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ERC/175.2(II).19/NCTE/APE00293/B.Ed./2014/27290

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Order

WHEREAS Ranchi College, Morabadi, Ranchi, Jharkhand-834008 (Code No. APE00293) was granted recognition by ERC, NCTE on 12.05.2005 for conducting B.Ed. course of one year duration with an annual intake of 100 from the academic session 2005-2006 subject to fulfilment of the following conditions:

- (i) The Institution shall ensure that one HOD and seven faculty members duly qualified as per NCTE norms are in position before the commencement of academic session and a report to this effect shall be sent to the ERC, NCTE within one month from the commencement of the academic session.
- (ii) The institution shall ensure that all teachers are appointed on full time and regular basis as per NCTE norms.
- (iii) The institution shall submit a list of teachers duly counter signed by the competent authority of the affiliating University within one month of the commencement of the course.
- (iv) The institution shall pay the teachers UGC/State Government pay scale as provided under NCTE norms and shall send a report along with the acquaintance roll within 3 months of the commencement of the course.
- (v) The institution shall, within one month of the receipt of recognition order, convert the endowment fund account into a joint account to be operated along with an official of the Eastern Regional Committee.
- (vi) The institution shall shift to its own premises within three years from the date of recognition.
- (vii) The institution will create reserve fund equivalent to three month salary of the staff and a confirmation to this effect be sent to this office.
- (viii) The institution shall comply with the various other norms and standards prescribed in the NCTE regulations.

2. AND WHEREAS a Public Interest Litigation vide W.P. (PIL) No. 327 of 2011 has been filed by Shiv Shankar Munda - Vs - Chairperson NCTE & Ors in the Hon'ble High Court of Jharkhand at Ranchi. As per direction of the Hon'ble High Court of Jharkhand, the said institution was inspected by the NCTE Hqs., New Delhi under section 13 of the NCTE Act 1993. Accordingly, the NCTE Hqs. issued a deficiency letter to the institution along with the report of the Prof. Arora Committee for greater clarity of the deficiencies vide No. 93-43/2014/NCTE/Insp./A86375 dated 30.04.2014 with the following observations:-

- (i) The B.Ed. programme is located in a constituent College of Ranchi University. The university has adopted a policy of contractual appointments of teachers which is violation of the Norms of recognition and also of the condition of recognition. Moreover, non-engagement of a regular and qualified HOD and non-engagement of supporting staff is another violation. In addition, the institution has failed to create the required infrastructural and instructional facilities.

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- (ii) The institution has not converted the FDR accounts into joint accounts to be maintained with the Regional Director, ERC, Bhubaneswar as required.

3. AND WHEREAS the applicant institution had not submitted any representation in response to deficiency letter dated 30.04.2014 within the stipulated period to ERC, NCTE. The Eastern Regional Committee in its 172nd Meeting held on 17th June 2014 considered the matter and found that non of the deficiencies are complied by the institution. As decided by ERC, Show Cause Notice u/s 17(1) to the institution was issued vide No. 26543 dated 26.06.2014 for compliance of the above deficiencies pointed out by NCTE Hqrs.

4. AND WHEREAS the applicant institution submitted its representation dated 15.07.2014 in response to show cause notice dated 26.06.2014 to ERC, NCTE. The Eastern Regional Committee in its 174th Meeting held on 5th August 2014 considered the representation of the institution and found that non of the deficiencies are complied by the institution. As decided by ERC, Show Cause Notice u/s 17(1) to the institution was issued vide No. 26974 dated 18.08.2014.

- (i) There is no separate land or building exclusively for the B.Ed. course. The B.Ed. programme is located in a constituent College of Ranchi University.
- (ii) There is no multipurpose hall in the Department of Education.
- (iii) There is not separate facilities available in the Psychology Lab, Science Lab, Education Lab and Library.
- (iv) The University has adopted a policy of contractual appointments of teachers which is violation of the Norms of recognition and also of the condition of recognition.
- (v) Moreover, non-engagement of a regular and qualified HOD and non-engagement of supporting staff is another violation.
- (vi) All faculty must be appointed on regular basis as per NCTR norms.
- (vii) In addition, the institution has failed to create the required infrastructural and instructional facilities.

5. AND WHEREAS the applicant institution submitted its representations dated 02.09.2014 in response to show cause notice u/s 17(1) dated 18.08.2014 to ERC, NCTE. The Eastern Regional Committee in its 175th Meeting held on 09.09.2014 considered the facts on records available in the file, the inspection report of the NCTE Hqrs. as well as the reply submitted by the institution. The matter was discussed in detail and observed that the institution is still having the following deficiencies which are contravened to the Norms and Standards prescribed in the Regulations of NCTE:-

- (i) There is no separate land or building exclusively for the B.Ed. course. The B.Ed. programme is located in a constituent College of Ranchi University. There is no multipurpose hall in the Department of Education. Separate facilities are not available for Psychology Lab, Science Lab, Education Lab and Library. The institution has not submitted any proposal for shifting of B.Ed. Department in the new building alongwith other required documents as per NCTE norms.
- (ii) The University has adopted a policy of contractual appointments of teachers which is violation of the Norms of recognition and also of the condition of recognition.

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- (iii) Faculty has not appointed on regular basis as per NCTE norms.
- (iv) The institution has failed to create the required infrastructural and instructional facilities.

In view of the above, the committee decided as under:

The Committee concluded that the institution is running the B.Ed. course violating the NCTE Norms and Regulation 2009. The Committee, therefore, decided to withdraw the recognition of the institution for B.Ed. course under Section 17(1) of the NCTE Act, 1993 from the academic session 2015-2016.

6. **NOW, THEREFORE, grant of recognition to Ranchi College, Morabadi, Ranchi, Jharkhand-834008 (Code No. APE00293) for B.Ed. course is hereby withdrawn from the academic session 2015-2016 in terms of section 17(1) of NCTE Act, 1993.**

7. Further, if the institution is not satisfied with the order, they may prefer an appeal under Section 18 of the NCTE Act in the "Online mode" available at NCTE's website www.ncte-india.org within 60 days of the issue of the order.


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3. The Registrar, Ranchi University, Shaheed Chowk, Ranchi, Jharkhand-834001.
4. The Director of Higher Education, HRD Department, Govt. of Jharkhand, M.D.I. Bhawan, Dhurwa, Ranchi, Jharkhand-834004.
5. The Secretary, Dept. of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi - 110001.
6. The US (Computer), National Council for Teacher Education, Hans Bhawan Wing - II, 1, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi-110 002.
7. Office Order file / Institution file.


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