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**CLARIFICATION – IMPLEMENTATION PLAN OF 5<sup>TH</sup> EDITION HOSPITAL STANDARD**

This has reference to the transition plan for the 5th Edition Hospital Standard vide NABH/Notification/5<sup>th</sup> Edition/Imp/2020/0383 dated May 10, 2020.

The points regarding accreditation validity should be read as follows:

In case the HCO undergoes assessment on the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of NABH standards the validity of accreditation will be of 3 years.

In case the HCO undergoes assessment on the 5<sup>th</sup> Edition of NABH Standards the validity of accreditation will be of 4 years.

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