<u>**02.277.216**</u>: Issue-1: To review the existing PCI Policy regarding processing of application of new Institutions /new courses.

Issue-2: To decide the academic session of approval of M.Pharm course.

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(14-56/2014-PCI)

(14-115/2015-PCI)

216.1 The latest information on record including decision of 101 CC (April, 2017) under Item No.351 was placed and considered.

## 216.2 It was noted that -

- a) in pursuance of 101 CC (April, 2017) decision, the Council has processed the applications received till 3.3.2017 for starting of the course(s) in 2017-2018 academic session or prior to 2017-2018 academic session and in following cases applications have been rejected
  - i) Applications received on time but incomplete
  - ii) Applications received after time and incomplete
- b) the colleges whose applications were rejected have appealed to the council for reconsideration of their cases on the ground that the documents such as consent of Examining Authority / No Objection Certificate of State Govt. required by PCI were issued late by the concerned authorities or in some cases institutions submitted documents to PCI after 3.3.2017.
- c) similarly some fresh applications have also been received after 3.3.2017 and in some cases such applications have been rejected and returned being time barred. Such applications may be complete or in-complete and may have requested for approval of the course from 2017-2018 academic session or prior to 2017-2018 academic session.
- 216.3 The above issue was threadbarely discussed and it was decided to
  - a) process all appeals and fresh applications and arrange inspections where applications are complete.
  - b) place this decision on Council's website to extend equal opportunity to all applicants.
  - c) as 2017-2018 academic session is approaching and admission process is going to start soon, it was further decided to take action in anticipation of approval of the minutes from the Hon'ble President.