



Secretariat  
Chennai-9.

**ESSENTIALITY CERTIFICATE**  
**GOVERNMENT OF TAMILNADU**  
**Department of Health & Family Welfare**  
**Letter (D) No.463 / MC.1 / 2014, Dated 09.04.2015**

To  
The Dean,  
Chengalpattu Medical College,  
Chengalpattu

**Course : MD (Pediatrics)**

Sir,

The desired certificate is as follows.

1. It is certified that the **Chengalpattu Medical College, Chengalpattu** is recognized u/s 11(2) of the IMC Act, 1956 for 50 MBBS seats and permitted to increase of MBBS seats from 50 to 100 under 10 (a) (i) of the IMC, Act 1956.
2. No. of institutions already existing in the state: 43
3. No. of institutions offering **MD (Pediatrics)**: 21
4. No. of seats available in the **MD (Pediatrics)** in the state: 96
5. Full justification for instituting the **MD (Pediatrics)**:

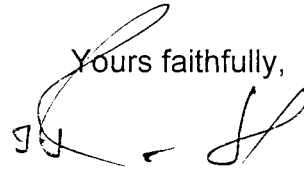
Dearth of qualified Post Graduate teachers in the Speciality in Tamil Nadu State.

The **Dean, Chengalpattu Medical College, Chengalpattu** has applied for the increase of **MD (Pediatrics)** seats from 2 to 4 at **Chengalpattu Medical College, Chengalpattu**. On careful consideration of the proposal, the Government of Tamil Nadu have decided to issue "Essentiality Certificate" to the applicant for the starting of **MD (Pediatrics)** seats from 2 to 4 at **Chengalpattu Medical College, Chengalpattu** from the academic year 2016-2017, subject to the condition that the approval of Medical Council of India / Government of India should be obtained before the students are admitted.

It is certified that:-

- (a) It is desirable to start of **MD (Pediatrics) seats from 2 to 4 at Chengalpattu Medical College, Chengalpattu** in the public interest.
- (b) Starting of **MD (Pediatrics) seats from 2 to 4 at Chengalpattu Medical College, Chengalpattu** is feasible.
- (c) The institution in the said department is having adequate clinical material as per the Medical Council of India norms.

It is further certified that in case the applicant fails to create infrastructure for the course as per Medical Council of India norms and fresh admissions are stopped by the Central Government, the State Government shall take over the responsibility of the students already admitted in the above said course at this College with the permission of the Central Government.

Yours faithfully,  


(J. RADHAKRISHNAN)  
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.  
(SIGNATURE OF THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY)

Copy to:-

The Medical Council of India, New Delhi

The Director of Medical Education, Chennai – 600 010.

The Special PA to Hon'ble Minister for Health, Chennai – 600 009.

Health and Family Welfare (Data Cell) Department, Chennai – 600 009.

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