Shri Dharmpal Singh Tyagi.

V/s.

- 1. Shri Ajit Nath Jain Inter College, Sherpur Luhara (Baghpat), Uttar Pradesh.
- 2. Deputy Director, Minority Welfare Department, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, Indira Bhawan, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh.

Misc. Case No. 18 of 2019

30.11.2023

Present: Mr. Vidya Bhushan for the petitioner.

Mr. Bijendra Kumar Jain for the respondent No.1

None for the Respondent No.2.

- 1. Mr. Vidya Bhushan appeared on behalf of the arguing counsel Mr. Susheel Tomar.
- 2. Mr. Bijendra Kumar Jain appeared on behalf of the respondent No.1
- 3. None for the Respondent No.2.
- 4. A similar matter is pending before the Hon'ble High Court of Allahabad.

In the interest of justice, list on 28.03.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Mandawar Degree College, Mandawar, Bijnor, Uttar Pradesh - 246721.

Vs.

Principal Secretary, Higher Education, Department of Education, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh – 226001.

Case No. 169 of 2020

30.11.2023

Present: Mr. Prasanth Kulambil., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

- 1. Mr. Prasanth Kulambil, Advocate appeared on behalf of the arguing counsel Mr. Junais P.
- 2. Mr. Ankit Kumar Agarwal has sent by post, Physical Inspection Report along with covering letter dated 16.10.2023, which was received before the Commission's Office on dated 20.10.2023 and is taken on record.
- 3. 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 31.01.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

M S Creative English School, Vanjarpatti Naka, Bhiwandi, Thane, Maharashtra - 421308

V/s.

- 1. Deputy Secretary, Minorities Development Department, Government of Maharashtra, Room No. 715, Mantralaya (Annexe), Mumbai, Maharashtra
- 2. Joint Secretary, Minorities Development Department, Room No. 715, Mantralaya (Annexe), Mumbai 400032

Case No. 262 of 2020

30.11.2023

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

- 1. Learned counsel for the petitioner filed notarized copy of First Trust Deed and Notarized copy of Amended Trust Deed by hand, before the Commission's Office on dated 13.10.2023, which are taken on record.
- 2. Learned counsel for the petitioner again prayed for time to file updated Recognition/ Affiliation certificate issued by State Board of examination. In the interest of justice, time prayed for is allowed.

List on 01.02.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

M S Creative English School, Mira Road, Thane, Maharashtra. V/s.

- 1. Deputy Secretary, Minorities Development Dept., Mantralaya (Annexe), Mumbai, Maharashtra.
- 2. Joint Secretary, Minorities Development Department, Government of Maharashtra.

Case No. 263 of 2020

30.11.2023

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

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner again prayed for time to file updated Recognition/ Affiliation certificate issued by State Board of examination. In the interest of justice, time prayed for is allowed.

List on 01.02.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

M S Creative English School, Talavpali, Mumbra, Thane, Maharashtra V/s.

- 1. Deputy Secretary, Minorities Development Deptt, Mantralaya (Annexe), Mumbai, Maharashtra.
- 2. Joint Secretary, Minorities Development Department, Government of Maharashtra.

Case No. 265 of 2020

30.11.2023

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

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner again prayed for time to file updated Recognition/ Affiliation certificate issued by State Board of examination. In the interest of justice, time prayed for is allowed.

List on 01.02.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

St. Joseph's Nursery and Primary School, No. 6, Siva Sankaran Street, Kilpauk, Chennai, Tamil Nadu - 600010.

Vs.

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

Case No. 125 of 2021

30.11.2023

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

1. Heard, learned counsel for the petitioner.

Reserved for Orders.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

St. Marys Convent School, Shanti Nagar, Faridpur, Bareilly District, Uttar Pradesh - 243503.

Vs.

- 1. Director, Minority Welfare Department, 6th Floor, Indira Bhawan, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh
- 2. Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Secondary Education Govt. of UP Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow (UP).

Case No. 107 of 2022

30.11.2023

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

- 1. Learned counsel for the petitioner filed by hand, notarized copy of the present Governing Body Members list along with typed copy duly notarized, before the Commission's Office on dated 23.11.2023 and is taken on record.
- Heard, learned counsel for the petitioner.
   Reserved for Orders.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

St. Anne's Matriculation Higher Secondary School, 23, Gandhi Nagar, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District, Tamil Nadu - 612001.

Vs.

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

Case No. 118 of 2022

30.11.2023

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

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner again prayed for time to file updated Recognition/ Affiliation certificate issued by State Board of examination. In the interest of justice, time prayed for is allowed.

List on 06.02.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

St. Anne's Nursery and Primary School, Thiruvalluvar Nagar, Lalgudi, Trichy District, Tamil Nadu- 621 601.

Vs.

Principal Secretary, School Education Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Rina Road, Fort St. George, Secretariat, Chennai, Tamil Nadu- 600 009.

Case No. 119 of 2022

30.11.2023

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

- 1. Despite sending letter by post to the Chief Secretary, State of Tamil Nadu and also to members of the Physical Inspection Committee, we have not received any reply/ physical inspection report till now.
- 2. Secretary of the Commission is again directed to write a letter to the Chief Secretary, Government of Tamil Nadu with a request to direct the Physical Inspection Committee to send Physical Inspection Report before next date of hearing.
- 3. Copy of the said letter may also be sent to the members of the Physical Inspection Committee for sending the inspection report positively before next date of hearing.
- 4. Learned counsel for the petitioner again prayed for time to file updated Recognition/ Affiliation certificate issued by State Board of examination. In the interest of justice, time prayed for is allowed.

List on 06.02.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Golden Degree College of Arts, Science, Commerce and Management Studies, Bagur Sonnenahalli, Chikkathirupathi Post, Malur Taluk, Kolar District, Karnataka – 563160.

Vs.

Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department (Higher Education), Govt. of Karnataka, 6th Floor, Multi-Storeyed Building, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560001.

Case No. 200 of 2022

30.11.2023

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

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner prayed for time to file updated Affiliation issued by Bengaluru North University. In the interest of justice, time prayed for is allowed.

List on 13.02.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Golden International School, Bagur Sonnenahlii, Lakkur Hobli, Chikkathirupathi Post, Malur Taluk, Kolar District, Karnataka - 563160. Vs.

Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department (Higher Education), Govt. of Karnataka, 6th Floor, Multi-Storeyed Building, Bengaluru, Karnataka - 560001.

Case No. 201 of 2022

30.11.2023

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

- 1. Physical Inspection Report has been received from the members of the Physical Inspection Committee on dated 17.10.2023, which is taken on record.
- 2. 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 13.02.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Metas Adventist School, P.O. Box No. 24, Athwalines, Surat, Gujarat. Vs.

Deputy Director, Directors of Schools, Old Sachivalaya, Block 9/1, Gandhinagar, Gujarat.

Case No. 153 of 2022

30.11.2023

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

- 1. Learned counsel for the petitioner filed notarized copy of certificate issued by the Registrar of Companies confirming the date of registration of Amendment in MOA and Governing Body members list for the year 2020-2022 by hand, before the Commission's Office on dated 14.11.2023, which are taken on record.
- Heard, learned counsel for the petitioner.
   Reserved for Orders.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Somerville International School, A - 07, Sector 132, Expressway, Noida, District - Gautam Budh Nagar, Uttar Pradesh- 201 301. Vs.

The Additional Chief Secretary, Secondary Education Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Vidya Bhawan, Nishatganj, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh- 226 001.

Case No. 248 of 2023

30.11.2023

**Present:** Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for the petitioner.

None for the respondent.

On 28.11.2023, a letter dated 21.11.2023 has been received from the Deputy Secretary, Secondary Education, Section-7, Uttar Pradesh addressed to the petitioner and a copy thereof is endorsed to the Commission. Today, the same is taken on record.

It is mentioned in the said letter that the petitioner institution has been granted NOC by the Additional Special Secretary, Uttar Pradesh.

Office is directed to issue notice to the respondent by registered AD and e-mail.

List on 5.3.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Sita Ram Arya Memorial College of Education, Bherian, Hisar, Haryana- 125 007.

Vs.

Additional Chief Secretary Govt. of Haryana Higher Education Department for General Colleges & Technical Education Department for Technical Institutions Room no. 403, 4th Floor Haryana New Secretariat, Sector-17, Chandigarh.

Case No. 251 of 2023

30.11.2023

Present: None.

Despite issue of show cause notice by registered post, none appeared on behalf of the petitioner even in second round.

Since nobody has appeared to make any submission and the Commission has waited sufficiently, the Commission has been forced to dismiss the petition. Hence, the petition is dismissed in default.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

St. Peters School, Village- Pattapani, P.O. Bailparao, Tehsil-Kaladungi, Nainital District, Uttarakhand- 263 140.

Vs.

Incharge Secretary, Higher Education, Government of Uttarakhand, Room No. 7, Ground Floor, Late Soban Singh Jeena Bhawan (SBI Bank Building), Secretariat, Uttarakhand-248 001.

Case No. 252 of 2023

30.11.2023

Present: Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Satya Narayan, Block Education Officer, Distt. Nainital

for respondent.

On 29.11.2023, an internal communication dated 21.11.2023 from Deputy Secretary, Higher Education, Uttarakhand to Secretary, School Education Department, Uttarakhand has been received and a copy thereof is endorsed to the Commission. The same is taken on record.

Mr. Satya Narayan has prayed for time to file reply. Time prayed for is allowed.

In the interest of justice, list on 17.1.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Krist Raja Vidyalaya, Pakdilpur, Giduraha, Manikpur, Chitrakoot District, Uttar Pradesh- 210 208.

Vs

Additional Chief Secretary, Basic Education Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Bapu Bhawan, 7th Floor, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh – 226 001.

Case No. 253 of 2023

30.11.2023

**Present:** Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for the petitioner.

None for the respondent.

Despite service of notice by registered AD and email, there is no appearance on behalf of the respondent even in second round and no reply has been filed by the respondent.

In the facts and circumstances of the case, it would be proper that physical inspection report alongwith the recommendations may be obtained from the Committee consisting 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 and pursue the matter with the Physical Inspection Committee for inspection of the petitioner institution.

List on 6.3.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Paragon Primary school (Arabic Oriental), Vattepally, Hyderabad, Telangana- 500 053.

Vs.

Secretary, Minorities Welfare Department, "D" Block, Ground Floor, Telangana, Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad- 500 022.

Case No. 254 of 2023

30.11.2023

**Present:** Mr. Prasanth Kulambil, Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has filed four documents before the Commission's office on 21.11.2023, which are taken on record.

Despite service of notice by registered AD and email, there is no appearance on behalf of the respondent even in second round and no reply has been filed by the respondent. In the facts and circumstances of the case, it would be proper that physical inspection report alongwith the recommendations may be obtained from the Committee consisting 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 and pursue the matter with the Physical Inspection Committee for inspection of the petitioner institution.

In the interest of justice, list on 6.3.2024.

St. Theresa's School, Sarai Marukhpur, Sandila P.O. Sandila, District Hardoi, Uttar Pradesh- 241 204.

Vs

Additional Chief Secretary, Secondary Education Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Bapu Bhawan, 7th Floor, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh – 226 001.

Case No. 255 of 2023

30.11.2023

Present: Mr. Prasanth Kulambil, Advocate for the petitioner.

Mr. Rajendra Kumar Rao for the respondent.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has filed five documents before the Commission's office on 21.11.2023, which are taken on record.

On 29.11.2023, an internal communication dated 20.11.2023 from Under Secretary, Secondary Education to Director, Secondary Education, Uttar Pradesh has been received and a copy thereof is endorsed to the Commission. The same is also taken on record.

Today, Mr. Rajendra Kumar Rao filed letter dated 29.11.2023 of District Inspector of Schools, Hardoi authorizing him to appear before the Commission, which is taken on record. He has prayed for time to file reply. Time prayed for is allowed.

In the interest of justice, list on 6.3.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

30.11.2023

National College of Education, 428, Kharupetia Hospital Colony, Kharupetia Ward No. 2, Darrang District, Assam - 784115.

Vs.

Joint Secretary, Department of Higher Education, Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati.

**Present:** Mr. Prasanth Kulambil, Advocate for the petitioner.

An application has been received by hand on 16.11.2023 from National College of Education, 428, Kharupetia Hospital Colony, Kharupetia Ward No. 2, Darrang District, Assam – 784115 for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

- 2. It transpires from the petition that on 28.4.2023, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Joint Secretary, Department of Higher Education, Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati, which was received by the respondent on 6.5.2023. The said petition is still pending as per the petitioner institution. The petitioner has waited sufficiently for period of 90 days as per Section 10 of NCMEI Act, 2004, before filing this petition.
- 3. The petitioner has already filed the proof of delivery of track consignment to the respondent.
- 4. The petitioner has filed copy of letter dated 17.7.2023 issued by Registrar-cum-Secretary, Pharmacy council of India granting approval to the petitioner institution from 2021-22 to 2023-24.
- 5. Petitioner has filed Resolution Passed by the Governing Body to obtain Minority Status Certificate from this Commission and envelope with postage for sending notice to the State Competent Authority.
- 6. It also transpires from the petition that the petitioner Institute is an unaided institution (Higher Education). During the academic year 2021-22, out of 50 students, 44 students were from the Muslim Minority Community and in the year 2022-23, out of 120 students, 110 students were from the Muslim minority community.
- 7. It transpires from the petition that the Trust Deed of the petitioner trust amended on 17.3.2023 which is prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act. 2004 which is prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act. 2004 and also petition before this Commission for grant of Minority Status Certificate.
- 8. Office is directed to issue notice to the respondent by registered AD and e-mail.
- 9. List on 7.3.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

30.11.2023

National Institute of Nursing, Town - Ward No. 2, Kharupetia, PO & PS - Kharupetia, District - Darrang, Assam - 784115.

Vs.

Joint Secretary, Department of Higher Education, Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati.

**Present:** Mr. Prasanth Kulambil, Advocate for the petitioner.

An application has been received by hand on 16.11.2023 from National Institute of Nursing, Town - Ward No. 2, Kharupetia, PO & PS - Kharupetia, District - Darrang, Assam - 784115 for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

- 2. It transpires from the petition that on 28.4.2023, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Joint Secretary, Department of Higher Education, Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati, which was received by the respondent on 6.5.2023. The said petition is still pending as per the petitioner institution. The petitioner has waited sufficiently for period of 90 days as per Section 10 of NCMEI Act, 2004, before filing this petition.
- 3. The petitioner has already filed the proof of delivery of track consignment to the respondent.
- 4. The petitioner has filed copy of letter dated 30.5.2023 issued by Registrar, Assam Nurses' Midwives & Health Visitors' Council, Guwahati granting permission to the petitioner institution for the academic year 2023-2024.
- 5. Petitioner has filed Resolution Passed by the Governing Body to obtain Minority Status Certificate from this Commission and envelope with postage for sending notice to the State Competent Authority.
- 6. It also transpires from the petition that the petitioner Institute is an unaided institution (Higher Education). During the academic year 2021-22, out of 70 students, 40 students were from the Muslim Minority Community and in the year 2022-23, out of 69 students, 41 students were from the Muslim minority community.
- 7. It transpires from the petition that the Trust Deed of the petitioner trust amended on 17.3.2023 which is prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act. 2004 which is prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act. 2004 and also petition before this Commission for grant of Minority Status Certificate.
- 8. Office is directed to issue notice to the respondent by registered AD and e-mail. Learned counsel for the petitioner has prayed for time to file updated recognition/ affiliation issued by the concerned authority.
- 9. List on 7.3.2024.

30.11.2023

Jatiya Vidyalaya H.S. School, Town - Hospital Colony, PO & PS - Kharupetia, Darrang District Assam - 784115.

Vs.

Joint Secretary, Department of Higher Education, Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati.

Present: Mr. Prasanth Kulambil, Advocate for the petitioner.

An application has been received by hand on 16.11.2023 from Jatiya Vidyalaya H.S. School, Town - Hospital Colony, PO & PS - Kharupetia, Darrang District Assam - 784115 for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

- 2. It transpires from the petition that on 28.4.2023, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Joint Secretary, Department of Higher Education, Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati, which was received by the respondent on 6.5.2023. The said petition is still pending as per the petitioner institution. The petitioner has waited sufficiently for period of 90 days as per Section 10 of NCMEI Act, 2004, before filing this petition.
- 3. The petitioner has already filed the proof of delivery of track consignment to the respondent.
- 4. The petitioner has filed copy of the order dated 21.2.2022 issued by Assam Higher Secondary Education Council, Guwahati granting academic permission to the petitioner institution w.e.f. the academic session 2021-22.
- 5. Petitioner has filed Resolution Passed by the Governing Body to obtain Minority Status Certificate from this Commission and envelope with postage for sending notice to the State Competent Authority.
- 6. It also transpires from the petition that the petitioner Institute is an unaided institution (Higher Education). During the academic year 2020-21, out of 438 students, 426 students were from the Muslim Minority Community, in the 2021-22, out of 429 students, 415 students were from the Muslim minority community and in the year 2022-23, out of 414 students, 400 students were from the Muslim minority community.
- 7. It transpires from the petition that the Trust Deed of the petitioner trust amended on 17.3.2023 which is prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act. 2004 which is prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act. 2004 and also petition before this Commission for grant of Minority Status Certificate.
- 8. Office is directed to issue notice to the respondent by registered AD and e-mail. Learned counsel for the petitioner has prayed for time to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State Board/ CBSE.
- 9. List on 7.3.2024.

30.11.2023

R.N. Central Academy, P.O. - Kharupetia, District - Darrang, Assam – 784 115.

Vs.

Joint Secretary, Department of Higher Education, Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati.

**Present:** Mr. Prasanth Kulambil, Advocate for the petitioner.

An application has been received by hand on 16.11.2023 from R.N. Central Academy, P.O. - Kharupetia, District - Darrang, Assam - 784115 for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

- 2. It transpires from the petition that on 28.4.2023, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Joint Secretary, Department of Higher Education, Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati, which was received by the respondent on 6.5.2023. The said petition is still pending as per the petitioner institution. The petitioner has waited sufficiently for period of 90 days as per Section 10 of NCMEI Act, 2004, before filing this petition.
- 3. The petitioner has already filed the proof of delivery of track consignment to the respondent.
- 4. The petitioner has filed copy of order dated 19.9.2020 issued by Director of Secondary Education, Assam granting provisional prior permission to the petitioner institution valid for 02 years.
- 5. Petitioner has filed Resolution Passed by the Governing Body to obtain Minority Status Certificate from this Commission and envelope with postage for sending notice to the State Competent Authority.
- 6. It also transpires from the petition that the petitioner Institute is an unaided institution (Higher Education). During the academic year 2020-21, out of 257 students, 248 students were from the Muslim Minority Community, in the 2021-22, out of 229 students, 221 students were from the Muslim minority community and in the year 2022-23, out of 229 students, 223 students were from the Muslim minority community.
- 7. It transpires from the petition that the Trust Deed of the petitioner trust amended on 17.3.2023 which is prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act. 2004 which is prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act. 2004 and also petition before this Commission for grant of Minority Status Certificate.
- 8. Office is directed to issue notice to the respondent by registered AD and e-mail. Learned counsel for the petitioner has prayed for time to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State Board/ CBSE.
- 9. List on 7.3.2024.

30.11.2023

St. Peter Convent School, Lasuldiya Amla Road, Nalkheda Tehsil, Agar-Malwa District, Madhya Pradesh – 465 445.

Vs.

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

Present: Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for the petitioner.

An application has been received by hand on 16.11.2023 from St. Peter Convent School, Lasuldiya Amla Road, Nalkheda Tehsil, Agar- Malwa District, Madhya Pradesh— 465 445 for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

- 2. It transpires from the petition that on 6.2.2023, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Secretary, Backward Classes and Minority Welfare Department, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Room No. 339, Mantralaya, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh, which was received by the respondent on 9.2.2023. The said petition is still pending as per the petitioner institution. The petitioner has waited sufficiently for period of 90 days as per Section 10 of NCMEI Act, 2004, before filing this petition. The petitioner has already filed the proof of delivery of track consignment to the respondent.
- 3. The petitioner has filed Downloaded copy of order dated 5.7.2021 issued by the District Education Officer, Agar Malwa, Madhya Pradesh granting affiliation to the petitioner institution for the period 1.4.2021 to 31.3.2024.
- 4. Petitioner has filed Resolution Passed by the Governing Body to obtain Minority Status Certificate from this Commission and envelope with postage for sending notice to the State Competent Authority.
- 5. It also transpires from the petition that the petitioner Institute is an unaided institution (Primary).
- 6. During the academic year 2021-22, out of 87 students, only 01 student was from the Christian minority community, in the year 2022-23, out of 201 students, 03 students were from the Christian minority community and in the year 2023-24, out of 224 students, 03 students are from the Christian minority community.
- 7. It transpires from the petition that the amendment in the Memorandum of Association of the petitioner Society done prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act. 2004 and also petition before this Commission for grant of Minority Status Certificate.
- 8. Office is directed to issue notice to the respondent by registered AD and e-mail.
- 9. List on 12.3.2024.