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To,

**The President,  
Medical Council of India,  
New Delhi.**

Resp. Madam,

**"Jay Hind" from the office of IAFM.**

This is a representation from the Indian Academy of Forensic Medicine (IAFM) is oldest and largest association of Forensic Medicine experts representing almost each and every state and is committed to encourage the study, improve the medico legal practice, elevate the standard and progress of the field of Forensic Medicine & Toxicology since its inception in the year 1972.

This representation is a compilation of official stand of the Indian Academy of Forensic Medicine with respect to a) facilities for medico-legal work in India b) Minimum Staff requirement in the Dept. of Forensic Medicine considering MCI requirement for teaching as well as B.P.R. & D requirement of doctors as per the medico-legal work load. c) Uniform UG /PG curriculum in the subject of Forensic Medicine & Toxicology through out India.

We are submitting this representation to your august office, with a humble request that our (IAFM) official stand with respect to various aspect of the subject matters, may please be conveyed/forwarded to the appropriate authorities who are in process of deciding future course Medical Education in India.

## **This representation consists of followings:-**

**Annexure A:** Organizational introduction of Indian Academy of Forensic Medicine

**Annexure B:** Bureau of Police Reforms & Development (BPR&D) recommendations with respect to staff requirement as per Medico-legal work load

**Annexure C:** IAFM recommendation for Minimum Staff Requirement considering MCI requirement for teaching along with BPR&D requirement as work Medico-legal work load.

**Annexure D:** IAFM recommendation for Uniform UG Curriculum in FMT for entire India.

**Annexure E:** Copies of various representations made by IAFM in past to various committees including MCI

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**The recommendations made by the IAFM are based on followings grounds:-**

1. Ground realities of the subject as well as medico-legal work across the country.
2. Based on inputs given by the cross section of Forensic Medicine Subject faculties across country, right from senior most faculties to young generation, who are actually doing the teaching as well as medico-legal work.
3. Keeping with view of present requirements as well as to meet challenges like to come up in near future, as well to remain update with world scenario in Forensic Medicine & toxicology.

Our sincere thanks to you Madam, for giving your personal time to us, to present this representation to your august office and to personally hear our concerns/apprehensions regarding future of our subject.

Thanking you,

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