Shri Guru Nanak Higher Secondary School, Damoh, Near Government Polytechnic College, Jabalpur Naka Damoh District, Madhya Pradesh

Vs.

Secretary, Backward Classes and Minority Welfare Department, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh

Case No. 460 of 2019

26.03.2024

Present: Mr. Ajay Deep Mishra, Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

- 1. Learned counsel for the petitioner filed by post an application for file the documents. The Commission was ordered to physical inspection committee to inspect the petitioner institution and copy of the same was served to learned counsel for the petitioner to approach the physical inspection committee then he approached to the said committee and they have inspected the petitioner institution. He has filed five sets of the same application along with letter before the Commission's Office on dated 14.03.2024, which is taken on record.
- 2. Despite sending reminder letter by post and email to the Chief Secretary, State of Madhya Pradesh and the members of Physical Inspection Committee, we have not received any response/ physical inspection report till now.
- 3. Secretary of the Commission is directed to send again reminder letter to the Chief Secretary, State of Madhya Pradesh to direct the members of the inspection committee to send the inspection report positively before next date of hearing.
- 4. Office is also directed to again 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 15.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER 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 26.03.2024

Present: Mr. Junais P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

- 1. Heard, learned counsel for the petitioner at some length.
- 2. Re- notify the case for further arguments on 25.04.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Baldwin Opportunity School, No. 3, Rhenius Street, Richmond Town, Bangalore, Karnataka – 560 025.

V/s

Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department (Higher Education), Government of Karnataka, Sixth Floor, MultiStoreyed Building, Bengaluru, Karnataka – 560 001.

Case No. 241 of 2020

26.03.2024

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

- 1. District Officer, Department of Minority Welfare Bengaluru Urban District has sent by post physical inspection report along with some documents, which was received in the Commission's Office on dated 05.02.2024 and is taken on record.
- 2. Despite sending reminder letter several times to respondent on application filed by the learned counsel for the petitioner application under Order VI Rule 17 CPC read with section 12 (2) of NCMEI Act, 2004 to enquire about whether petitioner has applied to the state for grant of MSC or not, no reply/response received from respondent till now.
- 3. Secretary of the Commission is directed to write a letter to the Chief Secretary, Government of Karnataka with a request to direct the State Competent Authority that whether, petitioner institution has ever applied for grant of MSC before the State of Karnataka or not and also direct them to file reply/response on the application under Order VI Rule 17 CPC read with section 12 (2) of NCMEI Act, 2004.

In the interest of justice, list on 16.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Shanthi Rani Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Kallal P.O., Sivagangai District, Tamil Nadu - 630305.

Vs

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

Case No. 17 of 2021 26.03.2024

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

Infant Jesus Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Sanganur, Rathinapuri P.O., Coimbatore District, Tamil Nadu - 641027.

Vs

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

Case No. 18 of 2021 26.03.2024

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

Madarsa Farooqiya, Gram Chitbishram Gramsabha Baradeehpost, Ahraura District Mirzapur, Uttar Pradesh - 231301.

Vs

- 1. Principal Secretary, Deptt. of School of Education, Govt. of UP, Bahu Khandi Secretariat, Lucknow.
- 2. Additional Chief Secretary, Department of School Education, Govt. of U.P. Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, UP- 226001.
- 3. Additional Chief Secretary, Minority Welfare and Waqf Department, Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, UP- 226001.

Case No. 114 of 2021

26.03.2024

Present: None.

- 1. None appeared on behalf of both the parties.
- Collector, Mirzapur has sent by post physical inspection report along with covering letter dated 21.12.2023, which is taken on record.
- 3. In the interest of justice, now, fix the case for final arguments on 14.05.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Madarsa Rabiya Basari, Gram Manikpur, Post - Ahraura, District - Mirzapur, Uttar Pradesh - 231301.

Vs

- 1. Principal Secretary, Deptt. Of School of Education, Govt. of UP, Bahu Khandi Secretariat, Lucknow.
- 2. 2. Additional Chief Secretary, Department of School Education, Govt. of U.P., Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, U.P. 226001.
- 3. Additional Chief Secretary, Minority Welfare and Waqf Department, Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, UP- 226001.

Case No. 115 of 2021

26.03.2024

Present: None.

- 1. None appeared on behalf of both the parties.
- 2. Re-notify the case for final for final arguments on 14.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Madarsa Tahzibul Islam, Moh - Patwatola, Ahraura, Distt. - Mirzapur, U.P. - 231301.

Vs.

- 1. Principal Secretary, Deptt. Of School of Education, Govt. of UP, Bahu Khandi Secretariat, Lucknow.
- 2. Additional Chief Secretary, Department of School Education, Govt. of U.P., Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, U.P. 226001.
- 3. Additional Chief Secretary, Minority Welfare and Waqf Department, Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, UP- 226001.

Case No. 116 of 2021

26.03.2024

Present: None.

- 1. None appeared on behalf of both the parties.
- 2. Re-notify the case for final for final arguments on 14.05.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Ferrando School, Sengapather, P.O./P.S. Mahadevpur, Namsai District, Arunachal Pradesh - 792105.

Vs.

The Secretary, Department of Education, Civil Secretariat, Itanagar, Arunanchal pradesh - 791111.

Case No. 23 of 2023 26.03.2024

Present: Mr. Tariq Adeeb, Advocate for the petitioner. Ms. Naresh Kumari Deol for the respondent.

- 1. Ms. Naresh Kumari Deol appeared on behalf of the respondent wants to file physical inspection report today itself, which appears to be a copy.
- 2. She is directed to file before the Commission's Office today itself.
- 3. She is prayed for time to send original inspection report before next date of hearing.

In the interest of justice, list on 18.07.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

J.M. Matriculation Girls Higher Secondary School, No. 37/3, Ponnan Street, Purasaivakkam, Chennai, Tamil Nadu - 600007.

Vs.

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

Case No. 26 of 2023 26.03.2024

Present: Mr. Junais P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

- 1. 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.
- 2. Learned Counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner has filed certified copies of all the relevant documents.

In the interest of justice, now, fix the case for final arguments on 10.07.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Shaheed Udham Singh Inter College, Rampur Kalan, Khutar, Shahjahanpur, Uttar Pradesh- 242 405.

Vs.

Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Secondary Education, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh.

Case No. 109 of 2023

26.03.2024

Present: Mr. Junais P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

- 1. Learned counsel for the petitioner filed true copy of the updated Unique ID by hand, before the Commission's Office on dated 20.03.2024, 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.

In the interest of justice, list on 18.07.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Paragon High School, Vattepally, Bahadurpura, Hyderabad District, Telangana- 500 053.

Vs.

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

Case No. 111 of 2023

26.03.2024

Present: Mr. Junais P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

- 1. Learned counsel for the petitioner filed an application under Order VIII Rule 9 of 151 of C.P.C. read with Section 12 of the NCMEI Act, 2004, to accept the Rejoinder Affidavit. He has also submitted a copy of the same application along with an envelope and postal stamp, before the Commission's Office on dated 31.01.2024, which are taken on record.
- 2. Office is directed to issue notice of the above application to the respondent by regd. A.D. and email.
- 3. A communication has been received by post from Secretary, Minorities Welfare (Estt- II) Department Government of Telangana on 22.12.2023, which is also taken on record.
- 4. Office is directed to provide the copy of above letter to the learned counsel for the petitioner to file an application if any.
- 5. No reply is received from the State Competent Authority so far and 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)
 - District Minority /Welfare Officer/ District Social Welfare Officer (Member Secretary)
- 6. Office is directed to issue letter to the above Committee members for submitting the report.
- 7. 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.
- 8. Office is directed to provide a copy of the letter to the learned counsel for the petitioner.
- 9. Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to provide all the relevant documents to the members of Physical Inspection Committee.

Taha School, 446/5, Musahib Ganj, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh- 226 003.

Vs.

Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Basic Education, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Bahu Khandi, Secretariat, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh.

Case No. 133 of 2023

26.03.2024

Present: Mr. Junais P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

- 1. Despite sending letter by post and email to the members of Physical Inspection Committee, to clarify some facts of physical inspection report which they had sent on 22.11.2023 but no reply/ response received from the Physical Inspection Committee till now.
- 2. Office is directed to write a reminder letter to the members of Physical Inspection Committee to clarify the said fact before next date of hearing.
- 3. Learned counsel for the petitioner prayed for time to file notarized copy of all the relevant documents.

In the interest of justice, list on 18.07.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Nanjil Catholic School, Vazhuthalampallam, Palapallam, Kanyakumari District, Tamil Nadu- 629 159.

Vs

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

Case No. 189 of 2023

26.03.2024

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

- 1. District Social Welfare Officer, Kanniyakumari has sent by post physical inspection report along with covering letter dated 16.12.2023, which was received in the Commission's Office on 29.12.2023, which is taken on record.
- 2. Learned Counsel for the petitioner submitted that the petitioner has filed certified copies of all the relevant documents.

In the interest of justice, now, fix the case for final arguments on 10.07.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Tiny Tots School, Darshan Enclave Civil Lines, Station Road, Ayodhya (Faizabad), Uttar Pradesh- 224 001.

Vs

Additional Chief Secretary, Basic Education Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Bapu Bhawan, 7th Floor, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh- 220 001.

Case No. 217 of 2023

26.03.2024

Present: Mr. Junais P., Advocate for the petitioner. None for the respondent.

- 1. 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.
- 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 18.07.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Linh Son Buddhist Inter College, Kushinagar, Uttar Pradesh274 403. Vs.

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

Case No. 267 of 2023

26.03.2024

Present: Mr. Junais P., 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 18.07.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Oxford Matriculation Higher Secondary School, koothanallur, Tiruvarur District, Tamil Nadu- 614 101.

Vs.

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

Case No. 268 of 2023

26.03.2024

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

- 1. District Educational Officer(Private Schools), Thiruvarur has sent by post physical inspection report along with covering letter dated March, 2024, which was received before the Commission's Office on dated 14.03.2024 and is taken on record.
- 2. On 29.12.2023, Director of Private Schools, Valagam, Chennai has sent by post a letter dated 20.12.2023 enclosed therewith Counter Affidavit by post, which is taken on record.
- 3. Copy of the letter and Counter Affidavit be furnished to the learned counsel for the petitioner for filing rejoinder if any.
- 4. Learned Counsel for the petitioner submitted that the physical inspection report as well as petitioner has filed certified copies of all the relevant documents, which are already on record.

At request of learned counsel for the petitioner, list the case for final arguments on 18.07.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

St. Aloysius School, Gaur, S.A.I.T Campus, Mandla Road, Near Gaur Bridge, Jabalpur District, Madhya Pradesh- 482 020.

Vs.

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

Case No. 345 of 2023

26.03.2024

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

- 1. On 15.02.2024 a communication received by email from Commissioner, Backward Classes and Minority Welfare, Government of Madhya Pradesh attached therewith copy of letter dated 12.02.2024, which is taken on record.
- 2. Office is directed to provide copy of the said letter to the learned counsel for the petitioner for filing rejoinder if any.
- 3. Despite service of regd. notice by post and also by email, none appeared on behalf of the respondent, even in the second round.
- 4. No reply is received from the State Competent Authority so far and in the facts and circumstances of the case, it would be 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.

St. Aloysius School, Niwas, Mandla District, Madhya Pradesh- 481 885.

Vs.

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

Case No. 346 of 2023

26.03.2024

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

- 1. On 15.02.2024 a communication received by email from Commissioner, Backward Classes and Minority Welfare, Government of Madhya Pradesh attached therewith copy of letter dated 12.02.2024, which is taken on record.
- 2. Office is directed to provide copy of the said letter to the learned counsel for the petitioner for filing rejoinder if any.
- 3. Despite service of regd. notice by post and also by email, none appeared on behalf of the respondent, even in the second round.
- 4. No reply is received from the State Competent Authority so far and in the facts and circumstances of the case, it would be 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.

St. Aloysius School, Krisshna Colony, Barjhaiya, Panagar, Jabalpur District, Madhya Pradesh- 483 220.

Vs.

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

Case No. 347 of 2023

26.03.2024

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

- 1. On 15.02.2024 a communication received by email from Commissioner, Backward Classes and Minority Welfare, Government of Madhya Pradesh attached therewith copy of letter dated 12.02.2024, which is taken on record.
- 2. Office is directed to provide copy of the said letter to the learned counsel for the petitioner for filing rejoinder if any.
- 3. Despite service of regd. notice by post and also by email, none appeared on behalf of the respondent, even in the second round.
- 4. No reply is received from the State Competent Authority so far and in the facts and circumstances of the case, it would be 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.

26.3.2024

St. Joseph's High School, Sarel, Nagercoil, Kanyakumari District, Tamil Nadu- 629 203.

Vs.

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

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

An application has been received by hand on 14.3.2024 from St. Joseph's High School, Sarel, Nagercoil, Kanyakumari District, Tamil Nadu-629 203 for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

- 2. It transpires from the petition that on 10.11.2023, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. the Principal Secretary, School Education Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Rina Road, Fort St. George, Secretariat, Chennai, Tamil Nadu- 600 009, which was received by the respondent on 13.11.2023. 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 notarized copy of certificate dated 20.4.1999 issued by Director of School Education, Tamil Nadu granting permanent approval to petitioner institution from 1.6.1997. The said certificate is in Tamil language. English translation thereof duly notarized by the Notary Public has been filed.
- 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 aided institution (Secondary).
- 6. During the academic year 2021-22, out of total 473 students, 249 students were from the Christian minority community, in the year 2022-23, out of total 462 students, 249 students were from the Christian minority community and in the year 2023-24, out of total 434 students, 236 students are from the Christian minority community.
- 7. It transpires from the petition that the amendment in the Memorandum of the petitioner Society was 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 18.7.2024. Record of Case No. 659 of 2019 be tagged with the record of this case.

26.3.2024

Holy Family Convent School, Amanullapur, Sahanpur (PO), Najibabad, Bijnor (District), Uttar Pradesh- 246 749.

Vs.

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

Present: Mr. Ravi Sagar, Advocate for the petitioner.

An application has been received by hand on 13.3.2024 from Holy Family Convent School, Amanullapur, Sahanpur (PO), Najibabad, Bijnor (District), Uttar Pradesh- 246 749 for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

- 2. It transpires from the petition that on 29.8.2019, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. the Deputy Director, Minority Welfare Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh, 6th Floor, Indira Bhavan, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh. The Special Secretary, Basic Education Department, Uttar Pradesh vide order dated 19.9.2023 has granted no objection certificate to the petitioner institution. In the said letter, the date of the letter submitted by the petitioner institution has been mentioned as 22.1.2020 instead of 29.8.2019. The petitioner has not annexed copy of the said letter with the petition.
- 3. The petitioner has filed copy of order dated 27.5.2019 issued by the District Basic Education Officer, Bijnor granting recognition to the petitioner institution from 1.4.2019 to 31.3.2022...
- 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 (Secondary).
- 6. During the academic year 2021-22, out of total 1141 students, 14 students were from the Christian minority community, in the year 2022-23, out of total 1231 students, 12 students were from the Christian minority community.
- 7. It transpires from the petition that the amendment in the Memorandum of the petitioner Society was 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. The petitioner has supplied wrong information regarding academic year. Also, the percentage of Christian students for the last two academic years is less than 1%.
- 9. Learned Counsel for the petitioner seeks leave to withdraw the petition with liberty to file a fresh petition for the same relief. Leave and liberty is granted.
- 10. The petition is disposed of as withdrawn. Office is directed to return additional sets, envelope and postage charges to the learned counsel for the petitioner. Record of Case No. 354 of 2020 be tagged with the record of this case.

26.3.2024

St. Thomas School, Umari Manoharpur, Handia, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh- 221 503.

Vs.

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

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

An application has been received by hand on 15.3.2024 from St. Thomas School, Umari Manoharpur, Handia, Prayagraj, Uttar Pradesh- 221 503 for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

- 2. It transpires from the petition that on 10.8.2023, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Additional Chief Secretary, Secondary Education Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Bapu Bhawan, 7th Floor, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh- 226 001, which was received by the respondent on 14.8.2023. 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 letter dated 23.7.2021 issued by CBSE granting affiliation to the petitioner institution from 1.4.2022 to 31.3.2027.
- 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 (Higher Secondary).
- 6. During the academic year 2021-22, out of total 1526 students, 17 students were from the Christian minority community, in the year 2022-23, out of total 1548 students, 18 students were from the Christian minority community and in the year 2023-24, out of total 1559 students, 17 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 was 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 18.7.2024.

26.3.2024

St. Ann's Senior Secondary School, Near Doon Helidrome, Tarla Nagal, Sahastradhara Road, Dehradun, Uttarakhand- 248 001.

Vs.

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

Present: None for the petitioner.

An application has been received by hand on 15.3.2024 from St. Ann's Senior Secondary School, Near Doon Helidrome, Tarla Nagal, Sahastradhara Road, Dehradun, Uttarakhand- 248 001 for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

- 2. It transpires from the petition that on 24.11.2023, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Incharge Secretary, Higher Education, Uttarakhand Govt., Room No. 7, Ground Floor, Late Soban Singh Jeena Bhawan (SBI Bank Building), Uttarakhand Secretariat, Uttarakhand- 248 001, which was received by the respondent on 27.11.2023. 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 copy of letter dated 17.1.2020 issued by Chief Education Officer, Dehradun granting recognition to the petitioner institution for the period 15.1.2020 to 31.1.2025.
- 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 (Middle).
- 6. During the academic year 2021-22, out of total 155 students, 04 students were from the Christian minority community, in the year 2022-23, out of total 212 students, 08 students were from the Christian minority community and in the year 2023-24, out of total 255 students, 13 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 was 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 18.7.2024.