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रसायन और उर्वरक मंत्रालय / Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers
औषध विभाग / Department of Pharmaceuticals

शास्त्री भवन, नई दिल्ली /
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated the 9th June, 2025

CORRIGENDUM / ADDENDUM

Subject: - Modification in the operational guidelines of sub-scheme “**Capacity Building and Skill Development for Medical Devices**” under the scheme “**Strengthening of Medical Device Industry**”-regarding.

Department of Pharmaceuticals issued Operational Guidelines of sub-scheme “**Capacity Building and Skill Development for Medical Devices**” under the scheme “**Strengthening of Medical Device Industry**” on 8.11.2024.

2. Based on the decision taken in the Scheme Steering Committee (SSC) meeting held on 09.04.2025, the following amendment in certain provisions of Chapter-IV of the sub-scheme “**Capacity Building and Skill Development for Medical Devices**” guidelines dated 8.11.2024-

Clause No.	Existing clause in the guidelines	Amended clause in the guidelines
4.3.1 (first paragraph)	Financial assistance will be provided to <i>Center Government Universities/Institutes</i> for running multi-disciplinary post-graduate courses in medical device with objective of building infrastructure for education and research in medical devices and developing skilled workforce adaptable to changing requirements of Medical Device sector.....	Financial assistance will be provided to Central Government Universities/Institutes for running multi-disciplinary post-graduate courses in medical device with objective of building infrastructure for education and research in medical devices and developing skilled workforce adaptable to changing requirements of Medical Device sector.....
4.3.1 (second paragraph) - (funding clause)	Department of Pharmaceuticals will provide up to 75% of the cost of the course or Rs 21 Cr., whichever is lower, on reimbursement basis.	Department of Pharmaceuticals will provide up to 75% of the cost of the course or Rs 21 Cr., whichever is lower, on reimbursement basis as and when expenditure is incurred.
4.3.2 (reimbursement mode)	Financial support based on the number of students (Rs. 25,000/student/month for diploma and Rs 10,000/student/month for certificate/ skill development training programs) will be provided to the trainee institute for the number of students enrolled.	Financial support based on the number of students (Rs. 25,000/student/month for diploma and Rs 10,000/student/month for certificate/ skill development training programs) will be provided on quarterly reimbursement basis to the trainee institute for the number of students enrolled.
4.6 (final settlement of accounts)	The grant paid by the DoP shall be refunded by the institution as and when the programme is	The grant paid by the DoP shall be refunded by the institution as and when the programme is discontinued midway or the

(second para)	discontinued midway or the detailed conditions as laid down and approved by the DoP are not followed.	detailed conditions as laid down and approved by the DoP are not followed. However, expenditure incurred and claimed towards non-recurring expenses shall not be required to be refunded.
4.10 (support withdrawal condition)	If the total number of students admitted in a particular academic session is less than 50% of its intake.	If, against the annual student intake approved by DoP in its final approval letter, admissions are less than 30% of the approved annual intake in the first academic year, or less than 50% of the approved annual intake in the second or third year.

3. All other clauses contained in Chapter-IV of sub-scheme “**Capacity Building and Skill Development for Medical Devices**” guidelines dated 08.11.2024 remain unchanged.

4. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.


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To

- (i) Director, NIC, DoP- with a request to upload the same in the Department of Pharmaceuticals website.
- (ii) CEO, LSSSDC-PMA of the scheme- for information and necessary action.