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## MBBS fee in pvt college capped at ₹6.8L per year

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**Bengaluru:** The maximum annual fee for a first-year Indian student of an undergraduate MBBS course in a private medical college in Karnataka cannot exceed Rs 6.83 lakh a year. For a dental course, it's capped at Rs 4.63 lakh. The Fee Regulatory Committee allowed a maximum of 8% increase over the previous year's fee. The maximum fee last year was Rs 6.32 lakh. Many private colleges had sought a hike as high as 30%.

The committee has, for the first time, capped the maximum fee for Indian students and decided to charge NRI students 10 times the fee of Indian students. The committee was constituted under Section 6 of the Karnataka Professional and Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admission and Determination of Fee) Act 2006. It's headed by Justice DV Shylendra Kumar.

The general category includes pan-India students under the general merit category as well as from SC, ST and OBC (all minorities) quotas.

► Fine up to ₹10 lakh, P 7



# Exorbitant fees: Panel warns pvt colleges of fine up to ₹10L

TIMES NEWS NETWORK

**Bengaluru:** The Fee Regulatory Committee that has allowed Karnataka private medical colleges to hike a maximum of 8% over the previous year's fee has warned colleges against charging more than what's stipulated.

Committee chairman Justice DV Shylendra Kumar said NRI seats are, by default, converted into management quota seats. "During inspection if we find any college charging more than the stipulated fee, we'll take action. The government may levy a fine up to Rs 10 lakh or double the excess amount collected, whichever is higher," he said.

According to the fee committee, an NRI student will have to pay 10 times the fee an Indian student pays.

The committee also fixed the maximum fee for super-speciality PG medi-

cal and dental courses for the first time. The annual fee for Indian students for a super-speciality course in medical colleges has been capped at Rs 14,25,600, and Rs 7,60,320 for dental courses.

ComedK executive secretary S Kumar said, "The KME judgment in 2004 reiterated that it's a sin if one student has to pay for another's education. Year on year, the fee has been fixed such that it subsidizes government students. All private colleges have to follow this. If a uniform fee is applicable for all categories of students, I don't see why private colleges should be upset. For some colleges, it may be difficult to improve infrastructure and facilities for students. Although the NRI student fee will be 10 times the fee for Indian students, hardly any NRI student studies in our colleges. All these seats are eventually converted to management quota seats."

## MAXIMUM AMOUNT

COURSE	INDIAN STUDENT	NRI
<b>MEDICAL</b>		
MBBS	6,83,100	68,31,000
PG Clinical	7,12,800	71,28,000
PG Pre-Clinical	89,640	8,96,400
PG Para Clinical	1,78,200	17,82,000
Diploma Clinical	5,40,000	54,00,000
Diploma Para Clinical	1,78,200	17,82,000
Super Speciality	14,25,600	1,42,56,000
<b>DENTAL</b>		
BDS	4,63,320	46,33,200
PG, Degree/Diploma	3,80,160	38,01,600
Super Speciality/fellowship/diploma	7,60,320	76,03,200

All figures in Rs | Source: Fee Regulatory Committee



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ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು: ಕಳೆದ ವರ್ಷ ಜಾರಿಯಿದ್ದ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಶುಲ್ಕವನ್ನು ಶೇಕಡ 8 ರಷ್ಟು ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಸಲು ತೀರ್ಮಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ವೃತ್ತಿ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಶುಲ್ಕ ನಿಯಂತ್ರಣ ಸಮಿತಿ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ನಿವೃತ್ತ ನ್ಯಾಯಮೂರ್ತಿ ಕೈಲಾಂಧ್ರಕುಮಾರ್ ತಿಳಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಕಳೆದ ವರ್ಷ ರಾಜ್ಯ ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಎಲ್ಲ ಪಾಸ್ತಿ

ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳೊಂದಿಗೆ ಮಾತುಕತೆ ನಡೆಸಿ ಶುಲ್ಕ ನಿಗದಿಪಡಿಸಿತು. ಸಮಿತಿಯು ವರದಿಯನ್ನೂ ನೀಡಿದ್ದು ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಒಪ್ಪಂದ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡ ಶುಲ್ಕ ಪಾರಿಗೆ ಬಂದಿತು. ಈ ವರ್ಷ ಅದನ್ನೇ ಮೂಲವಾಗಿಟ್ಟುಕೊಂಡು ಪ್ರತಿ ಶಾಲೆ/ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯವ ಮೂಲಭೂತ ಸವಲತ್ತು ಪರಿಗಣಿಸಿ ಶುಲ್ಕ ನಿಗದಿಪಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಈ ಬಾರಿ ಬೇರೆ ಒಪ್ಪಂದಕ್ಕೆ ಅವಕಾಶವಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಮೇಲೆ ಸಮಿತಿ

ಅಧೀಶಕ್ಕೆ ಮುನ್ನ ಯಾವುದಾದರೂ ಒಪ್ಪಂದವಾಗಿದ್ದರೆ ಸಮಿತಿಯ ಅಧೀಕರಣ ಅಂತಿಮ ಎಂದರು.

ಒಪ್ಪಂದದಂತೆ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಯಿಂದ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಶುಲ್ಕ ಪಡೆದಿದ್ದರೆ ಸಮಿತಿ ನಿಗದಿಪಡಿಸಿದ ಶುಲ್ಕವನ್ನು ಪಾರಿಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟು ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಂದ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಶುಲ್ಕ ಪಡೆದಿದ್ದರೆ ಅದನ್ನು ಓಂತಿರಿಸಬೇಕು. ಕಡಿಮೆ ಇದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ಉಳಿಕೆ ಹಣವನ್ನು ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಯಿಂದ ಪಡೆಯುವುದು

ಬಿಡುವುದು ಅಂತಾ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗೆ ಸೇರಿತ್ತು ಎಂದರು. ಕಾಯ್ದೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹೇಳಿರುವಂತೆ ಪ್ರತಿ ವರ್ಷ ಶೇಕಡ 8 ರವರೆಗೆ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಶುಲ್ಕ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಸಲು ಅವಕಾಶವಿದೆ. ಕಳೆದ ವರ್ಷ ಸರ್ಕಾರ ನಿಗದಿಪಡಿಸಿದ ಶುಲ್ಕ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಧ್ಯವಾಗಿ ಕಂಡಿದ್ದರಿಂದ ಅದರ ಮೇಲೆ ಶೇಕಡ 8 ಹೆಚ್ಚುವರ ಶುಲ್ಕ ಪಡೆಯಲು ಅವಕಾಶ ನೀಡಲಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಿದರು.