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**NOTIFICATION**

It is for the information of general public, employers and universities that Higher Education Commission (HEC) recognizes Final Examination Certificates awarded by Institute of Cost and Management Accountants of Pakistan (ICMAP), Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan (ICAP) and Membership of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA), U.K. as equivalent to Master of Commerce (M.Com.) degree involving 16-year of schooling in Pakistan.

2. It is being notified that henceforth the Higher Education Commission (HEC) would not issue equivalence letter for above mentioned qualifications on individual basis. The Universities and employers may determine suitability of the candidates for admission and jobs respectively as per their rules and regulations in the light of this notification.

3. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

  
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