

एनसीटीई अपीलीय प्राधिकरण में/ IN THE NCTE APPELLATE AUTHORITY

राष्ट्रीय अध्यापक शिक्षा परिषद् (एन.सी.टी.ई.) जी-7, सेक्टर-10, द्वारका, नई दिल्ली-110075

NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR TEACHER EDUCATION (NCTE) G-7, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Delhi-110075

दिनांक/ Date - 04.07.2025

एनसीटीई अधिनियम की धारा 18 के तहत दायर अपील/

APPEAL FILED UNDER SECTION 18 OF NCTE ACT 89-75/E-350007/2024 Appeal/8th Meeting, 2025 APPLWRC202414831

Government Institution of Advanced Studies in Education, Khasara no. 3766, Village - Ajmer, Street/Road - Jaipur Road, District	Western Regional Committee, Plot No. G-7, Sector – 10, Dwarka, New Delhi -110075.
- Ajmer, Rajasthan – 305001.	

Representative of Appellant	Dr. Asha Saraswat, HoD
Respondent by	Regional Director, WRC
Date of Hearing	04.07.2025
Date of Pronouncement	04.07.2025

आदेश/ ORDER

I. GROUNDS OF WITHDRAWAL

The appeal of Government Institution of Advanced Studies in Education, Khasara no. 3766, Village - Ajmer, Street/Road - Jaipur Road, District - Ajmer, Rajasthan - 305001 dated 07.11.2024 filed under Section 18 of NCTE Act, 1993 is against the Order no. F.No.WRC/NCTE/RJ-06-M.Ed./406th Meeting/2024/225497 dated 09.09.2024 of the Western Regional Committee, withdrawing the recognition for conducting M.Ed. Programme on the grounds that "(i) The institution has failed to fulfil deficiencies and did not submit any reply in response to final show cause notice even after final SCN/personal hearing made with authorized representatives from the institution. (ii) Separate updated approved faculty list for M.Ed. programme in original showing all details in the NCTE prescribed proforma showing all columns displayed in proforma along with the approval letter of affiliating body for selection/appointment of faculties for M.Ed. programme has not been submitted. (iii) The institution has failed to appoint requisite number of faculties as per Appendix-IV of NCTE Regulations, 2014 for M.Ed. approved intake of 50 as per prescribed qualification laid down under NCTE Norms and regulations as amended from time to time. (iv) The institutional website is not found operational, which is in violation of clause 7(14)(i), 8(6), 8(14) and 10(3) of NCTE Regulations, 2014 as amended from time to time."

II. SUBMISSIONS MADE BY APPELLANT: -

Dr. Asha Saraswat, HoD of Government Institution of Advanced Studies in Education, Khasara no. 3766, Village - Ajmer, Street/Road - Jaipur Road, District - Ajmer, Rajasthan - 305001 appeared online to present the case of the appellant institution on 04.07.2025. In the appeal report, it is submitted that "1. The Show Cause Notice of yours vide order no. NCTE/WRC/RJ-06/M.Ed./392nd meeting/2023/224084 dated 05.09.2023 received on 14.09.2023. A detailed reply of the show cause notice was sent on behalf of institute of advanced studies in education, Ajmer by hand vide letter no. IASE/AJ/ACADEMIC/NCTE APPEAL/2023/461-464 DATED 20.09.2023. The same was received on 22.09.2023. 2. The approved faculty list received is attached by

the Directorate secondary education, Bikaner, and M.D.S. University, Ajmer was sent with above reply in person on 22.09.2023 showing all the details in NCTE prescribed proforma, updated approved faculty list for current academic session 2024-25 is being furnished by institution showing all the details in prescribed proforma by NCTE. 3. The institute is having well qualified facilities in the requisite numbers as per NCTE Norms and the approved updated list is attached here in. 4. Institute's website is functional and updated time to time Url: https://department.rajasthan.gov.in/home/dptHome/1264."

III. OUTCOME OF THE CASE

The Appeal Committee in its 8th Meeting, 2025 held online on 4th July, 2025 perused the Appeal Report, documents available on the records and heard oral arguments advanced during the Meeting.

The Appeal Committee noted that the appellant institution was granted recognition for M.Ed. course on dated 31.07.2000. After promulgation of NCTE Regulations, 2014, the Revised Provisional Recognition Order was issued to the institution on 06.08.2015 for conducting M.Ed. course of two years duration with an annual intake of 50 students (One basic unit of 50 students) from the academic session 2015-16. The recognition of the institution for M.Ed. programme was again withdrawn by the WRC vide order dated 09.09.2024.

The instant matter was placed before the Appeal Committee in its 13th Meeting, 2024 held on 18.11.2024 and 1st Meeting, 2025 held on 09.01.2025. The appellant institution vide letter dated 27.03.2025, 22.05.2025 and 10.06.2025 submitted its reply for perusal of the Appeal Committee.

The instant matter was finally placed in its 8th Meeting, 2025 held on 04.07.2025. The Appeal Committee noted that the Appellant Institution filed a S.B. Civil Writ Petition No. 2170/2025 before the Hon'ble High Court of Judicature for Rajasthan Bench at Jaipur and the Hon'ble High Court passed the order dated 05.05.2025. The operative part of the order is as under: -

- "1. Learned counsel for the petitioners submits that affiliation of the petitioner No. 3 was cancelled by National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE) vide impugned order dated 09.09.2024 against which the statutory appeal has been filed before the Appellate Authority but inspite of passing considerable time, till date the said appeal has not been decided, therefore, appropriate directions be issued to the Appellate Authority to decide the appeal expeditiously as early as possible preferably within a time frame.
- 2. Considering the above limited prayer made by the counsel for the petitioners, the instant writ petition stands disposed of by issuing directions to the Appellate Authority to make all possible endeavour to decide the appeal (pending, if any) as early as possible preferably within a period of two months from the date of receipt of certified copy of this order.
- 3. Stay application as well as all applications (pending, if any) also stand disposed of."

The Appeal Committee after perusing the Appeal Report, documents submitted by the appellant institutions and oral argument advanced during the hearing, the Committee observed that the appeal of the institution is still deficient on the following points: -

(a) The Appeal Committee noted from the records submitted by the appellant institution that the faculties selected for the aforesaid course are mostly school teacher who have been selected and posted on transfer from school/colleges for a limited period. The institution has been running since 1998, however it has not been able to select & appoint full time faculty exclusively for the institute.

Hence, the Appeal Committee after perusing the documents which were made available on records is of the view that the appellant institution is still lacking on the above ground. The Appeal Committee concluded that the WRC was justified in withdrawing the recognition and decided that the instant appeal deserves to be rejected and therefore, the impugned order dated 09.09.2024 issued by WRC is confirmed.

Noting the submission made in the Appeal Report, documents on record and oral arguments advanced during the online hearing, Appeal Committee of the Council

concluded that the WRC was justified in withdrawing the recognition and decided that the instant appeal deserves to be rejected and therefore, the impugned order dated 09.09.2024 issued by WRC is confirmed.

IV. DECISION: -

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उपरोक्त निर्णय अपील समिति की ओर से सूचित किया जा रहा है।/ The above decision is being communicated on behalf of the Appeal Committee.

उप सचिव (अपील)/ Deputy Secretary (Appeal)

Copy to :-

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- The Secretary, Ministry of Education, Department of School Education & Literacy, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 3. Regional Director, Western Regional Committee, Plot No. G-7, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Delhi 110075.
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