

CIRCULAR

ADMISSION OF FOREIGN STUDENTS (SAARC COUNTRIES) IN THE MBBS AND BDS COURSES IN GOVERNMENT MEDICAL AND DENTAL COLLEGES IN BANGLADESH FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2017-2018 UNDER SELF-FINANCE SCHEME

1. The Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh has offered a number of seats in the MBBS and BDS courses in the Government Medical and Dental Colleges for foreign students for the academic year **2017-2018** under self-finance scheme. Interested applicants must fulfill the criteria mentioned below:

Criteria for Admission of Foreign Students.

- Applicants must have passed qualifying examinations i.e. Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC)/ 'A' level or equivalent examination.
- School Secondary Certificate (SSC)/ 'O' level or equivalent examination passed not before **2014**.
- HSC/ 'A' level or equivalent examination passed not before **2016**.
- Minimum aggregate GPA in SSC/ 'O' level or equivalent and HSC/ 'A' level or equivalent: **8.00 (eight)**.
- Minimum GPA either in SSC/'O' level or equivalent and in HSC/'A' level or equivalent : **3.50**
- Minimum GPA in biology : **3.50**
- For calculation of GPA against the marks obtained in SSC/'O' level or equivalent exam only **top 5 subjects** are considered. Therefore, GPA in 'O' level = (total marks obtained in top five subjects)/5.
- For calculation of GPA against the marks obtained in HSC/'A' level or equivalent exam, only **3 subjects (Physics, Chemistry and Biology)** are considered. Qualifying grade in each subject individually is "**C**". Therefore, GPA in 'A' level = (total marks obtained in three subjects)/3.

2. **Application Form:** Duly filled in application forms (forms are available at www.bdhc-kolkata.org and www.mofa.gov.bd) in quadruplicate along with the following documents are to reach the Bangladesh Deputy High Commission, 9 Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujib Sarani, Kolkata-700017 latest by 25 October2017:

- Photocopy of 4 (four) copies of academic certificates, admit cards and mark-sheet/transcript of SSC/'O' level or equivalent (**passed not before 2014**) and HSC/ 'A' level or equivalent (**passed not before 2016**). All the certificates must be duly attested by the competent authority that is the **Education Board**, the **External Affairs Ministry of India** and the **Bangladesh Mission in India**.
- 7 (seven) copies of passport size photographs.
- 04 (Four) sets of passport's photocopy.
- A non-refundable Telegraphic Transfer (T.T) US\$60 (sixty) payable to Director, Medical Education & HMPD, DGHS, Mohakhali A/C No. 200024894, Rupali Bank Ltd, Mohakhali Branch, Dhaka, Bangladesh through :

Name of Nostro A/C	Account No.	SWIFT Code
Standard Chartered Bank, New York	3582020365001	SCBLUS33
Mashreq Bank Psc. New York	70120518	MSHQUS33
AB Bank Ltd. Mumbai	5001-000003-155	ABBLINBB

3 (three) photocopies of the above mentioned T.T received copy (Deposit received memo) and the original copy.

3. Successful applicants will be required to produce all academic certificates, admit cards and mark-sheets/ transcripts in original during their admission.

4. For further details, if any, applicants may contact the Bangladesh Deputy High Commission, Kolkata at telephone number: 033-40127500 extension 505/ 525 on all work days between 10 am and 4 pm.