To,

Dr. Pradeep Vaideeswar

Indian Association of Pathologists and Microbiologists (IAPM)

Dear Dr. Pradeep Vaideeswar

Let us first thank you for the solidarity and trust invested by you and Indian Association of Pathologists and Microbiologists (IAPM) in **Indian Medical Association.** You will agree that the medical profession is passing through one of its dark ages with the ambience to practise deteriorating everyday due to the numerous assaults by legislations, violence and medical illiteracy of the judiciary. We all owe it to our upcoming generations of doctors to leave behind a safe world for them to practice medicine.

The National Medical Commission Bill is the eye of the storm. No bigger threat has engulfed our fraternity than NMC. Bridge course and registration to AYUSH and Licentiate exam after MBBS final exam are unacceptable. IMA is consolidating the fraternity for a bigger action, if required.

At this moment of crisis, we bank upon your organisation for support and strength. We would appreciate if you could write to all your members on NMC and its impact on the profession and Health care delivery. We appeal to your members through you for support to the struggle undertaken by IMA on behalf of the profession.

We also appeal to you to issue a press statement opposing NMC and forward a copy to the office of the **Prime Minister.**

IMA has convened **Doctors' Maha Panchayat on Sunday 25.03.2018 at New Delhi**. Thousands of doctors are expected to participate in the meeting between **10AM and 2 PM**

in Indra Gandhi Indoor Stadium, New Delhi. We invite you and your members to be a part of history and the struggle by participating in maximum numbers in the meeting.

Finally, we appeal to your members to contribute financially in this fight against the might.

They may be given the following information to facilitate their contribution to the cause.

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Thanking you in anticipation of solidarity and support.

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