

**NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR TEACHER EDUCATION  
SOUTHERN REGIONAL COMMITTEE  
G-7, DWARKA SECTOR – 10  
NEW DELHI – 110075**

The **488<sup>th</sup> Meeting** of the Southern Regional Committee (SRC), National Council for Teacher Education held on **19<sup>th</sup> February, 2026** through **(Online Mode)** at the Conference Hall, SRC, NCTE, New Delhi.

**The following Members were present during the meeting in Online mode.**

1. Prof. Meena Chandawarkar	Chairperson (Online)
2. Prof. S. Mani	Member (Online)
3. Prof. Prahlad Joshi	Member (Online)
4. Dr. Shankar Paripally	Member (Online)
5. Prof. Vanaja Mahadasu	Member (Online)
6. Prof. Gavisiddappa Rudrappa Angadi	Member (Online)
7. Sh. Mukesh Kumar	Regional Director and Convener, SRC, NCTE

At the outset **Sh. Mukesh Kumar, Regional Director**, and Convener, SRC welcomed the Chairperson and all other members, apprised about the work done by the SRC along with the directions received from NCTE Hqrs. from time to time.

**The Committee has taken up the following agenda items of 488<sup>th</sup> Meeting.**

<b>1.</b>	<p>KLE Society's Basavaprabhu Kore Arts Science and Commerce College, Survey No. 408, Miraj Road, Chikodi, Hirekudi, Belgaum, Karnataka – 591201 <b>File No:-</b> 2627202505275537 <b>Programme:-</b> B.A. B.Ed.-Secondary (1 unit) B.Sc. B.Ed.-Secondary (1 unit)</p> <p>The original file of the Institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act 1993, Regulations, Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the SRC after careful consideration made the following observations: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. The institution preferred an Appeal before the Appellate Authority of the NCTE against the Rejection order dated 24.10.2025 of the SRC. The Appellate Authority vide Order F.No. 89-503/E-393915/2025 Appeal/2<sup>nd</sup> Meeting, 2026 APPLSRC202515464/135262 dated 09.02.2026 concluded to set aside the impugned order dated 24.10.2025 and remanded the matter back to the Southern Regional Committee (SRC) for factual re-verification by conducting an Online Visiting Team, subject to the deposit of the prescribed processing fee and for strict compliance of the directions specified hereinabove. The appellant institution is further directed to forward to the Regional Committee, the documents submitted along with the appeal, within fifteen (15) days from the receipt of this order, whereupon the Regional Committee shall take further necessary action strictly in accordance with law and in light of the direction contained herein.</li><li>2. The institution has submitted written representation dated 16.02.2026 along with all documents referred above.</li></ol> <p><b>In view of the above, the SRC decided that the Appellant institution be directed to submit the processing fee of Rs. 1,77,000/- through offline mode within a period of 15 days from the date of issue of this notice, failing which necessary</b></p>
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	<p>action will be taken as per rules and the Committee further decided to constitute an online Visiting Team upon deposit of the processing fee as mentioned above.</p>
2.	<p>BRILLIANT COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, THIRUVARUR ROAD, PARUTHICHERY VILLAGE, VELUR, THIRUVARUR, TAMIL NADU -614715  <b>File No:-</b> 2627202509303524 <b>Programme:-</b> B.Sc.B.Ed. Secondary (2 units)</p> <p>The original file of the Institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act 1993, Regulations, Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the SRC after careful consideration made the following observations: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. LOI was issued on 14.01.2026</li> <li>2. Reply received on 17.02.2026 along with all required documents.</li> </ol> <p>Therefore, the Committee decided that Final Recognition under Clause 7 (16) of NCTE Regulations, 2014 be issued to the institution for ITEP B.Sc. B.Ed. (Secondary- 2 units) from the academic session 2026-27.</p>
3.	<p>Narendra College of Physical Education, Dr. Nagur Ayurvedic Medical College, B.L.D.E. Road, Bijapur District – 586101, Karnataka  <b>File No:-</b> APSO5837 <b>Programme:-</b> B.P.Ed.</p> <p>The original file of the Institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act 1993, Regulations, Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the SRC after careful consideration made the following observations: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Withdrawal Order dated 29.09.2025 was issued on the ground of non-submission of PAR for the academic year 2021-22 and 2022-23.</li> <li>2. Against the withdrawal order dated 29.09.2025 the institution preferred a writ petition bearing no. W.P.(C)1262/2026 before the Hon'ble high Court of Delhi.</li> <li>3. The Hon'ble High Court vide order dated 30.01.2026 directed as under: <p style="margin-left: 40px;"><i>“3. Accordingly, the present writ petition is allowed, holding that the directions passed by the Coordinate bench in paragraphs Nos.12 to 16 in the judgment of Teachers Training College Mirza(supra) shall apply to the petitioner, including the direction to permit the petitioner to participate in the counselling session for the academic session 2025-26.</i></p> </li> <li>4. <i>All respondents shall ensure that petitioner is permitted to participate in the counselling for academic session 2025-26.”</i></li> </ol> <p>In view of the above the SRC decided that the petitioner be permitted to participate in the counselling for academic session 2025-2026. Accordingly, a restoration order be issued to the institution for the B.P.Ed. Course with an annual intake of 100 seats(One basic Unit of 100 students) for the academic session 2025-2026 and the name of the institution be maintained on the NCTE website in the list of the recognised institutions. The State Government/Affiliating Body/University concerned also be informed accordingly.</p>
4.	<p>Sri Venkateshwara College of Teacher Training, Amrutha Educational &amp; Rural Development Society, Near RTC Bus-stand, High Way Road, Giddalur, Prakasam District – 523357, Andhra Pradesh  <b>File No:-</b> APSO9455 <b>Programme:-</b> D.El.Ed.</p> <p>The original file of the Institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act 1993, Regulations, Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the SRC</p>

	<p>after careful consideration made the following observations: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Withdrawal Order dated 02.06.2025 was issued on the ground of non-submission of PAR for the academic year 2021-22 and 2022-23.</li> <li>2. Against the withdrawal order dated 02.06.2025 the institution preferred a writ petition bearing no. W.P.(C)1263/2026 before the Hon'ble High Court of Delhi.</li> <li>3. The Hon'ble High Court vide order dated 30.01.2026 directed as under: <p style="margin-left: 40px;"><i>"3. Accordingly, the present writ petition is allowed, holding that the directions passed by the Coordinate bench in paragraphs Nos.12 to 16 in the judgment of Teachers Training College Mirza(supra) shall apply to the petitioner, including the direction to permit the petitioner to participate in the counselling session for the academic session 2025-26.</i></p> </li> <li>4. All respondents shall ensure that petitioner is permitted to participate in the counselling for academic session 2025-26."</li> </ol> <p><b>In view of the above the SRC decided that the petitioner be permitted to participate in the counselling for academic session 2025-2026. Accordingly, a restoration order be issued to the institution for the D.El.Ed. Course with an annual intake of 50 seats(One basic Unit of 50 students) for the academic session 2025-2026 and the name of the institution be maintained on the NCTE website in the list of the recognised institutions. The State Government/Affiliating Body/University concerned also be informed accordingly.</b></p>
<p><b>5.</b></p>	<p>All Saints Teacher Training Institute, Sy. No. 206B/1C, Yerrakota Post, Yemmiganur Post, Taluk &amp; City, Kurnool District – 518360, Andhra Pradesh  <b>File No:- APSO9455 Programme:- D.El.Ed.</b></p> <p>The original file of the Institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act 1993, Regulations, Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the SRC after careful consideration made the following observations: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The recognition of the institution was withdrawn vide order dated 27.03.2023 on the basis of recommendation of the State Government.</li> <li>2. Against the withdrawal order dated 27.03.2023 the institution preferred a writ petition bearing no. W.P.16353/2025 before the Hon'ble high Court of Andhra Pradesh at Amaravati.</li> <li>3. The Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh at Amaravati vide common interim order dated 12.11.2025 decided as follows: <p style="margin-left: 40px;"><i>"In view of the aforesaid facts and circumstances balance of convenience is in favour of the petitioners. There shall be interim suspension of order, vide F.SRc/NCTE/57/D.El.Ed./AP2023/141531, dated 27.03.2023 issued by 3<sup>rd</sup> respondent.</i></p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;"><i>List the matter after eight(8) weeks for filing of counter-affidavit by the respondents."</i></p> </li> </ol> <p><b>In view of the above, the Committee decided as follows: -</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A Counter Affidavit be filed before the Hon'ble Court to defend the interest of SRC/NCTE.</li> <li>2. An application seeking vacation of interim suspension order dated 12.11.2025 be filed.</li> </ol>

<p>6.</p>	<p>Ashok Kumar Reddy D.El.Ed. College, Obulapuram, Sakn Mandal, YSR Kadapa – 516217, Andhra Pradesh  <b>File No:- SRCAPP14745 Programme:- D.El.Ed.</b></p> <p>The original file of the Institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act 1993, Regulations, Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the SRC after careful consideration made the following observations: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The recognition of the institution was withdrawn vide order dated 27.03.2023 on the basis of recommendation of the State Government.</li> <li>2. Against the withdrawal order dated 27.03.2023 the institution preferred a writ petition bearing no. W.P.16353/2025 before the Hon'ble high Court of Andhra Pradesh at Amaravati.</li> <li>3. The Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh at Amaravati vide common interim order dated 12.11.2025 decided as follows:</li> </ol> <p><i>"In view of the aforesaid facts and circumstances balance of convenience is in favour of the petitioners. There shall be interim suspension of order, vide F.SRC/NCTE/57/D.El.Ed./AP2023/141531, dated 27.03.2023 issued by 3<sup>rd</sup> respondent.</i></p> <p><i>List the matter after eight(8) weeks for filing of counter-affidavit by the respondents."</i></p> <p><b>In view of the above, the Committee decided as follows: -</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>A Counter Affidavit be filed before the Hon'ble Court to defend the interest of SRC/NCTE.</b></li> <li>2. <b>An application seeking vacation of interim suspension order dated 12.11.2025 be filed.</b></li> </ol>
<p>7.</p>	<p>Ponnaiyah Ramajayam College of Education, PR Engineering College Campus, Vallam, Thanjavur – 613403, Tamilnadu  <b>File No:- APSO0936 Programme:- B.Ed.</b></p> <p>The original file of the Institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act 1993, Regulations, Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the SRC after careful consideration made the following observations: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The withdrawal order dated 03.06.2025 was issued on the ground of non-submission of PAR for the session 2021-22 and 2022-23.</li> <li>2. The institution preferred an Appeal before the Appellate Authority of the NCTE against the withdrawal order dated 03.06.2025.</li> <li>3. The Appellate Authority vide Order No. F.No. 89-254/E-371000/2025 Appeal/Emergent Meeting, 2026 APPLSRC202515183/135060 dated 02.02.2026 concluded to set aside the impugned order dated 03.06.2026 and remanded the matter back to the Southern Regional Committee for fresh consideration strictly in accordance with law and as per NCTE Rules and Regulations amended from time to time. The appellant institution is further directed to forward the relevant documents to the Regional Committee within fifteen 15 days of receipt of this order.</li> </ol> <p><b>In view of the above, the SRC decided that the recognition of the institution for B.Ed. programme with annual intake of 100 be restored for the session 2025-26. A restoration order be issued to the institution and the name of the institution be</b></p>

	<p>maintained on the NCTE website in the list of the recognised institutions. The State Government/Affiliating Body/University concerned also be informed accordingly.</p> <p>Further, the Committee decided that a Show Cause Notice be issued to the institution thereby providing an opportunity for making written representation within 21 days on the following grounds failing which the recognition of the institution shall be withdrawn without any further communication: -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The institution is required to submit a latest faculty list in the NCTE prescribed format, duly approved by the concerned affiliating University along with all relevant documents.</li> </ul>
8.	<p>Janardhan Reddy College of Education, H.No. 4-2/A, Indiranagar, Saidapur Road, Huzurabad, Karimnagar – 505468, Telangana  <b>File No:-</b> APSO7157 <b>Programme:-</b> B.Ed.</p> <p>The original file of the Institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act 1993, Regulations, Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the SRC after careful consideration made the following observations: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A letter dated 08.07.2025 was issued to the institution with a direction to submit the respective NOCs from the affiliating body as well as from the concerned State Government.</li> <li>2. No response has been received from the institution till date.</li> </ol> <p>Keeping in view of the above, the SRC decided that Final Show Cause Notice be issued to the institution thereby providing an opportunity to the institution for making its representation within 15 days, along with the above referred documents, from the date of issue this notice.</p>
9.	<p>Little Flower College of Education for Women, Adimurthy Nagar, Anantapur – 515001, Andhra Pradesh  <b>File No:-</b> APSO0029 <b>Programme:-</b> B.Ed.</p> <p>The original file of the Institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act 1993, Regulations, Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the SRC after careful consideration made the following observations: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The institution has applied for shifting of premises on 12.09.2025 along with all required documents.</li> <li>2. The institution is required to submit a Certified copy of the Registered land documents in the name of the Institution/Society/Trust.</li> <li>3. The institution is also required to submit a clear copy of the registered Society/Trust deed in the name of the Society/Trust.</li> </ol> <p>Keeping in view the above, the SRC decided that Show Cause Notice be issued to the institution thereby providing an opportunity to the institution for making its representation within 21 days, along with all relevant documents from the date of issue of this notice.</p>
10.	<p>Sri Kalyani College of Education, Plot/Khasra No. 37/1, Chinna Rangapuram Village, Pulivendula Taluk &amp; City, Kadapa District – 516390, Andhra Pradesh  <b>File No:-</b> SRCAPP14244 <b>Programme:-</b> B.Ed.</p> <p>The original file of the Institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act 1993, Regulations, Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the SRC</p>

	<p>after careful consideration made the following observations: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A Show Cause Notice dated 03.08.2023 on the ground of 13 points was issued to the institution in order to ascertain the compliance of NCTE Regulations, 2014.</li> <li>2. The institution has not submitted reply to the Show Cause Notice till date.</li> </ol> <p><b>Keeping in view of the above, the SRC decided that Final Show Cause Notice be issued to the institution thereby providing an opportunity to the institution for making its representation within 15 days along with all relevant documents from the date of issue this notice.</b></p>
11.	<p>Geethanjali B.Ed. College, Plot/Khasara No. 25/2AM Vidya Nagar Village, Gailvaripalli Post Office, Rajampet Taluk and Town, Kadapa District – 516115, Andhra Pradesh <b>File No:- SRCAPP14867 Programme:- B.Ed.</b></p> <p>The original file of the Institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act 1993, Regulations, Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the SRC after careful consideration made the following observations: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A Show Cause Notice dated 03.08.2023 on the ground of 13 points was issued to the institution in order to ascertain the compliance of NCTE Regulations, 2014.</li> <li>2. The institution has not submitted reply to the Show Cause Notice till date.</li> </ol> <p><b>Keeping in view of the above, the SRC decided that Final Show Cause Notice be issued to the institution thereby providing an opportunity to the institution for making its representation within 15 days along with all relevant documents from the date of issue this notice.</b></p>
12.	<p>Raju College of Education, Khasara No. 615/1, Madanpalli Road, Plot No. 51/142-5, Street No. 51, Rayachoty Village &amp; Post Office, Rayachoty Taluk &amp; Town, Kadapa District – 516269, Andhra Pradesh <b>File No:- SRCAPP14086 Programme:- B.Ed.</b></p> <p>The original file of the Institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act 1993, Regulations, Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the SRC after careful consideration made the following observations: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A Show Cause Notice dated 04.08.2023 on the ground of 13 points was issued to the institution in order to ascertain the compliance of NCTE Regulations, 2014.</li> <li>2. No response was received from the institution within the stipulated time.</li> <li>3. Again the Final Show cause Notice was issued on 22.08.2024 on the same grounds.</li> <li>4. No response to the Final Show Cause Notice received till date.</li> </ol> <p><b>In view of the above, the SRC decided that the recognition granted to the institution for B.Ed. course with an annual intake 50 students (One basic unit) be withdrawn u/s 17 of the NCTE Act, 1993.</b></p>
13.	<p>Basaveshwar B.Ed College, Vijayapura Road, Jewargi, GULBARGA - 585310, Karnataka <b>File No:- APSO1778 Programme:- B.Ed.</b></p> <p>The original file of the Institution along with other related documents, NCTE Act 1993, Regulations, Guidelines issued by NCTE from time to time, the SRC</p>

after careful consideration made the following observations: -

1. The recognition of the institution was withdrawn vide order dated 29.07.2021 on the ground of non-compliance of the conditions mentioned in the revised recognition order dated 16.05.2015.
2. Against, the withdrawal order dated 29.07.2021, the institution filed a Writ Petition bearing No. 200108/2023 before the Hon'ble High Court of Karnataka at Bengaluru. The Hon'ble High Court vide its order dated 30.01.2025, *inter alia*, decided as under:

***“9. The impugned order withdrawing the recognition of the petitioner is upheld. However, respondent No.1 is directed to reconsider the representations of the petitioner dated 05.02.2022 and 27.05.2022.”***

3. That in compliance of the Court Order dated 30.01.2025, the matter of the institution was placed before SRC in its 465<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 01<sup>st</sup> July 2025 and the Committee decided as under:

***“Keeping in view the above facts, the SRC after thorough deliberation decided that the representation dated 25<sup>th</sup> February 2025 submitted by the institution is devoid of merits and the withdrawal order issued by SRC vide dated 29<sup>th</sup> July 2021 stands. The institution may apply to NCTE afresh as and when the NCTE invites applications for Teacher Education Programme (s) through online portal.”***

*Accordingly, an order dated 08.07.2025 was issued thereby affirming the withdrawal order dated 29.07.2021.*

Again, the institution preferred a Writ petition bearing no. W.P. 28813/2025 before Hon'ble High Court Karnataka at Bengaluru titled as “Basaveshwar B.Ed. College Versus NCTE & others” whereby the Hon'ble High Court vide its order dated 28.10.2025 quashed the order dated 08.07.2025 and the withdrawal order dated 29.07.2021. The operative part of the Court order dated 28.10.2025 is reproduced hereunder:

*“7. In the result, the following order:*

- (i) The petition is hereby allowed.*
- (ii) Annexure 'A' dated 08.07.2025 and Annexure 'B' dated 29.07.2025(may be read as 29.07.2021), both passed by the first respondent are hereby quashed.*

**In view of the above, the Committee decided the following: -**

**In compliance of order dated 28.10.2025 passed by Hon'ble High Court Karnataka at Bengaluru in WP No. 28813/2025, an order restoring the recognition of the petitioner institution for B.Ed. Course with an annual intake of one unit (50 seats) be issued.**

**Further, the Committee decided that a Show Cause Notice be issued to the institution thereby providing an opportunity for making written representation within 21 days on the following grounds failing which the recognition of the**

**institution shall be withdrawn without any further communication: -**

- **The institution is required to submit a latest faculty list in the NCTE prescribed format, duly approved by the concerned affiliating University along with all relevant documents.**

**The meeting ended with the vote of thanks to the Chair.**

**(Dr. Meena Chandawarkar)  
Chairperson, SRC, NCTE**



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**Fw: Draft minutes of 488th meeting of SRC**

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**From** Meena. Chandawarkar <meena\_r\_c@yahoo.com>

**Date** Thu 19-02-2026 21:01

**To** RD SRC, NCTE <rd\_src@ncte-india.org>; Southern Regional Committee, NCTE <src@ncte-india.org>

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 1 attachment (154 KB)

488 Draft Minutes.doc;

The draft minutes attached to this mail are approved. Regards,

Dr. Meena Chandawarkar,  
Chairperson, SRC - NCTE, New Delhi,  
Former Vice Chancellor,  
Karnataka State Women's University, Vijayapura.

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**Sent** Thursday, 19 February 2026 at 06:03:06 pm IST

**Subject:** Draft minutes of 488th meeting of SRC

Respected Mam / Sir,

Please find attached the draft minutes of 488<sup>th</sup> meeting of SRC held on 19<sup>th</sup> February, 2026 for consideration and approval please.

Thanks and regards

Mukesh Kumar

Regional Director