

F.SRO/NCTE/APS07570/B.Ed./ AP /2022 (131604-131608) Date: 20 APR 2022

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WITHDRAWAL ORDER

WHEREAS, recognition u/s14 Act of NCTE, 1993 was granted to the institution namely, **Seicom College of Education, 840/2, Rajuvaripalli, Kalikiri, Chittoor District-517124, Andhra Pradesh** vide SRC (NCTE) order no. F.SRO/NCTE/B.Ed./2007-2008/11062 dt.03.09.2007 for conducting Secondary B.Ed. Course of one year duration with an annual intake of 100 students.

2. **AND WHEREAS**, after promulgation of NCTE Regulations, 2014, the institution consented to come under new Regulations vide a notarized affidavit dated **19.01.2015**. A provisional revised recognition order was issued on 06.05.2015 to the institution for conducting B.Ed. programme of two years duration with an annual intake of 100 students (two basic units) from the academic session 2015-16.

3. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 318th meeting held on 08th – 09th August, 2016 considered the matter and decided to issue Show Cause Notice. Accordingly, as per the decision of SRC a Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on 07.09.2016. The institution has submitted reply on 19.09.2016.

4. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 322nd meeting held on 20th – 21st October 2016 considered the matter and decided to issue a letter. Accordingly, as per the decision of SRC a letter was issued to the institution on 16.11.2016. The institution has submitted a reply on 08.12.2016.

5. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 351st meeting held on 28th & 29th December 2017 considered the matter and decided to issue Show Cause Notice. Accordingly, as per the decision of SRC a Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on 16.01.2018. The institution has submitted reply received on 06.02.2018.

6. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 388th meeting held on 14th – 15th September, 2020 considered the matter and decided to issue SCN/FSCN in all RPRO cases asking them to submit all the required documents as per the 13 points. Accordingly, as per the decision of SRC, a Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on 22.02.2021. The institution has submitted reply on 15.03.2021.

7. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 409th Meeting of SRC held on 29th – 30th March 2022 considered the reply to Final Show Cause Notice and decided as under: -

"The original files of the Institution along with 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 institution was issued a Final Show Cause Notice (FSCN). The institution has submitted its reply on 15.03.2021. The Committee observed the reply submitted by the institution and found the following deficiencies.

- 1. The institution has submitted notarized copy of building plan but the size of Multipurpose Hall is only 109.00 sq.mts and is less than required size mentioned in NCTE regulations 2014.**
- 2. The institution has submitted notarized copy of BCC but is not under prescribed format.**
- 3. The institution has submitted letter dated 31.10.2015 issued by Registrar, Sri Venkateswara University. The institution has not submitted list / proforma of faculty with the latest approval of affiliating body.**
- 4. The institution is required to submit a "Form A" issued by the respective Bank Manager towards creation of FDR of Rs.7 lakh and 5 lakh, total Rs.12 lakh towards Endowment Fund & Reserve Fund into joint account for a duration of 5 years along with a copy of the FDRs.**
- 5. The institution shall be required to submit an Affidavit clearly stating status about land & building and Management (Society/Trust) at the time of recognition and its present status giving following details**
 - (i) Details of land & building available at the time of recognition with the Institution**
 - (ii) Details of land & building now available with the Institution**
 - (iii) Status of Management at the time of recognition and its present status**

In case of change of land & building or the Management at the time of recognition and thereafter the institution is required to specify the reason thereof with approval of the SRC, NCTE.

Hence the recognition granted to Seicom College of Education, 840/2, Rajuvaripalli, Kalikiri, Chittoor District-517124, Andhra Pradesh for B.Ed. course is withdrawn under Section 17(1) of NCTE Act, 1993 from the next academic session i.e. 2022-2023. On withdrawal of recognition, the affiliation if any granted under Clause 8(10) of NCTE Regulation, 2014 by the concerned affiliating body from the next academic session stands withdrawn. Hence, the institution is not entitled to participate in counseling / making admissions from the next academic session i.e., 2022-2023".

8. NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers vested u/s 17(1) of the NCTE Act, 1993, the Southern Regional Committee hereby withdraws recognition Seicom College of Education, 840/2, Rajuvaripalli, Kalikiri, Chittoor District-517124, Andhra Pradesh run by Sri Seicom Society, Chittoor District-517124, Andhra Pradesh for conducting B.Ed.

Programme of two years duration with an annual intake of **100 students (two basic units)** with effect from the academic session i.e., 2022-2023 onwards. Further, *on withdrawal of recognition, the affiliation if any granted under Clause 8(10) of NCTE Regulation, 2014 by the concerned affiliating body from the academic session stands withdrawn. Hence, the institution is not entitled to participate counselling from the academic session i.e., 2022-2023 and the institution is also not permitted to take any fresh admission of students from the academic session 2022-2023.*

9. 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 purpose 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."

10. Further, if the institution is not satisfied with the Order, it may prefer an Appeal under Section 18 of the NCTE Act, 1993 through "online mode" available on NCTE's website www.ncte-india.org within 60 days from the date of issue of this order. The guidelines for filing appeal may be seen on NCTE's website.

By Order,


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8. **Institution file**


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