AERB safety requirements are now pre-requisite for obtaining Permanent Registration under CEA, 2010, to applicable Clinical Establishments

The National Council constituted under the Clinical Establishment Act, 2010, (CEA, 2010) has approved inclusion of AERB license as a statutory pre-requisite for grant of "permanent registration" under CEA, 2010. The National Council has further recommended AERB licence as pre-requisite towards issuance of provisional registration under the same Act.

The applicable clinical establishments are those using ionising radiation sources such as interalia, facilities with diagnostic X-ray equipment (e.g. general purpose X-ray, CT, Cath-lab), radiotherapy equipment for cancer treatment like linear accelerators and tele-cobalt units and nuclear medicine facilities using radio-pharmaceuticals for diagnosis/therapy purposes (e.g. PET-CT using F-18 radio-nuclide).

This supportive development comes in the backdrop of AERB pursuit with Directorate General of Health Services (DGHS), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoHFW), to establish a seamless regulatory interface for such clinical establishments.

AERB has apprised this exemplary resolution of the National Council to both, the CEA adoptive as well as CEA non-adoptive State Health Authorities with an intent to establish cohesive regulatory / administrative interface for clinical establishments using ionising radiation sources.
