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Director



THE UNIVERSITY OF BURDWAN
Centre for Distance and Online Education
Golapbag, Burdwan-713104
West Bengal, India

No. CDOE/Sectt./B.Ed./178/2022-23/49

Dated: 13.09.2022

To
The Regional Director
National Council for Teacher Education (NCTE)
Eastern Regional Committee
G-7, Sector-10, Dwarka
New Delhi- 110 075.

Sub: Extension of Approval of the B.Ed. Course (ODL) Offered by CDOE, The University of Burdwan for the Session 2022-24
(Code No.ERCAPP2090/NCTE/B.Ed. (ODL)/2014/24431 dated. 03/03/2014.

Sir,

This has reference to our earlier letter no. CDOE/Sectt./B.Ed./178/2022-23/12 dated 17.06.2022 requesting the issuance of extension of approval for the B.Ed. course offered by CDOE, the University of Burdwan for 2022-24. We are still awaiting the communication from your side.

In this context, we would like to bring into your kind notice that as per the criterion specified by the UGC-DEB, we need to produce the copy of the extension of approval (EOA) issued by NCTE for offering the B.Ed. (ODL) course by CDOE, The University of Burdwan specifically for the current session i.e. 2022-24.

It may once again be pointed out that in terms of order nos. (1) ERC/7-170.6.42/NCTE/B.Ed. (Open and Distance Learning System)/2014/24431 dated 03.03.2014, (2) ERC/NCTE/APP2090/B.Ed. (Open and Distance Learning System) / (Revised Order)/2015/32653 dated 31.05.2015, and (3) F. NCTE/ERC/ERC APP 2029/B.Ed./2018/57918 dated 17.09.2018 issued earlier by ERC, NCTE granted recognition contentiously to the Directorate of Distance Education (DDE) of the University of Burdwan (presently, CDOE, B.U.) to conduct B.Ed. (ODL System) course of two years duration with an annual intake of 500 from the session 2014-15 onward until further order. Since so far, no further order has been issued otherwise, it is implied that B.Ed. course of the CDOE, The University of Burdwan has been still enjoying the status of 'recognised by NCTE'.

The UGC-DEB under overall remarks has stated ".....however, the committee felt that necessary clarification regarding validity of recognition for B.Ed. course of the HEI may be sought from NCTE, before granting of recognition for B.Ed. programme".

Since, as per the criterion of UGC-DEB, we have to produce the year-wise extension of approval to be issued by your good office i.e. for the session 2022-24. Though we have the recognition from NCTE, as already mentioned above, until further order, but due to non-availability of year-wise recognition we are not in a position to submit the same to UGC-DEB. And, it is being indicated as a deficiency by UGC-DEB.

In the circumstances, it is our earnest request to your good self to kindly issue a letter of recognition of our B.Ed. course for the session 2022-24 so as to enable us to produce the same before UGC-DEB at the earliest.

We will be looking forward to your reply at your earliest.

Thanks and regards,

Swapan Bhattacharyya
Director, CDOE, B.U.

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Eastern Regional Committee
National Council for Teacher Education
(A Statutory Body of the Government of India)

No. F. NCTE/ERC/ERCAPP2029/B.Ed./2018/ 57918

Dt. 17.09.2018

To
✓ Prof. Tafajol Hossain,
Registrar (Officiating),
Directorate of Distance Education,
University of Burdwan,
Plot No.-2928, Street No.- Golapbag,
Vill.- Burdwan, PO.- Rajbati,
Tehsil/Taluka- Goda, Town/City- Burdwan.
Dist.- Burdwan,
West Bengal-713104.

Subject: Recognition status of B.Ed. Course under Distance Mode of the University of Burdwan from West Bengal from 2018-2019 onward, as per UGC (ODL) Regulation 2017-reg.

Reference: Your letter No. DDE/Sectt/B.Ed./178/2018-19/44 dated 31.08.2018; together with a copy of the letter F. No.9-1/2018 (DEB-III) dated 06.08.2018 received from Sh. Smita Bidani, Education Officer, University Grants Commission, Distance Education Bureau, 35-Feroze Shah Road, New Delhi-110001.

Sir/Madam,

I am to refer to your letter mentioned under reference on the above subject and say that the institution viz. "Directorate of Distance Education, University of Burdwan, Plot No.-2928, Street No.-Golapbag, Vill.-Burdwan, PO.-Rajbati, Tehsil/Taluka-Goda, Town/City-Burdwan. Dist.-Bardhaman, West Bengal-713104 granted recognition for B.Ed. (ODL Mode) course vide order No. 24431 dated 03.03.2014 with an intake 500 form the academic session 2014-2015 and subsequently a revised order vide No. 32653 dated 31.05.2015 from the academic session 2015-2016 as per laid down NCTE Regulation, 2014. As per this order of ERC, the recognition shall be continued till any further order to be issued from this office. Therefore, the aforesaid course is recognized continuously from 2014-2015 onward until further orders.

Directors, DDE
Please take n.a.
Jh
20.09.18

Director, DDE
Please draft
a suitable
reply
Jh
05.09.18

Yours faithfully,

Pradeep Kumar Yadav
Regional Director

Copy to:-

Sh. Smita Bidani, Education Officer, University Grants Commission, Distance Education Bureau, 35-Feroze Shah Road, New Delhi-110001 for information vide your letter mentioned under reference.

Regional Director

Recd on
22.09.18
Registrar is requested
to send a letter to
Ugc.
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F. ERC/NCTE/APP2090 /B.Ed. (Open and Distance Learning System)/(Revised Order)/2015/32653 Date: 31/05/2015

ORDER

WHEREAS, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of Section 32 of the National Council for Teacher Education Act, 1993 (73 of 1993), and in supersession of the National Council for Teacher Education [Recognition Norms and Procedure] Regulations, 2009, the National Council for teacher Education has notified the Regulations, 2014 on 01.12.2014.

2. **AND WHEREAS** the institution viz. **Directorate of Distance Education, University of Burdwan, Plot NO.-2928, St. No.-Golapbag, Vill.-Burdwan, PO.-Rajbati, Tehsil/Taluka-Goda, Town/City-Burdwan, Dist.-Bardhaman, West Bengal-713104** was granted recognition for conduct of **B.Ed. (Open and Distance Learning System)** course of **two year** duration with an annual intake of **500** from the academic session **2014-2015** vide ERC order no. **ERC/7-170.6.42/NCTE/B.Ed(Open and Distance Learning System)/2014/24431, Dt. 03.03.2014.**

3. **AND WHEREAS**, the institution viz. Directorate of Distance Education, University of Burdwan, Plot NO.-2928, St. No.-Golapbag, Vill.-Burdwan, PO.-Rajbati, Tehsil/Taluka-Goda, Town/City-Burdwan, Dist.-Bardhaman, West Bengal-713104 has consented to come under New Regulations 2014 and sought for **Ten Basic Units** in **B.Ed. (Open and Distance Learning System)** course which require additional facilities.

4. **AND WHEREAS**, it has been decided to permit the institution to have **Ten Basic Units** of 50 students each subject to fulfilling following conditions namely,

- (i) The institution shall create additional facilities that include (a) additional built-up area, (b) additional infrastructure, (c) additional fund, (d) adhere to staff norms as per Regulations, 2014 and inform Regional Committee with required documents by October 31, 2015.
- (ii) The applicant-institution for additional unit will be required to submit the required documents such as land documents, Encumbrance Certificate (EC), Land Use Certificate (LUC) and the Building Plan (BP) in the specified proforma available on the website to the Regional Committee in proof of having provided additional facilities before October 31, 2015. Building Completion Certificate (BCC) may be given along with other documents if available, otherwise it can also be given to the Visiting Team at the time of inspection.

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- (iii) The Regional Committee shall arrange for verification of documents, inspection of these premises and check adherence to these conditions by 20 Feb, 2016. If it is found by the Regional Committee that the institution fails to comply with these requirements, the institutions shall not be permitted to admit students for the academic year 2016-2017.
5. **Now therefore**, in the light of the above and in terms of Section 14(3) (a) of NCTE Act and in accordance with the Regulations, 2014, the Eastern Regional Committee, NCTE hereby grants recognition to **Directorate of Distance Education, University of Burdwan, Plot NO.-2928, St. No.-Golapbag, Vill.-Burdwan, PO.-Rajbati, Tehsil/Taluka-Goda, Town/City-Burdwan, Dist.-Bardhaman, West Bengal-713104** for conducting **B.Ed. (Open and Distance Learning System)** Programme of **two** years duration with an annual intake of **500** for **Ten Basic Units** of 50 students each from the academic session **2015-2016** subject to fulfilment of the conditions mentioned herein before 31.10.2015.
6. Further, the recognition is subject to fulfilment of other requirements as may be prescribed by other regulatory bodies like UGC, affiliating University/ Body, the State Government etc. as applicable.
7. The institution shall submit to the Regional Committee a Self-Appraisal Report at the end of each academic year along with the statement of annual accounts duly audited by a Chartered Accountant.
8. The institutions shall maintain & update its web-site as per provisions of NCTE Regulations and always display following as mandatory disclosure:-
- Sanctioned programmes along with annual intake in the institution;
 - Name of faculty and staff in full as mentioned in school certificate along with their qualifications, scale of pay and photograph.
 - Name of faculty members who left or joined during the last, quarter;
 - Names of Students admitted during the current session along with qualification, Percentage of marks in the qualifying examination and in the entrance test, if any, date of admission, etc.:
 - Fee charged from students;
 - Available infrastructural facilities;
 - Facilities added during the last quarter;
 - Number of books in the library, journals subscribed to and additions, if any, in the last quarter;
 - The affidavit with enclosure submitted along with application.
 - The institution shall be free to post additional relevant information. If it so desires.

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- k) Any false or incomplete information on website shall render the institution liable for withdrawal of recognition.

If the institution Contravenes any of the above conditions of the provision of the NCTE Act, Rules, Regulations and Orders made and issued there under, the institution will render itself liable to adverse action including withdrawal of recognition by the Regional Committee under the provisions of Section 17 (1) of the NCTE Act.

By Order,


Regional Director

The Manager
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To

The Registrar/Head/Principal
Directorate of Distance Education, University of Burdwan,
Plot NO.-2928, St. No.-Golapbag,
Vill.-Burdwan, PO.-Rajbati,
Tehsil/Taluka-Goda, Town/City-Burdwan,
Dist.-Bardhaman, West Bengal-713104

Copy to:

1. The Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal, Department of Higher Education, 6th floor, Bikash Bhawan Salt Lake, Kolkata, West Bengal - 700091.
2. The Registrar, University of Burdwan, Rajbati, Burdwan, West Bengal - 713104.
3. The Director of Public Instruction, Govt. of West Bengal, 6th floor, Bikash Bhawan, Salt Lake, Kolkata, West Bengal - 700091
4. The Secretary, Dept. of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi – 110001.
5. The Under Secretary (CS) National Council for Teacher Education, Hans Bhawan, Wing-II, 1, Bahadurshah Zafar, New Delhi – 110002.
6. Office Order file/ Institution file.


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ERC/7-170.6.42/NCTE/B.Ed.(Open and Distance Learning System)/2014/24431

Date: 03/03/2014

Order

WHEREAS in terms of Section 14(1) of the NCTE Act, 1993, Directorate of Distance Education, University of Burdwan, Plot No.-2928, Street No.-Golapbag, Vill.-Burdwan, PO.-Rajbati, Tehsil/Taluka-Goda, Town/City-Burdwan, Dist.-Bardhaman, West Bengal-713104 has submitted an application (Code No.ERCAPP2090) to the Eastern Regional Committee of NCTE for grant of recognition for conducting **B.Ed.(Open and Distance Learning System) Course** with an annual intake of 500 by online on (mm/dd/yyyy) 7/31/2013 and hard copy of application submitted on (mm/dd/yyyy)8/12/2013.

2. AND WHEREAS on scrutiny/perusal of the application submitted by the institution, the documents attached therewith, the affidavit and the input received from the visiting team in the form of report and videography, recommendation of the State Government, the Committee is satisfied that the institution/society fulfills the requirements under the provisions of NCTE Act, Rules and relevant Regulations including the Norms and Standards for the Secondary Teacher Education (B.Ed.(Open and Distance Learning System)) programme such as instructional facilities, infrastructural facilities, library, accommodation, financial resources, laboratory etc. for running the programme and has selected/appointed duly qualified teaching staff as per NCTE norms.

3. NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers vested under Section 14(3)(a) of the NCTE Act, 1993, the Eastern Regional Committee hereby grants recognition to Directorate of Distance Education, University of Burdwan, Plot No.-2928, Street No.-Golapbag, Vill.-Burdwan, PO.-Rajbati, Tehsil/Taluka-Goda, Town/City-Burdwan, Dist.-Bardhaman, West Bengal-713104 for conducting **B.Ed.(Open and Distance Learning System) Course of Secondary (level) of two year duration** with an annual intake of 500 from the academic session 2014-2015 under clause 7(11) of NCTE (Recognition Norms & Procedure) Regulations, 2009.

4. The recognition is subject to fulfillment of the following:

- (i) The institution shall comply with the various other norms and standards prescribed in the NCTE regulations, as amended from time to time.
- (ii) The institution shall make admission only after it obtains affiliation from the examining body in terms of clause 8(12) of the NCTE (Recognition Norms & Procedure) Regulations, 2009.
- (iii) The institution shall ensure that the required number of academic staff for conducting the course is always in position.
- (iv) All such other requirements as may be prescribed by other regulatory bodies like UGC, affiliating University/ Body, the State Government etc, as applicable.

3-07-18
PHL
Director (Addl. Charge)
Directorate of Distance Education
The University of Burdwan
Burdwan-713104
REGISTRAR (Officiating)
THE UNIVERSITY OF BURDWAN
BURDWAN-713104

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- (v) The institution shall submit the Regional Committee a Self-Appraisal Report at the end of each academic year along the statement of annual accounts duly audited by a Chartered Accountant.
- (vi) The institution shall maintain & update its Web-site as per provisions of NCTE Regulations and always display following as mandatory disclosure:-
- Copy of the Application Form
 - Land and Building Particulars
 - Staff Profile
 - Recognition letter
 - Information for having fulfilled the norms & standard and other required conditions.

5. If the institution contravenes any of the above conditions or the provisions of the NCTE Act, Rules, Regulations and Orders made or issued there under, the Regional Committee shall withdraw the recognition as under the provisions of Section 17(1) of the NCTE Act.

6. Further, if the institution is not satisfied with the order, they may prefer an appeal under Section 18 of the NCTE Act in the "Online mode" available on NCTE's website www.ncte-india.org within 60 days of the issue of the order.



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- 2) The Secretary to Govt. of West Bengal, Department of Higher Education, 6th Floor., Bikash Bhawan, Salt Lake, Kolkata, West Bengal - 700 091
- 3) The Registrar, The University of Burdwan, Rajbati, Burdwan, West Bengal- 713 104
- 4) The Director of Public Instruction, Govt. of West Bengal, 6th Floor, Bikash Bhawan, Salt Lake, Kolkata, West Bengal-700 091.
- 5) The Secretary, Dept. of School Education and Literacy, Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi - 110001.
- 6) The US (Computer), National Council for Teacher Education, Hans Bhawan Wing -II, 1, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi-110 002.
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25.04.18
Director (Addl. Charge)
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25.4.18
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