

**The minutes of 121<sup>st</sup> Special Central Council meeting of the PCI held on 22<sup>nd</sup>& 23<sup>rd</sup> November, 2025 at Varanasi, U.P.**

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**01.121.004:** Consideration of the recommendations of the 427/EC (28th June, 2025) at Mysuru.

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(02.427/2025-PCI)

4.1 The latest information on record was placed and considered.

4.2 It was decided to approve and ratify the recommendations of the 427/EC (28th June, 2025 at Mysuru which are enclosed herewith as **Annexure-1**.

**01.121.005:** Consideration of the recommendations of the 428/EC (4<sup>th</sup> August, 2025) at PCI Office New Delhi.

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(02.428/2025-PCI)

5.1 The latest information on record was placed and considered.

5.2 It was decided to approve and ratify the recommendations of the 428/EC (4th August, 2025) at PCI Office New Delhi which are enclosed herewith as **Annexure-2**.

**01.121.006:** Consideration of the recommendations of the 429/EC (28<sup>th</sup> August, 2025).

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(02.429/2025-PCI)

6.1 The latest information on record was placed and considered.

6.2 It was decided to approve and ratify the recommendations of the 429/EC (28th August, 2025) which are enclosed herewith as **Annexure-3**.

**01.121.007:** Consideration of the recommendations of the 430/EC (8th September, 2025).

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(02.430/2025-PCI)

7.1 The latest information on record was placed and considered

7.2 It was decided to approve and ratify the recommendations of the 430/EC (8th September, 2025 which are enclosed herewith as **Annexure-4**.

**01.121.008:** Consideration of the recommendations of the 431/EC (18th September, 2025).

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(02.431/2025-PCI)

8.1 The latest information on record was placed and considered.

8.2 It was decided to approve and ratify the recommendations of the 431/EC (18th September, 2025) which are enclosed herewith as **Annexure-5**.

**01.121.009:** Consideration of the recommendations of the 432/EC (23rd September, 2025)  
PCI Office New Delhi.

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(02.432/2025-PCI)

9.1 The latest information on record was placed and considered.

9.2 It was decided to approve and ratify the recommendations of the 432/EC (23rd September, 2025) PCI Office New Delhi which are enclosed herewith as **Annexure-6.**

**01.121.010:** Consideration of the recommendations of the 433/EC (26st September, 2025).

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(02.433/2024-PCI)

10.1 The latest information on record was placed and considered

10.2 It was decided to approve and ratify the recommendations of the 433/EC (26st September, 2025 which are enclosed herewith as **Annexure-7.**

**01.121.011:** Consideration of the recommendations of the 434/EC (30th September,2025).

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(02.434/2024-PCI)

11.1 The latest information on record was placed and considered

11.2 It was decided to approve and ratify the recommendations of the 434/EC (30th September, 2025 which are enclosed herewith as **Annexure-8.**

**01.121.012:** Consideration of the recommendations of the 435/EC (8th October,2025).

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(02.435/2024-PCI)

12.1 The latest information on record was placed and considered.

12.2 It was decided to approve and ratify the recommendations of the 435/EC (8th October, 2025) which are enclosed herewith as **Annexure-9.**

**01.121.013:** Consideration of the recommendations of the 436/EC (4th November 2025).

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(02.436/2025-PCI)

13.1 The latest information on record was placed and considered.

13.2 It was decided to approve and ratify the recommendations of the 436/EC (4th November 2025) which are enclosed herewith as **Annexure-10.**

**01.121.014:** Consideration of the recommendations of the 437/EC (18th November, 2025).

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(02.437/2025-PCI)

- 14.1 The latest information on record was placed and considered.
- 14.2 It was decided to approve and ratify the recommendations of the 437/EC (18th November, 2025) which are enclosed herewith as **Annexure-11**.
- 14.3 Regarding Annexure-18 of Item No.11 of 437 EC (18.11.2025) was approved and ratified and further, the Central Council decided to issue Show cause Notice u/s 13 for withdrawal of "Course of Study u/s 12(1) and Examination u/s 12(2) of the Pharmacy Act, 1948 for submission of compliance within 1 month time. The list of institutions with decisions are enclosed as **Annexure-12**.

- 01.121.017:**
- 1) Consideration of Statutory documents (Examining Authority and NOC of State Govt.) issued by concerned authority on or before 14.11.2025 but submitted by institution after 14.11.2025 which have applied on Institute Registration Approvals portal on or before 14.11.2025 be considered for 2026-2027 or 2027-2028 academic session or not.
  - 2) The institution which have applied on Institute Registration Approvals portal after 14.11.2025 on 2026-2027 portal with statutory documents of 2026-2027 academic session be considered for 2027-2028 academic session.
  - 3) In respect of new institution, how many opportunity to be given to institution for submission of statutory documents and non submission of compliance, the application be rejected.
  - 4) To discuss the policy regarding introduction of new course and Raise in admission in existing institution in 2026-2027 academic session reg. Seeking Statutory documents.

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(Application for 2026-2027-New and Existing Institutions)  
File No.:INSP/16/2025-INSP INSP/16/2025-INSP  
(14-56/2025-PCI (Approval Process for 2026-27 a.s.)

- 17.1 The latest information on record including order dt. 8.9.2025 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme court in Miscellaneous Application No.1409 Of 2025 in Interlocutory Application No.155217 Of 2025 in Civil Appeal No.9048 of 2012 was placed and considered.
- 17.2 Regarding new institution, it was decided as under -
- 1) Registration portal for new institution will be opened through the year.
  - 2) To accept the application for 2026-2027 academic session which have registered on PCI portal on or before 14.11.2025 along with statutory documents issued for 2026-2027 academic session and submitted SIF.
  - 3) To accept the statutory documents for 2026-2027 academic session submitted after 14.11.2025 but the date of issuance of statutory documents is upto

14.11.2025 provided applied on registration portal on or before 14.11.2025 but SIF submitted after 14.11.2025.

- 4) To accept the application for 2027-2028 academic session which have registered on PCI portal after 14.11.2025 along with statutory documents issued for 2026-2027 academic session.
- 17.3 It was noted that the Council's Secretariat has already scrutinized the new applications received till 14.11.2025 for the academic session 2026-2027 with respect to statutory documents (Examining Authority, State Government NOC, MOU with 300 bedded hospital) only and same have been placed in the inspection category.
- 17.4 It was also decided that, in addition to the above statutory documents, the following documents shall also be scrutinized for the academic session 2026-2027:
- 1) Land Details
  - 2) Sale Deed
  - 3) Certified copy of Land Use Certificate
  - 4) Certificate of single piece of land
  - 5) latest revenue paid receipt
  - 6) Approved Building Map by local govt. authority having land number in map
  - 7) Building Completion Certificate
  - 8) Building insurance certificate
  - 9) Building Fire Safety Certificate
  - 10) Institution Photo (Geotagged)
  - 11) Latest Electricity Bill
  - 12) Latest Water Bill
  - 13) Gas fittings Certificate for installation of gas line in labs.
  - 14) Rent agreement / Lease deed for atleast 30 years.
- 17.5 It was further decided to direct the institution to submit the required documents (if found deficient) within 7 days of receipt of the intimation. In the event of failure to comply within the stipulated period, the application shall be rejected automatically.
- 17.6 It was also decided that necessary provisions shall be incorporated in the PCI Portal –
- a) to make provision in the PCI portal to scrutiny the above additional documents and convey the deficiencies to the institution.
  - b) to make provision in the PCI portal for institutions to upload/submit the compliance of the aforesaid documents on portal.
  - c) also update the deputation letter regarding above additional information.
  - d) to make provision for inspectors to verify the above additional documents in inspection app.
  - e) provision be made also in SIF, inspection report and office note with regard to above information.
- .7 Regarding existing institution applied for introduction of new course and raise in admission -
- 1) The portal will be opened throughout the year for existing institutions applied for introduction of new course and raise in admissions. Provision be made in the PCI portal.

- 2) Application for introduction of new course and raise in admission be accepted for 2026-2027 academic session if statutory documents submitted for 2026-2027 academic session upto 15<sup>th</sup> November, 2025.
- 3) Regarding deficient statutory documents in respect of Application for introduction of new course and raise in admission, it was decided to reject the application straightway for 2026-2027 academic session.
- 4) To ratify the action taken by PCI office for conveying the deficiencies of statutory documents in some cases for submission of compliance within 7 days in respect of introduction of new course and raise in admission for 2026-2027 academic session.
- 5) If institution submitted appeal in respect of statutory documents issued by competent authority on or before 14<sup>th</sup> November, 2025 for 2026-2027 academic session, the application will be considered for 2026-2027 academic session.
- 6) If institution submitted appeal in respect of statutory documents issued by competent authority after 14<sup>th</sup> November, 2025 for 2026-2027 academic session, the application will be considered for 2027-2028 academic session.

17.8 It was further decided to take action on above minutes in anticipation of the comments from the Central Council members.

**01.121.025:** To decide the policy regarding institutions applied for extension of approval and extension of conduct of course in 2026-2027 academic session as per Item No.16.4 of 437 EC (18.11.2025).

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File No. Application for 2026-2027-New and Existing Institutions.  
INSP/16/2025-INSP INSP/16/2025-INSP  
INSP-14/1/2025-INSP INSP-14/1/2025-INSP

25.1 It was directly taken up.

25.2 It was noted that under Item No.16.4 of 437 EC (18.11.2025) regarding institutions applied for extension of approval and extension of conduct of course in 2026-2027 academic session, decided the matter referred to Central Council meeting for discussion and decide the policy. In view of it, Central Council decided to inspect all institutions applied for following category wherever SIF received for 2026-2027 academic session and authorize the Hon'ble President to give the panel of inspectors –

- a) Institution applied first time.
- b) Institution applied for introduction of new course in the existing institution.
- c) Institution applied for raise in admission course in the existing institution.
- d) Institution applied for u/s 12 approval.
- e) Government institutions.
- f) extension of approval.
- g) for extension of conduct of course.

25.3 It was further decided to authorize the EC to take decision.

25.4 It was further decided to take action in anticipation of approval of the minutes from Hon'ble President.

**01.121.028:** Inspection of Pharm.D institutions in 2026-2027 academic session.

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(Online Applications for 2026-2027 a.s.)

28.1 It was directly taken up.

28.2 It was decided to inspect the Pharm.D institutions particularly with regard to verification of bed strength as per Pharm.D Regulations 2008.