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(EXTRAORDINARY) PART -III,
SECTION 4**

F.No.ER-295.16/ERCAPP1328/B.Ed./2021/ **64436**
ORDER

Dt. 3rd September, 2021

WHEREAS, the Eastern Regional Committee, NCTE had granted recognition to **Sundarban Minority B.Ed. College, Plot No.-1525, 1546, Vill.-Amtala Bazar, P.O.-Kumarjole, Tehsil/Taluka-Hatbhanga, Town/City-Minakhan, Dist.-North 24 Parganas, West Bengal-743425 (Code No. ERCAPP1328)** for conducting B.Ed. Course of one year duration with an annual intake 100 students from the academic session 2014-2015 vide order No.F.ERC/7-160.6.3/NCTE/B.Ed./2013/20590 dated 31.08.2013.

2. **AND WHEREAS**, on the basis of implementation of NCTE's Regulation, 2014, Revised Recognition Order (RRO) was issued for conducting B.Ed. course of two years duration with an intake of 100 (two basic units) from the academic session 2015-2016 vide No.F. ERC/NCTE/ERCAPP1328/B.Ed.(Revised Order)/2015/32151 dt.26.05.2015 subject to fulfilment of the conditions in respect of enhancement of additional built up area, additional infrastructure, additional fund, additional staff, maintain and update website and to comply the same to the ERC.

3. **AND WHEREAS**, ERC in its 275th meeting held on 27th July, 2019 decided that recognition granted to B.Ed. course be withdrawn 17(1) of NCTE Act, 1993 from the academic session 2020-2021. Accordingly, withdrawal order was issued vide No. ER-275.14.53/ERCAPP1328/B.Ed./2019/61481 dt. 02.09.2019 to the institution on the following grounds:-

"1st show cause notice u/s 17(1) issued on 20.04.2018, followed by final show cause notice dated 16.01.2019 and the institution is still deficient on the following grounds:-

- Submitted approved faculty list comprising 10 instead of 16 as per NCTE Regulations, 2014. Required faculties (1+15) qualified as per Norms needs to be appointed and approved faculty list in the NCTE prescribed proforma is to be submitted.
- Building Completion Certificate is not issued by Govt. Engineer.
- Building Plan is not submitted.
- Validity of photocopy FDRs of Rs. 5 lakh and Rs. 3 lakh expired on 12.10.2012 and also not maintained for 5 years. The institution is required to submit FDRs of Rs. 5 lakh and Rs.7 lakh towards EF & RF in joint operation mode as per NCTE Regulations, 2014.

No reply received and the stipulated time period has already been over".

4. **AND WHEREAS**, the institution preferred an appeal at NCTE Hqrs. against the ERC's withdrawal order dated 02.09.2019. The Appellate Authority vide order No.89-256/E-170250/2020 Appeal/31st Mtg.-2020/4th December, 2020/35927 dated 24/12/2020 decided that appellant institution is required to submit to ERC within 15 days of the issue of Appeal order, copies of all the documents submitted by it before Appellate Committee. Appellate Committee further decided to remand back the case to ERC for revisiting the matter.

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5. **AND WHEREAS**, in compliance of appeal order, representation dated 29.12.2020 submitted by the institution was considered by ERC in its 288th Meeting held on 29th January, 2021 and accordingly, show cause notice under section 17(1) of NCTE Act, 1993 was issued on 03.02.2021 to the institution on the following grounds:-

- i. Principal post is not mentioned in the approved faculty list. Also, legible copy of faculty list to be submitted.
- ii. Original FDR of Rs. 5 lakh in joint mode as per NCTE Regulation, 2014 to be submitted.

6. **AND WHEREAS**, reply dated 11.02.2021 submitted by the institution in response to SCN dated 03.02.2021 was considered by ERC in its 290th Meeting held on 3rd March, 2021 and accordingly, final show cause notice under section 17(1) of NCTE Act, 1993 was issued vide No.63746 dated 08.03.2021 to the institution on the following grounds:-

- i. Principal is not appointed. The institution is required to appoint a new Principal and the updated faculty list duly approved by concerned affiliating body to be submitted.
- ii. Original FDRs of Rs. 5 lakh & Rs.7 lakh towards FE & RF in joint mode along with Bank certificate to be submitted.

1. The institution filed court case before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in W.P. (C) 166/2021. The Hon'ble Court disposed of the matter on 15.01.2021 with direction as follows:-

2. *"In Paragraph 5(b) of the said order, the academic year is mentioned as "2021-2022", whereas Mr. Amitesh Kumar, learned counsel for the petitioners, submits that it should have read as "2020-2021". Mr. Jaideep Khanna, learned counsel for the respondents, does not dispute this position.*

3. *In view of the above, paragraph 5(b) of the order dated 07.01.2021 is corrected and will read as follows:*

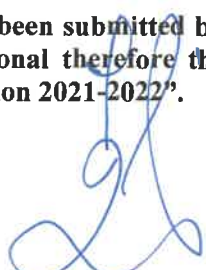
b) Until such a decision is taken, the petitioner is entitled to all consequential reliefs including reinstatement as a recognised institution and to participate in the admission process for the academic year 2020-21 and subsequent years."

In compliance of order of the Hon'ble Court, status was updated on NCTE website by uploading copy of letter vide No.63816 dated 16.03.2021 issued to the institution, University and concerned State Government.

2. **AND WHEREAS**, ERC in its 295th Meeting held on 21st August, 2021 considered the original file alongwith other related documents, NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations and Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time and made following observations:-

"The list of faculty (1+15) has not been submitted by the institution and also the website of the institution is not found functional therefore the Committee decided to withdraw the recognition from the academic session 2021-2022".

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9. **NOW THEREFORE**, recognition granted to **Sundarban Minority B.Ed. College, Plot No.-1525, 1546, Vill.-Amtala Bazar, P.O.-Kumarjole, Tehsil/Taluka-Hatbhanga, Town/City-Minakhan, Dist.-North 24 Parganas, West Bengal-743425 (ERCAPP1328)** for **B.Ed. course** is hereby withdrawn under section 17(1) of NCTE Act, 1993 **from the academic session 2021-2022.**

10. Further, if the institution is not satisfied with the order, it may prefer an appeal under Section 18 of NCTE Act, 1993 in the "Online mode" available on NCTE's website www.ncte.gov.in within 60 days from the date of this order. The guidelines for filing appeal may be seen on NCTE's website.

By Order,

(N.K. Sharma)

Regional Director (I/c)

To

The Controller of Publications,
Department of Publications, (Government of India),
Ministry of Urban Development,
Civil Lines, Delhi – 110054.

To

The Principal/Correspondent,
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Copy to:-

1. The Secretary, Sundarban Educational Trust, Plot No.-1525, 1546, Street/Road-Deuli Road, Vill.- Amtala Bazar, P.O.-Kumarjole, Tehsil/Taluka-Hatbhanga, Town/City-Minakhan, Dist.-North 24 Parganas, West Bengal-743425.
2. The Secretary, Department of Higher Education, Govt. of West Bengal, 6th Floor, Bikash Bhawan, Salt Lake, Kolkata, West Bengal-700091.
3. The Registrar, The West Bengal University of Teachers Training, Education Planning and Administration, 25/2 and 25/3, Ballygunge Circular Road, Kolkata, West Bengal – 700019.
4. The Director of Public Instruction, Govt. of West Bengal, 6th Floor, Bikash Bhawan, Salt Lake, Kolkata, West Bengal-700091.
5. The Secretary, Dept. of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi – 110001.
6. The Under Secretary (IT), National Council for Teacher Education, G-7, Sector- 10, Dwarka, Landmark – Near Metro Station, Delhi – 110075.
7. Institution file / Office Order file.

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