

F. No. NRC/NCTE/NRCAPP-6402/2015/ 83373

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To,

23 JAN 2015

The Secretary,
Shri Suresh Chand Sharma Subh Sanchetna Manav Uttan Seva Samiti,
Plot no. 102, Street/Road – Gopal Bhawan Baseri Road,
Village/Town/City- Jagner, Post office – Jagner,
Tehsil/Taluka – Kheragarh, District – Agra-283115,
State - Uttar Pradesh.

Sub:- Letter of intent prior to grant of recognition/Permission for B.Ed. Course under Clause 7(9) of the NCTE (Recognition Norms and Production) Regulation, 2009, reg. converted as clause 7(13) of NCTE Regulation 2014.

Sir/Madam,


At the instance of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, the Government of India appointed a Commission on Teacher Education under the Chairmanship of Justice J.S. Verma in 2011 to rejuvenate the system of teacher education in the country. The Commission made several recommendations relating to duration and curriculum of various teacher education programmes and also about the qualifications and preparation of Teacher Educators responsible for conducting teacher education programmes in recognised teacher education institutions. In order to implement the recommendations of the Commission, the NCTE has revised the Norms and Standards of various teacher education programmes which it has published vide its notification No. 346 dated 01.12.2014. The New Regulations and Norms have come into force from the date of their publication in the Gazette of India.

2. The NRC considered the matter where the institutions have submitted reply to the Letter of Intent for formal recognition, but the same could not be considered due to the Hon'ble Supreme Court directions, in its 230th meeting held on 7-8th January, 2015 and decided that in all such cases a letter be issued by the NRC office to the institutions giving 60 days time from the date of issue of the letter for submission of the following:-

- i. Evidence/document for additional FDR of Rs. 4.00 lakhs towards Reserve Fund in joint account as the NCTE Regulations, 2014 provide for Reserve Fund of Rs. 7.00 lakhs. An authorization letter from the Regional Director, NRC, NCTE authorizing the institution to convert the FDR in joint account shall be given to the institution.
- ii. Staff list as per provisions of the NCTE (Recognition, Norms and Procedure) Regulations, 2014 in case the staff list submitted earlier does not fulfill the educational qualifications, experience and number of faculty.

3. As per the guidelines issued by the NCTE Hq vide letter No. 51-4/2014/NCTE/N&S dated 24th December, 2014 regarding NCTE Regulations, 2014 for processing of the pending applications, a resolution of the concerned society/trust to the effect whether the institution intends to run the programme as a stand-alone institution or as a composite institution is required. In case it intends to run the programme as a stand-alone institution, it will be permitted by the Regional Committee. However, the institution shall be required to switch over to a composite institution status gradually. In respect of B.Ed. programme, under new Regulations, 2014, there is a change in basic unit size and required infrastructure, staff pattern, etc. If pending applicant institutions seek Formal Recognition for two basic units, the following conditions will apply as per the above guidelines:

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- (a) The institutions willing to offer two basic units can be given Formal Recognition before 3rd March, 2015. However, the institution shall create additional built-up area, create additional infrastructure, adhere to staff norms, qualifications of staff, pay the difference in Endowment and Reserve Fund etc by October 31, 2015 and inform Regional Committee with necessary documents.
- (b) The institution must comply with staff requirement and Endowment and Reserve Fund as per new Regulations for one basic unit before issue of final recognition.
- (c) The Regional Committee shall arrange for inspection of the premises of the institution, verification of documents and check adherence to these conditions by 29th February, 2016. If the institution fails to comply to these requirements, the permission given for one basic unit out of two basic units shall be withdrawn.

Apart from the above, the institution is also required to note the following:-

- (a) As per clause 10 of the NCTE Regulations, 2014, there shall be an Endowment Fund of Rs. 5.00 lakhs per programme per unit and a Reserve Fund of Rs. 7.00 lakhs per programme per unit. The institution is required to submit FDRs in joint account accordingly.
- (b) In case of any additional infrastructure/instructional facility required to be completed as per provisions of the NCTE Regulations, 2014, the same shall be complied and reported by the concerned institution to the Regional Committee.

In view of the above, the following are required to be complied / clarified by the institution:-

- i. Consent of the institution for processing of application as per Regulations, 2014 alongwith Affidavit (format enclosed). In case the institution has already submitted, a copy of the same may be sent by the institution alongwith its reply.
- ii. The institution shall be required to submit evidence/document for additional FDR of Rs. 4.00 lakhs towards Reserve Fund in joint account as the NCTE Regulations, 2014 provide for Reserve Fund of Rs. 7.00 lakhs alongwith "**Form A**" showing the details of the FDR Account No., Name of the Bank and address, Phone No. of the Bank, Branch Code, IFSC Code, Signature ID Code of the issuing authority of the FDR. An authorization letter from the Regional Director, NRC, NCTE authorizing the institution to convert the FDR in joint account shall be given to the institution.

Note: As per clause 10 of the NCTE Regulations, 2014, there shall be an Endowment Fund of Rs. 5.00 lakhs per programme per unit and a Reserve Fund of Rs. 7.00 lakhs per programme per unit. The institution is required to submit FDRs in joint account accordingly.

- iii. Staff list as per provisions of the NCTE (Recognition, Norms and Procedure) Regulations, 2014 in case the staff list submitted earlier does not fulfill the educational qualifications, experience and number of faculty. In case the institution submits that the staff list already submitted, if any, is as per NCTE Regulations, 2014, the same would be taken into consideration by the NRC.
- iv. As per the guidelines issued by the NCTE Hq vide letter No. 51-4/2014/NCTE/N&S dated 24th December, 2014 regarding NCTE Regulations, 2014 for processing of the pending applications, a resolution of the concerned society/trust to the effect whether the institution intends to run the programme as a stand-alone institution or as a composite institution is required. In case it intends to run the programme as a stand-alone institution, it will be

permitted by the Regional Committee. However, the institution shall be required to switch over to composite institution status gradually. In respect of B.Ed. programme, under new Regulations, 2014, there is a change in basic unit size and required infrastructure, staff pattern, etc. If pending applicant institutions seek Formal Recognition for two basic units, the following conditions will apply as per the above guidelines:

The institutions willing to offer two basic units can be given Formal Recognition before 3rd March, 2015. However, the institution shall create additional built-up area, create additional infrastructure, adhere to staff norms, qualifications of staff, pay the difference in Endowment and Reserve Fund etc by October 31, 2015 and inform Regional Committee with necessary documents.

- (a) The institution must comply with staff requirement and Endowment and Reserve Funds as per new Regulations for one basic unit before issue of format recognition.
- (b) The Regional Committee shall arrange for inspection of these premises, verification of documents and check adherence to these conditions by 29th February, 2016. If the institution fails to comply with these requirements, the permission given for one basic unit out of two basic units shall be withdrawn.

It shall be noted by the institution that apart from the above, if any additional infrastructure/instructional facility is required as per provisions of the NCTE Regulations, 2014, the same shall be complied and reported by the concerned institution to the Regional Committee.

The above documents should be accompanied with written representation alongwith an Affidavit (on Rs.100/- stamp paper) stating under oath for correctness of documents being submitted by the institution to NRC, NCTE.

You are, therefore, requested to submit all the above requisite documents within 60 days from the date of this letter, failing which your application shall not be processed further and suitable action under section 14/15 of the NCTE Act, 1993 shall be taken. The institution is requested to submit its reply as early as possible so that the same is considered by the NRC for grant of formal recognition, as 3rd March is the cut off date for issuance of the recognition / permission order.

Yours faithfully,



(Dr. I. K. Mansoori)
Regional Director

- Encl:- (i) Authorization letter
(ii) Form 'A'
(iii) Format of Affidavit.