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**WITHDRAWAL ORDER**

WHEREAS, the recognition was granted to the institution namely **Rathnam College of Elementary Teacher Education, Peddapuram – 533437, East Godavari, Andhra Pradesh**, run by **Nehru Memorial Ex-Servicemen Educational Society, Rajahmundry, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh** vide SRC (NCTE) order F.SRC/NCTE/D.Ed/APS02822/2005-2006/2474 dated 26.08.2005 for conducting D.Ed. course of two-year duration with an annual intake of 50 students.

AND WHEREAS, a letter No. RC.No. 359/A/SCERT/2019 dated 29.6.2020 is received from the Commissioner, School Education (FAC), School Education Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh on 17.07.2020 recommending therein for derecognition order in respect of 188 Pvt. D.El.Ed. Colleges in A.P. since the said managements of Pvt. D.El.Ed. Colleges have made admission into the D.El.Ed. Course during academic year 2018-19 on their own in violation of Government orders.

AND WHEREAS, the matter was considered by SRC in its 386<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 23<sup>rd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> July, 2020 and decided to issue Show Cause Notice. Accordingly, as per the decision of SRC Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on 29.09.2020. The institution has not submitted its reply to the Show Cause Notice.

AND WHEREAS, the SRC in its 392<sup>nd</sup> meeting held during 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> December, 2020 considered the matter and decided as under;

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 noted that the institution has failed to submit reply / written representation in respect to the Show Cause Notice dt 29.09.2020 issued to the institution. And also in view of the letter received No. RC.No. 359/A/SCERT/2019 dated 29.6.2020 is received from the Commissioner, School Education (FAC), School Education Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh on 17.07.2020.

Hence, the Committee decided to **withdraw the recognition** granted to **Rathnam College of Elementary Teacher Education, Peddapuram – 533437, East Godavari, Andhra Pradesh** for conducting D.Ed, course w.e.f. the 2020-21 academic session under clause 17(1) of NCTE Act, 1993 on the grounds mentioned above.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in exercise of the powers vested u/s 17(1) of the NCTE Act, 1993, the Southern Regional Committee hereby withdraws recognition of namely **Rathnam College of**

**Elementary Teacher Education, Peddapuram – 533437, East Godavari, Andhra Pradesh** run by **Nehru Memorial Ex-Servicemen Educational Society, Rajahmundry, East Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh** for conducting D.Ed programme of two years duration with an annual intake of 50 students (1 units) from the next academic session starts after issuance of this order.

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.”**

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](http://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,  
11/12/26  
(Dr. Anil Kumar Sharma)  
Regional Director

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With the direction to make necessary  
changes as per the directions contained in  
the order in the website data of the SRC.

1/1/23/12/20  
Regional Director