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ORDER

WHEREAS, Mahila College, Po-Chaibasa, Dist.-West Singhbhum, Jharkhand - 833201 (Code No.APE00353) was granted recognition by ERC, NCTE on 12.05.2005 for conducting B.Ed. Course of one year duration with an annual intake of 100 from the academic session 2005-2006 subject to fulfillment of some conditions mentioned therein.

2. AND WHEREAS a Public Interest Litigation vide W.P.(PIL) No.327 of 2011 filed by Shiv Shankar Munda -Vs- Chairperson NCTE & Ors in the Hon'ble High Court of Jharkhand at Ranchi. As per direction of the Hon'ble High Court of Jharkhand, the said institution was inspected by the NCTE Hqrs., New Delhi under section 13 of the NCTE Act 1993. Accordingly, the NCTE Hqrs. issued a deficiency letter to the institution along with the report of the Prof. Arora Committee for greater clarity of the deficiencies vide No. 93-66/2014/NCTE/Insp./A86675 dated 01.05.2014 on reasons mentioned therein.

3. AND WHEREAS after considering the matter in various meetings, the ERC in its 175th meeting held on 09.09.2014 considered the facts on records available in the file, the inspection report of the NCTE Hqrs. as well as reply submitted by the institution dated 30.08.2014 in response to ERC's show cause notice U/S 17(1) dated 18.08.2014 and as decided by ERC, withdrawn order was issued to the institution vide No.27396 dated 24.09.2014 from the academic session 2015-2016 in terms of Section 17(1) of NCTE Act 1993 on the following grounds.

- (i) The B.Ed. course is being conducted in one portion of the existing building of the general college namely the Mahila College. The existing B.Ed. block has nine rooms with a built up area of 3831 Sq. ft. which is less than the required 1500 Sq. Mts.
- (ii) The Multipurpose hall, staff room, common room for girls and boys and Art & Work Experience room are not available.
- (iii) No land and building is specifically earmarked for the B.Ed. course.
- (iv) One of the condition stipulated in the recognition order dated 12.05.2005 was that the institution shall shift to its own premises within three years from the date of recognition. The institution has failed to fulfill this condition even after more than eight years of recognition.
- (v) Books in the library are only 748 which is less than the required 3000.
- (vi) The institution does not have its own Science Resource Center, ICT or Educational Technology Resource Center. Art and Craft Resource Center have not been setup.
- (vii) The recruited lecturers are on contractual basis which is against the rules. Faculty must be appointed on Regular basis.
- (viii) Principal/HOD is not appointed. Mathematic lecturer is also not appointed.

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4. AND WHEREAS the institution preferred an appeal to the NCTE Hqrs. against the ERC's order dated 24.09.2014. The Appellate Authority vides order No.89-25/2015-Appeal/2nd Meeting-2015/3789 dt.05.05.2015 remanded back the case to ERC with a direction to reconsider the submissions made by appellant college in light of the provisions of NCTE Regulations, 2014. The institution will however, not be entitled to admit students till E.R.C issues formal orders in this regard.

5. AND WHEREAS the ERC in its 188th meeting held on 19-20 May 2015 considered the appeal order dated 05.05.2015 along with original file of the institution and as decided by the ERC, a letter was issued to the institution dated 24.05.2015.

6. AND WHEREAS the ERC in its 191st meeting held on 14-15 July 2015 considered the reply dated 23.06.2015 & 30.06.2015 along with the letter dated 26.05.2015 received from the Director of Higher Education, Government of Jharkhand committed that all such requirements along with appointment of full time faculty will be complied with as per new Regulation 2014 by 31.10.2015, wherein the ERC has decided as under:

- (i) Recognition of the institution be continued.
- (ii) Review the status will be taken up after 31st Oct.2015. Deficiency found if any, will be communicated to the institution, concerned University and State Government for compliance.
- (iii) If the institution fails to comply the deficiencies, further course of action shall be taken as per norms.

7. NOW THEREFORE, the recognition of the institution viz. **Mahila College, Po-Chaibasa, Dist.-West Singhbhum, Jharkhand - 833201 (Code No.APE00353)** for B.Ed. Course is allowed to continue.

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Regional Director

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1. The Principal/Correspondent, **Mahila College, Po-Chaibasa, Dist.-West Singhbhum, Jharkhand - 833201 (Code No.APE00353)**.
2. The Commissioner-cum-Secretary, Primary, Secondary & Higher Education, HRD Department, Govt. of Jharkhand, MDI Building, Dhurwa, Dist-Ranchi, Jharkhand-834004.
3. The Registrar, Kolhan University, NH 75, Chaibasa, Jharkhand.
4. The Director of Higher Education, HRD Department, Govt. of Jharkhand, M.D.I. Bhawan, Dhurwa, Ranchi, Jharkhand-834004.
5. The Secretary, Dept. of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi - 110001.
6. The US (Computer), National Council for Teacher Education, Hans Bhawan Wing-II, 1, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi-110 002.
7. Office Order file / Institution file.


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