

PHARMACY COUNCIL OF PAKISTAN

Ministry of National Health Services, Regulations and Coordination Government of Pakistan



F.No. 2-122/2023-PCP

October 8, 2025

Vice Chancellor. Federal Urdu University of Arts, Science & Technology, Karachi.

SUBJECT: **UNAUTHORIZED** ADMISSIONS IN PHARM. WITHOUT VALID NOC IN SESSION 2025 BY FEDERAL URDU UNIVERSITY OF ARTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY, ISLAMABAD **CAMPUS**

Reference to the subject cited above.

- 2. You may recall that Pharmacy Council of Pakistan vide letter No. F.No.2-122/2023-PCP(F.No.1-25/2023) dated 10.08.2023 has issued NOC to Federal Urdu University of Arts, Science & Technology, Islamabad Campus to launch Pharm. D Program expressly for Fall Session 2023-28. However, said University campus did not enroll students in Session 2023-28, therefore, Second/ Third comprehensive visit could not be conducted which otherwise confirms that such NOC has been rendered infructuous.
- Whereas, it has been noted with grave concern that University campus has announced admissions in Pharm. D Program for Session 2025 without any formal approval of Pharmacy Council which is tantamount to undermine the constitutional role of Pharmacy Council of Pakistan as enshrined under Pharmacy Act, 1967. Recently, on a complaint regarding admission campaign in Islamabad campus, a team of Pharmacy Council has conducted a surprise visit on 01.10.2025 and reported absence of infrastructure, faculty, laboratory, equipments, chemicals, library etc.
- 4. In view of the foregoing, you are hereby directed to immediately stop any admission in Pharm.D program until codal formalities duly prescribed by Pharmacy Council of Pakistan are complied with. The matter regarding non-submission of remaining penalty fee for Karachi campus shall be dealt separately.
- 5. This issues with the approval of President, Pharmacy Council of Pakistan.

Note: Any admission/s in Pharm. D Program without fulfilment of codal formalities/valid NOC shall be the sole responsibility of the Executive/ Administrative Head of the University.

(Dr. Alishba Khan)

8.10.2025

Secretary Pharmacy Council of Pakistan

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