



# **GUIDELINES FOR REMOVAL (DE-RECOGNITION) FROM THE SECOND SCHEDULE**

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### **1. LOCAL INSTITUTIONS**

- 1.1. Licence or accreditation is revoked by Malaysian Qualifications Agency (MQA) or Ministry of Higher Education (MOHE).

### **2. FOREIGN INSTITUTIONS**

- 2.1. The degree/institution **no longer exists/operational/recognized by local regulatory body** (to be confirmed via official websites, embassies, local authorities, or World Directory of Medical Schools (WDOMS) / World Federation for Medical Education (WFME) from 2026).

### **3. DURATION AND EVALUATION PROCESS FOR REMOVAL**

- 3.1. The **Second Schedule list should be reviewed every five (5) years**, covering:

- 3.1.1. The existence and status of both institution and qualification.
- 3.1.2. Relevant updates from World Directory of Medical Schools (WDOMS) / World Federation for Medical Education (WFME) or official source.

- 3.2. Verification of Institutional Status and De-recognition Protocol

- 3.2.1. Where the Malaysian Medical Council (MMC) determines that a medical institution or its qualification is no longer active, operational, and/or recognized by local regulatory body according to official websites, local authorities, the World Directory of Medical Schools (WDOMS), or the World Federation for Medical Education (WFME), the MMC shall issue a formal inquiry to the institution seeking verification of its current operational status or any structural modifications.

- 3.2.1.1. **Diplomatic Notification:** A copy of the formal inquiry shall be concurrently transmitted to the relevant embassy or high commission in Malaysia.

- 3.2.1.2. **Statutory Timeline for Response:** The institution shall be required to submit its official response within three (3) months from the date of issuance.

3.2.1.3. **Effect of Non-Compliance:** Failure by the institution to respond within the stipulated three-month period shall result in the immediate de-recognition of the medical school and the removal of its medical qualification from the Second Schedule.