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**PART –III, SECTION 4**

F.No.ER-288.1/ ERCAPP1075/B.Ed./2021/62514

Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> February, 2021

**ORDER**

WHEREAS, Directorate of Distance Education, Lalit Narayan Mithila University, Darbhanga, Plot No.7195-99, 7202-06, 7210-16, 7218, Vill-West of HarahiPokhar, Po-Lalbagh, Tehsil/Taluka-SadarDarbhanga, Town/City–Darbhanga, Dist-Darbhanga, Bihar–846004 was granted recognition for B.Ed. Course with an annual intake of 100 vide ERC Order No.13795 dated 29.08.2012, followed by revised recognition order vide No.32106 dt.26.05.2015 with an annual intake of 100 (Two Basic Units) from the academic session 2015-2016 as per NCTE Regulations, 2014.

2. **AND WHEREAS**, as per decision of the ERC taken in its 274<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 15<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2019, order vide No.61363 dt.22.08.2019 issued to the institution reducing the intake from 100 to 50 from the academic session 2020-2021. The institution preferred an appeal against ERC's order dt.22.08.2019. The Appellate Authority vide Order No.89-414/E-139148/2019 Appeal/ 37<sup>th</sup> Mtg.-2019/27<sup>th</sup> November, 2019/86525 dated 23.12.2019 rejected the appeal and confirmed the order of ERC.

3. **AND WHEREAS**, the institution preferred 2<sup>nd</sup> appeal and the Appellate Authority vide order No.89-118/E-158886/2020 Appeal/17<sup>th</sup> Mtg.–2020/94522 dt.20.10.2020 noted that appellant institution had preferred 1<sup>st</sup> appeal dated 17.10.2019 against the impugned order dated 22/08/2019. ERC by issue of impugned order dated 22/08/2019 on the basis of inadequate faculty had reduced the intake from 100 to 50 seats and Appellant's 1<sup>st</sup> appeal was decided by Appellate Authority by issue of order dated 23/12/2019. Section 18 of the NCTE do not provide for a review appeal opportunity once the appeal is decided and appeal order issued.

4. **AND WHEREAS**, the petitioner institution filed C.W.J.C. No.9421 of 2020 in the Hon'ble High Court Patna. The Hon'ble Court disposed of the matter on 22.12.2020. The ERC in its 288<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 29<sup>th</sup> January, 2021 considered the order passed by the Hon'ble High Court of Patna and decided as under:-

**Restoration of Recognition Order for B.Ed. course for another one unit (50 intake) to be issued. Hence, the total two units (100 intake) is permitted.**

5. **NOW THEREFORE**, order dated 22.08.2019 reducing the intake from 100 to 50 issued to the institution viz. Directorate of Distance Education, Lalit Narayan Mithila University, Darbhanga, Plot No.7195-99, 7202-06, 7210-16, 7218, Vill-West of HarahiPokhar, Po-Lalbagh, Tehsil/Taluka-SadarDarbhanga, Town/City–Darbhanga, Dist-Darbhanga, Bihar–846004 for B.Ed. course is hereby restored permitting another intake of 50 (One Unit), making the total annual intake of 100 (two basic units).

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6. The terms and conditions of the revised recognition order No.32106 dt.26.05.2015 issued to the institution shall remain unchanged.

By Order,

(Dr. Anil Kumar Sharma)  
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1. The Commissioner-cum-Secretary, Primary, Secondary & Higher Education, Govt. of Bihar, New Secretariat, VikasBhawan, Patna, Bihar-800015.
2. The Registrar, Lalit Narayan Mithila University, Darbhanga, Vill-West of HarahiPokhar, Po-Lalbagh, Town/City-Darbhanga, Dist-Darbhanga, Bihar-846004.
3. The Director, Department of Secondary Education, Govt. Bihar, New Secretariat, VikasBhawan, Patna, Bihar-800015.
4. The Secretary, Dept. of School Education and literacy, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, ShastriBhawan, New Delhi - 110001.
5. The Under Secretary(IT) National Council for Teacher Education, G-7, Dwaraka, Sector-10, Near Metro Station, New Delhi-110 075.
6. Institution file/ Office Order file.

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