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(EXTRAORDINARY)**

F.No.WRC/NCTE/APP201660302/D.El.Ed./CF-88935/GA/437th(Part- III)/2025/8028-33

Dated: 22/11/25

RESTORATION ORDER

WHEREAS, recognition was granted to the institution namely "St. Joseph Vaz Institute of Education, Vill.-Cortalim, Street/Road – Church Street, Taluka- Mormugao, Town/City – Cortalim, Dist.- South Goa, Goa-403710" for D.El.Ed. course of two years duration with annual intake of 50 students from the academic session 2017-2018 vide Order No. WRC/APP201660302/D.El.Ed./Goa/275th/2017/184817 – 184824 dated 03.05.2017.

2. **AND WHEREAS**, as per decision taken by the General Body of the Council (NCTE) Public Notice dated 09.09.2024 was issued by NCTE with direction to all recognized teacher education institutions to submit PAR for academic session 2021-2022 and 2022-2023 through online mode on the NCTE portal. The last date to submit PAR was 10.11.2024, which was further extended to 10.12.2024 and subsequently extended to 31.12.2024 by NCTE vide public notice dated 07.11.2024 and 10.12.2024.

In addition to above public notices, multiple attempts through press release, regular reminder emails and video messages of the Chairperson and Member Secretary of NCTE in this regard were uploaded across all major social media platforms for all the recognized teacher education institutions for timely submission of the PAR.

Despite all directions issued vide above referred public notice, the institution has not submitted PAR for the academic session 2022-2023.

3. **AND WHEREAS**, matter was considered by WRC in its 416th Meeting held on 20th – 21st March, 2025, wherein the Committee decided as under: -

"The matter was considered by WRC in its meeting and as per decision taken by the Western Regional Committee, Show cause Notice to provide reasonable opportunity to submit representation before withdrawal of the above recognition/permission u/s 17 of NCTE Act, 1993 on the ground of non-submission of the PAR for the academic session 2022-23 was issued by the WRC to the institution through online mode on 26.03.2025. a copy of the same was also sent through speed post."

Accordingly, as per the decision taken by WRC, show cause notice was issued vide No. Ref.No. NCTE/2025/WRC/PAR/APP201660302/524 dated 26.03.2025.

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4. **AND WHEREAS**, matter was considered by WRC in its 421st Meeting held on 05th - 07th May, 2025 and Committee decided as under: -

"Institutions who have not filled PAR (2022-23) and did not submit reply of Show Cause Notice u/S 17 of NCTE Act, 1993 within stipulated time period of 15 days, recognition to teacher education programmes in all such cases be withdrawn from the academic session next following the issuance of withdrawal order with a copy to all concerned."

Withdrawal orders be issued to all such Teacher Education Institutions after verification of their records/ status of recognition from the physical files/e-files/scanned records.

Accordingly, as per decision taken by WRC, withdrawal order was issued to the institution vide File No. NCTE/2025/WRC/PAR/ORDER/APP201660302/2298-2302 dated 14.05.2025 on the following grounds:

"The recognition/permission granted to institution be withdrawn u/S 17 of NCTE Act, 1993 on the following grounds/reasons with effect from the academic session 2025-2026. The institution is not entitled to admit students in the above-referred programmes from the academic session 2025-2026. The students admitted up to the academic session 2024-2025 shall complete their programme:

(i) The institution has not submitted any reply to the Show Cause Notice."

5. **AND WHEREAS**, being aggrieved with the Withdrawal Order dated 14.05.2025, the institution filed an appeal before the Appellate Authority of NCTE. The Appellate Authority of NCTE vide order dated 25.08.2025 remanded back the case to WRC with following directions:

"After perusal of the Appeal Report, documents on record, Appeal Committee of the Council concluded to set aside the impugned order dated 14.05.2025 and remand back the case to Western Regional Committee for fresh consideration in accordance with the directions specified hereinabove. The appellant institution is further directed to forward to the Regional Committee, within fifteen (15) days of receipt of this order, the documents submitted along with the appeal, whereupon the Regional Committee shall take further necessary action strictly in accordance with law and in light of the directions contained herein."

6. **AND WHEREAS**, matter was considered by WRC in its 437th (Part-III) meeting held on 03rd October 2025, wherein the Committee decided as under: -

"The file of the institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act, 1993, Rules, Regulations, SOP, guidelines issued from time to time were placed before the Western Regional Committee and the Committee observed the following:-

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- i. *The institution was granted recognition for D.El.Ed. course of two-year duration with an annual intake of 50 students vide order dated 03.05.2017.*
- ii. *The recognition of the institution was withdrawn by WRC vide Order No. NCTE/2025/WRC/PAR/ORDER/APP201660302/2298-2302 dated 14.05.2025.*
- iii. *The institution filed an appeal under Section 18 of the NCTE Act 1993 before the Council and the Appellate Authority vide its Order dated 25.08.2025 concluded to set aside the impugned order dated 14.05.2025 and remanded back the case to Western Regional Committee for fresh consideration in accordance with the directions to re-examine the submission of PAR by the institution and consider the documentary evidence furnished with the appeal in accordance with the provisions of the NCTE Regulations 2014 and guidelines issued from time to time.*

In view of the above, the Committee considered the facts and documents related to the case and decided to restore the recognition granted to the institution for D.El.Ed. of two-year duration. However, the said Institution is also directed to submit the documents provided along with the appeal for scrutiny and verification by the Western Regional Committee, within fifteen (15) days of receipt of the restoration order. The order be issued accordingly.”

7. **NOW THEREFORE**, as per above decision taken by WRC, recognition for D.El.Ed. course of two year duration with an annual intake of 50 students (one basic unit) in respect of institution viz. St. Joseph Vaz Institute of Education, Vill.-Cortalim, Street/Road – Church Street, Taluka- Mormugao, Town/City – Cortalim, Dist.- South Goa, Goa-403710 is hereby restored.

By Order:



(Rashmi Shukla)
Regional Director

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Copy to:-

1. The Principal/Correspondent, St. Joseph Vaz Institute of Education, Vill.-Cortalim, Street/Road – Church Street, Taluka- Mormugao, Town/City – Cortalim, Dist.- South Goa, Goa-403710.
2. The Secretary/Correspondent, St. Joseph Vaz Educational Society, Institution Nossa Senhora De Piedade, D.B. Marg. Panjim Goa- 403001.

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3. The Director, Goa State Council of Educational Research & Training (SCERT), Alto Porvorim, Goa- 403521.
4. The Secretary (School Education), Govt. of Goa, Mantralaya, Porvorim, Goa- 403521.
5. The Secretary, Dept. of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi - 110001.
6. The Under Secretary (IT & e-Governance), NCTE, G-7, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Delhi-110075 for uploading on WRC portal.
7. Office Order File No. APP201660302/D.El.Ed.


Regional Director