

THE TAMILNADU DR. M.G.R. MEDICAL UNIVERSITY
No.69, Anna Salai, Guindy, Chennai – 600 032.

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE 36TH STANDING
ACADEMIC BOARD HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON THE TUESDAY,
THE 23RD DECEMBER 2008 IN THE SENATE HALL OF THIS
UNIVERSITY.**

**(Approved in Resolution No.31 passed at the 183rd Meeting of the
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MINUTES OF THE 36th MEETING OF THE STANDING
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(Approved in Resolution No.31 passed at the 183rd Meeting of the
Governing Council held on 30.12.2008)

The minutes of the 36th meeting of the Standing Academic Board held on Tuesday, the 23rd December 2008 in the Senate Hall of this University with the presence of the following members:

01. Prof.(Dr.)K. MEER MUSTAFA HUSSAIN
VICE – CHANCELLOR
THE TAMILNADU DR. M.G.R. MEDICAL UNIVERSITY
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02. Dr. S.VINAYAGAM
DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL EDUCATION
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DIRECTOR OF MEDICAL AND RURAL HEALTH SERVICES
CHENNAI – 600 001
04. Dr.R.G. SUKUMAR
PROF. & HEAD OF DEPARTMENT OF IMMUNIOLOGY
STANLEY MEDICAL COLLEGE
CHENNAI – 600 001
05. Dr.M. THIRUNAVUKKARASU
PROF. & H.O.D. DEPT. OF PSYCHIATRY
STANLEY MEDICAL COLLEGE
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06. Dr.GOVARDHAN
PROFESSOR OF ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY
MADRAS MEDICAL COLLEGE
CHENNAI – 600 003.
07. Dr. S. RAMACHANDRAN
PRINCIPAL
RAGAS DENTAL COLLEGE
UTHANDI
CHENNAI – 600 119
08. TMT. RAJESWARI HARIHARAN
PRINCIPAL
VEL'S COLLEGE OF PHYSIOTHERAPY
CHENNAI
09. PROF. T.K. RAVI
PRINCIPAL
SRI RAMAKRISHNA INST. OF PARAMEDICAL SCIENCES
COIMBATORE – 641 014
10. TMT. MANGALA GOWRI
PRINCIPAL I/C
COLLEGE OF NURSING
MADRAS MEDICAL COLLEGE
CHENNAI – 600 003
11. Dr. S.K. RAJAN
PROFESSOR OF GENERAL MEDICINE (RETIRED)
OLD NO.W-21, NEW NO.W-50,
7TH STREET, ANNA NAGAR
CHENNAI – 600 040
12. Dr. MAYIL VAHANAN NATARAJAN
PROFESSOR OF ORTHOPAEDIC SURGERY
MADRAS MEDICAL COLLEGE
CHENNAI – 600 003
13. Dr. V.K. RAJAMANI
ADDITIONAL PROFESSOR OF MEDICINE(Retd.)

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CHENNAI – 600 003

14. DR. S. SHANTHA
DIRECTOR OF MICROBIOLOGY
MADRAS MEDICAL COLLEGE
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15. PROF. B.SELVAPANDIAN @ SYED SHAH
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16. Dr.P.B.P.L.N. ANANTACHARYULU
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COIMBATORE
17. Dr.SYED AZEEZ BASHA HUSSAINY
PROFESSOR
GOVT. UNANI MEDICAL COLLEGE
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18. Dr. N. MANAVALAN
PRINCIPAL
GOVT. YOGA & NATUROPATHY MEDICAL COLLEGE
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MEDICINE
ARUMBAKKAM
CHENNAI – 600 106
19. Dr. S.JAYACHANDRAN
PROFESSOR & H.O.D.
DEPT. OF ORAL MEDICINE & RADIOLOGY
TAMIL NADU GOVT. DENTAL COLLEGE
CHENNAI – 600 003
20. Dr. K.S.G.A. NASSER
PRINCIPAL

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21. Dr. V. RAVICHANDRAN
VEL'S COLLEGE OF PHARMACY
OLD PALLAVARAM
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22. PROF. SEETHALAKSHMI
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23. Dr. KURIAN GEORGE
PROFESSOR OF EPIDEMIOLOGY
CHRISTIAN MEDICAL COLLEGE
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SPECIAL INVITEE:

24. Dr. SARASWATHI
DIRECTOR
IOG & GOVT. HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN
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Assistant Registrar(Affiliation)
17. Tmt.G.Usha
Assistant Registrar (Examinations).

18. Thiru. Saravanan
Assistant Registrar (Examinations).
19. Tmt. Vijaya
Assistant Registrar (Examinations).

The Vice-Chancellor and Chairman of the Standing Academic Board welcomed all the members to the 36th Meeting of the Standing Academic Board and the Registrar Incharge started the proceedings.

I. ANY MOTION FOR A CHANGE IN THE ORDER OF BUSINESS STATED IN THE AGENDA PAPER

Nil

II. BUSINESS BROUGHT FORWARD BY THE VICE – CHANCELLOR INCLUDING BUSINESS REMITTED BY THE SENATE AND THE GOVERNING COUNCIL

II.(1) TO RATIFY AND APPROVE THE ACTION FOR HAVING EXTENDED THE CUT-OFF DATE OF ADMISSION UP TO 15-10-2008 IN RESPECT OF U.G. COURSES IN INDIAN MEDICINE AND HOMOEOPATHY DEGREE COURSES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2008-2009 ONLY.

Resolved to ratify the action taken for having extended the cut-off date of admission upto 15.10.2008 in respect of U.G. Courses in Indian Medicine except Homeopathy Degree courses for the academic year 2008-2009 only. (Refer Agenda II (16))

II.(2) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE UNIFORM PATTERN TO BE ADOPTED FOR MINIMUM EDUCATION QUALIFICATEION (i.e.) (10+2 SYSTEM) FOR ADMISSION TO 1 YEAR PARAMEDICAL/PARA-PROFESSIONAL AND ISM&H DEGREE COURSES.

It was resolved that the 2nd year Marks obtained in Pre-University

Degree / Pre Degree Certificate / Pre Degree University will alone be taken as eligibility criteria for admission to 1st year U.G. Courses in ISM & H, Para-medical / Para-Professional courses.

It was further resolved that an aggregate marks of 50% in Physics, Chemistry, Biology / Maths is required for admission to U.G. Pharmacy courses and 45% aggregate in Physics, Chemistry, Biology and English is required for U.G. Nursing courses.

II.(3) TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE EXPERT COMMITTEE ON THE EXAMINATION PATTERN OF M.Ch. (NEURO-SURGERY) IN POST-GRADUATE HIGHER SPECIALITIES DEGREE COURSES PASSED IN THE MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 11-11-2008.

Resolved to accept the recommendations of the Expert Committee in the examination pattern on M.Ch. (Neuro Surgery) in P.G. Higher Specialities Degree Course passed in the meeting held on 11.11.2008.

II.(4) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOGNITION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF VIROLOGY AT KING INSTITUTE OF PREVENTIVE MEDICINE, CHENNAI, FOR THE RESEARCH LEADING TO THE AWARD OF Ph.D. DEGREE.

Resolved to accept the recommendations of the Inspection Commission for recognition of the Department of Virology at King Institute of Preventive Medicine, Chennai for conducting research Programme leading to the award of Ph.D. degree. The agenda may

be placed before the Board of Studies – Research for information.

II.(5) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE THE SUGGESTIONS GIVEN BY Dr. M.THIRUNAVUKARASU, PROFESSOR AND HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHIATRY, STANLEY MEDICAL COLLEGE, CHENNAI, IN REGARD TO PART-I EXAMINATION IN M.D. (PSYCHIATRY) DEGREE COURSE.

After detailed deliberations, it was resolved to accept in principle for two papers in Basic Sciences in M.D (Psychiatry) Degree Course subject to the following:

To form an expert committee with 3 members from the Dept. of

Psychiatry and the report should be submitted within 2 weeks from the date of communication received by the Expert Committee regarding this issue and the ratification agenda may be placed before the next S.A.B.

II.(6) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE REPRESENTATION OF PROF. D. KILAI RAJAN, PROFESSOR OF NEUROSURGERY, MADURAI MEDICAL COLLEGE AND GOVERNMENT RAJAJI HOSPITAL, MADURAI, FOR CHANGE OF NOMENCLATURE FOR M.D. & M.S. AND M.Ch, AA& D.M. DEGREE COURSES.

Resolved to accept the representation of Prof.D.Kilai Rajan, Prof. of Neurosurgery, Madurai Medical College and Government Rajaji Hospital. Madurai for change of nomenclature for M.D. & M.S degree courses are to be named as Post Graduate Speciality course and to inform the same to M.C.I. and regarding M.Ch. & D.M. degree courses are to be named as Super Speciality degree courses as per MCI norms.

II.(7) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MODIFIED INTERNSHIP TIME DISTRIBUTION OF POSTINGS IN CRRI PROGRAMME FOR M.B.B.S. COURSE IN THE AFFILIATED INSTITUTIONS OF THIS UNIVERSITY AS AMENDED BY THE MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA, NEW DELHI, IN THE REGULATIONS ON GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION 1997.

Resolved to accept the implementation of the modified internship time distribution of postings in CRRI Programme for MBBS course from February 2009 batch onwards in the affiliated institutions of this University as amended by the Medical Council of India in the Regulations on Graduate Medical Education 1997.

The Vice-Chancellor has further welcomed the suggestions given by the members and requested them to give it in writing for placing before the same as an agenda for the ensuing General Body meeting of the Medical Council of India, New Delhi in the month of February 2009.

It is further resolved as suggested by the Director of Medical Education to convene a meeting of the Deans of the affiliated Medical Colleges and get the opinion regarding the break-up of posting of CRRI as per Medical Council of India letter dated:22.11.2008.

II.8) TO INFORM THE STANDING ACADEMIC BOARD ABOUT THE DECISION TAKEN BY THE MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA FOR THE USE OF THE TITLE OF “DOCTOR” AS PREFIX TO PHYSIO – THERAPIST / OCCUPATIONAL THERAPISTS AND OTHER PARA-MEDICAL PERSONNEL.

Resolved to accept the decision taken by the Medical Council of

India duly prohibiting the Physiotherapists / Occupational Therapists & other Para-Medical personal using the title “Doctor” as prefix.

II.9) TO DICIDE ON THE REQUEST OF Dr. M. SUNDARARAJ, TUTOR IN ACCIDENT AND EMERGENCY SERVICES, COIMBATORE MEDICAL COLLEGE, COIMBATORE TO APPEAR M.Ch. PLASTIC SURGERY – POST GRADUATE HIGHER SPECIALITY DEGREE EXAMINATION, AFTER A LAPSE OF 8 YEARS FROM THE LAST APPEARANCE.

Resolved to accept the request of Dr.M.Sundararaj, a service candidate working as Tutor in Accident and Emergency Services, Coimbatore Medical College, Coimbatore and permit him to appear for the examination after undergoing 6 months refresher course in the Department of Plastic Surgery in the P.G. Institution of Govt. Medical College and permitted to appear in September 2009 Examinations which should be the last and final attempt for him and it should not be quoted as a precedence in future.

II(10) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SCREENING COMMITTEE FOR THE PROVISIONAL REGISTRATION OF THE INTER-DISCIPLINARY CANDIDATES AND 5TH & 6TH CANDIDATES FOR THE GUIDE FOR THE RESEARCH LEADING TO THE AWARD OF Ph.D. DEGREE.

Resolved to accept the recommendations of the Screening Committee for the Provisional registration of the inter-disciplinary category under the Faculty of Bio-Medical Sciences. Once the 5th and 6th candidates have been registered under a Guide / Supervisor in the first instance with the approval of the Board, the subsequent occasions need not be brought to the Board of Studies in Research,

II(11) TO DISCUSS AND DECIDE ON THE CHANAGE OF

NOMENCLATURE IN POST GRADUATE DEGREE COURSE IN RESPECT OF M.D. TUBER-CULOSIS AND CHEST DUSEASES WITH REFERENCE TO POST GRADUATE MEDICAL EDUCATION REGULATIONS, 2000 OF MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA.

Resolved to accept the change of nomenclature in P.G.Degree course as follows:

1. The P.G. Degree course in M. D. Tuberculosis and Respiratory Diseases shall hereafter be referred as Tuberculosis and Respiratory Medicine.
2. The P.G. Degree names as “Geriatric Medicine” shall hereafter be referred as “Geriatrics” as per Medical Council of India regulation.

The changes may be incorporated in the Examination Time Table, Statement of marks and Provisional Certificates, Degree Certificates from the March 2009 Examination onwards.

3. Those candidates who had successfully completed the M.D. Tuberculosis and Chest Diseases / Geriatric Medicine after the P.G. Regulations 2000 be considered and issued in a letter form stating that both the nomenclature is one and the same, on a written request by the candidate.

II(12) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE REPRESENTATION OF Dr. GEORGE JOSEPH, PROFESSOR & HEAD OF CARDIOLOGY, CHRISTIAN MEDICAL COLLEGE, VELLORE REGARDING CHANGING OF STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS FOR B.Sc., CARDIAC TECHNOLOGY DEGREE COURSE AS APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN PARA-PROFESSIONAL COURSES AT ITS MEETING HELD ON 12-11-2008

Resolved to accept the representation of Dr. George Joseph, Prof & Head of Cardiology, C.M.C, Vellore regarding changing of

statutory requirements for B.Sc. Cardiac Technology Degree Course as approved by the Board of Studies in Para-professional courses at its meeting held on 12.11.2008.

II(13) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE REPRESENTATION OF Dr. P.SAMIKRISHNAN, GENERAL SECRETARY, P.G. ASSOCIATIONS – MADRAS MEDICAL COLLEGE, CHENNAI TO MODIFY THE NOMENCLATURE OF D.M. DEGREE CERTIFICATES AS D.M. (DOCTORATE OF MEDICINE) INSTEAD OF D.M. (DOCTOR OF MEDICINE)

Resolved not to accept the representation of Dr.P.Samikrishnan, General Secretary, P.G. Associations, Madras Medical College, Chennai to modify the nomenclature of D.M. (Doctorate of Medicine) instead of D.M. (Doctor of Medicine). The M.D. General Medicine is expanded as MEDICINE DOCTOR and D.M. is expanded as DOCTOR OF MEDICINE and this may be recommended to M.C.I. to make necessary appropriate changes / modifications / amendment.

II(14) TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE REGULATIONS, SYLLABUS AND STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS, FRAMED BY THE EXPERT COMMITTEE FOR STARTING B.Sc. DEGREE COURSE IN DIALYSIS THERAPY.

Resolved to accept the regulation the regulations, syllabus and statutory requirements framed by the expert committee for starting B.Sc. Degree course in Dialysis Therapy.

II(15) TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE REGULATIONS FOR POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA COURSE IN LEARNING DISABILITY.

Resolved to accept and approve the syllabus and regulations for Post Graduate Diploma Course in Learning Disability.

II(16) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE EXTENSION OF THE CUT-OFF DATE FOR ADMISSION IN FIRST B.H.M.S. DEGREE COURSE UP TO 31-12-2008 AS DECIDED BY

CENTRAL COUNCIL OF HOMEOPATHY, NEW DELHI.

Resolved to accept the extension of the cut-off date for admission in first B.H.M.S. Degree course only upto 31-12-2008 as decided by Central Council of Homeopathy, New Delhi.

II(17) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE AYUSH SENSITIZATION COURSE FOR MEDICAL STUDENTS AND ALLOPATHIC DOCTORS PASSED IN ITS MEETING HELD ON 01.12.2008

Resolved to accept in principle the recommendations of the minutes of the meeting of the AYUSH Sensitization course for Medical Students and Allopathic Doctors passed in its meeting held on 01.12.2008. The number of Hours will be decided based on the future discussion at appropriate time.

II(18) TO INFORM THE STANDING ACADEMIC BOARD ABOUT THE RESOLUTION MOVED BY Dr. K.PRAKASAM, PRESIDENT, TAMIL NADU MEDICAL COUNCIL, CHENNAI IN THE 34TH MEETING OF THE SENATE HELD ON 27.11.2008 IN REGARD TO APPOINTMENT OF EXAMINERS IN ORTHOPAEDICS FOR FINAL PART – II MBBS EXAMINATIONS.

Resolved to accept the resolution passed by the Senate and one internal examiner in Orthopaedics from the other affiliated medical colleges of our University will be included in the Surgery Clinical Examinations Board instead of an examiner in Orthopaedics from the same Institution with effect from February 2009 examinations.

II(19) TO CONSIDER AND CONFIRM THE BRANCHES OF STUDY IN P.G. DEGREE / DIPLOMA COURSES FOR HAVING “APPLIED BASIC SCIENCES” AT THE END OF FIRST YEAR IN MARCH 2009 EXAMINATION ONWARDS.

Resolved to accept the branches of study in P.G. Degree / Diploma courses having “Applied Basic Sciences” at the end of

first year from March 2009 examination onwards.

II(20) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE AVENUE OF STARTING ONLINE AND DISTANCE EDUCATION UNDER THE AMBIT OF THIS UNIVERSITY.

Resolved to accept in principle for starting of Allied Health Sciences Courses through Online & Distance Education under the ambit of the University, after working out the modalities, the courses to be offered, syllabus, regulations, etc.

II(21) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE EXPERT COMMITTEE IN CONNECTION WITH Ph.D. IN NURSING IN COLLABORATION WITH THE INDIAN NURSING COUNCIL AND W.H.O. HELD AT 11 A.M. ON 22.12.2008.

Resolved not to accept for conducting M.Phil. / Ph.D. in Nursing in collaboration with Indian Nursing Council and W.H.O. consortium as recommended by the Expert Committee.

It is further resolved that the M.Phil / Ph.D Programmes will be conducted as a regular Programme in the Nursing Department of the University.

II(22) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE THE DISPENSING OFF REVALUATION OF ANSWER PAPERS FOR ALL UNDER GRADUTE COURSES FROM FEBRUARY 2009 EXAMINATION ONWARDS.

Resolved to accept the dispensing of the revaluation of answer papers for all Under Graduate courses from February 2009 examination onwards.

II(23) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE AWARD OF INCENTIVE MARKS TO BE ADDED WITH INTERNAL ASSESSMENT MARKS FOR THOSE WHO ENROLLED AS VOLUNTEERS IN THE NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME(NSS) TO ENCOURAGE MORE NUMBER OF AFFILIATED INSTITUTIONS TO START NSS UNITS.

Resolved to accept to award of incentive marks i.e. TWO MARKS to be added with every internal assessment in any one of the subjects for those who actively participate in Special Camps / Regular programmes in the National Service Scheme (NSS) duly approved by N.S.S. Programme Officer, Head of the Department and the Principal.

III. BUSINESS BROUGHT FORWARD BY THE FACULTIES.

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IV. BUSINESS BROUGHT FORWARD BY THE BOARD OF STUDIES.

IV(1) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE STUDIES IN RESEARCH PASSED IN ITS MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 13-10-2008

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in Research.

Further, In Agenda No.6. it has been resolved that the Branch and Faculty for the award of Ph.D. Degree will be endorsed by the Screening Committee Which will be informed to the candidates well in advance.

The Vice-Chancellor informed the Chairman I/c of the Research Board to prepare a Log Book Format and hand it over to Controller of Examinations for issue to the candidate on request after the preparation and approval of the Log Book Format by the Academic Officer of our University.

In Degree Certificate, faculty and sub-speciality should be mentioned.

IV(2) TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE ON THE

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN HIGHER SPECIALITIES PASSED IN THE MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 15-10-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in Higher Specialities.

Agenda No. 1 & 2 will be implemented from August 2009 examination onwards.

IV(3) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN P.G. CLINICAL PASSED IN ITS MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 17-10-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in P.G. Clinical. Further, the Vice-Chancellor has informed that a new branch in Uro-Gynaecology will be started after completing the modalities and as and when the need and necessity arises.

Regarding Agenda No.3, no change in the nomenclature of M.D. (OG).

IV(4) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN P.G. NON – CLINICAL PASSED IN ITS MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 20-10-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in P.G. Non-Clinical.

IV(5) TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN I M.B.B.S. PASSED IN THE MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 22-10-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in M.B.B.S. expect Agenda No. I item 4 and Agenda No.II. “To enhance the remuneration and conveyance charges.

IV(6) TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN II

M.B.B.S. PASSED IN THE MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 29-10-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in II M.B.B.S except the following point:

1. Appointing external examiners in central valuation of theory papers.
2. Enhancement of Remuneration for examiners.

IV(7) TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN FINAL M.B.B.S. PASSED IN THE MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 31-10-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in Final M.B.B.S.

IV(8) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN B.D.S. COURSE PASSED IN ITS MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 03-11-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in B.D.S.

Regarding Agenda No.6 – Practically not possible.

IV(9) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN M.D.S. PASSED IN ITS MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 04-11-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in M.D.S.

IV(10) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN PHARMACY COURSES PASSED AT ITS MEETING HELD AT 03.00 P.M. ON 05-11-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in Pharmacy except the following agenda Item:

Regarding Item No. 1: Removal of break system will be

implemented from August 2009 examination onwards.

Regarding Item No. 2: Withdrawn.

Revised Regulation for B.Pharm. Course will take effect from 2009-2010 batch onwards. The candidates registered prior to 2009-2010 shall be grouped as old regulation and shall follow the 2006-07 syllabus.

Resolution No. 31 passed at the 183rd Meeting of the Governing Council held on 30-12-2008 for Agenda No. IV(10) be amended as follows:-

“ Resolved further to modify the resolution in respect of “ IV(10)” approving the recommendations of Board of Studies in Pharmacy for removal of break system be implemented for the candidates appeared in August 2008 examination onwards instead of August 2009 examination onwards.”

IV(11) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN NURSING COURSES PASSED AT ITS MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 07-11-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in Nursing except the following items:

Agenda No.2: Regarding the resolutions of Indian Nursing Council communicated vide their letter dated 29.8.08, pertaining to Essentiality Certificate, External Lecturer for non-nursing subject, grace marks and examiner which was resolved to follow the statutes of this University.

Regarding eligibility criteria as per the INC norms and the State Government are one and the same that a pass in 10+2 class with 45% aggregate in Physics, Chemistry, Biology, English or its

equivalent.

Further 5% relaxation is permitted to SC / ST students for B.Sc (Nursing) is accepted and will be implemented from 2009-2010 onwards. It was also resolved that Vocational course with Physics Chemistry & Biology will not be accepted for admission in any of the U.G. courses offered by this University.

Regarding Agenda No. 3, it was resolved that Clinical oriented research in education and management will not be permitted during M.Sc. (Nursing) curriculum for dissertation purposes.

Prof.Seethalakshmi, Chairman will be Incharge for getting the recognition of Ph.D. in Nursing done under this University from Indian Nursing Council.

Agenda No.5: Not accepted.

Agenda No.6: INC norms will be followed for the break system.

IV(12) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN PHYSIOTHERAPY COURSES PASSED AT ITS MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 10-11-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in Physiotherapy except the following:

Appointment of Examiners for BPT and MPT courses, for clinical exam one Physiatrist may be appointed.

Agenda No.4: Regarding the issue of 3 MPT candidates of various colleges for permission to write the examination as a special case after the maximum No. of 10 attempts as per regulations, and this request was rejected and it was resolved that the candidates should

be discharged from the course.

Regarding Agenda No.5: All B.P.T. candidates irrespective of the regulations should have cleared all the subjects 1st to 6th Semester before entering to 7th Semester B.P.T. Examination. If the candidate has arrear papers in 7th Semester alone, the candidate will be permitted to appear along with 8th Semester examination.

IV(13) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN PARA-PROFESSIONAL COURSES PASSED AT ITS MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 12-10-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in Para-Professional Courses except the following item:

Starting of Bachelor of Medical Record Science Degree Course at Madras Medical College as a TWO year Degree course instead One Year. Resolved that the above B.M.R.Sc. Course shall be conducted for two years which applies for service candidates also.

IV(14) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN SIDDHA PASSED IN ITS MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 14-11-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in Siddha except the following:

Regarding the maximum No. of attempts in respect of the candidates admitted prior to the academic year 2003-04 in M.D.Siddha Degree Course, the list of the candidates and to which regulations they belong, subjects with which they have failed and all other related details may be placed before the Board of Studies (Siddha) for discussion and decision later.

IV(15) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN

HOMEOPATHY PASSED IN ITS MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 17-11-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in Homeopathy.

IV(16) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN UNANI PASSED IN ITS MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 19-11-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in Unani.

IV(17) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN AYURVEDA PASSED IN ITS MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 21-11-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in Ayurveda except the following item:

Regarding starting of B.Pharm (Ayurveda) and B.Sc (Nursing) Ayurveda U.G. courses, change of terminology is needed.

The University will address for clarification to Pharmacy Council of India, CCIM, Indian Nursing Council and Gujarat Ayurvedic University for using this terminology. Dr. Aranthacharyalu shall be Incharge of it to find out the modalities and report to the University within 2 months.

IV(18) TO CONSIDER AND DECIDE ON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE BOARD OF STUDIES IN NATUROPATHY PASSED IN ITS MEETING HELD AT 11.00 A.M. ON 24-11-2008.

Resolved to approve all the recommendations of the Board of Studies in Naturopathy & Yogic Sciences except the following:

It was resolved that the candidates from other states seeking relaxation on the minimum marks is not applicable to the

candidates under SC / ST quota as per Tamil Nadu Government Order.

It is resolved that the enhancement of remuneration in regard to paper valuation and practical examination will be Implemented from February 2009 onwards.

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(VICE-CHANCELLOR)

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