

F.SRO/NCTE/SRCAPP14534/D.El.Ed./{AP}/2021

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**TO BE PUBLISHED IN GAZETTE OF INDIA PART III SECTION 4
WITHDRAWAL ORDER**

WHEREAS, the recognition was granted to the institution namely **Archana Institute of Elementary Teacher Education, Plot No-20, 4th Street, Rayachoty Village & Post, Rayachoty Taluk, Kadapa District-516269 Andhra Pradesh** the SRC vide order No.F.SRO/NCTE/SRCAPP14534/D.El.Ed./AP/2016-2017/92210 dated 06.03.2017 for **D.El.Ed.** Programme of two-year duration from the academic session 2017-2018 with an annual intake of 100 students (2Units)

2. AND WHEREAS, a letter No.RC.No.359/A/SCERT/2019 dated 29.06.2020 is received from the Commissioner, School Education (FAC), School Education, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh on 17.07.2020 recommending therein for deracination order in respect of 188 Pvt. D.El.Ed. College in A.P. since the said management of Pvt. D.El.Ed. College have made admission into the D.El.Ed. Course during academic year 2018-19 on their own in violation of Government.

3. AND WHEREAS, the matter was considered by SRC in its 386th meeting held on 23rd-24th July, 2020 and decided to issue Show Cause Notice as under: -

The original files of the Institution alongwith other related documents, NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time and documents furnished by the institution were carefully considered by the SRC and the following observations were made:-

The Committee perused the letter No. RC.No. 359/A/SCERT/2019 dated 29.6.2020 received from Commissioner, School Education (FAC), School Education Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh recommending therein for derecognition order in respect of 188 Pvt. D.El.Ed. colleges in A.P. since the said managements of Pvt. D.El.Ed. colleges have made admission into the D.El.Ed. course during academic year 2018-19 on their own in violation of Government orders.

Hence, the Committee decided to issue Show Cause Notice asking them to submit following documents/ to check adherence of NCTE Regulation, 2014.

4. AND WHEREAS, as per the decision of SRC, a Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on 04.08.2020 specifically sacking explanation on the observation made by the School Education Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh vide letter No. RC.No. 359/A/SCERT/2019 dated 29.6.2020. The institution has not submitted the reply to the Show Cause notice.

5. AND WHEREAS, the matter was considered by the SRC in its 399th meeting held on 15th -16th June 2021 and the Committee decided as follows: -

"The original files of the Institution alongwith other related documents, NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time and documents furnished by the institution were carefully considered by the SRC and the following observations were made:-

1. The Committee in its 386th meeting after perusal of the letter No. RC.No. 359/A/SCERT/2019 dated 29.6.2020 received from the Commissioner, School Education (FAC), School Education Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh recommending therein for derecognition order in respect of 188 Pvt. D.El.Ed.

- colleges in A.P. since the said managements of Pvt. D.El.Ed. colleges have made admissions into the D.El.Ed. course during academic year 2018-19 on their own in violation of Government orders. Accordingly, the SRC decided to issue a Show Cause Notice to all such institutions asking therein to explain about the observations made by the School Education Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh vide letter No. R.C.No. 359/A/SCERT/2019 dated 29.6.2020.
2. In view of the above decision a First Show Cause Notice dt 04.08.2020 was issued to the institution and the institution has not submitted its representation.

Hence, the Committee decided to **withdraw the recognition granted to Archana Institute of Elementary Teacher Education, Plot No-20, 4th Street, Rayachoty Village & Post, Rayachoty Taluk Kadapa District-516269 Andhra Pradesh for conducting D. El.Ed. course with effect from the academic session i.e. 2021-2022 onwards under clause 17(1) of NCTE Act, 1993 on the grounds mentioned above.**


6. **NOW THEREFORE**, in exercise of the powers vested u/s 17(1) of the NCTE Act, 1993, the Southern Regional Committee hereby **withdraw recognition** granted to **Archana Institute of Elementary Teacher Education, Plot No-20, 4th Street, Rayachoty Village & Post, Rayachoty Taluk, Kadapa District-516269 Andhra Pradesh** for D.El.Ed. Programme with effect from the next academic session i.e. 2021-2022 onwards under clause 17(1) of NCTE Act, 1993 on the grounds mentioned above.

7. Further, the institution and affiliating body is hereby informed about the following provision of Section 17(4) of NCTE Act: -

"If an institution offers any course or training in teacher education after the coming into force of the order withdrawing Recognition under sub-section (1) or where an institution offering a course or training in teacher education immediately before the appointed day fails or neglects to obtain recognition or permission under this Act, the qualification in teacher education obtained pursuant to such course or training or after undertaking a course or training in such institution, shall not be treated as a valid qualification for purpose of employment under the Central Government, any State Government or University, or in any school, College or other Educational Body aided by the Central Government or any State Government."

8. Further, if the institution is not satisfied with the Order, it may prefer an Appeal under Section 18 of the NCTE Act, 1993 through "online mode" available on NCTE's website www.ncte-india.org within 60 days from the date of issue of this order. The guidelines for filing appeal may be seen on NCTE's website.

By Order,


(T. Pritam Singh)
Regional Director

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Copy to: -

1. **The Principal, Archana Institute of Elementary Teacher Education, Plot No-20, 4th Street, Rayachoty Village & Post, Rayachoty Taluk, Kadapa District-516269 Andhra Pradesh.**
2. **The Correspondent/Secretary, Arachana Vignan Educational Rural Development Society, Plot No-20, 1st Street, Opp.K.K Palli Village, Rayachoty Post & Taluk, Kadapa District-516269, Andhra Pradesh.**
3. **The Director, State Council of Educational Research and Training (SCERT) - Andhra Pradesh, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh.**
4. **The Education Secretary, Incharge of Higher Education, Department, 'J' Block, 3rd Floor, Secretariat Building, Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh-500022.**
5. **The Secretary, Dept. of Elementary Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.**
6. **US(EDP) NCTE HQ.**
7. **The Computer Programmer (IT Cell), SRC, NCTE, New Delhi-110075 (with the direction to make necessary changes as per the direction contained in the order in the website data of the SRC).**
8. **Institution File.**
9. **Guard File.**

Sd/-
Regional Director