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Sub: Regulation of Open and Distance Learning (ODL) made of education in the higher education system.

Sir,

With reference to your d.o. letter No. D.O.F.No. 2-4/2015(DEB-III) dt. 11.1.2016 on the above subject, I am directed to say that the Pharmacy Council of India is concerned only with the following three specified degrees mentioned in the Gazette Notification sent by you:-

- i) 107- Pharm.D (Doctor of Pharmacy)
- ii) 108- M.Pharm (Master of Pharmacy)
- iii) 109-B.Pharm (Bachelor of Pharmacy)

It is the considered view of the Pharmacy Council of India that no academic programme for the above courses can be offered through Open and Distance Learning (ODL) mode as the subjects included in such courses require extensive class room based teaching and practical training including the internship in the hospitals.

Yours faithfully

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 Registrar-cum-Secretary

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