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F.No.ER-343.1/NCTE/ APE00448/M.Ed./OD/2024/

Dated: 17/5/2024

(69601-69607)

ORDER

WHEREAS, in terms of Section 14/15 of the NCTE Act, 1993 **Nabakrushna Choudhary College of Teacher Education, Angul Orissa- 759122** (Code No. APE00448) was granted recognition for conducting M.Ed. course of one year duration with annual intake of 24 from the academic session 2005-2006 vide ERC's order F.No. ERC/7-57.5.1/2005/1964 dated 23.06.2006, followed by Revised Recognition for M.Ed. programme of two year duration with an annual intake of 50 students (One Basic Unit) from the academic session 2015-2016 vide order ER-189.12.1.5/M.Ed.(Revised Order)/2015/32700 dated 31.05.2015 as per NCTE Regulation, 2014.

2. **AND WHEREAS**, as per the decision of ERC in its 254th meeting held on 16th - 17th April, 2018 First Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on certain grounds.

3. **AND WHEREAS**, the institution has submitted reply vide a letter dated 07.06.2019, received in ERC, NCTE on 12.06.2019. The ERC in its 278th meeting held on 16th – 18th January, 2020 considered the reply and decided to issue Final Show Cause Notice and same was issued on 27.01.2020 to the institution on certain grounds.

4. **AND WHEREAS**, the institution has failed to submit reply of Final Show Cause Notice within the stipulated period of 21 days. The ERC in its 284th meeting held on 17th – 18th September, 2020 considered the original file of the institution along with other related document in light of the NCTE Act, 1993, Regulation and guidelines issued by the NCTE from time to time and observed as under:-

i. *Final show cause notice issued on 27.01.2020 and no reply has been received as on date*

Hence, M.Ed. course is withdrawn I under section 17(1) of NCTE Act, 1993 from the next academic session 2021-22.

5. **AND WHEREAS**, in terms of above decision of ERC, the recognition of the institution was withdrawn vide Order dated 27.01.2020

6. **AND WHEREAS**, the institution has preferred appeal before NCTE (HQ) against the Withdrawal Order of ERC dated 27.01.2020 and the Appellate Authority passed order dated 01.04.2024, set aside the withdrawal order of ERC and remanded back the case to ERC with a direction to verify the faculty list submitted in appeal. The Appellant institution is directed to forward to the ERC the documents submitted in appeal with in 15 days from the receipt of order of the appeal and after receipt of the same the ERC to take further necessary action as per the NCTE Regulation, 2014, guidelines and amendments issued from time to time as per direction given herein above.

7. **AND WHEREAS**, the institution has submitted documents reply dated 03.04.2024. The matter was placed in 343rd meeting of ERC held on 09.05.2024 and the Committee decided as under:

"The original file of the institution alongwith Appeal Order No. File NO.89-159/E-257539/2022 Appeal/4th Meeting, 2024 APPLERC202214387 Date 01.04.2024, other related documents submitted by the institution, NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations and Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, was considered by ERC. The ERC decided the following:-

- *The Committee noted that the withdrawal order dated 28.09.2020 has already been set aside by the Appellate Authority and remanded the case back to ERC for consideration, therefore, ERC decided that the recognition granted to the institution for running M.Ed. programme with an annual intake of 50 (One Unit) is restored until a fresh withdrawal order is issued by ERC.*

Order be issued accordingly.

The Committee further decided the following:-

- *Issue First SCN u/s 17 of NCTE Act 1993 to the institution on the following grounds :-*

Regular Principal is not appointed. Associate Professor has been given charge of Principal."

8. **NOW THEREFORE**, in terms of above decision of ERC, the said recognition granted to the institution viz. **Nabakrushna Choudhary College of Teacher Education, Angul Orissa- 759122** vide Order F.No. ERC/7-57.5.1/2005/1964 dated 23.06.2006, followed by Revised Recognition for M.Ed. programme of two year duration with an annual intake of 50 students (One Basic Unit) from the academic session 2015-2016 vide order ER-189.12.1.5/M.Ed.(Revised Order)/2015/32700 dated 31.05.2015 is hereby restored until a fresh withdrawal order is issued by ERC.

By Order,

(Rayinder Singh)
Regional Director

To

1. **The Controller of Publications,**

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Ministry of Urban Development,
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2. **The Principal/Correspondent**

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- 69605 3. The Director, Department of Higher Education, Govt. of Odisha, Heads of Department, Odisha, Bhubaneswar- 751017.
- 69606 4. The Secretary, Dept. of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi - 110001.
- 69607 5. The Under Secretary (IT), National Council for Teacher Education, G- 7, Sector- 10, Dwarka, Landmark- Near Metro Station, Delhi- 110075.
6. Office Order file/ Institution file.

Minister
16/5/2023
Regional Director