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To,

All Secretaries/Commissioners of Education of State Governments/ UT Administrations/  
Commissioners of all the Central Government Schools/Commissioner KVS/Chairperson  
CBSE  
(As per list enclosed)

**Subject-** To forward the Order dated 10.12.2024 passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court  
of India in the matter of Viswanath & Ors. Vs. The State of Uttarakhand in  
Review Petition of 2024 (Diary No. 4961 of 2024) in Civil Appeal No. 7873 of  
2023 -regarding.

Madam/Sir,

NCTE, as a statutory body of Government of India, came into existence in pursuance  
of the National Council for Teacher Education Act, 1993 on 17th August 1995 with the  
mandate to achieve planned and coordinated development of teacher education throughout  
the country and to govern the regulation and proper maintenance of norms and standards for  
teacher education.

2. Section 12 A of the NCTE Act 1993 provides as under:

*“12A. Power of Council to determine minimum standards of education of school  
teachers.—For the purpose of maintaining standards of education in schools, the  
Council may, by regulations, determine the qualifications of persons for being  
recruited as teachers in any pre-primary, primary, upper primary, secondary, senior  
secondary or intermediate school or college, by whatever name called, established,  
run, aided or recognised by the Central Government or a State Government or a  
local or other authority:*

*Provided that nothing in this section shall adversely affect the continuance of any  
person recruited in any pre-primary, primary, upper primary, secondary, senior  
secondary or intermediate schools or colleges, under any rule, regulation or order  
made by the Central Government, a State Government, a local or other authority,  
immediately before the commencement of the National Council for Teacher  
Education (Amendment) Act, 2011 (18 of 2011) solely on the ground of non-  
fulfilment of such qualifications as may be specified by the Council:*

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*Provided further that the minimum qualifications of a teacher referred to in the first proviso shall be acquired within the period specified in this Act or under the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 (35 of 2009)."*

3. The NCTE had laid down various notifications prescribing the minimum academic and professional qualifications for consideration of a person to be eligible for appointment as a teacher up to Class XII published on 23.08.2010, 29.07.2011, 13.11.2019 and 13.10.2021.

4. On the directions of the Ministry of Education, the Northern Regional Committee of NCTE issued Recognition order dated 22.09.2017 to National Institute of Open Schooling, NOIDA, Uttar Pradesh for 18<sup>th</sup> months D.El.Ed. on certain conditions including that the duration of the said programme shall be 18 months instead of 2 years which shall include 6 months internship.

5. Writ petition CWJC No. 19842 of 2019 was filed before the Hon'ble Patna High Court, Bihar by Sh. Sanjay Kumar Yadav along with 302 other petitioners against the Director, Primary Education, Bihar, NCTE, Union of India and others and after hearing the submissions of the parties the Hon'ble High Court of Patna passed the judgment dated 21.01.2020 wherein it observed that:

*"The NCTE recognized one time course in D.EL.ED. conducted by NIOS. The relaxation of some period was only granted to the in-service teachers who had not obtained the required degree training course such as B.Ed./D.El.Ed. which is made minimum requisite qualification for appointment on the post of teachers in elementary and primary schools thus, it cannot be said that the teachers who had obtained D.El.Ed. through NIOS is not at par with the two years period D.El.Ed. course.....*

15. *Thus, I find that on such misrepresentation and misreading of the clarification issued by the NCTE, the Director, Primary Education has illegally issued direction that the persons who had obtained D.El.Ed. course duly run for 18 months by NIOS are not eligible for appointment on the post of teachers in primary schools and thus, the letter as contained in Annexure-11 is illegal, unsustainable and violative of Article 14 of the Constitution. Accordingly, Annexure-11 is set aside.*

16. *The writ petitions are allowed. The respondents are directed to allow the petitioners to apply within one month and consider the case of the petitioners for appointment on the post of primary teachers."*

6. The Ministry of Education vide letter dated 28.02.2020 directed NCTE that an appeal should not be filed against the above order of the Hon'ble High Court of Patna.

7. The Ministry of Education issued a letter dated 16.12.2020 to the Chairperson, NCTE advising to issue a clarification to all states and UTs that those candidates who have completed the D.El.Ed course of NIOS (ODL mode) may be given an opportunity to apply for fresh recruitment at par with the other D.EL.ED. candidates subject to adherence to all the other criteria and qualification requirements, such as passing of TET etc. as per the NCTE

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notification dated 23.08.2010 (as amended from time to time) and any other qualification as mandated by the State. Accordingly, NCTE issued a letter dated 6<sup>th</sup> January 2021 to the Chief Secretaries of all the States and Union Territory Administrations.

8. In pursuance of the said letter of NCTE, the Secretary, Government of Uttarakhand issued a letter dated 15th January 2021 to the Director, Elementary Education, Uttarakhand to permit all such candidates, to apply for the post of Assistant Teacher (Primary) against vacancies issued. However, vide communication dated 10th February 2021, the earlier letter dated 15th January 2021 was withdrawn mentioning that there was no clear provision in the Uttarakhand Government Elementary Education (Teachers) Service Rules 2012 (amended from time to time) regarding the eligibility of D.El.Ed. (ODL) course of NIOS as a minimum qualification.

9. The aforesaid letter dated 10<sup>th</sup> February 2021 was challenged by the petitioners i.e. Nandan Singh along with other applicants for the vacancy of Assistant teachers in the state of Uttarakhand in a bunch of writ petitions before the Hon'ble High Court Uttarakhand.

10. The Hon'ble High Court Uttarakhand vide Judgment and Order dated 14.09.2022 quashed and set aside the letter dated 10th February 2021 issued by the Government of Uttarakhand.

11. The judgment dated 14.09.2022 passed by the Hon'ble High Court Uttarakhand was challenged before the Hon'ble Supreme Court in SLP No. 23583-84 of 2022 by Petitioners i.e. Jaiveer Singh along with others while SLP No. 23943 of 2022 was filed by the State of Uttarakhand. MoE and NCTE were Respondent no. 5 & 3 respectively with lead case numbered as SLP No. 23583-84 of 2022. MoE was Respondent no. 3 in SLP no. 23943 of 2022. The Hon'ble Supreme Court, vide judgment dated 28.11.2023, allowed the appeal and quashed and set aside the impugned judgment dated 14.09.2022. The operative part of the same is as under:

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41. In view of what has been held by this Court hereinabove, we find that the High Court erred in holding that 18 months Diploma conducted by NIOS through ODL mode is equivalent to the 2 years regular Diploma, particularly so, when there was no material placed on record to even remotely hold that such a qualification was recommended by the Expert Body NCTE. On the contrary, the communication dated 6th September 2019 of NCTE, the directives of MHRD so also the recognition order dated 22nd September 2017 clearly go on to show that the 18 months Diploma was provided as a one time window to the in-service teachers to acquire the minimum qualifications between the 2017 Amendment Act and the outer limit of 1st April 2019. In our considered view, the High Court has totally erred in holding that the 2 years Diploma is equivalent to 18 months Diploma.



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42. That leaves us with the reliance placed by the learned counsel for NCTE on the judgment of this Court in the case of Ram Sharan Maurya (*supra*). There can be no doubt that NCTE, as an expert body, has a right to prescribe the minimum qualifications. In the present case itself, by notifications dated 23rd August 2010 and 29th July 2011, NCTE has done so. As already discussed hereinabove, recognition order dated 22nd September 2017 only provides a window for in-service teachers to complete their course prior to 1st April 2019. As such, the said judgment does not apply to the present case.

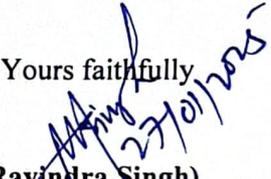
43. In the result, we pass the following order: (i) The appeals are allowed; (ii) The impugned judgment and order dated 14th September 2022 passed by the High Court of Uttarakhand at Nainital is quashed and set aside; and (iii) The writ petitions filed by the original writ petitioners are dismissed. 44. Pending application(s), if any, shall stand disposed of in the above terms."

12. In pursuance of filing of Review Petition (Diary No. 4961 of 2024) against the judgment dated 28.11.2023 passed in Civil Appeal No. 7873 of 2023 titled Viswanath & Ors. Vs. The State of Uttarakhand, the Hon'ble Apex Court vide Order dated 10.12.2024 (**Copy attached**) has further clarified that the 18 months diploma which has been obtained by persons who were employed on or before 10.08.2017 would be treated as a valid diploma for the purpose of applying in other institutions or for promotional avenues.

13. A copy of the Order dated 10.12.2024 passed by the Hon'ble Apex Court is hereby circulated for necessary compliance.

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

Yours faithfully

  
(Ravindra Singh)  
Under Secretary (Regulation)

Encl: As above

Copy to:

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- II. IT Division, NCTE (HQ) with request to upload the Order dated 10.12.2024 passed by the Hon'ble Apex Court, on the official website of NCTE

**REPORTABLE****IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA  
INHERENT JURISDICTION**

**REVIEW PETITION (C) NO. \_\_\_\_\_ OF 2024**  
**[Diary No(s). 4961/2024]**  
**IN**  
**CIVIL APPEAL NO. 7873 OF 2023**

**VISWANATH & ORS.****Petitioner(s)****VERSUS****THE STATE OF UTTARAKHAND & ORS.****Respondent(s)****WITH****MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO. 34898/2024****MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO. 38401/2024****MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO.38403/2024****MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO.38409/2024****MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO. 42144/2024****MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO. 51906/2024****MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO.50555/2024****MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO.50722/2024****MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO.50835/2024****REVIEW PETITION(C) DIARY NO. 50857/2024****MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO. 57006/2024****MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO. 57268/2024****MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO. 55703/2024**

MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO. 54987/2024

MISC. APPLICATION DIARY NO. 56769/2024

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1. The grievance sought to be raised on behalf of the review petitioners and some of the applicants before this Court is that though they were in employment and covered by the recognition order dated 22.09.2017, they believe that the judgment and order of this Court dated 28.11.2023 (hereinafter 'judgment under review') would come in their way if they want to make better their prospects by applying either in other institutions or for promotional avenues.

2. We have already clarified in the judgment under review that the one-time scheme was provided solely to safeguard the interests of those teachers who were employed as on 10.08.2017. We are, therefore, not inclined to entertain the present review petitions as well as miscellaneous applications.

3. However, to avoid any confusion, we again clarify that the 18 months diploma obtained by such persons, who were in employment as on 10.08.2017 and who have completed the diploma course of 18 months, would be treated as valid diploma holders for the purpose of applying in other institutions or for promotional avenues.

4. Needless to state that the clarification will be effective from the date of pronouncement of the judgment under review.

5. With the aforesaid clarification, the review petition(s) as well as all miscellaneous applications, including all the pending applications, are disposed of.

.....J  
(B.R.GAVAI)

.....J  
(PRASHANT KUMAR MISHRA)

New Delhi  
December 10, 2024

ITEM NO.301+302+303+304

COURT NO.2

SECTION X

**S U P R E M E C O U R T O F I N D I A**  
**RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS**

REVIEW PETITION (CIVIL) Diary No(s). 4961/2024

[Arising out of impugned final judgment and order dated 23-11-2023  
in C.A. No. 7873/2023 passed by the Supreme Court of India]

VISWANATH &amp; ORS.

Petitioner(s)

VERSUS

THE STATE OF UTTARAKHAND &amp; ORS.

Respondent(s)

(IA No. 168710/2024 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO FILE REVIEW  
PETITION, IA No. 168711/2024 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING AFFIDAVIT and  
IA No. 169931/2024 - INTERVENTION APPLICATION)

WITH

Diary No(s). 34898/2024 (X)

(IA No. 210533/2024 - ADDITION / DELETION / MODIFICATION PARTIES,  
IA No. 172172/2024 - CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 210535/2024 -  
EXEMPTION FROM FILING AFFIDAVIT, IA No. 210532/2024 -  
INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT, IA No. 210529/2024 - PERMISSION TO FILE  
PETITION (SLP/TP/WP/..))

Diary No(s). 38401/2024 (X)

(IA No. 209160/2024 - ADDITION / DELETION / MODIFICATION PARTIES,  
IA No. 202779/2024 - CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 191227/2024 -  
EXEMPTION FROM FILING AFFIDAVIT, IA No. 209162/2024 - EXEMPTION  
FROM FILING AFFIDAVIT, IA No. 209159/2024 -  
INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT, IA No. 209157/2024 - PERMISSION TO FILE  
PETITION (SLP/TP/WP/..))

Diary No(s). 38403/2024 (X)

(IA No. 208771/2024 - ADDITION / DELETION / MODIFICATION PARTIES,  
IA No. 208768/2024 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION, IA No. 190318/2024  
- CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 190324/2024 - EXEMPTION FROM  
FILING AFFIDAVIT, IA No. 208772/2024 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING  
AFFIDAVIT, IA No. 208770/2024 - INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT)

Diary No(s). 38409/2024 (X)

(IA No. 208875/2024 - ADDITION / DELETION / MODIFICATION PARTIES,  
IA No. 208872/2024 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION, IA No. 190352/2024  
- CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 190356/2024 - EXEMPTION FROM  
FILING AFFIDAVIT, IA No. 208873/2024 - INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT)

Diary No(s). 42144/2024 (X)

(IA No. 210500/2024 - ADDITION / DELETION / MODIFICATION PARTIES,  
IA No. 210467/2024 - CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 210515/2024 -

EXEMPTION FROM FILING AFFIDAVIT, IA No. 210494/2024 -  
INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT)

Diary No(s). 51906/2024 (X)  
(IA No. 257302/2024 - ADDITION / DELETION / MODIFICATION PARTIES,  
IA No. 257297/2024 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION, IA No. 257296/2024  
- CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 257298/2024 -  
INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT)

Diary No(s). 50555/2024 (X)  
(IA No. 249891/2024 - ADDITION / DELETION / MODIFICATION PARTIES,  
IA No. 249889/2024 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION, IA No. 249888/2024  
- CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 249890/2024 -  
INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT)

Diary No(s). 50722/2024 (X)  
(IA No. 250370/2024 - ADDITION / DELETION / MODIFICATION PARTIES,  
IA No. 250368/2024 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION, IA No. 250367/2024  
- CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 250369/2024 -  
INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT)

Diary No(s). 50835/2024 (X)  
(IA No. 251380/2024 - ADDITION / DELETION / MODIFICATION PARTIES,  
IA No. 251375/2024 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION, IA No. 251379/2024  
- INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT, IA No. 251370/2024 - MODIFICATION OF  
COURT ORDER)

Diary No(s). 50857/2024  
(IA No. 251033/2024 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO FILE REVIEW  
PETITION, IA No. 251035/2024 - CONDONATION OF DELAY IN FILING  
REVIEW PETITION, IA No. 266600/2024 - EXEMPTION FROM FILING O.T.,  
IA No. 251037/2024 - ORAL HEARING)

Diary No(s). 57006/2024  
(IA No. 284019/2024 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION, IA No.  
284017/2024 - CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 284018/2024 -  
INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT)

Diary No(s). 57268/2024 (X)  
(IA No. 285159/2024 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION, IA No.  
285155/2024 - CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 285161/2024 -  
INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT)

Diary No(s). 55703/2024  
(IA No. 277463/2024 - ADDITION / DELETION / MODIFICATION PARTIES,  
IA No. 277459/2024 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION, IA No.  
277454/2024 - CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 277462/2024 -  
INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT)

Diary No(s). 54987/2024 (X)  
(IA No. 273830/2024 - ADDITION / DELETION / MODIFICATION PARTIES,  
IA No. 273827/2024 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION, IA No. 273828/2024  
- INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT, IA No. 273826/2024 - RECALLING THE

**COURTS ORDER)**

Diary No(s). 56769/2024 (X)

(IA No. 282645/2024 - ADDITION / DELETION / MODIFICATION PARTIES,  
IA No. 282639/2024 - APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION, IA No. 282634/2024  
- CLARIFICATION/DIRECTION, IA No. 282643/2024 -  
INTERVENTION/IMPLEADMENT)

Date : 10-12-2024 These matters were called on for hearing today.

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UPON hearing the counsel the Court made the following  
O R D E R

The Review petitions as well as miscellaneous applications, including pending applications are disposed of in terms of the signed reportable order.

(DEEPAK SINGH)  
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(ANJU KAPOOR)  
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[Signed reportable order is placed on the file]

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