

F. No. WRC/APW00576/323173/B.Ed./311th/GUJ/2019

Date: 10/10/19

RESTORATION ORDER

Whereas, recognition was granted to the institution, namely, Shree Aradhana Educational and Charitable Trust, Opp. Indraprastha Bhavnagar Road, Botad, Bhavnagar, Gujarat - 364710 under section 14 of NCTE Act, 1993 for conducting B.Ed. course with an annual intake of 100 students vide order no. WRC/2-32/323173/74/2005/4991 dt. 27.06.2005.

2. And whereas, after the promulgation of NCTE (Recognition, Norms and Procedure) Regulations, 2014 vide notification dt. 28.11.2014, , Shree Aradhana Educational and Charitable Trust, Opp. Indraprastha Bhavnagar Road, Botad, Bhavnagar, Gujarat - 364710 offering B.Ed. course was informed via email/public notice to submit a duly notarized affidavit as an acceptance of the NCTE Regulations, 2014 by the institution.

3. And whereas, after the receipt of affidavit dt. 10.01.2015 from the institution, a revised recognition order no. WRC/APW00576/323173/2015/144496 dt. 31.05.2015 was issued to the institution for conducting B.Ed. Programme of two years duration with an annual intake of 50 students (one basic units of 50 students each) from session 2015-16.

4. And whereas, the matter was placed before the WRC in its 255th Meeting held on June 22-24, 2016 and the committee decided to issue show cause notice dt. 04.08.2017 to the institution.

5. And whereas, Institution has submitted the reply dt. 21.08.2017 and the matter was placed before the WRC in its 285th meeting of the WRC held on February 19th - 21th, 2018 and the Committee decided as follows :-

*"The case file was seen. Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on 04.08.2017. The institution replied on 21.08.2017. The institution has submitted a staff profile of 1+8 faculty members, which is not approved by the competent authority.
FDR of Rs.12.00 lakhs (in joint name) not submitted in original.
Building Completion Certificate in the prescribed format and counter signed by a Govt. Engineer not submitted.*

Therefore, Recognition is withdrawn from the academic session 2018-2019."

6. And whereas, a withdrawal Order No. WRC/APW0576/323173/Guj. / 285th/ 2017/10184 dt. 02.01.2018 was issued to the institution.

7. And Whereas, the institution had filed an appeal at NCTE Hqrs. New Delhi and the Appellant Authority vide order dt. 12.09.2018 has decided as follows:-

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"After perusal of the memoranda of appeal, affidavit, documents available on records and considering the oral arguments advanced during the hearing, the committee concluded that the matter deserved to be remanded to the W.R.C for revisiting the matter, after the appellant institution submits required documents and taking further action expeditiously.

The Council hereby remands back the case of Shree Aradhana Educational and Charitable Trust (Aradhana B.Ed. College), Opp. Indraprastha Bhatnagar Road, Botad, Gujarat to the WRC, NCTE, for necessary action as indicated above."

8. And whereas, the institution has submitted the reply dt. 25.09.2018 and the matter was placed before the WRC in its 299th meeting held on October 30th - November 1st, 2018 to verify the compliance of NCTE Regulations, 2014 and the Committee decided as follows :-

"This is a case of Appeal. The Appellate Authority vide order dated 12.09.2018 has remanded the case to WRC for revisiting the matter, after the appellant institution submits required documents and taking further action expeditiously.

On perusal of the reply dated 25.09.2018, the Committee observed that:-

- (i) The institution has submitted the approved staff list of 1+8 faculty members. Out of these, staff appointed in 2018 at S.No.2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8 are not eligible as per NCTE notification published on 09.06.2017.
- (ii) Building Completion Certificate duly signed by competent authority submitted.
- (iii) FDR for Rs.12.00 lakhs in original as required under clause 10(1) of NCTE Regulations, 2014 submitted.

Hence, the Committee decided that Show Cause Notice be issued to the institution. Reply should be submitted within one month, failing which recognition will be withdrawn u/s 17(1) of the NCTE Act, 1993."

9. And whereas, a show cause notice no. WRC/323173/B.Ed./299th/GUJ/2018/200702 dt. 19.11.2018 was issued to the institution.

10. And whereas, the institution has submitted the reply dt. 16.01.2019 & 24.04.2019. and the matter was placed before the WRC in its 308th meeting held on June 19th - 21st, 2019 to verify the compliance of NCTE Regulations, 2014, and the Committee decided as follows :-

"The Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution on 19/11/2018 and reply received on 16/01/2019 & 24/04/2019. Since the reply was not submitted within the stipulated time of 30 days as per the Show Cause Notice.

Hence, the committee decided that the withdrawal order dated 02/01/2018 stands."

11. And whereas, a Conveyed letter no. WRC/323173/B.Ed./308th/GUJ/2019/204257-204263 dt. 01.07.2019 was issued to the institution.

12. And Whereas, it filed W.P. (c) No. 8740/2019 & CM. APPL. 36187/2019 before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi At New Delhi dt. 26.08.2019 and thereafter, institution has submitted its replies dt. 29.08.2019.

13. And Whereas, the matter was placed before the WRC in its 311th Meeting held on 25th - 27th September 2019 and the Committee decided as follows :-

"The committee considered case in the light of the order dated 26/08/2019 passed by the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi in W.P. No. 8740/ 2019.

The committee considered the representation dated 16/01/2019 & 24/04/2019 submitted by the institution along with faculty list, FCC and FDRs. The committee carefully examine all documents and found as per the NCTE Regulations, 2014 & amended Regulations, 2017.

Hence, the committee decided to restore the recognition of the institution for B.Ed. programme of one basic unit of 50 students."

14. Now Therefore, the recognition granted to the institution vide revised recognition order no. WRC/APW00576/323173/2015/144496 dt. 31.05.2015 for conducting B.Ed. course of two years duration with an annual intake of 50 seats (one basic unit of 50 students) has been restored and will remain continued.

15. It is also informed that the institution shall continue to follow the NCTE Regulations, 2014 and any deviation from it will be liable for action, against the institution, as defined under NCTE Act, 1993 and NCTE Regulations, 2014.

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2. The Registrar, Shri Maharaja Krishnakumarsinhji Bhavnagar University, Gaurishanker Lake Road, Vidhyanagar, Bhavnagar, Gujarat 364001.
3. The Education Secretary, (Higher Education), Govt. of Gujarat, Mantralaya, Gandhinagar, Gujarat.
4. The Secretary, Department of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, New Delhi.
5. The Director, GSCERT, Vidhya Bhavan, Sector - 12, Gandhinagar, Gujarat.
6. The Under Secretary (EDP Section), National Council for Teacher Education, G-7, Sector - 10, Dwarka, New Delhi - 110075.
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