

Minutes of 344th meeting of the ERC held on 21st& 22nd May, 2024 (Part – 1)

The 344th meeting of Eastern Regional Committee (ERC), National Council for Teacher Education was convened on 21st & 22nd May 2024 at Conference Hall, ERC, NCTE, Dwarka Sector-10, New Delhi-110075. The Chairperson, Members and Convener as listed below were present at the time of the 344th ERC meeting: -

Sl. No.	Name of the Member	Designation	Mode
1)	Dr. Dibyajyoti Mahanta	Chairperson	Physical
2)	Dr. Subhash Chandra Panda	Member	Physical
3)	Prof. Bikali Caran Das	Member	Physical
4)	Prof. Alok Kumar Banerjee	Member	Virtual
5)	Dr. Premlata Maisnam	Member	Virtual
6)	Dr. Kaushal Kishore	Member	Physical
7)	Shri Uttam Mitra	Representative, Govt. of Tripura	Virtual (only on 21 st May 24)
8)	Sh. Siladitya Basuray	Representative, Govt. of West Bengal	Virtual (only on 21 st May 24)
9)	Dr. Rajesh Kumar Sahoo	Representative, Govt. of Odisha	Virtual
10)	Dr. Shanti Ram Adhikari	Representative, Govt. of Sikkim	Virtual
11)	Shri Joram Muthu	Representative, Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh	Virtual
12)	Dr. Elezabeth Walling	Representative, Govt. of Nagaland	Virtual
13)	Dr. Jayanta Kr. Sarmah	Representative, Govt. of Assam	Virtual
14)	Dr. Bashan D.M. Diengdoh	Representative, Govt. of Meghalaya	Virtual (only on 22 nd May 24)
15)	Sh. Ravindra Singh	Regional Director & Convener, ERC	Physical

2. The following members of ERC could not attend the meeting:

Sl. No.	Name of the Member	Designation	Mode
1)	Shri M. Harekrishna	Representative, Govt. of Manipur	Absent
2)	Dr. Binodanand Jha	Representative, Govt. of Bihar	Absent
3)	Prof. Vanlalhruii	Representative, Govt. of Mizoram	Absent
4)	Shri Om Prakash Tiwary	Representative, Govt. of Jharkhand	Absent

With the permission of the chair, Sh. Ravindra Singh, Regional Director, ERC & Convener presented the agenda before the committee. Item-wise decision on each agenda is as under: -

Part - 1

1.	ERCAPP386 8	Bishnupur Public Institute of Education, Plot No. - 330, Vill -	B.Ed.,	The original file of the institution alongwith other related documents, NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations and Guidelines issued by NCTE from
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Chairperson, ERC
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		Siromonipur, PO - Gossaipur, Tehsil/Taluka - Bishnupur, Town/City - Bishnupur, Dist- Bankura, West Bengal- 722122		time to time, was considered by ERC. The Order dated 09.05.2024 passed by the Hon'ble High Court in W.P.(C) 6662/2024 and CM APPL. 27709/2024 (stay) was noted by ERC and the Committee decided the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Panel Counsel of NCTE at Hon'ble High Court of Delhi be directed to move appropriate application for vacation of stay before the Hon'ble High Court. • The Counter Affidavit in this case be immediately filed by ERC-NCTE.
2.	ERCAPP382 5	Bishnupur Mallabhum B.Ed. College , Plot No.- 330, Vill - Mayrapukur, P.O.-Gossainpur, Tehsil/Taluka - Bishnupur, Town/ City - Bishnupur, Dist - Bankura, West Bengal - 722122	B.Ed.	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. The Order dated 09.05.2024 passed by the Hon'ble High Court in W.P.(C) 6662/2024 and CM APPL. 27709/2024 (stay) was noted by ERC and the Committee decided the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Panel Counsel of NCTE at Hon'ble High Court of Delhi be directed to move appropriate application for vacation of stay before the Hon'ble High Court. • The Counter Affidavit in this case be immediately filed by ERC-NCTE. •

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3.	ERCAPP201 646156	Mathuram College of Education, Village-Mathuram, Brahmipur, New Jaganpura, Patna – 800027	B.Ed.& D.El.Ed.	<p>The order of the Hon'ble High Court of Patna, other related documents, NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations and Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, was considered by ERC.</p> <p>In compliance of the Order dated 20.03.2024 passed by the Hon'ble High Court of Patna in CWJC No.-2452/2024, the Committee decided the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> As per the directions of the Hon'ble High Court of Bihar at Patna, the institution be informed to attend the next meeting of ERC for personal hearing. The date and time will be informed separately as decided by ERC.
4.	ERCAPE001 99	Kamala Bezbaruah Memorial College of Teachers Education, College Path, Tarajan, Jorhat, Assam-785001	B.Ed.	<p>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.</p> <p>In compliance of the Order dated 27.06.2023 and 18.09.2023 passed by the Hon'ble Guwahati High Court in WP (C) No. 986/2020 and WA/346/2023, the Committee decided to restore the recognition of the institution for B.Ed course with an annual intake of 50 students.</p>
5.	ERCAPP358 4 &ERCAPP51 6 ERCAPP221 1	Vishun Rajdeo Teachers Training College, Plot No. 685, 1, 2, Street No. 12, Vill-Kiratpur Rajaram, Po-Bhagawanpur, Tehsil/Taluka- Lalganj, Town/City- Hajipur,	B.Ed & B.Ed (Addl.) D.El.Ed M.Ed.	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.

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	ERCAPP201 645077 (ID- 8376)	Dist.- Vaishali, Bihar- 844114		<p>The ERC observed that the Enforcement Directorate vide letter dated 08th April 2024 has informed NCTE about discrepancies with regard to Faculty and students in the institution.</p> <p>Accordingly, the ERC decided that the letter be forwarded to the Registrar, Babasaheb Bhimrao Ambedkar Bihar University, Muzaffarpur for furnishing the point wise comments on the letter of Enforcement Directorate, so as to enable ERC to take further action in the matter.</p> <p>The copy of the above letter be also endorsed to Secretary, Higher Education, Government of Bihar.</p>
6.	Application No.	Rajiv Gandhi University , Vill.Rono Hills, Doimukh, P.O.-Doimukh, Tehsil/ Taluka- Yupia, Town/City-Doimukh, Dist.- Papumpare, State- Arunachal Pradesh, Pin Code – 791112	M.P.Ed.	<p>The application of the University alongwith other related documents, NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations and Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, was considered by ERC.</p> <p>The ERC noted that the University has submitted the offline application for M.P.Ed Course.</p> <p>As per the provisions of NCTE Regulations, the University is required to submit the online application for M.P.Ed course.</p> <p>The ERC noted that since this is a Central University, hence, it decided that the matter be forwarded to NCTE-HQrs for relaxation to accept offline application, under clause 12 of NCTE Regulations 2014.</p>

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