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Government of India
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
(I.C. Section)

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi.
Dated the 6 June, 2018

To,

Mr. Sidharth Biswas,
Conference Organizer -(ISGON 2018)
Pvs Institute of Digestive Diseases
8th Floor, New Block PVS Memorial Hospital (P)Ltd,
Kochi,-682017 Kerala

Sub: Permission for holding the 59th Annual Conference of Indian Society of Gastroenterology on **28th November, 2018 to 1st December, 2018, Kochi Kerala**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to your letter dated 09.05.2018 (received on 28.03.2018) on the subject noted above and to say that this Ministry has no objection to the holding of the said event subject to the following conditions:

- (i) No expenditure devolves on Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India.
 - (ii) Prior approval/Clearance from the Ministry of External Affairs and Ministry of Home Affairs is obtained for participation of foreign delegates/faculties.
 - (iii) All other necessary approval/clearances from the concerned authorities are obtained by the organizers.
 - (iv) The patient service should not be affected during the period of the conference
 - (v) The Conference is not used to promote business interests of any private or public companies/organizations or any of their products in any manner.
 - (vi) 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.

Yours faithfully,



(Manoj Kumar Sinha)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

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1. Ministry of External Affairs, Coordination Section, South Block, New Delhi.
2. Ministry of Home Affairs, Foreigners Division, NDCC – II Building Jai Singh Road, Opp - Parliament Street, Near - Jantar Mantar, New Delhi.