

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR MINORITY
EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

St. Michael's Primary School, Vethakarankudiyiruppu, Edalakudy Post, Agasteeswaram T.K., Nagercoil, Kanyakumari District, Tamil Nadu – 629 002.

V/s.

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

CASE NO. 94 OF 2024

Date: 13.01.2026

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

Despite sending reminder letters to Chief Secretary, Government of Tamil Nadu and members of physical inspection committee, no response/original 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 again issue reminder letters to Chief Secretary, Government of T.N. with a request to direct members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report before the next date of hearing and also to 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, failing which, the petition will be proceeded ex parte against them.

Learned counsel for the petitioner prayed for copies of the aforesaid letters. Office is also directed to provide copies of the said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with both the offices.

In the interest of justice, list on 11.03.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**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

Date: 13.01.2026

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

Despite sending reminder letters to Chief Secretary, Government of Jharkhand and members of physical inspection committee, no original 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 again issue reminder letters to Chief Secretary, Government of Jharkhand with a request to direct members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report before the next date of hearing and also to 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, failing which, the petition will be proceeded ex parte against them.

Learned counsel for the petitioner prayed for copies of the aforesaid letters. Office is also directed to provide copies of the said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with both the offices.

In the interest of justice, list on 10.03.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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**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

Date: 13.01.2026

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

Despite sending reminder letters to Chief Secretary, Government of Jharkhand and members of physical inspection committee, no original 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 again issue reminder letters to Chief Secretary, Government of Jharkhand with a request to direct members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report before the next date of hearing and also to 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, failing which, the petition will be proceeded ex parte against them.

Learned counsel for the petitioner prayed for copies of the aforesaid letters. Office is also directed to provide copies of the said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with both the offices.

In the interest of justice, list on 10.03.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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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

Date: 13.01.2026

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

Despite sending reminder letters to Chief Secretary, Government of Jharkhand and members of physical inspection committee, no original physical inspection report received from them till now.

Letter dated 15.10.2025 sent to District Education Officer, Dist. Godda, Jharkhand received unserved. During the course of hearing, 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 again issue reminder letters to Chief Secretary, Government of Jharkhand with a request to direct members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report before the next date of hearing and also to 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, failing which, the petition will be proceeded ex parte against them.

Learned counsel for the petitioner prayed for copies of the aforesaid letters. Office is also directed to provide copies of the said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with both the offices.

In the interest of justice, list on 10.03.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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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

Date: 13.01.2026

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

Despite sending reminder letters to Chief Secretary, Government of Jharkhand and members of physical inspection committee, no original 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 again issue reminder letters to Chief Secretary, Government of Jharkhand with a request to direct members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report before the next date of hearing and also to 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, failing which, the petition will be proceeded ex parte against them.

Learned counsel for the petitioner prayed for copies of the aforesaid letters. Office is also directed to provide copies of the said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with both the offices.

In the interest of justice, list on 10.03.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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St. Peter's College Kolencherry, Ernakulam Dist. Kerala – 682 311.

V/s.

- 1. Mahatama Gandhi University, Priyadarshini Hills, Kottayam P.O., Kottayam Dist., Kerala – 686 560**
- 2. Department of Higher Education, State of Kerala.**

MISC. CASE NO. 06 OF 2023

Date: 13.01.2026

Present: Mr. Junais P., Advocate for the petitioner.
Ms. Sakshi Kakkar, Advocate for the respondent no. 1.
Mrs. Devika A.L., Advocate for the respondent no. 2.

Learned counsel for the petitioner seeks leave to withdraw the petition. Leave is granted. The petition is disposed of as withdrawn.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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**Pakiza School – 1, 10, Manik Bagh Road, Near Vatika Greens Garden,
Opp. Choithram Hospital, Indore, M.P.**

V/s.

**Secretary, Backward Classes and Minority Welfare Department,
Government of Madhya Pradesh, Room No. 339, Mantralaya, Bhopal,
M.P.**

CASE NO. 260 OF 2023

Date: 13.01.2026

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

On 27.10.2025, learned counsel for the petitioner filed notarized copy of updated recognition order of the petitioner institution, which is taken on record.

On 10.11.2025, learned counsel for the petitioner filed undertaking affidavit, which is also taken on record.

On 17.12.2025, an email has been received from the Backward Classes and Minority Welfare, Dist. Indore, M.P. attached therewith physical inspection report. Original Physical inspection report is already on record.

Pleadings are complete. Learned counsel for the petitioner is heard.
Reserved for orders.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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**St. Joseph of Annecy Matriculation School, No. 16/30, Dr. Ambedkar
Street, Villivakkam, Chennai, Tamil Nadu – 600 049.**

V/s.

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

CASE NO. 260 OF 2022

Date: 13.01.2026

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

On 06.01.2026, learned counsel for the petitioner filed notarized copy of latest recognition order of the petitioner institution and details of students and faculty list for the last three academic years of petitioner institution, which are taken on record.

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

List for final hearing on 24.02.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

**St. Joseph's Special School, Alampatti Village, Saidapatti Road,
Thirali Post, Tirumangalam Taluk, Madurai District, Tamil Nadu – 625
706.**

V/s.

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

CASE NO. 208 OF 2022

Date: 13.01.2026

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

On 16.12.2025, learned counsel for the petitioner filed notarized copy of latest recognition order of the petitioner institution and details of students and faculty list for the last three academic years of petitioner institution, which are taken on record.

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

List for final hearing on 17.02.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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V/s.

Urdu Education Board, Kasturba Balika Vidyalaya Campus, Ishwar Nagar, Mathura Road, New Friends Colony, New Delhi.

MISC. CASE NO. 19 OF 2021

Date: 13.01.2026

Present: None for the petitioner.

Mrs. Aakriti Aditya, Proxy Counsel for the respondent.

Proxy Counsel for the respondent submitted that Writ Petition is still pending before the Hon'ble High Court of Judicature at Delhi and now it has been listed on 13.03.2026. She has filed digitally signed order of the said writ petition, which is taken on record.

In the interest of justice, list the matter on 25.03.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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S.S. Mota Singh Sr. Sec. Model School, A4C Block, Janakpuri, New Delhi – 110 058.

V/s.

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

CASE NO. 39 OF 2022

Date: 13.01.2026

Present: Ms. Namya Rishi, Advocate for the petitioner.
None for the respondent.

On 30.12.2025, physical inspection report has been received from the Deputy Director of Education (District West – B), G – Block, Vikaspuri, New Delhi – 110 018, which is signed by one of the member of Physical Inspection Committee constituted by the Commission vide its order dated 15.10.2026. On 12.01.2026, the physical inspection report has been received from the Section Officer (West), Department of Social Welfare, Government of NCT of Delhi, Tilak Nagar, New Delhi, which is signed by District Minority Welfare Officer/ District Social Welfare Officer (West), Department of Social Welfare, Government of NCT of Delhi.

Office is directed to issue reminder letters to 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.

Learned counsel for the petitioner prayed for copies of the aforesaid letters. Office is also directed to provide copies of the said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with both the offices.

List on 17.02.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**St. Michael's High School, Vethakarankudiyiruppu, Edalakudy Post,
Agasteeswaram T.K., Nagercoil, Kanyakumari District, Tamil Nadu-
629002.**

Vs.

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

Case No. 95 of 2024

13.01.2026

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

Despite sending reminder letter to the Chief Secretary, Government of Tamil Nadu and to the members of the physical inspection committee, no response/ Physical inspection report has been received from them till now.

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

Office is directed to issue reminder letter again to the Chief Secretary, Government of Tamil Nadu with the request to direct the members of the physical inspection committee for sending the physical inspection report positively before the next date of hearing and also send reminder letter again by post and e-mail to the members of the Physical Inspection Committee for sending the physical inspection report positively before the next date of hearing.

In the interest of justice, list on 11.03.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF BHARAT
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**Allwyn Mount Carmel EM High School, Nandalur (M), YSR District,
Andhra Pradesh- 516 150.**

Vs.

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

Case No. 108 of 2024

13.01.2026

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

A letter dated 29.9.2025 along with enclosure has been received by post on 16.10.2025 from the Secretary, Minorities Welfare (SDM) Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh, which is taken on record.

It is stated in the said letter that as per the report submitted by District Collector/ Committee members, below 2% students are studying in the institution i.e. Allwyn Mount Carmel EM School, Nandalur Mandal, YSR District (present Annamayya District) belongs to the Christian Minority during the last three year (from 2022-23 to 2024-25). Hence it is not feasible to issue Minority Status Certificate/ No Objection Certificate to Allwyn Mount Carmel EM School, Nandalur Mandal, YSR District.

There must be reasonable strength of students of particular minority community in a minority educational institution. The percentage could be determined based on the actual proportion of specific minority community in the State population as per prevailing census. Population of Christian minority community in the State of Andhra Pradesh as per the census of 2011 is 1.34%.

Office is directed to supply a copy of the above letter and also copy of the physical inspection report dated received vide letter dated 5.11.2024 to the learned counsel for the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to file clarification within two weeks. After compliance, office is directed to send the same to the members of the physical inspection committee for filing response, if any, before the next date of hearing.

In the interest of justice, list on 11.03.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF BHARAT
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EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

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.**

Case No. 129 of 2024

13.01.2026

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

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner. Reserved for orders.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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**GOVERNMENT OF BHARAT
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EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

**Adam Public School, Vill. & Post Sarkara, Chakrajmal, District Bijnor,
Uttar Pradesh- 246 761.**

Vs.

**Additional Chief Secretary, Basic Education Department,
Government of Uttar Pradesh Vidya Bhawan, Nishantganj, Lucknow,
Uttar Pradesh- 226 007.**

Case No. 170 of 2024

13.01.2026

Present: Mr. Faiyyaz Ahmad Ansari, Advocate for the petitioner.
None for the respondent.

Learned counsel for the petitioner wants to file undertaking affidavit before the Court of the Commission. He is directed to file the same before the Commission's office today itself.

Heard learned counsel for the petitioner. Reserved for orders.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF BHARAT
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Child Jesus Nursery and Primary School, No. 161/1, Vettanviduthi Village, Karambakudi Taluk, Padukkottai District, Tamil Nadu- 622301.
Vs.

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

Case No. 67 of 2025

13.01.2026

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

Despite sending rejoinder to the respondent, no reply/ response has been received till now.

Office is directed to send a copy of the rejoinder to the respondent for filing reply, if any, before the next date of hearing, failing which, the case will be proceeded ex-parte.

District Collector, Pudukkottai vide letter dated 18.10.2025 has sent physical inspection report, which was received by post before the Commission's office on 27.10.2025. The same is taken on record.

At the request of the learned counsel for the petitioner, list the case for final arguments on 01.04.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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**GOVERNMENT OF BHARAT
NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR MINORITY
EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

**St. Joseph's Convent Hr. Sec. School, Gonchi Taronda Road, Itarsi,
Madhya Pradesh- 461 111.**

Vs.

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

Case No. 107 of 2025

13.01.2026

Present: Mr. Stanislas Tirkey, Advocate for the petitioner.
None for the respondent.

Letter sent to the District Minority Welfare Officer, Narmadarpuram, Hoshangabad has been returned back undelivered, which was received before the Commission's office on 8.12.2025. The same is taken on record.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to furnish the correct address of the concerned officer within two week.

After compliance, office is directed to issue reminder letter by post and e-mail to the members of the Physical Inspection Committee for sending the physical inspection report in the prescribed format duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

In the interest of justice, list on 11.03.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF BHARAT
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13.01.2026

**Rosary Primary School, Pratapgunj, Vadodara, Gujarat-390 002.
Vs.**

**Director, Primary Education, Government of Gujarat, Dr.Jivraj Mehta
Bhawan, 2nd Floor 12/1, Gandhinagar, Gujarat.**

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

An application has been received by hand on 2.12.2025 through Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for grant of minority status certificate to Rosary Primary School, Pratapgunj, Vadodara, Gujarat-390 002. It be registered.

2. It transpires from the petition that on 27.08.2025, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Director, Primary Education, Government of Gujarat, Dr.Jivraj Mehta Bhawan, 2nd Floor 12/1, Gandhinagar, Gujarat, which was received by the respondent on 30.08.2025. 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 a copy of the Unique ID No. GJ/2018/0208779 of the petitioner Society as given by the Niti Aayog portal NGO Darpan.

5. The petitioner has filed notarized copy of letter dated 9.7.2012 issued by District Education Officer, Vadodara granting permission to the petitioner institution to start higher primary school from June 2012. The said order is in Gujarati language. English translation thereof has also been filed by the petitioner.

6. 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.

7. It also transpires from the petition that the petitioner Institute is unaided school (Middle). During the academic year 2023-24, out of 1215 students, 210 students were from the Christian Minority Community. In the year 2024-25, out of total 1175 students, 211 students were from Christian Minority Community and in the year 2025-26, out of total 1142 students, 282 students are from the Christian Minority Community.

8. It transpires that the amendment in the Trust Deed was done prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act. 2004 before the State Competent Authority and also petition before this Commission for grant of Minority Status Certificate.

9. Office is directed to issue notice to the respondent by registered AD and e-mail. Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to file certified copies of all the relevant document.

10. List on 10.03.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF BHARAT
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13.01.2026

**Holy Child Auxilium School, Sector-XII, R.K. Puram, New Delhi-110022.
Vs.**

**Director, Directorate of Education, Government of NCT of Delhi, Room
No-12, Old Secretariat, New Delhi- 110054.**

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

An application has been received by hand on 2.12.2025 through Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for grant of minority status certificate to Holy Child Auxilium School, Sector-XII, R.K. Puram, New Delhi-110022. It be registered.

2. It transpires from the petition that on 20.8.2025, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Director, Directorate of Education, Government of NCT of Delhi, Room No-12, Old Secretariat, New Delhi- 110054, which was received by the respondent on 21.8.2025. 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 a copy of the Unique ID No. DL/2018/0193074 of the petitioner Society as given by the Niti Aayog portal NGO Darpan.

5. The petitioner has filed notarized copy of Certificate dated 8.8.1980 issued by Education Officer, Zone IX, Directorate of Education, Defence Colony, New Delhi certifying that the petitioner institution is permanently recognized w.e.f. 1.5.1980.

6. 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.

7. It also transpires from the petition that the petitioner Institute is unaided school (Primary). During the academic year 2023-24, out of 901 students, 149 students were from the Christian Minority Community. In the year 2024-25, out of total 854 students, 140 students were from Christian Minority Community and in the year 2025-26, out of total 827 students, 136 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. Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to file certified copies of all the relevant documents.

9. List on 10.03.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF BHARAT
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13.01.2026

**Don Bosco Degree College, Pedaboddepalli, Narsipatnam,
Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh-531116.**

Vs.

**Secretary, Department of Minorities Welfare, Government of Andhra
Pradesh, 3rd Floor, A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravati, Andhra
Pradesh.**

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

An application has been received by hand on 3.12.2025 from through Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for grant of minority status certificate to Don Bosco Degree College, Pedaboddepalli, Narsipatnam, Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh-531116. It be registered.

2. It transpires from the petition that on 11.4.2025, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Secretary, Department of Minorities Welfare, Government of Andhra Pradesh, 3rd Floor, A.P. Secretariat, Velagapudi, Amaravati, Andhra Pradesh, which was received by the respondent on 16.4.2025. 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 notarized downloaded copy of letter dated 15.7.2024 issued by Registrar, Andhra University, granting conditional affiliation for the academic year 2024-25.

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 un-aided institution (Higher Education).

7. During the academic year 2023-24, out of 62 students, 02 students were from the Christian Minority Community, in the year 2024-25, out of total 96 students, 02 students were from the Christian minority community and in the year 2025-26, out of total 66 students, 02 students are from the Christian minority community.

8. It transpires from the petition that the Memorandum of Association of the petitioner Society was registered prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act. 2004 and also petition before this Commission for grant of Minority Status Certificate.

9. Office is directed to issue notice to the respondent by registered AD and e-mail. Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to file certified copies of all the relevant documents and also file updated affiliation order issued by the competent authority.

10. List on 10.03.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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13.01.2026

Holy Family Convent School, Village-Kaboolpur, P.O. Jandu Singha, Jalandhar, Punjab-144 025.

Vs.

Director of Public Instruction (S.E) Punjab Block E, Vidya Bhawan, 4th Floor Complex, Punjab School Education Board, Sector - 62, S.A.S. Nagar.

Present: Mr. Haribansh, Advocate for the petitioner.

An application has been received by hand on 3.12.2025 for grant of minority status certificate to Holy Family Convent School, Village-Kaboolpur, P.O. Jandu Singha, Jalandhar, Punjab-144 025. It be registered.

2. It transpires from the petition that on 25.7.2024, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Director of Public Instruction (S.E) Punjab Block E, Vidya Bhawan, 4th Floor Complex, Punjab School Education Board, Sector - 62, S.A.S. Nagar. The said petition is still pending as per the petitioner institution. The petitioner has not filed the proof of delivery of track consignment to the respondent.

3. The petitioner has filed a copy of certificate dated 6.9.2023 issued by ICSE granting affiliation to the petitioner institution which is valid upto 31.3.2028.

4. The declaration part is not originally signed by the petitioner. Copy of the application dated 25.7.2024 filed before the State competent authority for grant of No Objection Certificate is also not signed.

5. As per amended Memorandum of Association of the petitioner society, there are total seven members but the Resolution has been signed only by President and Secretary.

6. As per Notice dated 10.5.2024 issued by Commission in F. No. 3-2/2020-NCMEI mentioning therein that the petitioner institution should apply for MSC within nine months from the date of submitting NOC application before the State Competent Authority.

7. 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.

8. The petition is disposed of as withdrawn.

9. Office is directed to return original sets, envelope and postage charges to the learned counsel for the petitioner after retaining a copy. Record of Case No. 99 of 2025 be tagged with the record of this case.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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