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## DGS Order 28 of 2020

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Subject: Re-Opening of Maritime Training Institutes for Practical Training under
Controlled Conditions

The Government of India, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare Directorate General of Health Services (EMR Division) has issued SOP dated 08.09.2020 enabling safe resumption of teaching/ training activities in skill or entrepreneurship training institutions, higher educational institutions conducting doctoral courses and post graduate studies in technical & professional programs requiring laboratory /experimental work. As far as skill or entrepreneurship training is concerned the same shall be permitted in national skill training institutes, industrial training institutes, short term training centres registered with National Skill Development Corporation or State Skill Development Missions or other Ministries of Government of India or State government, National Institute for Entrepreneurship and Small Business Development (NIESBUD), Indian Institute of Entrepreneurship (IIE), and their training providers.

Taking all the above into cognizance, the Directorate has now decided to permit operation of post and pre-sea MTI based on a Risk assessment and Mitigation methodology detailed in "Standard Operating Procedures on Phase-wise unlocking of Training Activities at MTI to enable safe resumption of Training/Teaching activities' attached as an annexure to this Order.

All Pre-Sea MTI can start conduct of practical training after compliance with necessary conditions detailed in attached SOP for Post Sea MTI, while Post-Sea can start preparation for opening of MTI in accordance with SOP for Post Sea MTI for conduct of practical/simulator training pending issuance of Addendum to DGS Order 20 of 2020 with necessary modifications.

Recognizing that the GOI has not permitted use of swimming pools, those part of all STCW Courses, which require a candidate to enter inside water are not permitted, and after satisfactory completion Three-Tier Mechanism of Training comprising of E-Learning, Virtual

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Classes/Live Video Sessions/Remaining Practical at MTI and Exit exam, a candidate shall be issued course completion certificate valid for 18-months pending completion of remaining practical after opening of Swimming Pools after which the provisional certificate will be made a regular certificate for full period.

Recognizing the risk of visit to a Hospital mandatorily required for completion of Medicare Course, all Candidates after satisfactory completion Three-Tier Mechanism of Training comprising of E-Learning, Virtual Classes/Live Video Sessions/Remaining Practical at MTI and Exit exam shall be issued course completion certificate valid for 18-months pending visit to Hospital after risk is reduced, after which the provisional certificate will be made a regular certificate for full period.

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