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Dear NNF Members,

Greetings from NNF!!

On behalf of National Neonatology Forum, We write to you with profound sorrow and are appalled in light of the recent, tragic events at R.G. Kar Medical College. As an organization dedicated to upholding the values of integrity, respect, and the sanctity of the medical profession, we strongly condemn this act of violence and misconduct. We are all inconsolable over the brutal incident involving medical professional and are gravely worried about the security and welfare of medical professional nationwide.

Incidents such as these tarnish the reputation of our esteemed profession and threaten the safety and well-being of those who have dedicated their lives to the service of humanity. The medical community, which tirelessly works to heal and save lives, must be protected and respected.

In solidarity with the Indian Medical Association (IMA) call for a nationwide shutdown of outpatient departments and other medical services, we fully support this collective stand. It is imperative that we all come together during this difficult time to honor our fallen colleague and to demand the justice, safety, and respect that every medical professional deserves.

We urge all our members to participate in this movement by suspending non-emergency services. Let this moment of collective grief and outrage serve as a catalyst for meaningful change that will safeguard those who tirelessly serve our society. While we join in this protest, we must also ensure that emergency services remain fully operational, as our commitment to patient care continues to be our top priority.

Furthermore, we extend our deepest condolences to the bereaved family and express our unwavering support to the resident doctors and the entire medical fraternity at R.G. Kar Medical College and others. We strongly urge the authorities to conduct a thorough and swift investigation, ensuring that those responsible are brought to justice without delay.

Please be assured that National Neonatology Forum is ready to offer any assistance required in the pursuit of justice and in support during this challenging time.

Best Regards,

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