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(भारत सरकार का एक विधिक संस्थान)

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NCTE

Refusal Order

National Council For Teacher Education

(A Statutory Body of the Government of India)

Western Regional Committee

Date: 24 Jan 18

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Whereas in terms of section 15 of the NCTE Act, 1993, MATS University (Shree Bhagwan Mahaveer Jain Eduational & Cultural Society), MATS Tower, Near Bus Stand, Pandri, Raipur, Chhattisgarh - 492001 had submitted the application on 20.04.2016 to the Western Regional Committee of the NCTE for grant of recognition to MATS University, Distance Learning, MATS Tower, Near Bus Stand, Pandri, Raipur, Chhattisgarh - 492001 for conducting B.Ed. (ODL) Course.

And whereas, the proposal was examined by WRC in its 264th meeting held on 14th-15th December, 2017 and a show cause notice was issued to the institution on 27.02.2017 on the following grounds:-

- "A copy of approved Building Plan, approved by Sachive/Gram Panchayat / Engineer, (RES) is not submitted."
- Institution doesn't submitted documents required under clause a 9 of Appendix - 10 of NCTE Regulation 2014, which is as follows:-

Pre-requisites for applying for grant of recognition of the programme.

Before applying to the NCTE for recognition of the B.Ed. (ODL) programme, the university/institution shall ensure the following tasks:

- Preparation of the project document with details about the scope of the programme, fee structure, student enrolment, faculty, study centers with facilities and tutors/counselors estimated expenditure for development and implementation of the programme, norms of payment for development and implementation of the programme, norms of payment to Study Centers and resource persons, additional faculties, resources to be provided to Study Centers and monitoring and supervision of the programme.
- Approval of the appropriate university bodies or state government for launching the programme.
- Preparation of curriculum (courses-wise and unit-wise structure) including scheme of evaluation/examination and support services, duly approved by the university.
- Preparation of the self-learning materials in print and non-print, duly certified by the Distance Education Board (DEB).
- Undertaking from the indentified Study Centers in a prescribed format ensuring strict observation of B.Ed. norms for the study centers.
- Initiation of staff selection process such as advertising, screening, interviewing and offering appointment to the selected candidates."

And whereas, reply/email dt. 04.03.2017, 16.03.2017 and 20.03.2017 have submitted by the institution were placed before the WRC in its 272nd meeting held on April 6th - 8th, 2017 and Committee decided as follows :-

"The case file was seen. Show Cause Notice was issued to the institution for submission of self learning materials duly certified by the Distance Education Bureau of the UGC (DEB).

This case cannot be processed at present unless the University submits to the WRC, documents for approval of the course, of the facilities, the course material which are associated with open learning.

Hence, Clarification be obtained on the above grounds."

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And whereas, clarification letter was issued to the institution on 13.04.2017.

And whereas, reply dt. 28.04.2017 and 28.08.2017 have submitted by the institution were placed before the WRC in its 280th meeting held on September 1st, 2017 and Committee decided as follows :-

"The case file was seen. The institute has stated that it will use course materials, self-learning materials from Pt. Sunderlal Sharma (Open) University. The institute should clarify whether the course materials etc. of Pt. Sunderlal Sharma (Open) University are approved by Distance Education Board and submit a certificate to this effect. The institute has also to submit are under taking regarding opening and functioning of study centers as well as recruitment process of staff.

Once the above are received the case will be process further."

And whereas, the decision of WRC was conveyed vide letter dt. 05.09.2017 to the institution.

And whereas, reply dt. 07.09.2017 has submitted by the institution was placed before the WRC in its 282nd meeting held on September 1st, 2017 and Committee decided as follows :-

"The case file was seen. In the 280th meeting, the WRC has asked the MATs University to submit a certificate that the course material which it intends to use is approved by Distance Education Board. It also asked the institution to submit undertaking regarding opening and functioning of study centres and recruitment process of staff.

The institution vide letter dated 07.09.2017 has stated that they have entered into MOU with Pt. Sunderlal Sharma Open University regarding the adoption of its SLM. It also submitted a letter of approval from UGC DEC regarding the B.Ed. course under Pt. Sunderlal Sharma Open University.

The institution should now inform the WRC regarding establishment of study centers and recruitment of staff. Thereafter, VT would be sent."

And whereas, the decision of WRC was conveyed vide letter dt. 01.11.2017 to the institution.

And whereas, reply dt. 02.11.2017 has submitted by the institution and matter was placed before the WRC in its 284th meeting held on November 28th - 29th, 2017 and Committee decided as follows:-

"The case file was seen. The University had informed earlier that it had written letters to UGC/DEB for extension of recognition to other approved programmes (specifically for B.Ed. programme) from UGC/Distance Education Bureau. The institution should submit approval letters as referred to above.

Clarification be sought from the institution. Reply should be submitted within one month."

And whereas, clarification letter was issued to the institution on 05.12.2017.

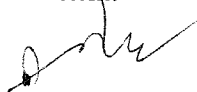
And whereas, reply dt. 05.12.2017 has submitted by the institution and matter was placed before the WRC in its 286th meeting held on January 16th - 17th, 2017 and Committee decided as follows :-

"The case file was seen. As per Revised Recognition order dated 31.05.2015, the institution was directed to submit duly approved list of faculty, maintenance of FDRs as per NCTE Regulations, 2014 and Building Completion Certificate issued by a Government Engineer.

The institution has submitted a faculty list of 1+7 faculty members approved by the Registrar, which is sufficient for only one unit. Building Completion Certificate is also signed by a Govt. Engineer, but the built-up area is sufficient for one unit.

It needs to submit additional FDR for Rs.4.00 lakhs (in joint name) in original (Total requirement is 12.00 lakhs).

Hence, Show Cause Notice be issued as to why recognition should not be withdrawn. Reply should be submitted within one month."



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Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers vested under section 15 (3) (b) of NCTE Act, 1993, **the Western Regional Committee hereby refuses grant of recognition to B.Ed. (ODL) course to MATS University, Distance Learning, MATS Tower, Near Bus Stand, Pandri, Raipur, Chhattisgarh - 492001.**

Further, if the institution is not satisfied by the decision, it may prefer an appeal to National Council for Teacher Education, Hans Bhawan, Wing-II, 1, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, Near ITO, New Delhi-110002 against this decision under section 18 of NCTE Act 1993 within 60 days of the issue of this letter through online mode, on the NCTE website www.ncte-india.org.

Yours Faithfully,

**(Awadhesh Nayak)
Regional Director (I/C)**

**To,
The Manager, (Gazette Section)
Government of India,
Department of Publications,
Civil Lines, Delhi - 110054.**

Copy to:-

1. The Principal, MATS University, Distance Learning, MATS Tower, Near Bus Stand, Pandri, Raipur, Chhattisgarh - 492001.
2. The Secretary, MATS University (Shree Bhagwan Mahaveer Jain Educational & Cultural Society), MATS Tower, Near Bus Stand, Pandri, Raipur, Chhattisgarh - 492001.
3. The Registrar, MATS University, MATS Tower, Near Bus Stand, Pandri, Raipur, Chhattisgarh - 492001.
4. The Secretary, (Higher Education), Government of Chhattisgarh, Mantralaya, Raipur- 492001, Chhattisgarh.
5. The Director, Education Chhattisgarh State Council of Educational Research & Training, Shankar Nagar, Raipur-492006.
6. The Secretary, Dept. of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi - 110001.
7. The US (Computer), National Council for Teacher Education, Hans Bhawan, Wing-II, Bahadurshah Zafar Marg, New Delhi - 110002.
8. Computer programmer, Computer Section, WRO (NCTE), Bhopal.
9. Office Order file/Institution file **WRCAPP7230**.

Regional Director (I/C)