



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

No.5494/K2/2011/H & FWD
Health & Family Welfare (K) Department
Thiruvananthapuram
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CIRCULAR

Sub:- Kerala Paramedical Council-Renaming of Diploma in Operation Theatre Technology (DOTT) course as Diploma in Operation Theatre and Anesthesia Technology (DOTAT) course-Issuance of Equivalency Certificate to Diploma in Operation Theatre Technology holders-Guidelines-reg.

Ref:- (1) G.O.(Rt)No.3426/2011/H&FWD dated 29/09/2011.
(2) Minutes of the Paramedical Council Meeting held on 27.09.2011.

The Government vide order read above have renamed the Diploma in Operation Theatre Technology (DOTT) course as Diploma in Operation Theatre and Anesthesia Technology (DOTAT) course from the academic year 2011-12. Since the curriculum and syllabus of the DOTAT course are one and the same for DOTT course and considering that the DOTT holders are denied of the opportunity to get placement as Anaesthesia Technician, the Paramedical Council meeting held on 27.09.2011 decided to issue an equivalency certificate to the students who have successfully completed the DOTT course, stating that both the courses are same.

Following modalities will be followed for the issuance of equivalence certificate:

- a) The Director of Medical Education shall prepare an application proforma for this purpose and publish it in the official website of Paramedical Council (www.keralaparamedicalcouncil.org)
- b) DOTT holders requiring equivalence certificate shall submit duly filled application along with copies of mark list, course certificate and Paramedical Council Registration certificate to the Director of Medical Education.
- c) The Director of Medical Education shall verify the application, mark list and certificates and forward all these documents along with specific remarks/recommendation to the Secretary, Kerala Paramedical Council.
- d) Based on the remarks / recommendations of the Director of Medical Education the Secretary, Paramedical Council shall either issue the equivalence certificate or issue letter rejecting the application.

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JOINT SECRETARY

To

The Director of Medical Education, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Director of Health Services, Thiruvananthapuram.
The Director, Information and Public Relations Department, Thiruvananthapuram.
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the website)
Personal Assistant to Chairman, Kerala Paramedical Council.
CA to the Secretary, Kerala Paramedical Council.
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Section Officer