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ERC/175.2(ii).23/NCTE/APE00433/B.Ed./2014/27362

Date: 22/09/2014

Order

WHEREAS Giridih College, Sirsia, Giridih, Jharkhand-815301 (Code No. APE00433) was granted recognition by ERC, NCTE on 21.07.2005 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 will ensure that Principal and at least 07 (seven) faculty members duly qualified as per NCTE norms are in position for an intake of 100 students before the commencement of the course and a report to this effect shall be sent the Eastern Regional Committee within one month of the commencement of the course.
- (ii) The institution shall submit a list of teaching staff duly countersigned by the competent authority of the University within one month of the commencement of the course.
- (iii) The Institution shall pay salary to the teaching staff as prescribed by State Govt./UGC.
- (iv) The institution shall within one month of the receipt of recognition order, convert the endowment fund account into a joint account in the form of FDR for a period of not less than 60 months (five years) in a Nationalized Bank to be operated along with an official of the Regional Committee.
- (v) The institution shall create a Reserve fund for an amount equal to three months salary of the teachers and staff within one month from the date of issue of this order and maintain in the form of FDR in favour of the management of the institution for a period of not less than sixty months (five years) in a Nationalized Bank.
- (vi) The Institution shall adhere to all the other regulations and guidelines as framed by NCTE from time to time.

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. 93-68/2014/NCTE/Insp./A87025 dated 02.04.2014 with the following observations:-

- (i) The institution is deficient in respect of both infrastructural and instructional facilities.
- (ii) The institution has failed to fulfill the norms related to appointment of teaching and non-teaching staff and their service conditions.

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- (iii) The institution has not maintained Endowment and Reserve funds in Joint Account with Regional Director, ERC, Bhubaneswar.

3. AND WHEREAS the applicant institution had submitted its representation dated 24.05.2014 in response to deficiency letter dated 02.04.2014 to ERC, NCTE. The Eastern Regional Committee in its 171st Meeting held on 3rd -4th June 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) was issued vide No. 26270 dated 17.06.2014 to the institution on the following grounds:-

- (i) The institution is running in the campus of Girdih Degree College having land area 11938.65 Sq. Mts. with a number of buildings constructed thereon with a total built up area of 4500 Sq. Mts. The B.Ed. course is also conducted by the institution along with other regular courses of the college. The land and building is not demarcated for B.Ed. course.
- (ii) Multipurpose hall is 1259 Sq. ft. only which is less than the required 2000 Sq. ft.
- (iii) The size of Computer lab and Psychology lab is very small.
- (iv) The institution has engaged only 04 lecturers on contractual basis. One position of HOD/principal and 03 positions of lecturers are vacant.
- (v) Part-time lecturers for Art and Craft and Physical Education have not been appointed.
- (vi) The institution does not fulfill the prescribed norms by not appointing a qualified HOD on regular basis, by keeping three positions of lecturers vacant and by not appointing part-time lecturers for physical Education and Art and Craft.
- (vii) Original FDRs of Rs. 5.00 lakh and Rs. 3.00 lakh is not submitted towards endowment fund and reserve fund respectively into joint account in the name of institution and RD, ERC, NCTE, Bhubaneswar.

4. AND WHEREAS the applicant institution had submitted its representation dated 24.06.2014 in response to show cause notice u/s 17(1) dated 17.06.2014 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, 2nd Show Cause Notice u/s 17(1) was issued vide No. 26981 dated 18.08.2014 to the institution on the following grounds:-

- (i) The institution has not submitted the building plan indicating size of different rooms as per the requirement of NCTE norms duly approved the Govt./University Engineer,
- (ii) Multipurpose hall is 1259 Sq. ft. only which is less than the required 2000 Sq. ft. as norms.
- (iii) The size of Psychology & Computer lab is 164.9 Sq. ft. which is less as per requirement.
- (iv) The institution has not appointed the Principal & three more lecturers as per requirement of NCTE norms.
- (v) All teaching faculty must be appointed on regular basis.
- (vi) The part-time lecturers for Arts/Music and Physical Education have not been appointed.
- (vii) A fresh faculty list duly approved by the Registrar of the concerned university is to be submitted.



5. AND WHEREAS the applicant institution had submitted its representation dated 28.08.2014 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 9th September 2014 considered the facts on records available in the file, the inspection report of the NCTE Hqs. 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) The institution has not submitted the building plan indicating size of different rooms as per the requirement of NCTE norms duly approved the Govt./University Engineer.
- (ii) Multipurpose hall is 1259 Sq. ft. only which is less than the required 2000 Sq. ft. as norms.
- (iii) The size of Psychology & Computer lab is 164.9 Sq. ft. which is less as per requirement.
- (iv) The institution has not appointed the Principal & three more lecturers as per requirement of NCTE norms.
- (v) All teaching faculty are not appointed on regular basis.
- (vi) The part-time lecturers for Arts/Music and Physical Education have not been appointed.
- (vii) A fresh faculty list duly approved by the Registrar of the concerned university is to be submitted.

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 Girdih College, Sirsa, Girdih, Jharkhand-815301 (Code No. APE00433) 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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- 1) The Principal/Correspondent, Girdih College, Sirsa, Girdih, Jharkhand-815301.
- 2) The Commissioner & Secretary, Primary, Secondary and Higher Education, HRD Department, Govt. of Jharkhand, MDI Building, Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand - 834 004
- 3) The Registrar, Vinoba Bhave University, P.B. No. 31, Hazaribagh, Jharkhand-825301.



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- 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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