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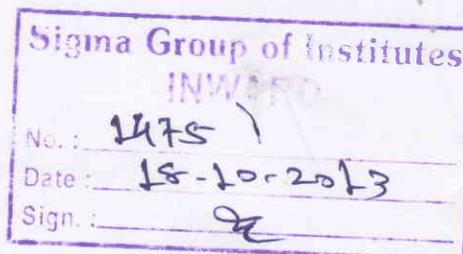
F. No. 20-60/2010-NBA

Date : 07.10.2013

To,

The Principal

Sigma Institute of Pharmacy
Bakrol, Ajwa-Nimeta Road,
Ta.:Waghodia, Dist. Baroda



Subject : Accreditation status of programme(s) applied by Sigma Institute of Pharmacy, Baroda.

Dear Sir,

This has reference to your application dated 24.12.2007 seeking accreditation of National Board of Accreditation to B. Pharmacy Programme offered by your Institute.

2. An Expert Committee conducted an on-site evaluation of the programme(s) during 11th to 12th January, 2013. The report submitted by the Expert Committee was considered by the Pharmacy Accreditation Evaluation Committee (PAEC). The recommendations of the PAEC were considered by the Sub-Committee of Academic Advisory Committee of NBA at its meeting held on 11.09.2013. The Executive Committee of the National Board of Accreditation considered the recommendations of Sub-Committee at its meeting held on 18.09.2013. The Executive Committee approved the accreditation status of the programme(s) as given in the table below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Programme(s)	Accreditation Status	Period of validity w.e.f. 18.09.2013	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1	B. Pharmacy	Accredited	3 years	Accreditation status granted is valid for the period indicated in Column No. 4 or till the programme(s) has the approval of the competent authority, whichever is earlier.

3. The accreditation status awarded to the programme(s) as indicated in the above table does not imply that the accreditation has been granted to Sigma Institute of Pharmacy, Baroda as a whole. **As such the Institution should nowhere along with its name including on its letter head etc., write that it is accredited by NBA because it is programme accreditation and not Institution accreditation. If such an instance comes to NBA's notice, this will be viewed seriously.** Complete name of the programme(s) accredited, level of programmes (UG or PG as the case may be) and the period of validity of accreditation, should be mentioned

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unambiguously whenever and wherever it is required to indicate the status of accreditation by NBA.

4. The accreditation status of the above programme(s) is subject to change on periodic review, if needed by the NBA. It is desired that the relevant information in respect of accredited programme(s) as indicated in the table in paragraph 2, appears on the website and information bulletin of your Institution.

5. The accreditation status awarded to the programme(s) as indicated in table in paragraph 2 above is subject to maintenance of the current standards during the period of accreditation. If there are any changes in the status (major changes of faculty strength, organizational structure etc.), the same are required to be communicated to the NBA, with an appropriate explanatory note.

6. Copies of the Comprehensive Report submitted by the Chairman of the Expert Committee along with the detailed reports submitted by the Expert Team which visited your Institution for the programme(s) evaluated are enclosed for reference and for taking necessary action to overcome the shortcomings, if any, pointed out by the Expert Team.

7. If the Institution is not satisfied with the decision of NBA, it may appeal within thirty days of receipt of this communication giving reasons for the same and by paying the requisite fee.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. D. K. Paliwal)
Member Secretary

Encls.: Copies of Comprehensive Report of Chairman and Expert Report of the Visiting Team.

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Chanderlok Building,
Janpath, New Delhi – 110 001
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3. Accreditation File
4. Master Accreditation file of the State