



# COUNCIL FOR THE INDIAN SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATIONS

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**MOST URGENT**

CISCE / CIR/2020  
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To: All the Heads of ICSE/ISC Schools concerned

**Subject:**

- I. **Choice MUST be given to candidates to select options (i) or (ii) with regards to the pending subjects/papers of the ICSE/ISC Year 2020 Examinations, as provided in the Circular / Decision dated 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2020;**
- II. **Extension of date for submitting the choice provided to the candidates in the Circular / Decision dated 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2020, from 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2020 to 24<sup>th</sup> June, 2020.**

Dear Principal,

This is further to the Council's circular dated 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2020 wherein the CISCE had offered the candidates the choice in respect of the examinations in July 2020.

It has come to the attention of the CISCE that candidates of some schools are being coerced into making a choice, much against their wishes. Some complaints have been received by the CISCE in this respect.

This conduct by the schools is against the spirit and the intention of the CISCE's Circular / Decision dated 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2020 and you are hereby called upon to refrain from indulging in such practices. CISCE once again clarifies that it is the candidate and/or their parents who have to select the options provided in the Circular / Decision dated 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2020, and communicate the same to you in writing so that you may inform CISCE accordingly. We hereby further clarify that the schools are requested not to impose and/or influence the choices of the candidates.

The CISCE will take appropriate actions against such schools which act in contradiction with and/or contravention of what is stated herein.

**Further, the date for the submission of the choice of option as provided in the Circular / Decision dated 15<sup>th</sup> June, 2020, has been revised from 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2020 by 12:00 noon to 24<sup>th</sup> June 2020 till 12:00 noon.**

You are once again requested to forward a copy of the Circular / Decision dated 15<sup>th</sup> June 2020, along with the present circular to the respective candidates and/or their parents by the end of the day.

Your cooperation in this matter is solicited. Kindly treat this as most important and very urgent, as this is in the best interest of the candidates concerned.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

Gerry Arathoon  
Chief Executive & Secretary