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WITHDRAWAL ORDER

WHEREAS, the recognition was granted to the institution namely, **R.M.P-C.S.I-P.S.K Rajaratnam Memorial college of Education, Sathankulam-628704, Thoothukudi District, Tamilnadu** run by **Thoothukudi-Nazareth Diocese, Thoothukudi District, TamilNadu** vide order no. F.SRO/NCTE/B.Ed./2006-2007/9004 dt. 08.11.2006 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 11.05.2015 for its willingness for adherence of provisions of new Regulations. A revised provisional recognition order was issued to the institution on 26.05.2015 for conducting **B.Ed. programme** of two years duration with an annual intake of **100 students** for **two basic units** from the academic session 2015-16.

3. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 318th meeting held on 08th & 09th August 2016 has considered the matter and decided to issue Show Cause Notice. Accordingly, as per decision of SRC Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on 19.09.2016. The institution has submitted reply on 07.10.2016.

4. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 369th Meeting held on 28.01.2019 considered the matter and decided to issue SCN in all such matters where the institution has not submitted requisite documents/VT report accompanied with requisite documents in responds to RPRO issued by the SRC. Accordingly, as per decision of SRC Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on 19.03.2020. The institution has submitted reply on 02.03.2021.

5. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 404th meeting held on 16th & 17th November, 2021 has considered the matter and decided to issue Final Show Cause Notice. Accordingly, as per the decision of SRC Final Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on 06.12.2021. The institution has submitted reply on 21.12.2021.

6. **AND WHEREAS**, the SRC in its 406th Meeting held on 19th January, 2022 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 institution was issued a Final Show Cause Notice (FSCN). The institution has submitted its reply vide letter dated 21.12.2021. The Committee observed the reply submitted by the institution and found the following deficiencies.

1. The land is neither in the name of Institution nor Society.

2. **The size of Seminar / Auditorium / Multipurpose Hall is only 31.0X30.6 sq. ft. (948.6 sq. ft.) which do not fulfil the minimum requirement laid down under clause 6(ii)(b) of Appendix 4 of NCTE Regulations, 2014.**
3. **The institution submitted BCC wherein the roofing at ground floor is shown as MT Roof which do not fulfil the requirement of clause 8(7) of NCTE Regulations 2014.**
4. **The institution did not submit latest approval of the faculty issued by the affiliating University as it only had submitted approvals accorded during 2016 and 2017. Further, strength of faculty is not sufficient as required under Appendix 4 of NCTE Regulations, 2014.**
5. **The institution did not submit proof of disbursement of salary to faculty & non-teaching staff through bank account as required under clause 10(2) of NCTE Regulations, 2014 and as directed to be submitted vide Final Show Cause Notice dt. 08.10.2021.**
6. **The institution did not submit details of administrative and professional staff as required under clause 5.3 of Appendix 4 of NCTE Regulations, 2014.**
7. **The website of the institution is not uploaded with the information required under clauses 7(14)(i), 8(14) and 10(3) of NCTE Regulations, 2014.**
8. **The institution did not submit Non-Encumbrance Certificate issued by the competent authority.**
9. **The institution submitted BCC but the same is not approved by the competent authority.**

Hence, the Committee decided to withdraw the recognition granted to R.M.P-C.S.I-P.S.K Rajaratnam Memorial college of Education, Sathankulam-628704, Thoothukudi District, Tamilnadu for conducting B.Ed. programme with effect from the academic session i.e. 2022-2023 onwards under clause 17(1) of NCTE Act, 1993 on the grounds mentioned above."

7. 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 R.M.P-C.S.I-P.S.K Rajaratnam Memorial college of Education, Sathankulam-628704, Thoothukudi District, Tamilnadu run by Thoothukudi-Nazareth Diocese, Thoothukudi District, TamilNadu for conducting B.Ed. programme of two years duration with an annual intake of 100 students (2 basic units) with effect from the academic session i.e., 2022-2023 onwards.

8. 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."

9. 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,

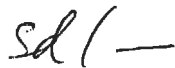

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