

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

**Sacred Heart Adiwasi High School, Chakai, Chakia P.O., Jamui District,
Bihar – 811 303.**

V/s.

**Director, Secondary & Senior Secondary Education, Ground Floor, Vikas
Bhawan, New Secretariat, Bailey Road, Patna, Bihar – 800 015.**

CASE NO. 273 OF 2022

Date: 01.10.2026

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

Despite sending clarification affidavit to the members of the Physical Inspection Committee in terms of order dated 19.08.2026, no response has been received from them till now. Hence, the case is proceeded ex-parte against them in terms order dated 19.08.2026.

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

List the case for final arguments on 17.11.2026

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

S.F.S. School, Seethammadhara, Visakhapatnam Dist., Andhra Pradesh – 530 013.

V/s.

Secretary to Government, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Minorities Welfare Department, Velagapudi, Amaravati, Andhra Pradesh – 522 503.

CASE NO. 27 OF 2024

Date: 01.10.2026

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

Despite sending clarification affidavit to the members of the Physical Inspection Committee in terms of order dated 19.08.2026, no response has been received from them till now.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has filed the students and faculty details for the petitioner institution for the academic year (2026-2027) has been received by hand before the Commission's office on 23.09.2026, which is taken on record.

Office is directed to send reminder letter again by post and e-mail to members of the physical inspection committee in terms of order dated 19.08.2026 alongwith students and faculty details for the petitioner institution for the academic year (2026-2027). The members of the physical inspection committee are directed to submit the updated students and faculty details for the petitioner institution for the academic year and furnish the physical inspection report in the prescribed format of the Commission duly signed by all the members of the Committee positively before the next date of hearing.

List on 17.11.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF BHARAT
NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR MINORITY
EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

St. Dominic Savio CBSE School, 5th KM Lumding Road, Diphu, Karbi Anglong, Assam-230265.

Vs.

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

Case No. 77 of 2025

Date: 01.10.2026

Present: Mr. Tariq Adeeb, Advocate for the petitioner.
None for the respondent.

A letter dated 14.08.2026 alongwith original physical inspection report has been received by post before the Commission's office on 20.08.2026 from District Social Welfare Officer, Karbi Anglong District, Diphu, Assam, which is taken on record.

The present report is duly signed by the District Social Welfare Officer, Karbi Anglong District, Diphu, Assam, wherein he has recommended for grant of Minority Status Certificate. In this case, it transpires from the record that a copy of physical inspection report was already received which was duly signed by three Officers and the case has already been proceeded ex-parte on 12.08.2026.

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

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR MINORITY
EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

**St. Basil School, Near Makarpura, Jakatnaka, Jambuva, Vadodara,
Gujarat – 390 014.**

V/s.

- 1. Deputy Director, Directors of Schools, Old Sachivalaya, Block 9/1, Gandhinagar, Gujarat.**
- 2. Director of School, Directorate of School, 2nd Floor, Vidya Samiksha Kendra (VSK), Opp. Punitvan, Sector-19, Gandhinagar, Gujarat – 382 021.**

CASE NO. 93 OF 2025

Date: 01.10.2026

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

Despite sending reminder letter to the Chief Secretary, Government of Gujarat by post and email and reminder letter to the members of the Physical Inspection Committee in terms order dated 19.08.2026, no response/Physical inspection report has been received from them till now. Hence, the case is proceeded ex-parte against them in terms order dated 19.08.2026.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to file updated details of the students and teachers of the petitioner institution for the last two academic year (2025-2026 and 2026-2027).

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

List the case for final arguments on 09.12.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**St. Mary's School, Opp. Alembic Nagar Society, Gorwa-
Refinery Road, Vadodara, Gujarat-390 016.**

V/s.

- 1. Deputy Director, Directors of Schools, Old Sachivalaya, Block 9/1, Gandhinagar, Gujarat.**
- 2. Director of School, Directorate of School, 2nd Floor, Vidya Samiksha Kendra (VSK), Opp. Punitvan, Sector-19, Gandhinagar, Gujarat – 382 021.**

CASE NO. 94 OF 2025

Date: 01.10.2026

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

Despite sending reminder letter to the Chief Secretary, Government of Gujarat by post and email and reminder letter to the members of the Physical Inspection Committee in terms order dated 19.08.2026, no response/Physical inspection report has been received from them till now. Hence, the case is proceeded ex-parte against them in terms order dated 19.08.2026.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to file updated details of the students and teachers of the petitioner institution for the last two academic year (2025-2026 and 2026-2027).

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

List the case for final arguments on 09.12.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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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: 01.10.2026

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

Though this case was listed for final argument. It transpires from the record that the affiliation/recognition order of the petitioner institution filed by the petitioner was valid upto 2023-2024.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has prayed for time to file updated affiliation/ recognition order issued by the competent authority. Time prayed for is allowed.

List on 19.01.2027

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**Catholic Mission Nirmala Girls High School, Adava (Via), Adava P.S.,
Aligonda P.O., Mohana, Gajapati District, Odisha – 761 217.**

V/s.

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

CASE NO. 150 OF 2025

Date: 01.10.2026

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

Despite sending letter to the Chief Secretary, Government of Odisha by post and email and reminder letter to the members of the Physical Inspection Committee in terms order dated 19.08.2026, no response/Physical inspection report has been 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 to issue reminder letter to the Chief Secretary, Government of Odisha with a request to direct members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report in the format as prescribed by the Commission before the next date of hearing and again send reminder letter to members of the physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report in the format as prescribed by the Commission. The report should be signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

List on 17.11.2026

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR MINORITY
EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

**St. Francis De sales School, Amritpur, Silapathar P.O., Likabali Road,
Dhemaji District, Assam – 787 059**

V/s.

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

CASE NO. 151 OF 2025

Date: 01.10.2026

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

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. The petition is disposed of as withdrawn.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

Darsgah E Islami Primary School, Mughalpura, Faizabad, Ayodhya, U.P. – 224 001.

V/s.

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

CASE NO. 152 OF 2025

Date: 01.10.2026

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

A letter dated 18.08.2026 has been received through email before the Commission's office on 18.08.2026 from District Minority Welfare Officer, Ayodhya praying for time, which is taken on record.

An email dated 26.09.2026 has been received from District Minority Welfare Officer, Ayodhya attaching therewith a copy of letter dated 20.09.2026 alongwith a copy of physical inspection report, which is taken on record.

Office is directed to send reminder letter again by post and e-mail to the members of the Physical Inspection Committee for sending the physical inspection report in the prescribed format of the Commission duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing, failing which, the case will be proceeded ex-parte against them.

List on 17.11.2026

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR MINORITY
EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

**Amrah Convent School English Medium, Gali No. 05, Lajpat Nagar Road,
Moradabad City, Moradabad, U.P. – 244 001.**

V/s.

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

CASE NO. 153 OF 2025

Date: 01.10.2026

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

Despite sending letter by post and email to the Chief Secretary, Government of Uttar Pradesh and reminder letter by post and email to the members of physical inspection committee, no 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 issue reminder letter to the Chief Secretary, Government of U.P. with a request to direct members of the physical inspection committee to send original physical inspection report before the next date of hearing and reminder letter 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.

List on 17.11.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR MINORITY
EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

St. Mary's Girls High School, Majitha Road, Amritsar, Punjab – 143 001.

V/s.

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

CASE NO. 156 OF 2025

Date: 01.10.2026

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

Despite sending letter by post and email to the Chief Secretary, Government of Punjab and reminder letter by post and email to the members of physical inspection committee, no 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 letter to the Chief Secretary, Government of Punjab with a request to direct members of the physical inspection committee to send original physical inspection report before the next date of hearing and also send reminder letter again 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.

List on 01.12.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF BHARAT
NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR MINORITY
EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

St. Vincent De Paul, Tungbala, Majitha Road, Amritsar, Punjab-143001.

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.

Case No. 29 of 2026

Date: 01.10.2026

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

Despite sending reminder letter by post and email to the members of the Physical Inspection Committee, no response/Physical inspection report has been received 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 inspected the petitioner institution.

Office is directed that if the above-said inspection report is not received, then issue letter to the Chief Secretary, Government of Punjab with a request to direct members of the physical inspection committee to send original physical inspection report before the next date of hearing and reminder letter 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.

List on 01.12.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

St. Francis D' Assisi School, P.O. Chaprakata Rail Gate, District Bongaigaon, Assam- 783 380.

Vs.

Secretary, School Education Department Assam, Block-C, Janata Bhawan, Dispur, Guwahati, Assam - 781006.

Case No. 131 of 2026

Date: 01.10.2026

Present: Mr. Tariq Adeeb, Advocate for the petitioner.
None for the respondent.

An email dated 05.08.2026 has been received from Higher Education Department, Assam attaching therewith a copy of the letter dated 04.08.2026 of Additional Secretary, Higher Education Department, Assam, which is taken on record. It is stated in the said letter that the matter pertains to the School Education Department,

Government to Assam. Government of Assam has not notified competent authority under Section 10 of NCMEI Act, 2004. Accordingly, Secretary, School Education Department Assam is impleaded as respondent in this case.

Joint Secretary, Education Department (Higher), Assam is deleted from array of parties.

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

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

Office is directed to issue reminder letter by post and email to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report in the prescribed format of the Commission duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

Office is also directed to issue notice to the Secretary, School Education Department, Government of Assam. A copy of the petition be annexed with the notice.

Office is also directed to issue notice to the Chief Secretary, Government of Assam, for appointing of the competent authority under Section 10 of the NCMEI Act, 2004, for conferring NOC to the educational institutions.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the Commission's earlier order dated 08.07.2026.

List on 01.12.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**St. Francis D' Assisi English High School, P.O. Samelangso, District
Karbi Anglong, Assam- 782441.**

Vs.

**Secretary, School Education Department Assam, Block-C, Janata
Bhawan, Dispur, Guwahati, Assam - 781006.**

Case No. 132 of 2026

Date: 01.10.2026

Present: Mr. Tariq Adeeb, Advocate for the petitioner.
None for the respondent.

An email dated 05.08.2026 has been received from Higher Education Department, Assam attaching therewith a copy of the letter dated 04.08.2026 of Additional Secretary, Higher Education Department, Assam, which is taken on record. It is stated in the said letter that the matter pertains to the School Education Department,

Government to Assam. Government of Assam has not notified competent authority under Section 10 of NCMEI Act, 2004. Accordingly, Secretary, School Education Department Assam is impleaded as respondent in this case.

Joint Secretary, Education Department (Higher), Assam is deleted from array of parties.

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

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

Office is directed to issue reminder letter by post and email to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report in the prescribed format of the Commission duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

Office is also directed to issue notice to the Secretary, School Education Department, Government of Assam. A copy of the petition be annexed with the notice.

Office is also directed to issue notice to the Chief Secretary, Government of Assam, for appointing of the competent authority under Section 10 of the NCMEI Act, 2004, for conferring NOC to the educational institutions.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the Commission's earlier order dated 08.07.2026.

List on 01.12.2026.

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**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**St. Francis D' Assisi High School, Pub Boragaon, P.O. Gorchuk,
District Kamrup, Assam-781 035.**

Vs.

**Secretary, School Education Department Assam, Block-C, Janata
Bhawan, Dispur, Guwahati, Assam - 781006.**

Case No. 133 of 2026

Date: 01.10.2026

Present: Mr. Tariq Adeeb, Advocate for the petitioner.
None for the respondent.

An email dated 05.08.2026 has been received from Higher Education Department, Assam attaching therewith a copy of the letter dated 04.08.2026 of Additional Secretary, Higher Education Department, Assam, which is taken on record. It is stated in the said letter that the matter pertains to the School Education Department,

Government to Assam. Government of Assam has not notified competent authority under Section 10 of NCMEI Act, 2004. Accordingly, Secretary, School Education Department Assam is impleaded as respondent in this case.

Joint Secretary, Education Department (Higher), Assam is deleted from array of parties.

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

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

Office is directed to issue reminder letter by post and email to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report in the prescribed format of the Commission duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

Office is also directed to issue notice to the Secretary, School Education Department, Government of Assam. A copy of the petition be annexed with the notice.

Office is also directed to issue notice to the Chief Secretary, Government of Assam, for appointing of the competent authority under Section 10 of the NCMEI Act, 2004, for conferring NOC to the educational institutions.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the Commission's earlier order dated 08.07.2026.

List on 01.12.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

**St. Mary's School, Doom Dooma, Rupaisiding, District Tinsukia,
Assam- 786153.**

Vs.

**Secretary, School Education Department Assam, Block-C, Janata
Bhawan, Dispur, Guwahati, Assam - 781006.**

Case No. 134 of 2026

Date: 01.10.2026

Present: Mr. Tariq Adeeb, Advocate for the petitioner.
None for the respondent.

An email dated 05.08.2026 has been received from Higher Education Department, Assam attaching therewith a copy of the letter dated 04.08.2026 of Additional Secretary, Higher Education Department, Assam, which is taken on record. It is stated in the said letter that the matter pertains to the School Education Department,

Government to Assam. Government of Assam has not notified competent authority under Section 10 of NCMEI Act, 2004. Accordingly, Secretary, School Education Department Assam is impleaded as respondent in this case.

Joint Secretary, Education Department (Higher), Assam is deleted from array of parties.

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

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

Office is directed to issue reminder letter by post and email to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report in the prescribed format of the Commission duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

Office is also directed to issue notice to the Secretary, School Education Department, Government of Assam. A copy of the petition be annexed with the notice.

Office is also directed to issue notice to the Chief Secretary, Government of Assam, for appointing of the competent authority under Section 10 of the NCMEI Act, 2004, for conferring NOC to the educational institutions.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to comply with the Commission's earlier order dated 08.07.2026.

List on 01.12.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR MINORITY
EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

St. Pauls School, Kishangarh, Ward No. 30, Khoda Ganesh Road, Dhani Purhitan, Ajmer, Rajasthan - 305801.

Vs.

Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Minority Affairs and Waqf, Roo No. 2007, Main Building, Secretariat, Jaipur, Rajasthan – 302005.

Case No. 135 of 2026

Date: 01.10.2026

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

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

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

Office is directed to issue reminder letter to members of physical inspection committee for sending the original physical inspection report in the prescribed format of the Commission duly signed by all the members of the physical inspection committee positively before the next date of hearing.

Learned counsel for the petitioner is again directed to comply with the Commission's earlier order dated 08.07.2026.

List on 02.12.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

01.10.2026

St. Pauls School, Jhinhari, Katni ,Madhya Pradesh-483501

Vs.

**Commissioner, Backward Classes and Minority Welfare Department,
Government of Madhya Pradesh, 2nd Floor, Vidyachal Bhawan, Bhopal, Madhya
Pradesh, 462004.**

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

1. An application has been received by hand on 23.09.2026 through Mr. Jose Abraham., Advocate for grant of minority status certificate to St. Pauls School, Jhinhari, Katni ,Madhya Pradesh-483501. It be registered.
2. It transpires from the petition that on 14.04.2026, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the State Competent Authority i.e. Commissioner, Backward Classes and Minority Welfare Department, Government of Madhya Pradesh, 2nd Floor, vidyachal Bhawan, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh, 462004., which was received by the respondent on 18.04.2026. 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. The petitioner has already filed the proof of delivery of track consignment to the respondent.
3. The petitioner has filed a certificate issued by Central Board of Secondary Education granting recognition to the petitioner institution for the period 01.04.2024 to 31.3.2029.
4. Petitioner has filed Resolution Passed by the Governing Body to obtain Minority Status Certificate from this Commission and envelope with postage for sending notice to the State Competent Authority.
5. It also transpires from the petition that the petitioner Institute is an unaided institution (Secondary).
6. During the academic year 2024-25, out of 1294 students, 13 students were from the Christian Minority Community, in the year 2025-26, out of total 1238 students, 13 students were from the Christian minority community and in the year 2026-27, out of total 1315 students, 14 students are from the Christian minority community.
7. It transpires from the petition that the amendment in the Memorandum of Association of the petitioner society was registered prior to filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act. 2004 and 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.
09. List on 02.12.2026.

**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**

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

01.10.2026

Bhojaji Naik Primary School, Basmat Road, District Parbhani, Maharashtra-431401.

Vs.

Joint Secretary, Minorities Development Department, Room No. 715, Mantralaya (Annexe), Mumbai, Maharashtra - 32.

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

An application has been received by hand on 21.09.2026 through Mr. Junais P., Advocate for grant of minority status certificate to Bhojaji Naik Primary School, Basmat Road, District Parbhani, Maharashtra-431401. It be registered.

2. It transpires from the petition that on 23.3.2026, the petitioner institution has applied for grant of No Objection Certificate to the Joint Secretary, Minorities Development Department, Room No. 715, Mantralaya (Annexe), Mumbai, Maharashtra - 32, which was received by them on 24.3.2026. 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 filed proof of delivery of application to the respondent.

3. The petitioner as filed a copy of letter dated 22.2.2022 issued by Under Secretary, Department of School Education and Sports, Government of Maharashtra regarding transfer of the petitioner institution from Kai Bhojaji Naik Shikshan Prasarak Mandal, Parbhani to Ashraya Charitable Institution, Parbhani.

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 (Primary).

6. During the academic year 2023-24, out of total 98 students, 53 students were from the Buddhist minority community. In the year 2024-25, out of total 84 students, 48 students were from the Buddhist minority community and in the year 2025-26, out of total 61 students, 31 students were from the Buddhist minority community.

7. It transpires from the petition that amendment in the Memorandum of Association of the petitioner society was done prior to the filing application u/s 10 of NCMEI Act. 2004 and petition before this Commission for grant of Minority Status Certificate.

8. Learned counsel for the petitioner is directed to file certified copies of all the relevant documents, Notarized copy of English translation and filed certified copy of the present member list of the society.

9. Office is directed to issue notice to the respondent by registered AD and e-mail.

10. List on 02.12.2026. Record of Case No. 155 of 2026 be tagged with the record of this case.
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**DR. SHAHID AKHTER
MEMBER**