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Dated: 13th May 2025

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Subject: **REQUEST TO DECREASE MERIT PERCENTAGE FOR ADMISSION IN MBBS AND BDS TO FILL THE VACANT SEATS IN PRIVATE SECTOR MEDICAL / DENTAL UNIVERSITIES / COLLEGES FOR THE ACADEMIC SESSION 2024-25:**

Dear Sir,

Pursuant to request dated 16th April 2025, received from Liaquat University of Medical & Health Sciences, Jamshoro, Sindh, on above noted subject, conveying that substantial number of seats have remained vacant in various private medical and dental colleges due to the high merit threshold. To address this concern and to ensure that eligible and deserving candidates are not deprived of their right to higher education in medicine and dentistry, the Council vide decision dated 13th May 2025 has approved a one-time relaxation in the minimum eligibility criteria. Accordingly, private colleges are permitted to admit candidates with a minimum of 50% marks for MBBS and 45% marks for BDS, strictly to fill the remaining vacant seats.

Please note that this dispensation is granted solely for the 2024–25 academic session, in the interest of public good and to prevent the wastage of available seats. It is a one-time measure and shall not be treated as a precedent for any future admission cycle.

All such admissions must be completed within three (03) days from the date of this communication and must be conducted in full compliance with the PM&DC Admissions Regulations, 2023.

This is issued with the approval of the authority and in compliance of the decision of the Council.

Registrar
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