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F.No.ER-316.16/NCTE/ERCAPP97/2012/B.Ed./WB/2022/67049

Dated: 27. 12. 2022

WITHDRAWAL ORDER

WHEREAS in terms of Section 14/15 of the NCTE Act, 1993, the recognition was granted to Sri Ramkrishna College of Education, Plot No.- 548 Vill-Belun, PO-Ashudkola, Tehsil/Taluka- Goghat, Town/City-Bengai, District- Hooghly, State -West Bengal, Pin Code- 712611 for conducting B.Ed. programme of two years duration with an intake of 50 students (one basic unit) from the academic session 2015-2016 vide order No. ER-190.6.3/(ERCAPP97/2012)/B.Ed./ 2015/32631 dated 31.05.2015.

2. Mr. ZulfikkerRahaman has approached to Hon'ble High Court of Calcutta in W.P.A. (P) No. 27/2022. The ERC in its 305th meeting held on 28th April, 2022 considered original file of the institution alongwith other related documents, NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations and Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, and the committee decided that the matter be referred to NCTE Hqrs. (Inspection Division) for inspection U/s 13 of NCTE Act, 1993 in detail raised by petitioner in the writ petition about necessary infrastructure, mutation of land, conversion of land, BCC or even approved building plan, these institutions are fully operational and in complete violation of clause 7(14) of the NCTE, Regulation 2014. Accordingly, the letter was issued to the Inspection division vide no. 65579 dated 04.05.2022 for inspection u/s 13 of NCTE Act, 1993.As per decision of committee, the inspection of the institution was conducted on 23.06.2022 & 24.06.2022 by the visiting team and the visiting Team Report received at ERC, NCTE on 25.08.2022.

3. The ERC in its 308th (Virtual) meeting held on 02nd September, 2022 original file of the institution alongwith other related documents, NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations and Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time alongwith Visiting Team Report of the institution for inspection conducted u/s 13 of the NCTE Act, 1993 by the NCTE (HQ) and the Committee decided to issue Show Cause Notice to the institution. Accordingly Show Cause Notice wasissued on06.09.2022. The institution has submitted reply vide letter dated 27.09.2022 received in the office of ERC on 03.10.2022.

The ERC in its 312th (Virtual) meeting held on 17th October, 2022 original file of the 4. institution alongwith other related documents, NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations and Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, was considered by ERC in its 312th (virtual) meeting and the Committee observed as under:

• As per decision taken by ERC in its 308th meeting, Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on certain deficiencies to submit reply with 21 days; however, the institution vide its reply dated 06.09.2011 has requested to send the copy of First Show Cause Notice to its new address to submit its reply. As such, the institution has not submitted the point-wise reply of the Show Cause Notice.

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G-7, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Delhi - 110075 Phone: +91-11-20893265, 43152358 Email : erc@ncte-india.org | Website : www.ncte.gov.in Hence, Final Show Cause Notice be issued under section 17 of the NCTE Act, 1993 to the institution to submit reply within 15 days from the date of issue of final show cause notice before withdrawal of recognition on the above ground.

Accordingly, Final SCN was issued to the institution on 19.10.2022. The institution has submitted reply on 15.11.2022.

5. AND WHEREAS, the original file of the institution alongwith other related documents, NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations and Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, was considered by ERC in its 316th (virtual) meeting held on 20th December, 2022 and the Committee observed that:

The institution has submitted its reply dated 15.11.2022 in response to the Final Show Cause Notice dated 19.10.2022 which is still deficient on the following grounds:

- Only the photographs submitted by the institution cannot establish that the science lab, computer lab, sports room and Multipurpose Hall have been created with sufficient nos. of equipment /apparatus/furniture and are appropriate to run the programme.
- The institution has placed flexi board mentioning the institution's name and address instead of permanent board.
- The entire milieu of the college and its buildingshown in the video CD of the institution is not conducive for an educational institution.
- The entire building shown in the video CD of the institution is in shabby condition and is not appropriate to run Teacher Education course.
- Video CD of this institution and other institution namely Sarada Institute of Teacher Education, Plot No.- RS23/290, Street No. N/A, Vill.-Bikrampur, P.O.-Bikrampur, Tehsil/Taluka-N/A, Town/City-Bankura, Dist.-Bankura, West Bengal-722151 reveals that both the buildings are same and one. The institution has misled NCTE by carrying out inspection of both institutions in the same building.

Hence, Committee decided that the recognition for B.Ed. Programme be withdrawn under Section 17 (1) of the NCTE Act, 1993 with effect from the end of academic session next following the date of communication of withdrawal order.

6. NOW THEREFORE, in terms of above decision of ERC, the recognition granted to Sri Ramkrishna College of Education, Plot No.- 548 Vill-Belun, PO- Ashudkola, Tehsil/Taluka- Goghat, Town/City-Bengai, District- Hooghly, State -West Bengal, Pin Code- 712611 for B.Ed. programme vide order No.ER-190.6.3/(ERCAPP97/2012)/B.Ed./ 2015/32631 dated 31.05.2015 is hereby withdrawn under section 17(1) of NCTE, Act, 1993 with effect from the end of academic session next following the date of communication of this withdrawal order.

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7. Further, if the institution is not satisfied by the order, they can prefer an appeal under Section 18 of the NCTE Act, 1993 in the "Online mode" available on NCTE's website www.ncte.gov.in within 60 days from the date of the issue of the order.

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The Controller of Publications,

Department of Publications, (Government of India) Ministry of Urban Development, Civil Lines, New Delhi-110054.

To,

The Principal/Correspondent, Sri Ramkrishna College of Education, Village – Bikrampur, Post- Bikrampur Police Station- Simlapal, District- Bankura, State -West Bengal, Pin Code- 722151

Copy to:-

- 1. The Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal, Department of Higher Education, 6th Floor, BikashBhawan, Salt Lake, Kolkata, West Bengal-700091.
- 2. The Secretary, Registrar, The University of Burdwan, RajbatiBurdwan, West Bengal-713104.
- 3. The Director, of Public instruction, Govt. of West Bengal, 6th Floor, BikashBhawan, Salt Lake, Kolkata, West Bengal-700091.
- 4. The Secretary, Dept. of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, ShastriBhawan, New Delhi 110001.
- 5. The Under Secretary (IT), NCTE, G-7, Sector-10, Dwarka, Lendmark-Near Metro Station, New Delhi 110075.
- 6. Office Order file/ Institution file.

Regional Director