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NEET rank list likely after June 30

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THE STATE rank list for undergraduate medical and dental courses is yet to be out but the department of Medical Education has decided to start registering students from Wednesday. The decision was taken in the meeting of Medical Education department officials on Tuesday, which was headed by principal secretary Manjula.

A senior official confirmed that the registration will start from Wednesday. "By the time state list is received, Karna-

taka Examination Authority will finish document verification for medical and dental seat aspirants," the official said. The state rank list is likely to be available only after June 30.

The fee fixation and seat sharing for undergraduate medical and dental courses will also be finalised on Wednesday. Medical Education Minister Dr Sharan Prakash Patil has called for a meeting with private colleges to discuss the same. The colleges are demanding a 10% fee hike, but the government is not ready for it.



Medical admissions: 'OCI students will be treated under NRI categoty'

Government to amend rule

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT BENGALURU

The State government on Tuesday admitted before the High Court of Karnataka that legal route is yet be cleared completely for considering students belonging to Overseas Citizens of India (OCI) category for their admission to medical courses in the State.

However, the government counsel orally told a Division Bench comprising Justice H.G. Ramesh and Justice K.S. Mudagal that the relevant rule would be amended for treating the

OCI students on a par with the Non-Resident Indian (NRI) students, while making it clear that the government was not inclined to provide seats to OCI students under the general quota.

Time sought

As the government sought time to file a detailed response to the petitions filed by several OCI students seeking direction for admission to medical courses, the Bench adjourned further hearing till July first week.