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CS EXAMS POSTPONED TO DECEMBER 2020 AMID COVID-19 PANDEMIC

Merging Company Secretaries June 2020 Session Examination with December 2020 Session

In wake of the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic, the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) has decided to merge the Company Secretaries June, 2020 session Examinations for Foundation, Executive (Old and New Syllabus), Professional (Old and New Syllabus) and Post Membership Qualification (PMQ) Course examination with the Company Secretaries December, 2020 Examinations.

Talking about the decision of postponing the exams, CS Ashish Garg, President, the ICSI said that the safety of our students is of prime importance.

“With increasing Corona virus cases in the country, the bigger challenge is ensuring the well being of all. Health and safety of our stakeholders have always been paramount at ICSI. In view of Covid-19 outbreak, the lockdown restrictions and social distancing norms, we have decided to merge the June Examination with December 2020 Examinations”, ICSI President said.

The Institute had earlier postponed the June, 2020 examinations to July and further to August, 2020 due to the outbreak of Pandemic Covid- 19 in the country.

The details are as under:

1. ICSI Examinations for the June 2020 session which has been merged with the December, 2020 Examinations shall commence from 21st December, 2020 as per the Examination Time-table which will be released separately.
2. Examination form already submitted by the students/candidates for the ICSI Examinations, June-2020 session will hold good for ICSI Examinations to be held in December, 2020. Such students/candidates should not apply again. However, such students/candidates may apply online for change of Examination Centre, Module and/or Medium without payment of fee from 26th July, 2020 till 20th November, 2020 for appearing in ICSI Examinations to be held in December, 2020.

3. Students/Candidates who have submitted their examination form for the ICSI Examinations, June-2020 session shall be allowed to carryover all benefits available to them including payment of fee and subject-wise exemptions for ICSI Examinations to be held in December, 2020.
4. Students/Candidates who have submitted examination form for ICSI Examinations, June-2020 session are allowed to add their module(s) with payment of differential examination fee during the above specified period for appearing in ICSI Examinations to be held in December, 2020.
5. The students/candidates who have not enrolled for ICSI Examinations June, 2020 session may enroll by submitting online examination form together with requisite examination fee from 26th July, 2020 till 25th September, 2020 (without late fee) and upto 9th October, 2020 (with late fee).
6. The students of Executive Programme (Old Syllabus) and Professional Programme (Old Syllabus) are given opportunity to appear in the examination to be held in December, 2020, as per their old Syllabus.
7. Separate announcement shall be released in relation to examinations for Company Secretaries Executive Entrance Test (CSEET) students.

The detailed Examination Datesheet/Time-table for December, 2020 examinations will be released soon. Stay connected with the Institute's website www.icsi.edu for further updates/notification related to the academic calendar and examination schedule/guidelines.

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About ICSI

The Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) is a premier professional body set up under an Act of Parliament, i.e., Company Secretaries Act, 1980, for the regulation and development of the profession of Company Secretaries in India. It functions under the jurisdiction of Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India. The Institute, being a pro-active body, focuses on best and top-quality education to students of Company Secretaries Course and best quality set standards for CS members. The Institute has over 65,000 members and about 3 lakh students on its roll.