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Government of India
Ministry of Health and Family welfare

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated the 27th April, 2017

To

The Principal Secretary (Health / Medical Education)
All States/UTs (as per list).

Sub: Lowering of qualifying marks in NEET-PG, 2018 and NEET – SS 2018 – regarding

Sir/ Madam,

I am directed to refer to the subject mentioned above and to inform that the Central Government in consultation with the Medical Council of India (MCI) has decided to reduce the percentile cut offs for NEET-PG 2018 and NEET – SS 2018 by 15 percentile, taking them to 35 percentile for general category candidates and 30 percentile for Persons with Disabilities category and 25 percentile for SC / ST / OBC category candidates. Marks so lowered by the Central Government are applicable for the academic year 2018 – 19 only.

2. All the States / UTs are requested to make necessary arrangements for allowing students as per revised qualifying marks in any future rounds of counseling this year. National Board of Examinations (NBE) may be contacted for revised merit list.

Yours sincerely,

(Amit Biswas)

Under Secretary to Government of India

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- i) DGHS, Directorate General of Health Services, MoHFW
- ii) President, MCI
- iii) President, National Board of Examination.
- iv) Directors of Medical Education of all States/UTs