College of Pharmacy, Hashu Advani Memorial Complex, Behind Collector Colony, Chembur (E), Mumbai - 400 074, Maharashtra.

Sir,

This has reference to NBA's letter of even number dated 21-11-2016 under which UG Pharmacy program offered by your Institution was granted provisional accreditation for 2 years in Tier II by National Board of Accreditation.

2. National Board of Accreditation (NBA) has now decided that in all cases where UG Pharmacy program of an Institution was granted provisional accreditation for a period of 2 years in Tier I/ II format, the period of provisional accreditation of these programs shall be extended from 2 to 3 years subject to the condition that they meet the essential Pre-visit qualifiers. The Pre-visit qualifiers submitted by Vivekanand Education Society's College of Pharmacy, Hashu Advani Memorial Complex, Behind Collector Colony, Chembur (E), Mumbai - 400 074, Maharashtra have been considered. The following UG Pharmacy program meets the essential parameters of Pre-qualifiers. Accordingly, the competent authority in NBA has approved the following accreditation status to the program as given in the Table below:

SI. No.	Name of the Program (UG)	Basis of Evaluation	Accreditation Status	Period of Validity	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Pharmacy	Tier-II Document	Provisionally Accredited	Academic Year 2018-19, i.e., upto 30.06.2019	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Column No. 5 or till the program has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier.

- 3. It may be noted that only students who graduate during the validity period of accreditation, will be deemed to have graduated with an NBA accredited degree.
- 4. The program has been granted provisional accreditation. Vivekanand Education Society's College of Pharmacy, Hashu Advani Memorial Complex, Behind Collector Colony, Chembur (E), Mumbai 400 074, Maharashtra should submit the Compliance Report at least six months before the expiry of validity of accreditation mentioned above to be eligible to be considered by the concerned Committee in NBA for further processing of the accreditation status. This could entail further extension of accreditation or a revisit, as deemed appropriate by NBA Committees.

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- The accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to Vivekanand Education Society's College of Pharmacy, Hashu Advani Memorial Complex, Behind Collector Colony, Chembur (E), Mumbai 400 074, Maharashtra as a whole. As such the Institute should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc. write that it is accredited by NBA because it is program accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously. Complete name of the program(s) accredited, level of program and the period of validity of accreditation, as well as the date from which the accreditation is effective, should be mentioned unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.
- 6. The accreditation status of the above program is subject to change on periodic review, as deemed necessary by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited program as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of the College.
- 7. The accreditation status awarded to the program as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. Anil Kumar Nassa) Member Secretary

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