S.A.H. International School, Chak Badhiya, Buily Khas, District - Mirzapur, Uttar Pradesh.

Vs.

Additional Chief Secretary, Department of School Education, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh, Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, U.P.

Case No. 485 of 2019

17.01.2023

Present: Mr. Shubham Singh, Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner has filed fourteen documents before the Commission's office on dated 14.12.2022, by hand, which are taken on record.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that in compliance of the Commission's earlier Order dated 23.11.2022, Petitioner has filed certain documents before the Commission's Office on dated 12.01.2023 but the same are not available on record.

Office is directed that if said documents are filed by the petitioner then place the same on record.

This is one of the oldest case of this Commission.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to appear on next date of hearing for arguments in this case.

In the interest of justice, list on 02.02.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

S.A.H. Educational Centre, Village - Ratanpur, Post - Katesar, District - Chandauli, Uttar Pradesh.

Vs.

Additional Chief Secretary, Department of School Education, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh, Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, U.P.

Case No. 486 of 2019

17.01.2023

Present: Mr. Shubham Singh, Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner has filed fourteen documents before the Commission's office on dated 14.12.2022, by hand, which are taken on record.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that in compliance of the Commission's earlier Order dated 23.11.2022, Petitioner has filed certain documents before the Commission's Office on dated 12.01.2023 but the same are not available on record.

Office is directed that if said documents are filed by the petitioner then place the same on record.

This is one of the oldest case of this Commission.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to appear on next date of hearing for arguments in this case.

In the interest of justice, list on 02.02.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

Al-Haneef Educational Centre, Chak Badhiya, Bhuily Khas, Adalhat, Mirzapur, Uttar Pradesh.

Vs.

Additional Chief Secretary, Department of School Education, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh, Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, U.P.

Case No. 487 of 2019

17.01.2023

Present: Mr. Shubham Singh, Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner has filed fourteen documents before the Commission's office on dated 14.12.2022, by hand, which are taken on record.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that in compliance of the Commission's earlier Order dated 23.11.2022, Petitioner has filed certain documents before the Commission's Office on dated 12.01.2023 but the same are not available on record.

Office is directed that if said documents are filed by the petitioner then place the same on record.

This is one of the oldest case of this Commission.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to appear on next date of hearing for arguments in this case.

In the interest of justice, list on 02.02.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Abul Kalam Girls Inter College, Village - Karhi, Post - Karhi, Tehsil - Khalilabad, District - Sant Kabir Nagar, Uttar Pradesh

The Principal Secretary, Higher Education, Department of Education, Government of Uttar Pradesh, 11, Naveen Bhawan Secretariat, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh.

Case No. 610 of 2019

17.01.2023

Present: Ms. Lakshmi Sree P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Ms. Lakshmi Sree P. appeared on behalf of the arguing counsel Mr. Junais P.

Learned counsel for the petitioner again prayed for last and final opportunity to comply with the Commission's earlier Order dated 02.06.2022. In the interest of justice, last and final opportunity is granted.

List on 07.02.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

International Access School, At-Barhan, Post & Dt., - Siwan, Bihar. Vs.

Secretary, Human Resource Development Department, Government of Bihar, Secretariat, Patna, Bihar.

Case No. 836 of 2019

17.01.2023

Present: Ms. Lakshmi Sree P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Ms. Lakshmi Sree P. appeared on behalf of the arguing counsel Mr. Junais P.

In compliance of Commission's earlier Order dated 08.09.2022, a communication dated 21.12.2022 has been received from the Deputy Director, Secondary Education, Deptt. Of Education, Patna, Bihar mentioning therein that no record available is available in their Deptt. in respect of the MSC application filed by the petitioner which is received in the Commission's Office on dated and is taken on record.

Despite registered notice and e-mail to the respondent, we have not received any proper response/reply from the State Competent Authority. In the facts and circumstances of the case we deem it just and proper that physical inspection report alongwith the recommendations may be obtained from the Committee constituting of the following members for issuance of the minority status certificate to the petitioner institution:-

- 1. Representative of the concerned District Collector(Chairperson)
- 2. Concerned District Education Officer (Member)
- 3. Concerned District Minority Welfare Officer/ Concerned District Social Welfare Officer (Member Secretary).

Office is directed to issue letter to the above authorities and also to provide a copy of the letter to the learned counsel for the petitioner.

Learned Counsel for the petitioner is directed to approach the members of the Physical inspection Committee and provide all the relevant documents to the said Committee.

List on 16.02.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

Little Flower Degree College, 2-18-25, Little Flower Junior College Campus, Uppal, R.R. District, Hyderabad, Telangana State - 500039.

Secretary to Government, Minorities Welfare Department, "D" Block, Ground Floor, Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad-500022.

Case No. 62 of 2020

17.01.2023

Present: Ms. Lakshmi Sree P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Ms. Lakshmi Sree P. appeared on behalf of the arguing counsel Mr. Junais P.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has filed notarized copy of the affiliation Order of the petitioner institution before the Commission's Office on dated 29.11.2022, by hand, which is taken on record.

Learned counsel for the petitioner again prayed for time to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by State Board or CBSE. Time prayed for is allowed.

List on 23.02.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Little Flower School, Khargora Basti, Ikuana, Shravasti District, Uttar Pradesh-271845.

Vs.

- 1. Secretary, Room No.- 19, 3rd Floor, Sachiv Bhawan, Uttar Pradesh, Secretariat, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh
- 2. The Additional Chief Secretary, Department of School Education, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh
- 3. Additional Chief Secretary, Secondary Education Department, Bapu Bhawan, 7th Floor, Lucknow 226001.

Case No. 120 of 2020

17.01.2023

Present: Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Re-notify the case for final arguments before the full bench on 28.02.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Shree Bafna Public School, Thandla Road, Meghnagar P.O., Jhabua District, Madhya Pradesh - 457779.

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Secretary, Backward Classes and Minority Welfare Department, Government of Madya Pradesh, Mantralaya, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh.

Case No. 199 of 2020

17.01.2023

Present: Ms. Lakshmi Sree P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Ms. Lakshmi Sree P. appeared on behalf of the arguing counsel Mr. Junais P.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has filed true notarized copy of the CBSE affiliation Order of the petitioner institution before the Commission's Office on dated 09.11.2022, which is taken on record.

In compliance of the Commission's earlier Order dated 27.01.2022, Additional District Magistrate has sent two inspection reports along with the covering letter dated 18.11.2022 and 28.12.2022, by post, which are received in the Commission's Office on dated 21.12.2022 and 04.01.2023 respectively, and both the inspection reports are taken on record.

List on 02.03.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Bafna College, Thandla Road, Meghnagar P.O., Jhabua District, Madhya Pradesh - 457779.

Vs.

Secretary, Backward Classes and Minority Welfare Department, Government of Madya Pradesh, Mantralaya, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh.

Case No. 200 of 2020

17.01.2023

Present: Ms. Lakshmi Sree P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Ms. Lakshmi Sree P. appeared on behalf of the arguing counsel Mr. Junais P.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has filed an application under Order VI Rule 17 C.P.C. read with Section 12(2) of the NCMEI Act, 2004, seeking permission to amend the Original MSC application alongwith the affidavit, amended application for grant of MSC along with declaration and affidavit, one set of copy of the said application alongwith envelope and postage charges for sending notice to the respondent before the Commission's office, by hand on dated 02.12.2022. All are taken on record.

Now, fix the case for arguments on the said application on 02.03.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

A.M.E.S. College of Education, Reddythoppu, Ambur, Vellore District, Tamil Nadu - 635802.

Vs

Principal Secretary, School Education Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Rina Road, Fort St. George, Secretariat, Chennai, Tamil Nadu - 600009.

Case No. 435 of 2020

17.01.2023

Present: Ms. Lakshmi Sree P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Ms. Lakshmi Sree P., Advocate appeared on behalf of the arguing counsel Mr. Junais P.

District Collector, Vellore sent letter dated 08.12.2022 addressed to the District Collector, Tirupattur and the same letter thereof forwarded to the Commission, which was received in the Commission's Office on dated 15.12.2022 and is taken on record.

Despite sending reminder by post and email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, we have not received any response/physical inspection report from the Physical Inspection Committee till now.

District Collector, Vellore has sent a letter dated 05.11.2022 by post, which was received in the Commission's Office on dated 15.11.2022 and is taken on record, wherein District Collector has stated that Vellore District has been trifurcated as Vellore District, Ranipet District and Tirupathur District. Now, Petitioner institution is functioning under the jurisdiction of District Collector, Tirupathur. Therefore, it is requested that the name of the Physical Inspection Committee in this case may kindly be arranged as below:

- The District Collector (respective of District magistrate-Chairperson), Collectorate, Tirupathur- 635601
- 2. The District Education Officer (member), Ambur Tirupathur-635601
- 3. The District Social Welfare Office, (member Secretary), District Social Welfare office, Collectorate, Tirupathur- 635601.

Office is directed to issue letter to the above Committee members for submitting the report.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to approach to the new members of the physical inspection committee and provide all the relevant documents to the members of Committee, Tirupathur district, Tamil Nadu for sending their physical inspection report before next date of hearing positively.

In the interest of justice, list on 07.03.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Mazharul Uloom Higher Secondary School, Ambur, Vellore District, Tamil Nadu - 635802.

Vs.

Principal Secretary, School Education Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Rina Road, Fort St. George, Secretariat, Chennai, Tamil Nadu - 600009.

Case No. 436 of 2020

17.01.2023

Present: Ms. Lakshmi Sree P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Ms. Lakshmi Sree P., Advocate appeared on behalf of the arguing counsel Mr. Junais P.

In compliance of the Commission's earlier Order, District Collector, Tirupathur has sent by post physical inspection report along with covering letter dated 21.12.2022, which was received in the Commission's Office on dated 28.12.2022 and is taken on record.

District Collector, Vellore has sent a letter dated 05.11.2022 by post, which was received in the Commission's Office on dated 15.11.2022 and is taken on record, wherein District Collector has stated that Vellore District has been trifurcated as Vellore District, Ranipet District and Tirupathur District. Now, Petitioner institution is functioning under the jurisdiction of District Collector, Tirupathur.

Learned counsel for the petitioner prayed for time to file updated recognition/ affiliation certificate issued by State Board or CBSE.

In the interest of justice, list on 07.03.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Unity Matriculation School, No. 13, 5th Cross Street, Mahalakshmi Nagar, Adambakkam, Chengalpet, Chennai, Tamil Nadu - 600088.
Vs.

Principal Secretary, School Education Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Rina Road, Fort St. George, Secretariat, Chennai, Tamil Nadu - 600009.

Case No. 64 of 2021

17.01.2023

Present: Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

In compliance of the Commission's earlier Order, District Educational Officer (Secondary) has sent by post physical inspection report along with covering letter dated 22.12.2022, which was received in the Commission's Office on dated 28.12.2022 and is taken on record.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that he has filed certified copies of all the relevant documents before this Commission.

Now, fix the case for final arguments on 14.03.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

St. Stephen's School, Christian Basti, P.O. Dispur, Guwahati, Assam - 781005.

Vs.

Joint Secretary, Education Department (Higher), Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati, Assam - 6.

Case No. 108 of 2021

17.01.2023

Present: Mr. Tariq Adeeb, Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Despite sending reminder by post and email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, we have not received any response from the Physical Inspection Committee till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that Physical Inspection Committee members have already inspected their institution.

Office is directed to send final reminder by post and also by email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, for sending the inspection report positively before next date of hearing.

In the interest of justice, list on 21.03.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Loyola English Medium High School, Nagaon, Assam - 782001.

Vs.

Joint Secretary, Education Dept.(Higher), Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati - 6, Assam.

Case No. 110 of 2021

17.01.2023

Present: Mr. Tariq Adeeb, Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

In compliance of the Commission's earlier Order, District Social Welfare Officer, Nagaon has sent by post physical inspection report along with covering letter dated 14.10.2022, which was received in the Commission's Office on dated 31.10.2022 and is taken on record.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that he has filed certified copies of all the relevant documents before this Commission.

Now, fix the case for final arguments on 21.03.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Christian English College, Nowgong Road, Chhatarpur District, Madhya Pradesh - 471001.

Vs.

Secretary, Backward Classes and Minority Welfare Department, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Room No. 339, Mantralaya, Bhopal, M.P. - 462004.

Case No. 112 of 2021

17.01.2023

Present: Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Joint Secretary, Backward Classes and Minority Welfare Department, Government of Madhya Pradesh has sent by post a letter dated 20.12.2022 wherein it is mentioned that due to non-availability of application in the proper prescribed format for declaring this Educational Institute as Minority Education Institution, which is received in the Commission on dated 28.12.2022, is taken on record.

Petitioner institution has applied to the NCMEI for grant of Minority Status Certificate. In the facts and circumstances of the case we deem just and proper that physical inspection report alongwith the recommendations for issuance of minority status certificate to the petitioner institution, may be obtained from the committee consisting of the following members: -

- 1. Representative of the District Collector (Chairperson)
- 2. Concerned District Education Officer (Member)
- 3. District Minority / Welfare Officer / District Social Welfare Officer (Member Secretary)

Office is directed to issue letter to the above Committee members for submitting the report.

Learned counsel for the petitioner prayed for a copy of the letter issued to the members of Physical Inspection Committee in order to pursue the matter with the Physical Inspection Committee, for inspection of the petitioner institution.

Office is directed to provide a copy of the letter to the learned counsel for the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to provide all the relevant documents to the members of Physical Inspection Committee.

List on 15.03.2023

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

Odisha Abibhabak Mahasanga (Odisha Parent's Federation), #226, Kharvela Nagar, Bhubaneswar - 1.

Vs.

- 1. Cambridge School Cantonment Road, Cuttack, Odisha 753001,
- 2. Director, Secondary Education 6 th Floor, HOD Building, UnitV, Bhubaneswar, Khordha, Odisha.

Misc. Case No. 02 of 2021

17.01.2023

Present: Mr. Amit Yadav, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Suvendu Suvasis Dash, Advocate for, respondent no.01. None for the Respondent no.02

Mr. Suvendu Suvasis Dash, Advocate appeared on behalf of the respondent no.01.

Mr. Amit Yadav, Advocate appeared on behalf of the petitioner and prayed for time to file some documents.

Learned counsel for the respondent no. 01 submitted that he has already filed all the relevant documents.

In the interest of justice, list the case for arguments before the full bench.

List on 16.03.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Minerva Institute of Management and Technology, Sudhowala, Chakrata Road, Dehradun, Uttarakhand - 248001.

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- 1. The Addl. Chief Secretary, Higher Education, Govt. of Uttarakhand, Dehradun.
- 2. Principal Secretary, Higher Education, uttarakhand Govt., Devendra Shastri Bhawan, Uttarakhand Secretariat, Dehradun.
- 3. Incharge Secretary, Higher Education, Uttarakhand Govt., Room No. 7, Ground Floor, Late Soban Singh Jeena Bhawan (SBI Bank Building), Uttarakhand Secretariat.

Case No. 60 of 2022

17.01.2023

Present: Ms. Lakshmi Sree P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Ms. Lakshmi Sree P., Advocate appeared on behalf of the arguing counsel Mr. Junais P. and prayed for time to file the rejoinder.

In the interest of justice, last and final opportunity is granted for filing rejoinder.

List on 11.04.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

17.01.2023.

Don Bosco College, P.O. Chapaguri 1 No. P.S. Dhaligaon, District - Chirang BTR Assam - 783380.

Vs.

Joint Secretary, Education Department (Higher), Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati, Assam – 781006.

Present: None.

An application has been received by post on 10.01.2023, from Don Bosco College, P.O. Chapaguri 1 No. P.S. Dhaligaon, District - Chirang BTR Assam - 783380, for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

It transpires from the petition that on 10.05.2022, the petitioner has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Joint Secretary, Education Department (Higher), Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati, Assam – 781006, which is received by the respondent on 12.05.2022. The said petition is still pending. The petitioner has waited sufficiently for a period of 90 days, before filing this petition.

The petitioner has already filed the proof of delivery of the registered AD to the respondent.

Petitioner has filed Resolution passed by the Governing Body to obtain Minority Status Certificate from this Commission.

It also transpires from the petition that in this Un-aided School during the academic year 2019-22 total 61 students were studying and out of them 42 students belongs to the Christian Minority Community.

Office has reported that there is no specific beneficiary clause available in the MoA for the Christian Minority Community.

On perusal of the petition it is also found that Fr. Alex Mathew is the signatory of the MSC application and has also furnished an affidavit in support of the petition but his name is not available in the certified list of members by the Registrar of the Societies.

Office is directed to issue show cause notice by registered Ad/ e-mail to the petitioner for compliance of the above order.

In the interest of justice, list on 26.04.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

17.01.2023.

Christ Jyoti School, Barbhala, Haripur, P.O. Gobindapur, Pathsala, District - Bajali, Assam - 781326.

Vs.

Joint Secretary, Education Department (Higher), Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati, Assam – 781006.

Present: None.

An application has been received by post on 10.01.2023, from Christ Jyoti School, Barbhala, Haripur, P.O. Gobindapur, Pathsala, District - Bajali, Assam - 781326, for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

It transpires from the petition that on 10.05.2022, the petitioner has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Joint Secretary, Education Department (Higher), Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati, Assam – 781006, which is received by the respondent on 12.05.2022. The said petition is still pending. The petitioner has waited sufficiently for a period of 90 days, before filing this petition.

The petitioner has already filed the proof of delivery of the registered AD to the respondent.

Petitioner has filed Resolution passed by the Governing Body to obtain Minority Status Certificate from this Commission.

It also transpires from the petition that in this Un-aided School during the academic year 2021-22 total 1006 students were studying and out of them 34 students belongs to the Christian Minority Community.

Office has reported that there is no specific beneficiary clause available in the MoA for the Christian Minority Community.

Office is directed to issue show cause notice by registered Ad/ e-mail to the petitioner for compliance of the above order.

In the interest of justice, list on 26.04.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

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17.01.2023

Don Bosco School Bengtol P.O. Bengtol, P.S. Runikhata, District - Chirang, Assam - 783394.

Vs.

Joint Secretary, Education Department (Higher), Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati, Assam – 781006.

Present: None.

An application has been received by post on 10.01.2023, from Don Bosco School Bengtol P.O. Bengtol, P.S. Runikhata, District - Chirang, Assam - 783394, for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

It transpires from the petition that on 20.04.2022, the petitioner has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Joint Secretary, Education Department (Higher), Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati, Assam – 781006, which is received by the respondent on 25.04.2022. The said petition is still pending. The petitioner has waited sufficiently for a period of 90 days, before filing this petition.

The petitioner has already filed the proof of delivery of the registered AD to the respondent.

Petitioner has filed Resolution passed by the Governing Body to obtain Minority Status Certificate from this Commission.

It also transpires from the petition that in this Un-aided School during the academic year 2019-22 total 748 students were studying and out of them 523 students belongs to the Christian Minority Community.

Office has reported that there is no specific beneficiary clause available in the MoA for the Christian Minority Community and petitioner has filed provisional recognition certificate w.e.f. the academic year 2021-22 but it is not clear that whether it is for particular time period or permanent.

Office is directed to issue show cause notice by registered Ad/ e-mail to the petitioner for compliance of the above order.

In the interest of justice, list on 26.04.2023.

DR. JASPAL SINGH MEMBER