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Subject: **EXAM REFORMS IN VIEW OF RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON IMPROVEMENT OF SSC & HSSC EXAMINATION SYSTEM HELD ON 24-26 JANUARY, 2017 AT ISLAMABAD**

Dear Sir/Madam,

The undersigned is directed to inform that the subject item was discussed in IBCC Forum in its 170<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 20-21 October, 2021, the recommended reforms were unanimously approved by the forum and agreed to implement in their concerned boards. It was further resolved that to address the issue of rote learning the boards will work on preparing question papers based on Students Learning Outcomes (SLOs) instead of text books. The boards also agreed a gradual shift towards higher cognitive level questions starting with Knowledge 30%, Understanding 50%, and Application 20% by SSC and HSSC Annual Examinations 2022 to make further progress to achieve the complete shift towards curriculum based examinations in the coming years. It was agreed that a zoom meeting of IBCC should be held once a month to oversee the progress to this effect and to discuss other allied issues.

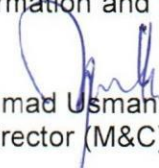
2. During the briefing session it was learnt that all BISEs have made much progress in the field of introduction of Information Technology. Even Federal Board of Intermediate & Secondary Education, Islamabad has adopted e-marking in SSC and HSSC Annual Examinations, 2021. It was also observed that some Boards have not so far adopted any viable computer technology in examinations. It was advised that modern computer technology may be adopted in all Boards in respect of Examinations as well record of the Boards so that these can be linked with National Database to be established by IBCC for national and international verification of certificates.

3. Resolution of the IBCC Forum is communicated herewith for information and further necessary action, please.

**All Members of IBCC**

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