St. John Mary Vianney School, Dhanbasa, Mandro PO, Sahebganj

District, Jharkhand.

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building,

Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand - 834 004.

**CASE NO. 39 OF 2024** 

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

None for the respondent.

Despite sending reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee, no response/ physical inspection report

received from them till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected petitioner

institution.

Office is directed that if the above-said inspection report is not received, then send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of

hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State

Competent authority.

List the matter on 05.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER **MEMBER** 

Date: 26.09.2024

St. Savio's Middle School, Baccha, Mandro Siripur Bazar P.O.,

Sahebganj District, Jharkhand.

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building,

Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand - 834 004.

**CASE NO. 40 OF 2024** 

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

None for the respondent.

Despite sending reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee, no response/ physical inspection report

received from them till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected petitioner

institution.

Office is directed that if the above-said inspection report is not received, then send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of

hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State

Competent authority.

List the matter on 05.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

Prabhat Tara School, Chandanahat, Chandanahat P.O., Godda District, Jharkhand – 814 157.

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building, Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand – 834 004.

**CASE NO. 47 OF 2024** 

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

None for the respondent.

Despite sending reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee, no response/ physical inspection report received from them till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected petitioner institution.

Office is directed that if the above-said inspection report is not received, then send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State Competent authority.

List the matter on 05.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

St. Kuriakode Middle School, Machhitarn, Pathargama P.O., Godda District, Jharkhand – 814 147.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building,

V/s.

Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand - 834 004.

**CASE NO. 36 OF 2024** 

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

None for the respondent.

Despite sending reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee, no response/ physical inspection report

received from them till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected petitioner

institution.

Office is directed that if the above-said inspection report is not received, then send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State Competent authority.

List the matter on 05.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

St. Mary's Middle School, Agiamore, Agiamore P.O., Poreyahat,

Godda District, Jharkhand.

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building,

Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand - 834 004.

**CASE NO. 35 OF 2024** 

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

None for the respondent.

Despite sending reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee, no response/ physical inspection report

received from them till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected petitioner

institution.

Office is directed that if the above-said inspection report is not received, then send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of

hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State

Competent authority.

List the matter on 05.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

St. Thomas School, Sundermore, Sarauni Bazar P.O., Godda

District, Jharkhand – 814 156.

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building,

Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand - 834 004.

**CASE NO. 34 OF 2024** 

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

None for the respondent.

Despite sending reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee, no response/ physical inspection report

received from them till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected petitioner

institution.

Office is directed that if the above-said inspection report is not received, then send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail

to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the

original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of

the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of

hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to

file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State

Competent authority.

List the matter on 04.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

St. Thomas School, Sundermore, Sarauni Bazar P.O., Godda

District, Jharkhand – 814 156.

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building,

Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand - 834 004.

**CASE NO. 34 OF 2024** 

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

None for the respondent.

Despite sending reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee, no response/ physical inspection report

received from them till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected petitioner

institution.

Office is directed that if the above-said inspection report is not received, then send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail

to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the

original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of

the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of

hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to

file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State

Competent authority.

List the matter on 04.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

Little Flower Middle School, Kusumba, Bahadurchowk, Mirzachowki P.O., Godda District, Jharkhand – 813 208.

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building, Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand – 834 004.

**CASE NO. 43 OF 2024** 

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

None for the respondent.

Despite sending reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee, no response/ physical inspection report received from them till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected petitioner institution.

Office is directed that if the above-said inspection report is not received, then send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State Competent authority.

List the matter on 05.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

St. Joseph's School, Pindari, Poreyahat P.O., Godda District,

Jharkhand - 814 153.

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building,

Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand – 834 004.

**CASE NO. 44 OF 2024** 

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

None for the respondent.

Despite sending reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee, no response/ physical inspection report

received from them till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected petitioner

institution.

Office is directed that if the above-said inspection report is not received, then send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of

hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State

Competent authority.

List the matter on 05.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

St. Joseph's School, Latona, Paraspani P.O., Godda District,

Jharkhand - 814 147.

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building,

Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand - 834 004.

**CASE NO. 45 OF 2024** 

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

None for the respondent.

Despite sending reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee, no response/ physical inspection report

received from them till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected petitioner

institution.

Office is directed that if the above-said inspection report is not received, then send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State

Competent authority.

List the matter on 05.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

Jeevan Jyoti School, Susni, Susni P.O., Godda District, Jharkhand – 814 102.

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building, Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand – 834 004.

**CASE NO. 46 OF 2024** 

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

None for the respondent.

Despite sending reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee, no response/ physical inspection report received from them till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has stated that members of the physical inspection committee have already inspected petitioner institution.

Office is directed that if the above-said inspection report is not received, then send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State Competent authority.

List the matter on 05.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

St. Thomas School, Dhanbasa, Mandro P.O. Sahebganj Dist., Jharkhand – 813 208.

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building, Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand – 834 004.

**CASE NO. 37 OF 2024** 

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

On 30.07.2024, physical inspection report received from the District Education Officer, Sahibganj, through email.

Office is directed to send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State Competent authority.

List the matter on 05.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

St. Joseph's Middle School, Leela, Mandro P.O. Sahebganj Dist., Jharkhand – 813 208.

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building, Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand – 834 004.

**CASE NO. 38 OF 2024** 

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

None for the respondent.

On 30.07.2024, physical inspection report received from the District Education Officer, Sahibganj, through email.

Office is directed to send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State Competent authority.

List the matter on 05.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

St. Peter's School, Basaha, Bhagaiya P.O., Sahebganj Dist., Jharkhand – 813 208.

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy (S.E. & L Dept.), Government of Jharkhand, MDI Building, Post Dhurwa, Dist. Ranchi, Jharkhand – 834 004.

**CASE NO. 41 OF 2024** 

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

On 30.07.2024, physical inspection report received from the District Education Officer, Sahibganj, through email.

Office is directed to send afresh reminder letter by post and also by e-mail to the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

At request, one more opportunity is granted to the petitioner to file updated recognition/ affiliation order issued by the State Competent authority.

List the matter on 05.12.2024

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

R.C. St. Joseph's Primary School, Koothavakkam, OMR, Thiruporur, Dist. Kancheepuram, Tamil nadu – 603 104.

V/s.

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

**CASE NO. 154 OF 2022** 

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

None for the respondent.

Though the matter was listed for final arguments but some variance was observed in the physical inspection report and petition.

A bare reading of the physical inspection report makes it clear that during the academic year 2021-22, out of total 179 students, 04 students were from the Muslim minority community, 15 students were from the Christian minority community and 160 students were Hindu.

Whereas the information supplied by the petitioner with regard to students is different from the physical inspection report.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to clarify the said inconsistency.

List the matter for further arguments on 04.12.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

Aliya Hadeesul Quran Libinat (Girls), Laliyana, Meerut, Uttar Pradesh.

V/s.

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

**CASE NO. 65 OF 2022** 

Present: Mr. Junais P., Advocate for the petitioner.

None for the respondent.

Though the matter was listed for final arguments but some variance was observed in the physical inspection report and petition.

A bare reading of the physical inspection report makes it clear that during the academic year 2021-22, out of total 1428 students, all students were from the Muslim minority community.

Whereas the information supplied by the petitioner with regard to students is different from the physical inspection report.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to clarify the said inconsistency.

List the matter for further arguments on 04.12.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

M S Creative English School, Vanjarpatti Naka, Bhiwandi, Thane, Maharashtra.

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 400 032.

**CASE NO. 262 OF 2020** 

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

At, request adjourned to 30.01.2025.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

M S Creative English School, Mira Road, Thane, Maharashtra.

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 400 032.

**CASE NO. 263 OF 2020** 

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

At, request adjourned to 30.01.2025.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Date: 26.09.2024

Church School, Beldih Triangle, Jamshedpur, East Singhbhum District, Jharkhand- 831 001.

Vs

Director, Primary Education, Department of School Education & Literacy S.E & L. Department, MDI Building, Post - Dhurwa,

District - Ranchi, Jharkhand- 834 004.

Case No. 33 of 2024

26.9.2024

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

None for the respondent.

Despite sending reminder letter by post and e-mail to the members of the Physical Inspection Committee, we have not received any response/Physical inspection report from the members of the

Physical Inspection Committee till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that the members of the Physical Inspection Committee have already inspected

the petitioner institution.

Office is directed to issue reminder letter again by post and e-

mail to the members of the Physical Inspection Committee for sending

the report positively before the next date of hearing.

In the tagged Case file No. 330 of 2023, learned counsel for the

petitioner has filed copy of NOC application dated 10.4.2023. In the

present Case No. 33 of 2024 learned counsel for the petitioner has

filed same original letter dated 10.4.2023. Both the letters bears the

same date but appears different. Learned counsel for the petitioner is

directed to clarify the said inconsistency.

In the interest of justice, list on 4.12.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

MD

Kachhwa Christian School, Kachhwa Bazar, Mirzapur District, Uttar Pradesh- 231 501.

Vs.

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

Case No. 136 of 2024 26.9.2024

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

None for the respondent.

District Collector, Mirzapur vide letter dated 21.9.2024 has sent Physical Inspection Report which was received before the Commission's office on 24.9.2024. The same is taken on record.

An email dated 8.8.2024 has been received from District Minority Welfare Officer, Mirzapur forwarding therewith copy of letter dated 8.8.2024, which is also taken on record.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that certified copies of all the relevant documents are already on record.

There is variance of students' details as mentioned in the application format and in the Physical Inspection Report during the academic year 2022-23, 2023-24 and 2024-25

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to clarify the said inconsistency.

List the case for further arguments on 5.12.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

MD

St. Mary's EM High School, D. No. 3- 52, Vijayarai, Pedavegi Mandal, Eluru District, Andhra Pradesh- 534 475.

Vs.

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

Case No. 137 of 2024 26.9.2024

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

None for the respondent.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has filed application under Order VIII Rule 9 of Section 151 C.P.C. read with Section 12 of the NCMEI Act, 2004 to accept the Rejoinder Affidavit along with Rejoinder Affidavit before the Commission's office on 19.9.2024, which are taken on record. Learned counsel for the petitioner has also filed envelope and postage charges for sending notice to the respondent.

Office is directed to issue notice of the above application by registered AD and email to 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.

In the interest of justice, list on 5.12.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Don Bosco School, Amguri, P.O. Haltugaon, District Kokrajhar, (BTR), Assam- 783 370.

Vs.

Joint Secretary, Education Department (Higher), Assam Secretariat, Block C, Secretariat Complex, Dispur, Guwahati, Assam- 781 006.

Case No. 138 of 2024 26.9.2024

Present: Mr. Tariq Adeeb, Advocate for the petitioner.

None for the respondent.

In compliance of Commission's earlier order dated 25.7.2024, learned counsel for the petitioner has filed details of students and teachers for the academic year 2021-22, 2022-23 and 2023-24.

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.

In the interest of justice, list on 5.12.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

Amit Kumar, Advocate, Supreme Court of India, New Delhi.

Vs.

Principal, Jesus and Mary College, University of Delhi, San Martin Marg, Bapu Dham, New Delhi- 110 021.

Case No. Misc. 09 of 2024 26.9.2024

**Present:** None for the complainant.

Mr. Akshat Singh, Advocate for the respondent.

Mr. Akshat Singh appeared on behalf of Mr. Sachin Singh Dalal, Advocate for respondent. He has prayed for time to file reply. Time prayed for is allowed.

In the interest of justice, list on 5.12.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

MD

26.9.2024

Shri Kushal Das University, Chak 7STG, Khushal Nagar, Near Toll Plaza, Suratgarh Road, Hanumangarh Jn., Rajasthan- 335 801.

Vs.

(i) The Registrar, Rajasthan Nursing Council, B-39, Sardar Patel, C-Scheme, Jaipur, Rajasthan.

(ii) The Director, Department of Medical, Health & Family Welfare, Government of Rajasthan, Jaipur, Rajasthan.

Present: Mr. Junais P., Advocate for the petitioner.

A petition under Section 11(b) has been received by hand on 11.9.2024 from Shri Kushal Das University, Chak 7STG, Khushal Nagar, Near Toll Plaza, Suratgarh Road, Hanumangarh Jn., Rajasthan- 335 801 seeking direction to the respondent not to interfere in the filling up of sanctioned seats for the B.Sc. Nursing course and pass order restricting the respondent in intervening in the right of the petitioner University to fill up 50% seats in B.Sc. Nursing course according to their choice. It be registered under the Miscellaneous head of cases.

It is stated in the petition that the petitioner university has been granted Minority Status by Department of Minority Affairs and Waqf Secretariat, Jaipur on 27.1.2023.

Office is directed to issue notice to the respondents by registered AD and email.

List on 4.12.2024.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER

MD

26.9.2024

St. Thomas English Medium School, Gejha Road, Mohiuddinpur, Meerut, Uttar Pradesh.

Vs.

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

**Present:** Mr. D.K. Chaubey, Advocate for the petitioner.

An application has been received by hand on 11.9.2024 from St. Thomas English Medium School, Gejha Road, Mohiuddinpur, Meerut, Uttar Pradesh for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

- 2. It transpires from the petition that on 18.3.2024, 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, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh- 226 001, which was received by the respondent on 26.3.2024. 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. Petitioner has filed downloaded copy of letter dated 2.10.2022 issued by CBSE granting affiliation to the petitioner institution for the period 1.4.2023 to 31.3.2028.
- 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. The petitioner has not supplied complete details of students and teachers against Col. No. 6 (a)
- 7. It is mentioned against Col. No. 3 of the petition that the petitioner's application for grant of grant of Minority Status Certificate is pending before the State Authority.
- 8. So as per the law and settle procedure, petitioner cannot apply before this Commission until unless the disposal of that application which is still pending before the State Competent Authority. So this application is not maintainable at this stage.
- 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. 242 of 2024 be tagged with the record of this case.

DR. SHAHID AKHTER MEMBER