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PART – III, SECTION 4

F.No.ER-333.12/NCTE/ERCAPP3851/B.Ed./WB/2023/68980-68984

Dated: 19-10-2023

WITHDRAWAL ORDER

WHEREAS, in terms of Section 14/15 of the NCTE Act, 1993, Gobindapur Sephali Memorial Primary Teachers Training Institute, Vill- Gobindapur, PO- Keleti, Tehsil/Taluka-Aushgram, Town/City- Guskara, Dist- Bradhaman, West Bengal- 713128 was granted recognition for B.Ed. programme of two year duration with an annual intake of 100 seats (two basic units) from the academic session 2017-2018 vide ERC Order No.F.No.ER-239.6.109(Part-4)/ERCAPP3851/B.Ed./2016/52941 dated 02.05.2017 as per NCTE Regulations, 2014.

2. **AND WHEREAS**, a complaint letter dated 23.08.2022 & 06.09.2022 was received in the office of ERC against the existing teacher training institution regarding short comings/deficiencies of faculty, uploading of information on web-site, renewal of FDRs, Fire Safety Certificate, payment of salary to faculty and infrastructure & instructional facilities etc. as required under NCTE Regulations, 2014.

3. **AND WHEREAS**, the aforesaid complaint was considered by ERC in its 309th (Virtual) meeting (Part-2) held on 14th and 15th September, 2022, and the committee decided that show cause notice under section 17(1) of NCTE Act, 1993 be issued to the institution on the following grounds:

- *The institution is running the existing teacher education programme(s) in the building used for Nursing College.*
- *Latest faculty duly approved by the affiliating body concerned to be submitted.*
- *Uploading of documents on the web-site of the institutions as required under clause 7(14) of the NCTE Regulations, 2014 as amended from time to time.*
- *Copy of renewed FDRs in respect of Endowment & Reserve Fund along Form "A" duly signed by the Manager of the issuing bank concerned.*
- *Fire Safety Certificate, Building Safety Certificate, Land Use Certificate and Non Encumbrance Certificate issued by the Competent Government Authority to be submitted.*
- *Building Plan with course demarcation and Building Completion Certificate duly approved by the Competent Government Authority to be submitted.*
- *Salary statement for payment of salary paid to the faculty appointed in the institution through Bank duly certificated by the disbursing bank for the last 6 months is required to be submitted."*

4. **AND WHEREAS**, a Show Cause Notice was issued on dated 22.09.2022. The institution has submitted reply dated 20.10.2022 received in ERC on 03.11.2022.

5. **AND WHEREAS**, the matter was considered by ERC in its 332nd (Virtual) meeting held on 30th August, 2023, and the committee decided that final show cause notice under section 17(1) of NCTE Act, 1993 be issued to the institution before withdrawal of recognition on the following grounds:-

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"The original file of the institution alongwith other related documents, NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations and Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, was considered by ERC and the Committee observed that:

- *The FDRs of 7 lakhs & 5 lakhs towards Endowment & Reserve Fund are already expired on 12.04.2022. The institution has also not submitted the Form "A" issued by the Bank.*
- *The institution has not submitted the valid Fire Safety Certificate issued by the Competent Govt. Authority.*
- *The institution has not submitted the latest faculty duly approved by the affiliating university.*
- *The institution has not uploaded the faculty list on their college website and the additional information as per Clause 7(14), 8(6) 10 (3) of the NCTE Regulation 2014 and Clause 2 (C) of the NCTE Regulations dated 28.04.2017.*

In view of above, the Committee also decided that Final Show Cause Notice be issued under section 17 of the NCTE Act, 1993 to the institution before withdrawal of recognition to submit reply within 07 days from the date of issue of show cause notice."

Accordingly, Final Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution dated 18.09.2023. The institution has submitted reply received in ERC on 25.09.2023.

06. **AND WHEREAS**, the matter was considered by ERC in its 333rd (virtual) meeting held on 27th September, 2023 and the Committee decided as under:-

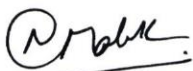
"The original file of the institution alongwith other related documents, NCTE Act, 1993, Regulations and Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the matter was considered was considered by ERC and the Committee observed that:

- *The institution has not submitted the valid Fire Safety Certificate issued by the competent government authority.*
- *The institution has not submitted the latest faculty list duly approved by the affiliating body as per NCTE Regulations, 2014.*
- *The institution website is www.gsmppti.com. which is not maintained and updated as per clause 7(14), 8(6), 10 (3) of the NCTE Regulation 2014 and Clause 2 (C) of the NCTE Regulations dated 28.04.2017.*

Hence, Committee decided that the recognition granted to the institution for running B.Ed. Programme be withdrawn under Section 17 (1) of the NCTE Act, 1993 with effect from the end of academic session next following the date of communication of withdrawal order."

07. **NOW THEREFORE**, in terms of above decision of ERC, the recognition granted to Gobindapur Sephali Memorial Primary Teachers Training Institute, Vill- Gobindapur, PO- Keleti, Tehsil/Taluka- Aushgram, Town/City- Guskara, Dist- Bradhaman, West Bengal- 713128 for running B.Ed. programme is hereby withdrawn with effect from the end of academic session next following the date communication of withdrawal order.

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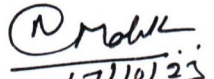
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08. Further, the institution and affiliating body is hereby informed about the following provision of Section 17(4) of NCTE Act:-

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 purposes 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.

09. Further, if the institution is not satisfied by the order, they can prefer an appeal under Section 18 of the NCTE Act, 1993 in the "Online mode" available on NCTE's website www.ncte.gov.in within 60 days from the date of the issue of the order.

By Order,


17/10/23
(Naveen Malik)

Regional Director (I/C)

The Controller of Publications,
Department of Publications, (Government of India),
Ministry of Urban Development,
Civil Lines, New Delhi-110054.

To

The Principal/Correspondent,
Gobindapur Sephali Memorial Primary Teachers Training Institute,
Vill- Gobindapur, PO- Keleti, Tehsil/Taluka- Aushgram,
Town/City- Guskara, Dist- Bradhaman,
West Bengal- 713128.

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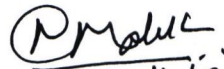
1. The Secretary/Correspondent, Gobindapur Sephali Samaj Seba Samity, Vill./Town/City- Gobindapur, P.O.-Keleti, Tehsil/Taluka-Aushgram, Town/City-Guskara, Dist.- Bardhaman, West Bengal-713128.
2. The Registrar, The Registrar, Baba Saheb Ambedkar Education University, 25/2 and 25/3, Ballygunge Circular Road, Kolkata, West Bengal 700019.
3. The Director, of Public Instruction, Govt. of West Bengal, 6th Floor, Bikash Bhawan, Salt Lake City, Kolkata, West Bengal-700091.

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4. The Secretary, Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.
5. The Under Secretary (IT), National Council for Teacher Education, G-7, Dwarka Sector-10, Near Metro Station, New Delhi-110075.
6. The Computer Programmer (IT Cell), Eastern Regional Committee, National Council for Teacher Education, G-7, Sector-10, Near Sector-10 Metro Station, Dwarka, New Delhi – 110075. [with the direction to make necessary changes as per the direction contained in the order in the website data of the ERC]
7. Institution file/Office Order file/Guard file.


Regional Director (I/C)