

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

DAPS School, 71, 72, 73 Adil Nagar, Kalyanpur, Lucknow, U.P. – 226 022.

V/s.

**Additional Chief Secretary/ Principal Secretary/ Secretary, Basic Education
Department, Government of U.P., Vidya Bhawan, Nishatganj, Lucknow, U.P. –
226 007.**

CASE NO. 87 OF 2025

Date: 02.04.2026

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

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that members of the said committee has already inspected petitioner institution.

Office is directed if the above said physical inspection report has not been received then again issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

List on 20.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**Dayal Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Village Bakkas, Lucknow Dist.,
U.P. – 226 002.**

V/s.

**Additional Chief Secretary, Medical Education Department, Government of
U.P., Hazrat Ganj, Janpath Road, Vikas Bhawan, Lucknow – 226 001.**

CASE NO. 98 OF 2025

Date: 02.04.2026

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

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that members of the said committee
has already inspected petitioner institution.

Office is directed if the above said physical inspection report has not been received
then again issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending
the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letters to learned counsel
for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the order dated
05.02.2026.

List on 20.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**Fatima Public School, Siddique Nagar, Near Aara Machine, Fatehpur, U.P. – 212
652.**

V/s.

**Additional Chief Secretary, Secondary Education Department, Government of
U.P., Bapu Bhawan, 7th Floor, Lucknow, U.P. – 226 001.**

CASE NO. 131 OF 2025

Date: 02.04.2026

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

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that members of the said committee has already inspected petitioner institution.

Office is directed if the above said physical inspection report has not been received then issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the order dated 04.02.2026.

List on 20.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**Don Bosco English Medium School, Gobardhan, Muniguda, Rayagada, Odisha
– 765 020.**

V/s.

**Director, Secondary Education, 6th Floor, HOD Building, Unit – V,
Bhubaneswar, Khordha, Odisha – 751 001.**

CASE NO. 132 OF 2025

Date: 02.04.2026

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

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that members of the said committee has already inspected petitioner institution.

Office is directed if the above said physical inspection report has not been received then issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the order dated 04.02.2026.

List on 20.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**St. Mary's Girls High School, At/Po Badapada, Via Naugada, Gajapati Dist.,
Odisha – 761 214.**

V/s.

**Director, Secondary Education, 6th Floor, HOD Building, Unit – V,
Bhubaneswar, Khordha, Odisha – 751 001.**

CASE NO. 134 OF 2025

Date: 02.04.2026

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

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that members of the said committee has already inspected petitioner institution.

Office is directed if the above said physical inspection report has not been received then issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the order dated 04.02.2026.

List on 20.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**St. Vincent English Medium School, Hatabazar, Jatni, Jatni P.O., Khurda Dist.,
Odisha – 752 050.**

V/s.

**Director, Elementary Education, 5th Floor, HOD Building, Unit – V,
Bhubaneswar, Khordha, Odisha – 751 001.**

CASE NO. 135 OF 2025

Date: 02.04.2026

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

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that members of the said committee has already inspected petitioner institution.

Office is directed if the above said physical inspection report has not been received then issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the order dated 04.02.2026.

List on 20.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

Catholic Mission Nirmala Girls U.P. School, Adava (Via), Adava P.S., Aligonda P.O., Mohana, Paralakhemundi, Gajapati Dist., Odisha – 761 217.

V/s.

Director, Elementary Education, 5th Floor, HOD Building, Unit – V, Bhubaneswar, Khordha, Odisha – 751 001.

CASE NO. 136 OF 2025

Date: 02.04.2026

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

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that members of the said committee has already inspected petitioner institution.

Office is directed if the above said physical inspection report has not been received then issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the order dated 04.02.2026.

List on 20.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**St. Mary's Girls High School, K.C. Pur, Batnoti (Via), K.C. Pur P.O., Mayurbhanj
Dist., Odisha – 757 029.**

V/s.

**Director, Secondary Education, 6th Floor, HOD Building, Unit – V,
Bhubaneswar, Khordha, Odisha – 751 001.**

CASE NO. 137 OF 2025

Date: 02.04.2026

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

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that members of the said committee has already inspected petitioner institution.

Office is directed if the above said physical inspection report has not been received then issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the order dated 04.02.2026.

List on 20.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**St. Paul English Medium School, Vill – 3 No. Kaki, Narikali, Sankarpur P.O.,
Hojai District, Assam – 782 446.**

V/s.

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

CASE NO. 145 OF 2025

Date: 02.04.2026

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

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that members of the said committee has already inspected petitioner institution.

Office is directed if the above said physical inspection report has not been received then issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the order dated 05.02.2026.

List on 20.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**St. Vincents U.P. School, 4-262, Singannagudem, Near Water Tank,
Bapulapadu, Krishna Dist., A.P. – 521 111.**

V/s.

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

CASE NO. 16 OF 2026

Date: 02.04.2026

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

Despite service of registered notice and e-mail to the respondent, no response/reply has been received from the State Competent Authority.

In the facts and circumstances of the case, the Commission deem it just and proper that physical inspection report alongwith the recommendations may be obtained from the Committee constituting 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 provide copy of the said letter to learned counsel for the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to approach the members of the said committee and provide all the relevant documents to the said committee and pursue the matter with the physical inspection committee for inspection of the petitioner institution.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the order dated 04.02.2026.

List on 21.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**St. Vincent's (EM) High School, Singannagudem, Bapulapadu, Mandalam,
Krishna Dist., A.P. – 521 111.**

V/s.

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

CASE NO. 17 OF 2026

Date: 02.04.2026

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

Despite service of registered notice and e-mail to the respondent, no response/reply has been received from the State Competent Authority.

In the facts and circumstances of the case, the Commission deem it just and proper that physical inspection report alongwith the recommendations may be obtained from the Committee constituting 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 provide copy of the said letter to learned counsel for the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to approach the members of the said committee and provide all the relevant documents to the said committee and pursue the matter with the physical inspection committee for inspection of the petitioner institution.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the order dated 04.02.2026.

List on 21.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

Vishwadeepthi Eng. Med. Upper Primary School, Parigi Mandal, Sri Sathy Sai Dt., Puttaparthi, Andhra Pradesh – 515 261.

V/s.

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

CASE NO. 19 OF 2026

Date: 02.04.2026

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

Despite service of registered notice and e-mail to the respondent, no response/reply has been received from the State Competent Authority.

In the facts and circumstances of the case, the Commission deem it just and proper that physical inspection report alongwith the recommendations may be obtained from the Committee constituting 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 provide copy of the said letter to learned counsel for the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to approach the members of the said committee and provide all the relevant documents to the said committee and pursue the matter with the physical inspection committee for inspection of the petitioner institution.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the order dated 04.02.2026.

List on 21.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

St. John's School, UPSIDC, Jalesar Road, Firozabad, U.P. – 283 203.

V/s.

**Additional Chief Secretary, Secondary Education Department, Government of
U.P., Bapu Bhawan, 7th Floor, Lucknow, U.P. – 226 001.**

CASE NO. 20 OF 2026

Date: 02.04.2026

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

Mr. Raj Kapoor, office of DIOS, Firozabad, U.P. for the respondent.

Mr. Raj Kapoor appeared on behalf of the respondent and wants to file some documents before court of the Commission. He is directed to do so before office of the Commission today itself.

In the facts and circumstances of the case, the Commission deem it just and proper that physical inspection report alongwith the recommendations may be obtained from the Committee constituting 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 provide copy of the said letter to learned counsel for the petitioner.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to approach the members of the said committee and provide all the relevant documents to the said committee and pursue the matter with the physical inspection committee for inspection of the petitioner institution.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the order dated 04.02.2026.

List on 21.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

St. Norbert's School, Ameenpur, Post Diha, Bahraich, U.P. – 271 801.

V/s.

**Additional Chief Secretary, Secondary Education Department, Government of
U.P., Bapu Bhawan, 7th Floor, Lucknow, U.P. – 226 001.**

CASE NO. 54 OF 2025

Date: 02.04.2026

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

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that members of the said committee has already inspected petitioner institution.

Office is directed if the above said physical inspection report has not been received then again issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the order dated 05.02.2026.

List on 20.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**St. Patrick's Academy, NH-58, Delhi-Meerut Bypass Road, Meerut, U.P. – 250
103.**

V/s.

**Additional Chief Secretary, Secondary Education Department, Government of
U.P., Bapu Bhawan, 7th Floor, Lucknow, U.P. – 226 001.**

CASE NO. 53 OF 2025

Date: 02.04.2026

Present: Ms. Nigar Khan, Advocate for the petitioner.
None for the respondent.

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that members of the said committee
has already inspected petitioner institution and verbally intimated that the said report will
be send to the Commission within a week.

Office is directed if the above said physical inspection report has not been received
within one week then again issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection
committee for sending the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letters to learned counsel
for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

List on 20.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**The Dhamma Dipa International Buddhist University, Sabroom, South Tripura,
Tripura.**

V/s.

**Secretary, Minorities Welfare Department, Secretariat Building, New Capital
Complex, Agartala.**

CASE NO. 245 OF 2024

Date: 02.04.2026

Present: Ms. Karuna Thakur, Proxy counsel for the petitioner.
None for the respondent.

On 02.02.2026, a letter dated 19.01.2026 issued to the learned counsel for the petitioner returned back unserved but today Ms. Karuna Thakur, Proxy counsel appeared on behalf of the petitioner.

On 06.02.2026, a copy of letter dated 30.01.2026 has been received from the Additional District Magistrate & Collector (PPs), South Tripura, Belonia along with physical inspection report. The said report appears to be a copy and is taken on record.

Office is directed again issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letters to proxy counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

List on 08.07.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**Makhdum Bakhsh Memorial Degree College, Uttarwahini,
Chanpatia, West Champaran, Bihar – 845 449.**

V/s.

Director, Directorate of Higher Education, Government of Bihar, Patna, Bihar.

CASE NO. 55 OF 2025

Date: 02.04.2026

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

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that physical inspection report has been sent by the physical inspection committee, which was received in the Commission on 16.12.2025. He wants to file evidence to prove the said fact by filing copy of the physical inspection report and tracking report. He is directed to file the same before office of the Commission today itself.

After compliance, office is directed to trace the same and place it on the record of this file and also file explanation as to why the said report was not placed today during the course of hearing.

Office is directed if the said report has not been received then again issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letter to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

List on 20.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

Holy Cross College of Nursing, Kamagere, Kollegal Taluk, Chamarajnagar District,
Karnataka – 571 443.

V/s.

**Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department (Higher Education),
Government of Karnataka.**

CASE NO. 115 OF 2024

Date: 02.04.2026

Present: Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for the petitioner.
Ms. Eesha Bakshi, Advocate for the respondent.

Though this case is listed for final arguments.

Learned counsel for the respondent seeks adjournment on the ground of change of counsel. She has filed an email dated 01.04.2026 to prove the said fact. For the reasons stated therein, adjournment is granted. She has stated that new counsel will be appointed and fresh vakalatnama will be filed within one week in this matter. She further submitted that thereafter rejoinder will be filed within two weeks on behalf of the respondent in terms of orders dated 14.01.2026.

List for final arguments on 21.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

Holy Cross School of Nursing, Kamagere, Kollegal Taluk, Chamarajnagar District,
Karnataka – 571 443.

V/s.

**Additional Chief Secretary, Education Department (Higher Education),
Government of Karnataka.**

CASE NO. 116 OF 2024

Date: 02.04.2026

Present: Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for the petitioner.
Ms. Eesha Bakshi, Advocate for the respondent.

Though this case is listed for final arguments.

Learned counsel for the respondent seeks adjournment on the ground of change of counsel. She has filed an email dated 01.04.2026 to prove the said fact. For the reasons stated therein, adjournment is granted. She has stated that new counsel will be appointed and fresh vakalatnama will be filed within one week in this matter. She further submitted that thereafter rejoinder will be filed within two weeks on behalf of the respondent in terms of orders dated 14.01.2026.

List for final arguments on 21.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

Delhi Public School, By Pass Road Pal, Jodhpur, Rajasthan – 342 001.

V/s.

- 1. Principal Secretary, Department of Minority Affairs and Waqf, Room No. 2007, Main Building, Secretariat, Jaipur, Rajasthan.**
- 2. Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Minority Affairs and Waqf, Room No. 2007, Main Building, Secretariat, Jaipur, Rajasthan.**

CASE NO. 83 OF 2025

Date: 02.04.2026

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

On 09.03.2026, a letter has been received from the Director, Directorate of Minority Affairs, Jaipur, Rajasthan along with notice dated 16.02.2026 issued by this Commission by post the same letter by email has been received on 27.02.2026, which are taken on record. It is stated in the aforesaid letter that application filed by the petitioner as mentioned in the notice dated 16.02.2026 has not been received by them.

On 25.03.2026 an email has been received from the Director, Minority Affairs, Jaipur, Rajasthan, Jaipur, Rajasthan, which clearly proves that the aforesaid application has been received by the respondent. The same is self-explanatory and is taken on record.

Office is directed to supply copy of the same to learned counsel for the petitioner for filing counter, if any.

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

Office is directed again issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original 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.

Office is also directed to provide copy of the above-said letters to learned counsel for the petitioner for pursuing the matter with members of the said committee.

List on 20.05.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

02.04.2026

Rose Mary Model Public School, Barani Park, Ramachandra Nagar, Near Jeba Garden, Perumalpuram Post, Tirunelveli District, Tamil Nadu

V/s.

Principal Secretary, School Education Department, Fort St. George, Secretariat, Chennai, Tamil Nadu

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

An application has been received by hand on 18.3.2026 through Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for grant of minority status certificate to Rose Mary Model Public School, Barani Park, Ramachandra Nagar, Near Jeba Garden, Perumalpuram Post, Tirunelveli District, Tamil Nadu. It be registered.

2. It transpires from the petition that on 11.12.2025, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Principal Secretary, School Education Department, Government of Tamil Nadu, Fort St. George, Secretariat, Chennai, Tamil Nadu- 600 009, which was received by the respondent on 16.12.2025. 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 copy of certificate dated 18.5.2021 issued by CBS E certifying that the petitioner institution is affiliated to the said Board and the said affiliation is valid upto 01.4.2022 to 31.3.2027.

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 school (Higher Secondary).

7. During the academic year 2023-24, out of 470 students, 157 students were from the Christian Minority Community. In the year 2024-25, out of total 476 students, 173 students were from the Christian minority community and in the academic year 2025-26, out of total 449 students, 164 students were from the Christian minority community.

8. It transpires from the petition that the amendment in the Trust Deed of the petitioner Trust 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 documents.

10. List on 08.07.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

02.04.2026

**St. Thomas High school, Mastkot, Datala-Kalanaur Road, Dargabad P.O.,
Kalanour, Gurdaspur District, Punjab**

V/s.

**Branch Director of Public Instruction (S.E) Punjab, Block E, Vidya Bhawan,
4th Floor Complex, Punjab School Education Board, S.A.S. Nagar, Mohali,
Punjab**

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

An application has been received by hand on 19.03.2026 through Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for grant of minority status certificate to St. Thomas High school, Mastkot, Datala-Kalanaur Road, Dargabad P.O., Kalanour, Gurdaspur District, Punjab . It be registered.

2. It transpires from the petition that on 29.7.2025, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Branch Director of Public Instruction (S.E) Punjab, Block E, Vidya Bhawan, 4th Floor Complex, Punjab School Education Board, S.A.S. Nagar, Mohali, Punjab which was received by the respondent on 1.8.2025. 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 notarized copy of letter dated 03.02.2025 issued by Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (CISCE) granting permanent recognition to the petitioner institution.

5. Petitioner has filed Resolution Passed by the Governing Body to obtain Minority Status Certificate from this Commission.

6. It also transpires from the petition that the petitioner Institute is an unaided institution (Secondary Nursery to 10th standard).

7. During the academic year 2023-24, out of 780 students, 394 students were from the Christian minority community. In the year 2024-25, out of total 853 students, 433 students were from the Christian minority community and in the year 2025-26, out of total 905 students, 494 students are from the Christian minority community.

8. 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 before the State Competent Authority.

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

10. List on 08.07.2026.

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

02.04.2026

St. Joseph's Higher Secondary School, Una, Gir Somnath, Gujarat .

V/s.

Deputy Director, Director of Schools, Vidya Samiksha Kendra (VSK), Opp. Punitvan, Gandhinagar, Gujarat

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

An application has been received by hand on 19.03.2026 through Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for grant of minority status certificate to St. Joseph's Higher Secondary School, Una, Gir Somnath, Gujarat. It be registered.

2. It transpires from the petition that on 29.7.2025, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Deputy Director, Director of Schools, Vidya Samiksha Kendra (VSK), Opp. Punitvan, Gandhinagar, Gujarat which was received by the respondent on 1.8.2025. 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 notarized copy of letter dated 22.02.2022 issued by Gujarat Secondary and Higher Secondary Education Board, Gandhi Nagar granting permanent recognition to the petitioner institution.

5. Petitioner has filed Resolution Passed by the Governing Body to obtain Minority Status Certificate from this Commission.

6. It also transpires from the petition that the petitioner Institute is an unaided institution (Higher Secondary i.e. 11th to 12th standard).

7. During the academic year 2023-24, out of 66 students, 01 students were from the Christian minority community. In the year 2024-25, out of total 172 students, 03 students were from the Christian minority community and in the year 2025-26, out of total 97 students, 01 students are from the Christian minority community.

8. It transpires from the petition that the Amendment in the Trust Deed of the Trust of the petitioner was done prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act, 2004 before the State Competent Authority.

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

10. List on 08.07.2026.

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02.04.2026

Saint Josephs High School, Una, Gir Somnath, Gujarat

V/s.

**Deputy Director, Director of Schools, Vidya Samiksha Kendra (VSK), Opp.
Punitvan, Gandhinagar, Gujarat**

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

An application has been received by hand on 19.03.2026 through Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for grant of minority status certificate to St. Joseph's Higher Secondary School, Una, Gir Somnath, Gujarat. It be registered.

2. It transpires from the petition that on 29.7.2025, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Deputy Director, Director of Schools, Vidya Samiksha Kendra (VSK), Opp. Punitvan, Gandhinagar, Gujarat which was received by the respondent on 1.8.2025. 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 notarized copy of letter dated 22.02.2022 issued by Gujarat Secondary and Higher Secondary Education Board, Gandhi Nagar granting permanent recognition to the petitioner institution.

5. Petitioner has filed Resolution Passed by the Governing Body to obtain Minority Status Certificate from this Commission

6. It also transpires from the petition that the petitioner Institute is an unaided institution (Secondary i.e. 9th to 10th standard).

7. During the academic year 2023-24, out of 183 students, 02 students were from the Christian minority community. In the year 2024-25, out of total 172 students, 03 students were from the Christian minority community and in the year 2025-26, out of total 177 students, 02 students are from the Christian minority community.

8. It transpires from the petition that the Amendment in the Trust Deed of the Trust of the petitioner was done prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act, 2004 before the State Competent Authority.

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

10. List on 08.07.2026.

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02.04.2026

St. Joseph's Primary School, Una, Gir Somnath, Gujarat

V/s.

Director, Primary Education, Dr. Jivraj Mehta Bhawan, Gandhinagar, Gujarat

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

An application has been received by hand on 19.03.2026 through Mr. Jose Abraham, Advocate for grant of minority status certificate to St. Joseph's Primary School, Una, Gir Somnath, Gujarat. It be registered.

2. It transpires from the petition that on 29.7.2025, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Director, Primary Education, Dr. Jivraj Mehta Bhawan, Gandhinagar, Gujarat which was received by the respondent on 1.8.2025. The said petition is still pending as per the petitioner institution. The petitioner has waited sufficiently for the 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 copy of letter dated 19.05.2009 issued by District Primary Educational Office granting permanent recognition to the petitioner institution.

5. Petitioner has filed Resolution Passed by the Governing Body to obtain Minority Status Certificate from this Commission.

6. It also transpires from the petition that the petitioner Institute is an unaided institution (K.G. to 8th standard).

7. During the academic year 2023-24, out of 738 students, 08 students were from the Christian minority community. In the year 2024-25, out of total 766 students, 08 students were from the Christian minority community and in the year 2025-26, out of total 766 students, 08 students are from the Christian minority community.

8. It transpires from the petition that the Amendment in the Trust Deed of the Trust of the petitioner was done prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act, 2004 before the State Competent Authority.

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

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02.04.2026

**Muslim Middle School (English & Gujarati Medium) / M.M. School,
Station Road, Nr. Bamba Gate, Dhoraji, District - Rajkot, Gujarat.**

V/s.

**Deputy Director, Directors of Schools, Old Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar,
Gujarat.**

Present: None.

An application has been received by post on 19.03.2026 Muslim Middle School (English & Gujarati Medium) / M.M. School, Station Road, Nr. Bamba Gate, Dhoraji, District - Rajkot, Gujarat for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

2. It transpires from the records that the petitioner has not applied for grant of No Objection Certificate before the Competent Authority.

3. The Hon'ble Supreme Court in Civil Appeal No. 3945 of 2018 in case of Sisters of St. Joseph of Cluny vs. The State of West Bengal and Ors. vide order dated 18.04.2018, has held that any person who desires to establish a minority educational institution after the amendment Act of 2006 came into force, must apply only to the competent authority for grant of No Objection Certificate for the said purpose.

4. All applications for the establishment of a minority educational institution after the amendment Act of 2006 must go to the competent authority set up under the statute.

5. As the petitioner institution has not applied to the competent authority for grant of No Objection Certificate, this application is not maintainable at this stage. Accordingly, the petition is dismissed in default. Petitioner be informed accordingly.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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02.04.2026

Millman Memorial High School, Gudripadi Po - G. Udayagiri, District Kandhamal, CNI, Cuttack, Odisha.

V/s.

Director, Secondary Education, Bhunaneswar, Khordha, Odisha.

Present: None.

An application has been received by post on 20.03.2026 Millman Memorial High School, Gudripadi Po - G. Udayagiri, District Kandhamal, CNI, Cuttack, Odisha for grant of minority status certificate. It be registered.

2. It transpires from the records that the petitioner has not applied for grant of No Objection Certificate before the Competent Authority.

3. The Hon'ble Supreme Court in Civil Appeal No. 3945 of 2018 in case of Sisters of St. Joseph of Cluny vs. The State of West Bengal and Ors. vide order dated 18.04.2018, has held that any person who desires to establish a minority educational institution after the amendment Act of 2006 came into force, must apply only to the competent authority for grant of No Objection Certificate for the said purpose.

4. All applications for the establishment of a minority educational institution after the amendment Act of 2006 must go to the competent authority set up under the statute.

5. As the petitioner institution has not applied for grant of No Objection Certificate before the Competent Authority but applied to the competent authority for grant of Minority Status Certificate, which is still pending before the State Government. This application is not maintainable at this stage. Accordingly, the petition is dismissed in default. Petitioner be informed accordingly.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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