L-20025/152/2022-IC/FTS: 8174466 Government of India Ministry of Health and Family Welfare Department of Health and Family Welfare (I.C. Section)

To

Dr. Alok Srivastava, Co - President, APBMT 2022, Secretary ISBMT, Department of Haematology, Christian Medical College, Vellore - 634004, Tamil Nadu, India.

Subject: Permission for holding "27th Annual meeting of Asia - Pacific Blood and Marrow Transplantation Group (APBMT 2022)" from **06** th - **09** th **October 2022** at Lulu Bolgatty International Convention Centre, in Kochi.

Ma'am/Sir,

I am directed to refer to your email dated 06.07.2022 (copy enclosed) on the subject noted above and to say that after considering your request, this Ministry allows you for holding the event with the following conditions: -

- No expenditure devolves on Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. Of India.
- ii. Prior approval/Clearance from the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) and Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) is obtained for participation of foreign delegates/faculties.
- iii. The organizers shall adhere to latest COVID 19 guidelines as applicable during the conference ($20^{th} 23^{rd}$ January, 2022) as issued by MHA, MOHFW and State Health authorities
- iv. All other necessary approval/ clearances from the concerned authorities are obtained by the organizers.
- v. The patient service should not be affected during the period of the conference.

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- vi. The Conference is not used to promote business interests of any private of public companies/organizations or any of their products in any manner.
- vii. A brief report on the conference may be submitted as soon as the conference is over. In case, the applicant fails to submit the conference report, permission may not be granted for future conference (s);
 - 2. This issues with the approval of competent authority.

Encl: A/A

Yours faithfully,

(Sonu Kumar)

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Copy for information to:

- 1. Ministry of External Affairs, Coordination Section, South Block, New Delhi.
- 2. Ministry of Home Affairs, Foreigners Division, Major Dhyan Chand National Stadium, Near India Gate, New Delhi- 110002.