St. Anne's Matriculation School, No. 152, GNT Road, Ponniammenmedu, Madhavaram, Chennai, Tamil Nadu - 600110. Vs.

Principal Secretary, School Education Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Fort St. George, Secretariat, Chennai, Tamil Nadu – 9. Case No. 820 of 2019 22.02.2024

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 certificate issued by Competent Authority State of Tamil Nadu. In the interest of justice, time prayed for is allowed.

List on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

St. John's Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Sathya Nagar, Katpadi Road, Gudiyattam, Vellore District, Tamil Nadu - 632602. Vs.

Principal Secretary, School Education Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Fort St. George, Secretariat, Chennai, Tamil Nadu – 9. Case No. 823 of 2019 22.02.2024

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 certificate issued by Competent Authority State of Tamil Nadu. In the interest of justice, time prayed for is allowed.

List on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

St. Anne's Matriculation School, Choodapuram, Belathur P.O., Hosur T.K., Bagalur, Krishnagiri District, Tamil Nadu - 635124. Vs.

Principal Secretary, School Education Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Fort St. George, Secretariat, Chennai, Tamil Nadu – 9. Case No. 824 of 2019 22.02.2024

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 certificate issued by Competent Authority State of Tamil Nadu. In the interest of justice, time prayed for is allowed.

List on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

St. John's Matriculation Higher Secondary School, No. 15, New Colony, Alwarthirunagar, Chennai, Tamil Nadu - 600087.

Vs.

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

Case No. 73 of 2022

22.02.2024

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

1. On 22.12.2023. Director of Private Schools, Valagam, Chennai has sent a letter dated 13.12.2023 enclosed therewith Counter Affidavit by post, which are taken on record.

2. Copy of the letter and Counter Affidavit be furnished to the learned counsel for the petitioner for filing rejoinder if any.

3. As per the meeting held in the Commission on dated 16.10.2023, the State Government of Tamil Nadu has intimated that as per the Government Orders the Chief Educational Officer/ District Education Officer are authorized to issue recognition certificate to all private schools in Tamil Nadu and recognition certificate is a sufficient document to prove that the institution is affiliated to Tamil Nadu State Examination Board. Hence, the pendency of affiliation matter from Tamil Nadu State Examination Board is now resolved.

4. Learned counsel for the petitioner again prayed for time to file updated Recognition certificate issued by Competent Authority State of Tamil Nadu.

5. Despite sending letter by post to the Chief Secretary, State of Tamil Nadu and by post and also by email to members of the Physical Inspection Committee, no reply/ physical inspection report has been received till now.

6. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected their institution.

7. Secretary of the Commission is again directed to write a reminder letter to the Chief Secretary, Government of Tamil Nadu with a request to direct the Physical Inspection Committee to send Physical Inspection Report, which is already prepared by the said Committee before next date of hearing.

8. Office is directed that if original Physical Inspection Report is not received, then send reminder by post and also by email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, for sending the original inspection report positively before next date of hearing.

In the interest of justice, list on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Madrsa Sekh Sahabzada Darululoom, Village & Post - Banzaria, District - E Naraynpur, Deoria, Uttar Pradesh - 274408.

Vs.

- 1. Additional Chief Secretary, Department of School Education, Government of U.P., Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, U.P. – 26001.
- 2. Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Secondary Education, Government of U.P., Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, U.P. – 226001.
- 3. Additional Chief Secretary, Minority Welfare and Waqf Department, Uttar Pradesh, Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, U.P. – 226001.

Case No. 129 of 2022

22.02.2024

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

1. Mr. Prasanth Kulambil, Advocate appeared on behalf of the arguing counsel Mr. Junais P.

2. District Basic Education, Deoria, Uttar Pradesh has sent authorization letter of Shri Gopal Mishra Block Education Officer, Deoria for appearing in the hearing on 06.12.2023. On 06.12.2023, Sh. Ashutosh Pandey, District Minority Welfare Officer, Deoria also filed his appearance letter. Appearance of both the Officers are already mentioned in the Order dated 06.12.2023.

3. Despite sending reminder letter by post and email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, no response/ physical inspection report received from the Physical Inspection Committee till now.

4. Office is directed that if Physical Inspection Report is not received, then send reminder letter by post and also by email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, for sending the original inspection report positively before next date of hearing.

In the interest of justice, list on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Golden Independent Pre-University College, Bagur Sonnenahalli, Lakkur Hobli, Chikkathirupathi Post, Malur Taluk, Kolar Dist., Karnataka.

V/s.

Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department (Higher Education), Government of Karnataka,s Sixth Floor, Multi Storeyed Building, Bangaluru – 560 001.

Case No. 178 of 2022

22.02.2024

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

1. On 14.02.2024 an internal communication received in Kannad language, which is taken on record.

2. Despite sending letter by post to the Chief Secretary, State of Karnataka and by post and also by email to members of the Physical Inspection Committee, no physical inspection report received till now.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected their institution.

4. Secretary of the Commission is again directed to write a letter to the Chief Secretary, Government of Karnataka with a request to direct the Physical Inspection Committee to send Physical Inspection Report, which is already prepared by the said Committee before next date of hearing.

5. Office is directed that if original Physical Inspection Report is not received, then send reminder by post and also by email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, for sending the original inspection report positively before next date of hearing.

6. In the interest of justice, list on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

St. Alphonsa College of Arts and Science, Soosaipuram, Kanyakumari Dist., T.N. – 629 157.

V/s. Principal Secretary, School Education Department, Government of T.N., Rina Road, Fort St. George, Secretariat, Chennai,T.N. – 600 009. Case No. 179 of 2022 22.02.2024

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

1. On 06.02.2024 an internal communication received in Kannad language, which is taken on record.

2. Despite sending letter by post to the Chief Secretary, State of Tamil Nadu and by post and also by email to members of the Physical Inspection Committee, we have not received any reply/ physical inspection report till now.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected their institution.

4. 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, which is already prepared by the said Committee before next date of hearing.

5. Office is directed that if original Physical Inspection Report is not received, then send reminder by post and also by email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, for sending the original inspection report positively before next date of hearing.

6. In the interest of justice, list on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

St. Thomas School, G.T. Road, Near Mittal Petrol Pump, Khatauli, Muzaffarnagar District, Uttar Pradesh - 251201.

Vs.

- 1. Additional Chief Secretary, Department of School Education Govt. of UP Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow (UP).
- 2. Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Secondary Education, Government of Uttar Pradesh.

Case No. 09 of 2023

22.02.2024

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

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner filed five documents by hand, before the Commission's Office on dated 15.02.2024, which are taken on record.

2. Despite sending reminder letter by post and email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, no response/ physical inspection report received from the Physical Inspection Committee till now.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected their institution.

4. Office is directed that if Physical Inspection Report is not received, then send reminder letter by post and also by email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, for sending the original inspection report positively before next date of hearing.

In the interest of justice, list on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Timpany Steel City School, Pedagantyada, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh- 530 044.

Vs.

Secretary, Minorities Welfare Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh, 3rd Floor, A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amravati, Andhra Pradesh- 522 503.

Case No. 116 of 2023

22.02.2024

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

1. In compliance of the Commission's earlier Orders dated 20.04.2023 and 27.07.2023, learned counsel for the petitioner filed six documents by hand, before the Commission's Office on dated 15.02.2024, which are taken on record.

2. Office is directed to issue notice to the respondent by regd. A.D. and email.

In the interest of justice, list on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

S.S.A. Inter College, Saidpur, Ghazipur, Uttar Pradesh.

Vs.

Additional Chief Secretary, Secondary Education Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Vidya Bhawan, Nishatganj, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh- 226 007

Case No. 177 of 2023

22.02.2024

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

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner filed by hand certain documents, before the Commission's Office on dated 20.02.2024, which is taken on record.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner prayed for time to file list of students in correct proforma prescribed by the Commission and Niti Aayog Unique ID. In the interest of justice, time prayed for is allowed.

List on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Our Lady's Higher Secondary School, 955, T.H. Road, Thiruvottiyur, Chennai, Tamil Nadu- 600 019.

Vs.

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

Case No. 178 of 2023

22.02.2024

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

1. Learned counsel for the petitioner filed notarized copy of registration order of Our Lady's Higher Secondary School by hand, before the Commission's Office on dated 15.02.2024, which is taken on record.

2. Despite sending letter by post and email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, no response/ physical inspection report received from the Physical Inspection Committee till now.

3. Office is directed that if Physical Inspection Report is not received, then send reminder letter by post and also by email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, for sending the original inspection report positively before next date of hearing.

4. As per the meeting held in the Commission on dated 16.10.2023, the State Government of Tamil Nadu has intimated that as per the Government Orders the Chief Educational Officer/ District Education Officer are authorized to issue recognition certificate to all private schools in Tamil Nadu and recognition certificate is a sufficient document to prove that the institution is affiliated to Tamil Nadu State Examination Board. Hence, the pendency of affiliation matter from Tamil Nadu State Examination Board is now resolved.

In the interest of justice, list on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Jain Bharti Model School, E-Block, Sector - 16, Rohini, North West Delhi, Delhi- 110 085.

Vs.

Assistant Director of Education (ACT), Directorate of Education, Government of NCT of Delhi, Room No. 214-A, Old Secretariat, Delhi- 110 054.

Case No. 205 of 2023

22.02.2024

Present: Mr. Prasanth Kulambil., Advocate for the petitioner. Dr. Rakesh Rahi for the respondent.

1. Mr. Prasanth Kulambil, Advocate appeared on behalf of the arguing counsel Mr. Junais P.

2. Dr. Rakesh Rahi, Office of the DDE, NW(B-II) appeared on behalf of the respondent and submitted that no objection to issue Minority Status Certificate to the Jain Bharti Model School and seeks direction from this Commission.

3. No reply is received from the State Competent Authority so far.

4. 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)

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

6. 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.

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

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

In the interest of justice, list on 08.05.2024.

St. Haris Public School, Mala Road, Rampur, Uttar Pradesh244901.

Vs.

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

Case No. 206 of 2023

22.02.2024

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

1. Despite issue of notice by regd. A.D. and also by email, none appeared on behalf of the respondent, even in the second round.

2. No reply is received from the State Competent Authority so far.

3. 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: -

4. Representative of the District Collector (Chairperson)

- 5. Concerned District Education Officer (Member)
- 6. District Minority /Welfare Officer/ District Social Welfare Officer (Member Secretary)

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

5. 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.

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

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

In the interest of justice, list on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Holy Angels School, Galhiya Road, Rath, Hamirpur District, Uttar Pradesh- 210 431.

Vs.

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

Case No. 207 of 2023

22.02.2024

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

1. Despite sending letter by post and email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, no response/ physical inspection report received from the Physical Inspection Committee till now.

2. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected their institution.

3. Office is directed that if Physical Inspection Report is not received, then send reminder letter by post and also by email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, for sending the original inspection report positively before next date of hearing.

In the interest of justice, list on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Holy Family English Medium High School, Santari Road, Joida, Uttara Kannada District, Karnataka.

Vs.

Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department (Higher Education), Government of Karnataka, 6th Floor, Multi Storeyed Building, Bengaluru, Karnataka- 560 001.

Case No. 208 of 2023

22.02.2024

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

1. On 29.11.2023 parawise remarks received from Additional Commissioner for School Education, Dharwad along with G.O. No. ED 27 information 2012 dated 16.06.2014. The said G.O. is in Kannad language, which is taken on record.

2. Despite sending letter by post and email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, no response/ physical inspection report received from the Physical Inspection Committee till now.

3. Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that the members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected their institution.

4. Office is directed that if Physical Inspection Report is not received, then send reminder letter by post and also by email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, for sending the original inspection report positively before next date of hearing.

In the interest of justice, list on 08.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Ayaan Institute of Medical Sciences (Ayaan College of Nursing, V.P.O Bhogiwal, District - Malerkotla, Punjab- 148 019.

Vs.

The Additional Chief Secretary, Educational Language Punjab, Civil Secretariat-II, Sector-9A, Chandigarh.

Case No. 249 of 2023

22.02.2024

Present: Ms. Shanezahra Rizvi, Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

1. On 29.01.2024 Vakalatnama received from Ms. Shanezahra Rizvi without affixing the welfare stamp, which is taken on record.

2. Ms. Shanezahra Rizvi, Advocate appeared on behalf of the petitioner is directed to file afresh Vakalatnama.

3. Learned Counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner has filed certified copies of all the relevant documents which are already on record.

In the interest of justice, now, fix the case for final arguments on 02.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

22.2.2024

Hindustani Education Society Ausa, District Latur, Maharashtra-413 520 (Azad Mahavidyalaya, Ausa, Afsar Nagar, Ausa, Tal. Ausa, District Latur, Maharashtra).

Vs.

- 1. The Registrar, Yashwantrao Chavan Maharashtra Open University, Dynangangotri, Near Gangapur Dam, Goverdhan, Nashik, Maharashtra 422 222.
- 2. Secretary, Higher and Technical Education & Employment Department, Mantralaya, Mumbai, Maharashtra- 400 032.

Present: Mr. Kanhaiya Kumar, Advocate for the petitioner.

A petition has been received by hand on 14.2.2024 from Hindustani Education Society Ausa, District Latur, Maharashtra-413 520 (Azad Mahavidyalaya, Ausa, Afsar Nagar, Ausa, Tal. Ausa, District Latur, Maharashtra) to direct the respondent University to issue provisional affiliation to the petitioner institution for the academic year 2023-24. It be registered.

2. It has been stated in the petition that the petitioner institution has been granted minority status certificate by Minorities Development Department.

3. Some of the documents annexed with the petition are in Marathi language. Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to file notarized copy of the documents which are in Marathi language.

4. List on 7.5.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

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