

**Subject:** Re: normalization

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Dear All,

I have seen inputs from Chairman CBSE, Prof. Debasis Sengupta and Prof. Sunil Sarangi.

- 1) We have announced that JEE Main and Board performance would have 60:40 weightage. Thus two candidates from two different Boards scoring equal marks in JEE Main and equal percentile in their respective Board exam. should remain on par as a part of normalisation process to avoid any legal issues.
- 2) In my opinion, value judgement with regard to parity on the basis of merit is a different matter and should not be brought in at this stage. Once we say 40% weightage is for performance in the Board exams, that should be equally applicable to all boards and not be further modulated.
- 3) The principle that has been adopted could of course be revisited after some years of actual experience. This can be on the basis of several off line studies on the basis of actual JEE Main as well as Board scores.
- 4) For the present, I feel we should follow recommendations of Joshi Committee.

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