

# PHARMACY COUNCIL OF INDIA

(Constituted under the Pharmacy Act, 1948)

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Ref.No.14-2/2020-PCI

To,

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**Sub: Equivalence of 10+2 examination of Haryana School Education Board with 2 years Diploma Course-reg.**

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**Ref: - Letter No- GRIP/20/1659 dt.20.07.2020 received from Global Research Institute of Pharmacy.**  
**- Notification No- 44/06/2016-4TE dt. 03.03.2016**

Sir/Madam,

This has a reference to the subject cited above

In this connection, it is stated that -

**1.** The Pharmacy Council of India (PCI) is a statutory body working under the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, New Delhi. It is constituted under the Pharmacy Act, 1948 and is responsible for regulation of -

- Pharmacy education for the purpose of registration as a pharmacist.
- Practice of profession of pharmacy in the country.

**2.** Section 10 of the Pharmacy Act, 1948, empowers the PCI to prescribe the minimum standards of education required for qualification as a Pharmacist.

**3.** Accordingly, the PCI has framed the following Education Regulations for various Pharmacy courses u/s 10 of the pharmacy Act, 1948. These Regulations are available in Council's website [www.pci.nic.in](http://www.pci.nic.in)

- The Education Regulations, 1991 for the Diploma Course in Pharmacy.
- The Bachelor of Pharmacy (B. Pharm) Course Regulations, 2014.
- The Bachelor of Pharmacy (Practice) Regulations, 2014.
- The Master of Pharmacy (M. Pharm) Course Regulations, 2014.
- The Pharm. D. Regulations, 2008.

4. In respect of following pharmacy courses, 10+2 (Science academic stream) in Physics, Chemistry, Biology or Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics is the eligibility requirement.

Course	Duration (Years)	Admission Qualification
Diploma in Pharmacy (D.Pharm)	2 yrs. & 500 hrs. practical training	- 10+2 science academic stream with Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics or Biology. [Ref regulation 5 of the Education Regulations, 1991]
Bachelor of Pharmacy (B.Pharm)	4 yrs.	- 10+2 science academic stream with Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics or Biology. <b>OR</b> - Diploma in Pharmacy from PCI approved institution. [Ref regulation 4 of the Bachelor of Pharmacy (B.Pharm) Course Regulations, 2014]
Doctor of Pharmacy (Pharm.D.)	6 yrs.	- 10+2 science academic stream with Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics or Biology. <b>OR</b> - Diploma in Pharmacy from PCI approved institution. [Ref regulation 4 of the Master of Pharmacy (M.Pharm) Course Regulations, 2014]

5. The PCI has received a letter No.GRIP/20/1159 dt.20.7.2020 (s/138) from Global Research Institute of Pharmacy, Distt. Yamuna Nagar, Haryana forwarding therewith a copy of Notification No.44/06/2016-4TE dt.3.3.2016, a copy of which is enclosed as **Annexure-I**.

As per the said communication, the diploma courses of minimum two years duration under the aegis of Department of Technical Education, Haryana Government and affiliated to Haryana State Board of Technical Education, Panchkula is equivalent to that of 10+2 course of Senior Secondary level awarded by Board of School Education Haryana, Bhiwani for the purpose of admission to the under graduate courses where 10+2 qualification is the essential eligibility.

6. In view of the above statutory provisions, it is stated that diploma course of the Technical Education Department of Haryana Govt. and affiliated to the Haryana State Board of Technical Education, Panchkula is not approved by PCI for the purpose of admission to the any pharmacy courses regulated by the PCI and hence the students will not be eligible for registration as a pharmacist under the Pharmacy Act, 1948 for the purpose of practicing the profession.

7. In view of above, it is requested that the above statutory provisions as mentioned in Para 4 above be strictly complied with while making admission to Pharmacy Courses.

Yours faithfully

**(ARCHNA MUDGAL)**  
**Registrar-cum-Secretary**

**CC to:**

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2. The Secretary, Haryana State Board of Technical Education,  
Panchkula, Sector-4, Haryana  
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3. All Universities / Examining Authorities conducting D.Pharm, B.Pharm,  
Pharm.D in Haryana State.

**(ARCHNA MUDGAL)**  
**Registrar-cum-Secretary**



# Global Research Institute of Pharmacy

(Approved by AICTE, PCI & Affiliated to Pt. Bhagwat Dayal Sharma University of Health Sciences, Rohtak & NOC by Govt. of Haryana)

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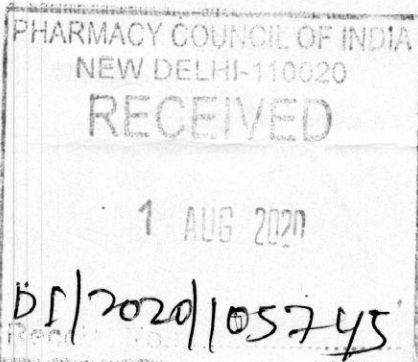
To,

✓ The member secretary,  
Pharmacy Council of India,  
Combined Council's Building,  
Kotla Road, Aiwan-E-Ghalib Marg,  
New Delhi-110 002.

**Subject: - Eligibility for admission to 02 Years D.Pharmacy course and subsequent registration by PCI by the candidates having passed 03 years Diploma in engineering course.**

Respected Madam,

Since the state government of Haryana has equated 03 years diploma course in engineering as equivalent to 10+2 for the purpose of higher education/in government jobs, (Copies enclosed) So kindly make it convenient to clarify whether a candidate having passed 03 years Diploma in engineering is eligible for admission to First year of 02 Years Diploma in Pharmacy course and his subsequent registration with PCI.



Yours Faithfully  
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Global Research Institute of Pharmacy,  
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**HARYANA GOVERNMENT**  
**Technical Education Department**  
**Notification**

Dated Chandigarh, the 03.03.2016

No. 44/06/2016-4TE

Whereas on a reference from the Technical Education Department, Government of Haryana, the matter regarding declaring diploma courses of minimum two years duration run under the aegis of the Technical Education Department and affiliated to the Haryana State Board of Technical Education, Panchkula (HSBTE) equivalent to that of 10+2 courses of Senior Secondary level was examined by Haryana School Education Board, Bhiwani (BSEH); and whereas the course contents of each diploma have been evaluated by BSEH and the details of evaluation and recommendation was placed before the meeting of the Board on 16.12.2015; and whereas the agenda approved by the Board is as below:-

"On a reference from the Technical Education Department, Haryana Government, the matter regarding providing equivalence to diploma courses of minimum two years duration run under the aegis of the Technical Education Department and affiliated to the Haryana State Board of Technical Education, Panchkula was examined. *L. N. Khandelwal*

The Course on contents of each diploma have been evaluated by the Board of School Education Haryana, Bhiwani. A 'For the purpose of admission to the under graduate courses where 10+2 qualification is the essential eligibility, the said diploma courses under the Department of Technical Education, Haryana Government and affiliated to Haryana State Board of Technical Education, Panchkula are hereby declared equivalent to that to 10+2 course of Senior Secondary Level'"

And whereas the Board BSEH, Bhiwani conveyed the decision to HSBTE vide their letter no. 3017/EW/A-1 dated 11.01.16; now therefore, the Governor of Haryana is pleased to declare the diploma courses of minimum two years duration under the aegis of Department of Technical Education, Haryana Government and affiliated to Haryana State Board of Technical Education, Panchkula equivalent to that of 10+2 course of Senior Secondary level awarded by BSEH, Bhiwani for the purpose of admission to the under graduate courses where 10+2 qualification is the essential eligibility.

*(Dheera Khandelwal)*

Additional Chief Secretary to Government of Haryana  
Technical Education Department

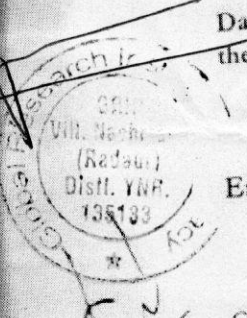
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Endst. No. 44/06/2016-4TE

✓ A copy of the above is forwarded to Controller, Printing and Stationary Haryana, Chandigarh with a request to publish the notification in Haryana Government Gazette (Ordinary) and supply 50 copies for office use.

*(Signature)*  
Superintendent, Technical Education  
Government of Haryana

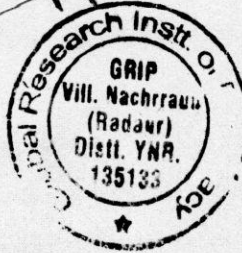


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Dated, Chandigarh the 03.03.2016

A copy of the above is forwarded to Director General, Technical Education Department, Panchkula w.r.t. their single file no. 2301/DGTE dated 23.02.2016 for information and necessary action.

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Superintendent, Technical Education  
for Additional Chief Secretary to Government Haryana  
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सचिव,

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सैक्टर-4 पंचकूला।

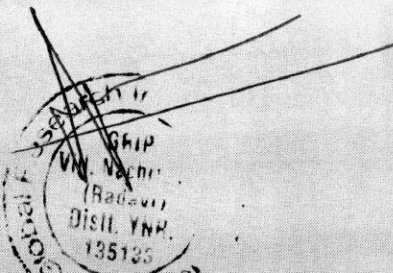
विषय: डिप्लोमा परीक्षाओं की समकक्षता बारे ।  
महोदय

उपरोक्त विषय पर आपके कार्यालय द्वारा पूर्व में किये गये पत्राचार जिसके अन्तर्गत राज्य तकनीकी शिक्षा बोर्ड, हरियाणा पंचकूला की न्यूनतम दो वर्षीय डिप्लोमा परीक्षाओं को हरियाणा बोर्ड की सीनियर सैकण्डरी परीक्षा के समकक्ष मान्यता के संबंध में नोटिफिकेशन जारी करने बारे अनुरोध किया गया था। बोर्ड की समकक्षता समिति की सिफारिश पर बोर्ड मण्डल की बैठक में निम्न प्रकार से नोटिफिकेशन जारी करने का अनुमोदन कर दिया गया है :

On a reference from the Technical Education Department, Government of Haryana, the matter regarding providing equivalence to diploma courses of minimum two years duration run under the aegis of the Technical Education Department and affiliated to the Haryana State Board of Technical Education, Panchkula was examined.

The course On contents of each diploma have been evaluated by the Board of School Education Haryana, Bhiwani. A" For the purpose of admission to the under graduate courses where 10+2 qualification is the essential eligibility, the said diploma courses under the Department of Technical Education, Govt. of Haryana and affiliated to Haryana State Board of Technical Education panchkula are hereby declared equivalent to that to 10+2 course of Senior Secondary Level."

उपरोक्त के अतिरिक्त आपसे यह भी अनुरोध है कि यदि आपके बोर्ड द्वारा अंग्रेजी भाषा के बिना कोई डिप्लोमा कोर्स आरम्भ किया जाता है तो उसकी समकक्षता हेतु अलग से मामला भेजा जाए।



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**Technical Education Department**  
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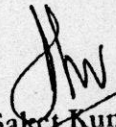
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No. 44/06/2016-4TE

Whereas Haryana Government has issued Notification No. 44/06/2016-4TE dated 3.03.16 that all the Diploma courses of minimum 2 years duration being run in Haryana under Haryana State Board of Technical Education, Panchkula are equivalent to 10+2 for the purpose of taking admission in higher studies.

Further, in reference to Chief Secretary Haryana instructions No. 42/178/2008-5GSI Dated 21.05.2009 and as per the advice of Chief Secretary Haryana vide U.O No. 17/20/2015-5GS-II dated 08.08.16, the Government of Haryana is pleased to declare the diploma courses of minimum two years duration under the aegis of Department of Technical Education, Haryana Government and affiliated to Haryana State Board of Technical Education, Panchkula equivalent to 10+2 for the purpose of recruitment where 10+2 or equivalent is the requisite qualification advertised by different Departments of the State of Haryana.

Dated, Chandigarh  
07.09.2016

  
(Dr. Sahar Kumar)  
Secretary to Government of Haryana  
Technical Education Department

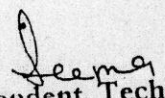
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A copy of the above is forwarded to the following:-

1. All the Head of Departments of State of Haryana.
- 1/2. All Managing Directors/ CAs of Board/Corporation/State Public Sector Undertakings.
3. The Secretary Haryana Staff Selection Commission, Bays No. 67-70, Sector-2, Panchkula, Haryana 134151.
4. The Registrar, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra/ Maharshi Dayanand University, Rohtak/ Ch. Devi Lal University, Sirsa/ Deen Bandhu Chhotu Ram University of Science and Technology, Murthal (Sonapat)/ YMCA University Science and Technology, Faridabad/ Guru Jambheshwar University of Science & Technology, Hissar/ SUPVA- Rohtak/ Pt. B.D. Sharma University of Health Sciences, Rohtak, **DO TE PKL**
5. Controller, Printing and Stationary Haryana, Chandigarh with a request to publish the notification in Haryana Government Gazette (Ordinary) under intimation to this office.



  
Superintendent, Technical Education  
Additional Chief Secretary to Government of Haryana  
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