## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Dated: 27.03.2020

Subject: Postponement of National Eligibility cum Entrance Test (NEET) UG May-2020.

In view of the guidelines issued by the MHA Order No. 40-3/2020-D dated 24.03.2020 announcing a lockdown of 21 days w.e.f. 25.03.2020 for containment of COVID-19 epidemic in the country, and on the advice of the Ministries of Human Resource Development and Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, the National Testing Agency has postponed the ensuing NEET (UG) May 2020 examination scheduled to be held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2020.

We are hopeful that we would get back to normal situation relatively soon; but for now, various concerned Ministries and Examination Boards are examining the scenario to evaluate the situation that may necessitate any change in the schedule. As of now the examination is proposed to be held in the last week on May 2020. Exact date will be announced later on after assessing the situation.

Accordingly, the Admit Cards for the Examination which were to be issued on 27th March 2020 will now be issued later on after assessing the situation after 15th April 2020 only.

We understand that academic calendar and schedule is important, but equally important is well being of every citizen including students.

NTA would expect students and parents to not worry about the examination, and moreover help young candidates to utilize this time for preparing for the examination and focus on critical concepts in order to close learning gaps if any. NTA would keep students updated about the latest developments and would inform about changes with ample time.

The candidates and their parents are advised to keep visiting <u>ntaneet.nic.in</u> and <u>www.nta.ac.in</u> for latest updates. They are also being informed individually through their registered mobile number/ email-id. The

candidates can also contact at 8700028512, 8178359845, 9650173668, 9599676953, 8882356803 for any further clarification.

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