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WITHDRAWAL ORDER**

WHEREAS, the recognition was granted to the institution namely, Smt. Vontigari Somamma D.El.Ed. College, Plot/Khasra No. 4-41, 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Veerapunayunipalli Village and Post Office, Kamalapuram taluk, Veerapunayunipalli Town, Kadapa District - 516321, Andhra Pradesh run by Sri Sangameswara Educational Committee, Plot No. 4-41, Main Road, Veerapunayunipalli Village and Post Office, Kamalapuram Taluka, Kadapa Town, Kadapa District - 516321, Andhra Pradesh for D.El.Ed. & D.El.Ed.-AI programme as per following details:-

- (i) The SRC vide order no. F.No. SRCAPP1575/D.El.Ed./AP/2012/46069 dt. 12.09.2012 for conducting D.El.Ed. course of two-year duration with an annual intake of 50 students from the academic sessions 2012-2013.
- (ii) The SRC vide order No. F.SRO/SRCAPP15021/D.El.Ed.-AI/AP/2016/85094 dated 02.05.2016 for conducting D.El.Ed.-AI. course of two-year duration with an annual intake of 50 students (one unit) from the academic sessions 2016-2017.

AND WHEREAS, a letter No. RC. No. 359/A/SCERT/2019 dated 29.06.2020 is received from the Commissioner, School Education (FAC), School Education Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh on 17.07.2020 recommending therein for de-recognition 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 to the institution. Accordingly, as per the decision of SRC, a Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on 21.08.2020. Therefore, the institution did not submit any reply of Show Cause Notice.

AND WHEREAS, the SRC in its 397<sup>th</sup> Meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> March 2021 and considered the matter 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:-*

- (i) *The Committee in its 386<sup>th</sup> meeting after perusal of the letter No. RC.No. 359/A/SCERT/2019 dated 29.6.2020 received from the Commissioner, School Education (FAC), School Education Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh 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 admissions into the D.El.Ed. course during academic year 2018-19 on their own in violation of Government orders. Accordingly, the SRC decided to issue a Show Cause Notice to all such institutions asking therein to explain about the observations made by the School Education Department, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh vide letter No. R.C.No. 359/A/SCERT/2019 dated 29.6.2020.*
- (ii) *In view of the above decision a Show Cause Notice dt 21.08.2020 was issued to the institution. However, the institution has failed to submit its representation with requisite documents in response to the SCN issued for D.El.Ed.*

*Hence, the Committee decided to withdraw the recognition granted to Smt. Vontigari Somamma D.El.Ed. College, Plot/Khasra No. 4-41, 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Veerapunayunipalli Village and Post Office, Kamalapuram taluk, Veerapunayunipalli Town, Kadapa District - 516321, Andhra Pradesh for conducting D.El.Ed., D.El.Ed.-AI course with effect from the next academic session i.e. 2021-2022 onwards 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 granted to **Smt. Vontigari Somamma D.El.Ed. College, Plot/Khasra No. 4-41, 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Veerapunayunipalli Village and Post Office, Kamalapuram taluk, Veerapunayunipalli Town, Kadapa District - 516321, Andhra Pradesh** run by **Sri Sangameswara Educational Committee, Plot No. 4-41, Main Road, Veerapunayunipalli Village and Post Office, Kamalapuram Taluka, Kadapa Town, Kadapa District - 516321, Andhra Pradesh** for conducting **D.El.Ed. & D.El.Ed.-AI** course of two years duration with an annual intake of **50 students for (D.El.Ed.) & 50 students for (D.El.Ed.-AI)** course with effect from the next academic session i.e. 2021-2022 onwards.

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 purposes 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 u/s 18 of the NCTE Act, 1993, through "online mode" available on NCTE's website [www.ncte-india.org](http://www.ncte-india.org), with 60 days from the date of issue of this order. The guidelines for filling appeal may be seen on NCTE's website.

  
(T. Pritam Singh)  
Regional Director

To,

The Manager,  
Government of Indian Press,  
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**Copy to:**

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2. The Secretary, Sri Sangameswara Educational Committee, Plot No. 4-41, Main Road, Veerapunayunipalli Village and Post Office, Kamalapuram Taluka, Kadapa Town, Kadapa District – 516321, Andhra Pradesh.
3. The Director, State Council of Educational Research and Training (SCERT), Opposite L B Stadium, E Gate, Nampally, Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh-500001.
4. The Education Secretary, Incharge of Higher Education, Department, 'J' Block, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Secretariat Building Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh-500022.
5. The Secretary, Dept. of Elementary Education and Literacy, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.
6. US (EDP), NCTE HQ.
7. The Computer Programmer (IT Cell), SRC, NCTE, New Delhi-110075 (with the direction to make necessary changes as per the directions contained in the order in the website data of the SRC).
8. Institution File.
9. Guard File.

*Sd/-*

**Regional Director**

