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F. No. SRC/NCTE/AOS00598, APS0546/B.Ed/KA/2020/11721

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WHEREAS, the Dakshin Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha Rajiv Gandhi Shiksha Snata College, D.G. Compound, Dharwad- 580001, Karnataka was granted recognition by SRC for offering B.Ed. course with an intake of 60 students from the session 2000-2001 vide order dated 10.07.2000.

2. AND WHEREAS, the SRC in its 188th meeting held on 28-29 January, 2010 considered the matter and decided to cause inspection to the institution after obtaining the details of infrastructural and instructional facilities in the Questionnaire form. Accordingly, letter was issued to all 5 DBHPS institutions on 8.3.2010/5.3.2010 to submit explanation along with 10 documents to submit as per Questionnaire within 21 days from the date of receipt of the letter. The institution submitted its written representation on 24.03.2010.

3. AND WHEREAS, the SRC in its 191st meeting held on 20-21 April 2010 considered the written representation submitted on 30.03.2010 and decided to cause inspection under section 17 of NCTE Act. Accordingly, inspection was carried out on 02.06.2010.

4. AND WHEREAS, the SRC in its 193rd meeting held on 21-22 June, 2010 considered the report and decided to withdraw recognition for B.Ed course. Accordingly as per the decision of SRC a withdrawal order was issued to the institution on 02.08.2010.

5. AND WHEREAS, aggrieved by the Withdrawal order, the institution preferred an appeal to NCTE, Hqs and after considering the oral arguments advanced during the hearing, the council reached the conclusion that there was adequate ground to accept the appeal and reverse the SRC's order dated 2.8.2010 with the direction to the SRC for issuance of showcause notice and for further action thereafter. Accordingly, the appeal was accepted and the order of the SRC dated 2.8.2010 reversed vide HQ order No.8E/1010/2010-Appeal A29354 dated 23.12.2010.

6. AND WHEREAS the SRC in its 200th meeting held on 20-21 January 2011 considered the Appellate authority order dated 23.12.2010 VT report, VCD and all the relevant documentary evidences and it was decided to issue Show cause notice. Accordingly, Show cause notice was issued to the institution on 11.03.2011.

7. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 245th meeting held on 19th – 21st May, 2013 considered the matter and decided to inform the Lawyer to file an Appeal against the Court order, by highlighting the grant of recognition by SRC NCTE, Bangalore to DBHS Rajiv Gandhi College of Education, D.C. Compound, Dharwad-580 001, Karnataka for offering B.Ed (AOS0598) & B.Ed (APS0546) course with an intake of 60 students from the session 2000-2001 vide order dt. 10.07.2000. As per the decision of SRC, a letter was addressed to the Advocate with a request to file an appeal against the order of Hon'ble Court dated 13.02.2013.
8. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 252nd meeting held during 13th – 14th September, 2013 considered the matter, letter from the Advocate dated 2-8-2013 and also Hon'ble High Court direction vide order dated 13-02-2013 remanding the matter to the Appellate authority to decided to look into the grievance of the petitioners including the applicability of the act to the petitioner-institutions. Therefore, now the appellate authority has to take a decision in the matter after issuing notice to the petitioner-institutions regarding the applicability of the Act and the deficiencies.
9. **AND WHEREAS**, since the case has been remanded to the Appellate authority (i.e., the NCTE) to examine the jurisdictional issued raised and to clarify the legal position, it is decided by the Committee to request the NCTE (H'qrs) to take further action accordingly.
10. **AND WHEREAS**, as per the decision of SRC, a letter is addressed to the NCTE, New Delhi on 29.10.2013 with a request to take further action. The original file was sent to the NCTE-Hqrs on 20.11.2013. Now, the appellate authority (NCTE-Hqrs) was submitted its decision in its 12th meeting held on 26.11.2014 received by SRC on 08.12.2014 informing inter-alia therein that "...Appeal Committee formed a view that the institutions imparting teacher education, in whatever dialect, are covered under the ambit of NCTE Act and the representatives of DBHPS have also agreed that all teacher education courses being conducted by DBHPS are covered under the ambit of NCTE Act. A report in this regard is required to be submitted in the Hon'ble Court by the NCTE...".
11. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 277th meeting held during 20th – 22nd January 2015, considered the matter, Appellate authority order dated 20.10.2014, decided and advised Southern Regional Office to:
1. Request NCTE (H'qrs) to communicate the appellate order to the Court.
 2. Await Court orders.
12. **AND WHEREAS**, as per decision of SRC, a letter sent to NCTE Hqrs on 11.02.2015. In the meantime, the institution has submitted an affidavit on 22.01.2015 as per the new regulations 2014 and the revised order was issued to the institution on 21.05.2016.

Dharwad-580001, Karnataka for B.Ed programme for 2 basic units of students each.

18. NOW THEREFORE, this order is issued permitting the institution i.e. DBHF Rajiv Gandhi College of Education, 115-1A-D, D.C. Compound Dharwad-580001 Karnataka run by Dakshin Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha, D.C. Compound, Dharwad-580001, Karnataka for continuation of recognition for B.Ed course of two years duration with an intake of 100 students (two units) of subject to fulfillment of the following condition

I. The Endowment fund of Rs. 5 lakhs and Reserve fund of Rs. 7 lakhs kept joint account with Regional Director of NCTE should be maintained perpetually. Raising loan against the FDRs or mortgaging them shall not be done.

II. The institution shall comply with the various other norms and standards prescribed in the NCTE Regulations, 2014 as amended from time to time.

III. The institution shall make admissions only after it obtains affiliation from the examining body in terms of clause 8(10) of the NCTE (Recognition Norms Procedure) Regulations, 2014.

IV. The institution shall ensure that the required number of academic staff duly approved by affiliating body for conducting the course should always remain in position.

19. Further, the institution is required to fulfill all such other requirements as may be prescribed by other regulatory bodies like UGC, affiliating University /Body, the State Government etc as applicable.

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

21. The institution shall maintain its Website with hyperlink to the Council and the Southern Regional Committee, covering, inter – alia, the details of the institution, its locations, name of the programme(s) with intake; available of physical infrastructure such as land, building, office, classrooms, and other facilities of amenities; instructor facilities, such as laboratory and library and the particulars of the teaching faculty and non-teaching staff with photographs, for information of the concerned. The information with regard to the following shall also be made available on the website namely:-

13. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 321st meeting held during 28th to 30th September 2016 considered the revised order reply and decided to constitute VT.

14. **AND WHEREAS**, based on the website information, the institution has submitted a letter requesting for cancellation of proposed inspection on 03.10.2016. The SRC in its 323rd meeting held during 16th – 18th November, 2016 considered the request of institution and decided to withdraw recognition w.e.f 2017-18.

15. **AND WHEREAS**, there will be no fresh admissions in 2017-18. Students in pipeline will complete their 2nd year B.Ed during 2017-18. The SRC in its 324th meeting held during 07th – 08th September, 2016 re-considered the decision of 323rd meeting and decided as under:

1. *"The decision to withdraw recognition was wrongly recorded in this case. The mistake is recognized; the mistake is corrected cancelling the decision for withdrawal of recognition.*
2. *All documents are in order.*
3. *There has already been an inspection w.r.t. the M.Ed application in any case, in view of the NCTE (HQ)'s recent instructions, further inspection is necessary in this RPRO case.*

Obtain latest Faculty list and FDRs for considering grant of Form Recognition."

16. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in 381th meeting held on 31st Oct & 1st Nov, 2019 decided to issue Show Cause Notice to all such institution whose compliance/representation has not been submitted by the institution. Accordingly, as per the decision of SRC a First show cause notice was issued to the institution on 20.11.2019. The institution vide letter dated 29.06.2020 submitted reply to the along with land & building documents having address as 115-1A-D, D.C. Compound Dharwad, Karnataka and staff list etc.

17. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 387th meeting held on 24th – 25th August, 2020 considered the matter and decided as under:-

The original files of the institution along with 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 following observations were made:-

On the perusal of the reply submitted by the institution vide letter dt. 31.07.20, the Committee decided that the continuation order be issued to the institution **Rajiv Gandhi College of Education, D.B.H.P. Sabha, D.C. Compound**

- a. Sanctioned programme(s) along with annual intake in the institution;
- b. Name of faculty and staff in full as mentioned in school certificate along with their qualifications, scale of pay and photograph.
- c. Name of faculty members who left or joined during the last quarter;
- d. Name of Students admitted during the current session along with qualification, Percentage of marks in the qualifying examination and in the entrance test, if any, date of admission, etc.;
- e. Fee charged from students;
- f. Available infrastructural facilities;
- g. Facilities added during the last quarter;
- h. Number of books in the library, journals subscribed to and additions, if any in the last quarter;
- i. The affidavit with enclosure submitted along with application.
- j. The institution shall be free to post additional relevant information, if it so desires.
- k. Any false or incomplete information on website shall render the institution liable for withdrawal of recognition.

22. The institution shall adhere to the mandatory disclosure in the prescribed form and display up-to-date information on its official website.

23. The institution shall make available the list of students admitted on its official website.

24. The institution shall fill the information on GIS Portal on the NCTE Website.

If the institution contravenes any of the above conditions or the provision of the NCT Act, Rules, Regulations and orders made or issued there under, the institution will render itself vulnerable to adverse action including withdrawal of recognition by the Southern Regional Committee under the provision of Section 17(1) of the NCTE Act, 1993.

Also order that a copy of this Order be published in the official Gazette.

By Order


(Dr. Anil Kumar Sharm)
Regional Director