

Western Regional Committee

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F.No.WRC/APW02727/123323/371st/2022 /22060

Date: 11/10/2022

RESTORATION ORDER

WHEREAS, the institution, namely, PANDIT RAJPATI MISHRA COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND RESEARCH, JANTA SHIKSHAN PRACHARAK SAMITI, MANORAMA NAGAR, KRISHNA COMPOUND NEAR SHANKAR MANDIR, DOKALI, THANE (W), MAHARASHTRA for B.Ed. course vide Order No.WRC/5-6/89/2006 dated 27.09.2006.

- AND WHEREAS, after promulgation of NCTE Regulations, 2014, the revised recognition order was issued to the institution vide order No.WRC/APW02727/123323/2015/ 149316-9323 dated 29.07.2015 for conducting B.Ed. programme of two years duration with an annual intake of 100 students (two basic units of 50 students each) from the academic session 2015-16.
- 3. AND WHEREAS, the matter regarding compliance by the institutions of the conditions of the revised recognition order was placed in the 255th WRC meeting held on June 22-24, 2016 and the Committee decided that show cause notice be Issued to all such institutions which have not submitted compliance. Accordingly, show cause notice issued to the institution on 28.03.2017.
- AND WHEREAS, in response to the aforesaid show cause notice, reply not submitted by the institution.
- AND WHEREAS, institution vide letter dated 07.04.2017 received in WRC on 10.04.2017 has requested for reduction of intake of one unit in B.Ed. course.
- AND WHEREAS, the matter was considered by the WRC in its 311th meeting held on September 25-27, 2019 and the Committee decided as under:-

"The show cause notice was issued to the institution vide letter dated 28.03.2017.

The summary of the case submitted reveals that the institution has not submitted reply of the show cause notice.

Hence, the Committee decided to withdraw the recognition under Section 17(1) of the NCTE Act, 1993 for B.Ed. programme with effect from the end of the academic session next following the date of communication of the said order".

- AND WHEREAS, Withdrawal Order No.WRC/APW02727/123323/311th/2019/206784-206791 dated 11.10.2019 was issued to the institution.
- AND WHEREAS, the institution preferred an appeal dated 03.11.2020 against the withdrawal order dated 11.10.2019, which was confirmed by Appellate Authority vide its order dated 02.11.2020.

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9. AND WHEREAS, the institution had approached the Hon'ble High Court of Judicature at Bombay, Civil Appellate Jurisdiction vide Interim Application No.292 of 2022 in W.P. (C) No.469/2021 and the Court had passed an order dated **04.02.2022**. The operative part is produced here below:-

"Therefore we direct the respondent No. 2 respondent to give an opportunity to the petitioner from the stage of show cause notice onwards and for, this purpose the impugned orders will be considered as prima facie opinion of the Authority and Authority will decide the case on own merits. While we extend this indulgence, we decline to grant permission to the Petitioner to resume its activities on the premise that the impugned order are set aside.

The learned counsel for the petitioner states that the petitioner will appear before the Authority on the dates assigned. The date for the purpose of its appearance before the Authority is fixed on 21 February 2022.

With these observations the petition is disposed of Interim Application does not survive and is disposed of accordingly."

10. AND WHEREAS, the institution had approached the Hon'ble High Court of Judicature at Bombay, Civil Appellate Jurisdiction vide Interim Application No.2937 of 2022 in W.P. (C) No.469/2021 and the Court had passed an order dated **02.05.2022**. The operative part is produced here below:-

"The applicant seeks modification of the date that was assigned for appearing before respondent No.2 pursuant to the dated 04.02.2022 passed in writ petition No. 469/2021. This appearance was for the purpose of granting an opportunity of hearing to the petitioner in the context of show cause notice that was issued to the applicant. Along with application relevant documents are filed to indicate that on 21.02.2022. Representative of the applicant was unwell and could not appear before respondent No. 2 on that day.

Considering the aforesaid, the applicant through it's representative is permitted to appear before respondent No.2 in terms of order dated 4th February, 2022 passed in Writ Petition No.469 of 2021 on 12th May, 2022.

Interim Application stands disposed of accordingly."

- AND WHEREAS, the institution vide letter dated 12.05.2022 received in WRC on 19.05.2022 and letter dated 05.09.2022 received in WRC on 21.09.2022 has submitted representation.
- AND WHEREAS, the matter was considered by the WRC in its 371st meeting held on September 21-22, 2022 and the Committee decided as under:-

"The original file of the Institution along-with other related documents, Order dated 02.05.2022 in W.P.(C) No. 469/2021 and interim application No.2937 of 2022 passed by Hon'ble High Court of Bombay, representation dated 12.05.2022 and 05.09.2022 from the institution were carefully examined in the light of NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations and Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time and the Committee decided that restoration of recognition be granted for B.Ed. programme with 50 intake (one basic unit) with instruction to submit duly filled in Performance Appraisal Report at the end of each academic session. The concerned Affiliating Body/State Government be intimated accordingly. A copy of the said order be uploaded on the WRC web portal of NCTE website"

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13. NOW THEREFORE, recognition of the PANDIT RAJPATI MISHRA COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND RESEARCH JANTA SHIKSHAN PRASARAK SAMITI, MANORAMA NAGAR, KRISHNA COMPOUND NEAR SHANKAR MANDIR, DOKALI, THANE (W), MAHARASHTRA for conducting B.Ed. programme of two years duration with an annual intake of 50 students (one basic unit of 50 students each) is hereby restored with instruction to submit duly filled in Performance Appraisal Report at the end of each academic session.

The terms and conditions shall remain same as mentioned in the revised recognition order issued vide order dated 29.07.2015.

By Order

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