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### PART I: SECTION (I) — GENERAL

#### Government Notifications

L.D.—B 21/78 II.

THE UNIVERSITIES ACT, No. 16 OF 1978

ORDINANCE made by the University Grants Commission under section 140 read with section 18 of the Universities Act, No. 16 of 1978.

DR. B. S. WIJEWEERA,

Secretary,

University Grants Commission.

Colombo, 10th December, 1985.

#### Ordinance

1. The Postgraduate Institute of Medicine Ordinance, No. 1, of 1980, published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 83/7 of April 10, 1980, is hereby amended as follows:

(1) in sub-paragraphs (6) and (7) of paragraph 7 thereof, by the omission of the words "Until such arrangements are made, the Registrar of the University shall carry on the routine duties of the office."

(2) by the repeal of paragraph 10 thereof and the substitution therefor of the following paragraph:

"10. The Board of Management (hereinafter referred to as the "Board") shall be the academic and executive body of the Institute, and shall consist of—

(1) the following ex officio members, namely—

- (a) the Director;
- (b) the Secretary to the Ministry of the Minister in charge of the subject of Higher Education or the nominee of such Secretary;
- (c) the Secretary to the Ministry of the Minister in charge of the subject of Health or the nominee of such Secretary;
- (d) the Secretary to the Ministry of the Minister in charge of the subject of Teaching Hospitals or the nominee of such Secretary;
- (e) the Secretary to the Ministry of the Minister in charge of the subject of Finance or the nominee of such Secretary;
- (f) the Director—General of Health Services;
- (g) the Director of Teaching Hospitals;
- (h) the Deputy Director—General of Health Services in charge of the subject of Medical Services;

- (i) the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Colombo, Sri Lanka;
- (j) the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka;
- (k) the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Jaffna, Sri Lanka; and
- (l) the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Ruhuna, Sri Lanka;

(2) the following other members, namely—

- (a) one member elected by the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Colombo, Sri Lanka, from among the Heads of Departments of such Faculty;
- (b) one member elected by the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka from among the Heads of Departments of such Faculty;
- (c) one member elected by the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Jaffna, Sri Lanka from among the Heads of Departments of such Faculty;
- (d) one member elected by the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Ruhuna, Sri Lanka from among the Heads of Departments of such Faculty; and
- (e) eight members appointed by the Commission from among persons who have rendered distinguished service in educational, professional, scientific or administrative spheres;

Provided that at least five members so appointed shall be from among the members of the medical profession."

(3) in paragraph 11 thereof—

- (i) by the substitution, in sub-paragraph (6) of that paragraph, for the words "Any appointed member of the Board", of the words "Any elected or appointed member of the Board"; and



(ii) by the repeal of sub-paragraph (7) of that paragraph and the substitution therefor, of the following sub-paragraph:—

“(7) The members of the Board shall be paid such remuneration or allowances as the Minister shall in consultation with the Minister in charge of the subject of Finance, determine.”

(4) in paragraph 13 thereof—

(i) by the insertion, immediately after sub-paragraph (l) of the following new sub-paragraphs.

“(m) Forensic Medicine;

(n) Microbiology;

(o) Otolaryngology; and

(p) Radiotherapy and Oncology.”;

(5) in paragraph 14 thereof—

(1) by the repeal of sub-paragraphs (1), (2) and (3) of that paragraph, and the substitution therefor, of the following sub-paragraphs:—

“(1) Where a Board of Study has been established in respect of a speciality for which one or more than one university in Sri Lanka has a Department of Study, such Board shall consist of the following persons:

(a) the Director;

(b) six members elected by the appropriate professional body from among the members of such professional body;

(c) the Head of the Department of Study of each University in Sri Lanka having a Faculty of Medicine;

(d) one member elected by the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Colombo, Sri Lanka from among the Professors, Associate Professors and Senior Lecturers of such Faculty;

(e) one member elected by the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka from among the Professors, Associate Professors and Senior Lecturers of such Faculty;

(f) one member elected by the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Jaffna, Sri Lanka from among the Professors, Associate Professors and Senior Lecturers of such Faculty; and

(g) one member elected by the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Ruhuna, Sri Lanka from among the Professors, Associate Professors and Senior Lecturers of such Faculty.

(2) Where a Board of Study has been established in respect of a speciality for which no University in Sri Lanka has established a Department of Study, such Board of Study shall consist of the following persons:

(a) the Director;

(b) five members elected by the appropriate professional body from among the members of such professional body;

(c) one member elected by the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Colombo, Sri Lanka from among the Professors, Associate Professors and Senior Lecturers of such Faculty;

(d) one member elected by the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka, from among the Professors, Associate Professors and Senior Lecturers of such Faculty;

(e) one member elected by the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Jaffna, Sri Lanka from among the Professors, Associate Professors and Senior Lecturers of such Faculty; and

(f) one member elected by the Faculty Board of the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Ruhuna, Sri Lanka from among the Professors, Associate Professors and Senior Lecturers of such Faculty.”

(2) by the repeal of sub-paragraph (7) of that paragraph and the substitution therefor, of the following sub-paragraph:—

“(7) Each Board of Study shall have a Secretary appointed by the Board upon the recommendation of the appropriate Board of Study.”

(6) in paragraph 24 thereof,—

(i) by the repeal of proviso (2) of that paragraph and the substitution therefor, of the following provisos:—

“(2) that any University established or deemed to be established under the Act, may grant and confer such degrees, diplomas, certificates and other academic distinctions in any speciality in medicine in respect of which no Board of Study has been established by the Institute under the provisions of paragraph 13;

(3) that any University established or deemed to be established under the Act, may grant and confer postgraduate degrees based wholly or partly upon research in any speciality in medicine, whether or not a Board of Study in respect of such speciality has been established by the Institute under the provisions of paragraph 13; and”;

(ii) by the re-numbering of proviso (3) of that paragraph as proviso (4) thereof; and

(7) in paragraph 25 thereof by the substitution for the definition of “speciality in medicine”, of the following new definition:—

“speciality in medicine” means Anaesthesiology, Community Medicine, Family Medicine and General Practice, Medicine, Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Ophthalmology, Pathology, Paediatrics, Psychiatry, Radiology, Surgery, Forensic Medicine, Microbiology, Otolaryngology, Radiotherapy and Oncology or any other speciality approved by Commission upon the recommendation of the Institute and the University.”