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CONTINUATION ORDER

WHEREAS, the institution namely **Pratap College of Education, Ramapuram Village, Papayapalem Post, Vetapalem, Chirala, Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh-523157** run by **Pratap Educational Society, Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh** was granted recognition vide SRC (NCTE) order no. F.SRO/NCTE/B.Ed./2006-2007/2190 dated 01.05.2007 for conducting **Secondary B.Ed. Course** of one year duration with an annual intake of 100 students.

2. **AND WHEREAS**, on promulgation of NCTE Regulations, 2014, the institution has submitted affidavit dated 21.01.2015 for its willingness of two units in B.Ed. Programme and adherence of provisions of new Regulations. The revised provisional recognition order was issued to the institution on 06.05.2015 for conducting **B.Ed. Programme of two years duration** with an annual intake of 100 for **two basic units** of 50 students each from the academic session 2015-16.

3. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 363rd meeting held on 17th – 19th September, 2018 considered the matter and decided to issue Show Cause Notice. Accordingly, a Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on **12.10.2018**. The institution has submitted reply of Show Cause Notice on **19.11.2018**.

4. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 381st meeting held on 31st Oct 01st Nov 2019 considered the matter and decided to issue SCN in all such matters where the institution has not submitted the following requisite documents/VT report not accompanied with the requisite documents in response to RPRO issued by the SRC. Accordingly, a Final Show Cause Notice was issued on 15.11.2019. The institution vide letter dated 12.12.2019 submitted reply to the Final Show Cause Notice.

5. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 392nd meeting held on 15th – 16th December 2020 considered the matter and decided to **withdraw the recognition** for conducting **B.Ed. Programme**. Accordingly, as per the decision of SRC a withdrawal order No. F.SRO/NCTE/APS07001/B.Ed./AP/2020/122050-2056 was issued to the institution on 29.12.2020.

6. **AND WHEREAS**, aggrieved by the order of the SRC, the institution preferred an Appeal before the Appellate Authority of the NCTE. The Appellate Authority vide order No. F.No.89-63/E-176945/2021 Appeal/10 Mtg.-2021/26th February 2021 dated 26.03.2021 appeal remand back the Order appealed against. The institution vide letter dated 15.04.2021 submitted reply to the appeal remand.

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7. **AND WHEREAS**, the matter was finally considered the SRC in its 399th meeting held on 15th -16th June, 2021 and the Committee decided as follows: -

"The original files of the Institution alongwith 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 the following observations were made: -

*The Committee on the perusal of the reply submitted by the institution, decided that the continuation order be issued to the Institution **Pratap College of Education, Survey No. 417, Ramapuram Village, Kothapeta Revenue Village, Akkayapalem Panchayathi Vetapalem Mandalam, Prakasam District – 523157, Andhra Pradesh** for B.Ed. programme for 2 basic units of 50 students each."*

8. **NOW THEREFORE**, the SRC decided to permit the institution i.e., **Pratap College of Education, Survey No. 417, Ramapuram Village, Kothapeta Revenue Village, Akkayapalem Panchayathi Vetapalem Mandalam, Prakasam District – 523157, Andhra Pradesh** run by **Pratap Educational Society, Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh** for **B.Ed. Programme for 2 basic units of 50 students each** subject to fulfilment of the following conditions:

- I. The Endowment fund of Rs. 5 lakhs and Reserve fund of Rs. 7 lakhs kept in 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.
9. Further, the institution is required to fulfil all such other requirements as may be prescribed by other regulatory bodies like UGC, affiliating University/Body, the State Government etc. as applicable.
10. The institution shall submit to the Regional Committee a Self – Appraisal Report at the end of each academic year along with the statement of annual accounts duly audited by a Chartered Accountant.
11. 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

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infrastructure, such as land, building, office, classrooms, and other facilities of amenities; instructional facilities, such as laboratory and library and the particulars of their teaching faculty and non-teaching staff with photographs, for information of all concerned. The information with regard to the following shall also be made available on the website namely: -

- 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.
12. The institution shall adhere to the mandatory disclosure in the prescribed format and display up-to-date information on its official website.
 13. The institution shall make available the list of students admitted on its official website.
 14. 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 NCTE 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,

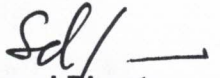

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2. **The Secretary**, Pratap Educational Society, Ramapuram Village, Prakasam District, Andhra Pradesh-523157.
3. **The Principal Secretary**, the Education Secretary, Incharge of Higher Education, Department, 'J' Block, 3rd Floor, Secretariat Building Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh-500022.
4. **The Registrar**, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Nagarjuna Nagar, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh-522510.
5. **The Secretary**, Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, Shastri Bhawan, -New Delhi- 110001.
6. **The Under Secretary (IT and E-governance)**, National Council for Teacher Education, G-7, Dwarka, Sector – 10, New Delhi-110075.
7. **Institution file.**
8. **Guard file.**


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