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Preamble:-

Valiyavila Foundtion, Valiyavila Road, Panamukkom, Kureepuzha Post, Perinad, Kollam, Kerala has made application to SRC, NCTE for establishment of B.Ed course on 06.10.2006.

The application was processed and on having found complete file, inspection of the institution was carried out on 31.05.2007. The Visiting team report was considered by SRC in its 136th meeting held on 19th-20th June 2007 and the committee decided to issue notice for the following deficiency:

1. The space earmarked for school D.Ed and proposed B.Ed programme to be furnished.

Accordingly, notice was issued to the institution on 2.7.2007. The institution has submitted written representation on 31.7.2007, which was placed before SRC in its 141st meeting held on 6th to 9th September, 2007. The Committee decided to grant conditional recognition. Accordingly, conditional recognition letter was issued to the institution on 11.9.2007 subject to the appointment of qualified staff through duly constituted selection committee as per the norms of NCTE/State Government/Affiliating university given effect before the commencement of the academic session.

Instead of reply to the conditional recognition, the institution has submitted a copy of letter addressed to the Registrar, Kerala University for deputing nominee to the staff selection committee along with court order. A reminder letter was issued to the institution on 22.8.2008 requesting to submit the compliance latest by 28.8.2008. As per the regulations dated 21st July, 2008 of NCTE the last date for issuance of un-conditional order for the session 2008-09 was 31.08.2008. The institution did not submit the reply after lapse of the stipulated period.

Meantime, the University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala has forwarded the endorsement of the staff list of the college on 25.9.2008. The letter was placed before SRC in its 163rd meeting held on 15th December 2008. The Committee decided to ask the Management to submit the documents required for issue of formal order within 15 days for issuance of formal recognition order. Accordingly, a letter was issued to the institution on 23.1.2009. The institution has submitted reply on 9.1.2009 and 2.2.2009, which was placed before SRC in its 170th meeting held on 16th and 17th February 2009. SRC considered the matter and decided to refuse the recognition for the following reasons:

- ❖ The institution submitted the required documents on 9.1.2009 and 2.2.2009 for issuance of Formal Recognition whereas the last date of issue of recognition for the academic session 2008-09 was 31.8.2008 itself as per regulations of NCTE.
- ❖ The Government of Kerala meanwhile had taken a policy decision not to recommend grant of recognition to B.Ed. course for the academic session 2009-2010.
- ❖ The NCTE issued notification to this effect, which was published in the leading newspapers on 2.10.2008 disallowing applications for B.Ed. course for the academic session 2009-2010.

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Accordingly a refusal order was issued to the institution on 30.03.2009. Meanwhile the institution has filed another court order in W.P.No.13407 of 2009 in the Hon'ble High Court of Kerala and the Advocate has requested for statement of Facts in respect of St. There's College of Education, Kollam, Kerala.

A certified copy of the Judgement was received on 10.06.2009 which is as follows:

Aggrieved by Exhibit-P6 order passed by the NCTE declining to grant unconditional recognition, the petitioner has preferred Exhibit-P7 appeal before the appellate authority, the 2nd respondent.

Having heard the learned Government Pleader and learned standing counsel for the respondents, the writ petition is disposed of directing the 2nd respondent to pass orders on Exhibit-P7 appeal, after hearing the petitioner, within a period of six weeks from the date of receipt of a copy of this judgement".

Aggrieved by the refusal order of SRC, the institution preferred an appeal. The Appellate Authority vide order dated.17.08.2009 reversed the order appealed against.

Accordingly a Conditional Recognition was issued to the institution on 18.08.2009. The institution submitted its reply on 19.08.2009. The SRC considered the reply in its 181st meeting held on 20th-21st 2009 and decided to issue formal recognition.

Hence the order.

ORDER

WHEREAS, **Valiyavila Foundtion, Valiyavila Road, Panamukkom, Kureepuzha Post, Perinad, Kollam, Kerala** had applied for grant of recognition to **St. Tresa's College of Education, Academy Lane, Kumbalam, Mulavana, Kollam-691503, Kerala** for **B.Ed Course of one year duration** under Section 14(l) of the NCTE Act, 1993 to the Southern Regional Committee, NCTE.

The application was processed and the inspection of the institution was carried out on 31.05.2007, notices and conditional recognition were issued and finally SRC refused the recognition for B.Ed course in its 170th meeting held on 16th17th February 2009.

Accordingly a refusal order was issued to the institution on 30.03.2009. Aggrieved by the refusal order of SRC, the institution preferred an appeal. The Appellate Authority vide order dated.17.08.2009 reversed the order appealed against.

Accordingly a Conditional Recognition was issued to the institution on 18.08.2009. The institution submitted its reply on 19.08.2009. The SRC consider the reply in its 181st meeting held on 20th-21st 2009 and decided to issue formal recognition.

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers vested under Section 14(3) (a) of the NCTE Act, 1993, the Southern Regional Committee, NCTE hereby grants recognition to **St. Tresa's College of Education, Academy Lane, Kumbalam, Mulavana, Kollam-691503, Kerala** for conducting **Secondary(B.Ed) Course of one year duration** with an annual intake of 100 students under clause 7(11) of NCTE(Recognition Norms & Procedure) Regulations, 2007 subject of fulfillment of the following conditions:

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- (i) The endowment fund of Rs.5 lakhs and reserve fund of Rs.3 lakhs kept in joint account with SRC, NCTE should be maintained always. Loan raising or Mortgaging of FDRs shall not be done.
- (ii) The institution shall comply with the various other norms and standards prescribed in the NCTE regulations, as amended from time to time.
- (iii) The institution shall make admission only after it obtains affiliation from the examining body in terms of clause 8(12) of the NCTE(Recognition Norms & Procedure) Regulations,2007.
- (iv) The institution shall ensure that the required number of academic staff for conducting the course is always in position.

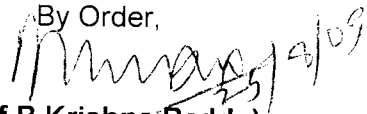
Further, the recognition is subject to fulfillment of all such other requirements as may be prescribed by other regulatory bodies like UGC, affiliating University/ Body, the State Government etc. as applicable.

The institution shall submit to the Regional Committee a Self-Appraisal Report at the end of each academic year along with the statement of annual accounts duly audited by a Chartered Accountant.

The institution shall maintain & update its Web-site as per provisions of NCTE Regulations and always display following as mandatory disclosure:-

- (i) Copy of the Application Form
- (ii) Land and Building Particulars
- (iii) Staff Profile
- (iv) Recognition letter
- (v) Information for having fulfilled the norms & standard and other required conditions.

If the institution contravenes any of the above conditions or the provisions of the NCTE Act, Rules, Regulations and Orders made or issued there under, the Regional Committee shall withdraw the recognition as under the provisions of Section 17(1) of the NCTE Act.

By Order,

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5. The Under Secretary(CS), National Council for Teacher Education, Hans Bhawan, Wing-II, Bahadurshah Zafar Marg, New Delhi – 110002.
6. Office Order file / Institution file.