

GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA

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No.NOC-4021/C.R.357/SM-3
School Education and Sports Department.
Madam Cama Road, Hutatma Rajguru Chowk.
Mantralaya, Mumbai- 400 032.
Date:- 23rd November, 2023.

To,
The Secretary,
Council for the Indian School Certificate Examination,
Pragati House, 3rd Floor, 47-48 Nehru Place,
New Delhi-110019.

Sub:-Issue of No Objection Certificate for affiliation of Council for the Indian School Certificate Examination (I.C.S.E.).
"St. Joseph High School, Convent of Jesus & Mery, Pashan Road, Pune" run by "The Provincial Society of the Congregation of Jesus & Mary, 5 Boat Club Road, Pune- 411 001"

- Ref:-**1) Government Resolution, School Education & Sports Department.
No. NOC-4017/(C.R.No.01/20)/S.M.-3, Dated 04/03/2020.
2) Administraion Officer, School Board, Municipal Corporation, Poona.
Letter No.B/2077/1961-62, Dated 29/09/1962.
3) Secratary, S.S.C. Exam Board, Maharashtra State, Poona.
Letter No.BRG/B-5(i), Dated 15/05/963.
4) Letter dated 26/10/2021 & 27/06/2023 From Manager, St. Joseph High School.
Convent of Jesus & Mery, Pashan Road, Pune.

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith the application along with enclosures in original received from "St. Joseph High School, Convent of Jesus & Mery, Pashan Road, Pune" run by "The Provincial Society of the Congregation of Jesus & Mary, 5 Boat Club Road, Pune- 411 001" and to state that the State Government has No Objection for applying for I.C.S.E. affiliation to the school for Std. I to Std. X subject to fulfillment of different conditions laid down in the Government Resolution, School Education and Sports Department, No.NOC.4017/ (C.R.No.01/20)/S.M.-3, dated 04/03/2020 as well as following conditions:-

1. Like all other schools in the State, Section 18 & 19 of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 and its Schedule as well as Rules, Orders, Notifications and Circulars etc. issued by the State Government from time to time under this Act shall be applicable to the said school.
2. Institution shall abide by the provision of Section 12(1)(C) of RTE Act, 2009 and Maharashtra RTE Rules 2011.
3. RTE Act, 2009 provides for Inclusive Education thus children with special needs (CWSN) called "Divyang" shall be part of every class in the school. However, "Divyang" children need special policy pronouncements. The State of Maharashtra is framing and issuing various policies in this respect. Government recently issued Resolution No. Mise 2015 / (119-A)/ SD-6 Dated 8th January, 2016 in this regard, this Government Resolution is abiding. All directives, decisions and policies shall be abided by all schools of all boards including international boards.
4. State's all Educational Acts, Rules, Orders and Policies made time to time shall be applicable to the said school.
5. Curriculum of the State Board or respective Board shall be compulsory for I to VIII Standard.
6. Marathi language subject shall be taught from I to X standard.
7. Staff salaries shall not be paid lesser than the Schedule 'C' of Maharashtra Employees of Private Schools (Conditions of Service) Regulation Act, 1981.
8. The management shall follow the traffic and safety guidelines indicated by the Police, Fire Services and Transport Department from time to time. The instructions issued by Circular No. 21748/DI/97 dated 16/2/1998 and No. PRE-2008/506/11/Prashi-1 dated 14/7/2011 & other orders of

transport department for safe transportation of school children should be scrupulously followed. The management shall provide fire protection arrangement as prescribed in the National Building Code of India, Part-IV Fire 1997 and there are amendments made from time to time.

9. The school shall conduct 3 tests annually for all children upto Standard VIII and provide information about children achievements in SARAL database as per the provisions of Pragat shaikshanik Maharashtra Government Resolution dated 22nd June 2015.

10. Child wise information as sought in SARAL and every other information as sought in U-DISE shall be provided by the school from time to time as demanded by the State Authorities.

11. Institution shall abide by the policy and Maharashtra Educational Institutions (Regulation of Fees) Act, 2011 made by the State Government regarding Regulation of fees.

12. Indian History especially "History related to Maharashtra" shall be taught in the school. Failing which this No Objection Certificate shall be withdrawn.

13. The Complaint Redressal Committee regarding sexual harassment at school premises should be formed as per government resolution, woman and child department No. मकचौ-2013/ प्र.क्र.63/मकक, Dated 19.6.2014 and subsequent provisions in Act and Rules.

14. Fee Structure of the school shall be displayed on Government's RTE portal.

15. School shall enter the Aadhar Number of the students on SARAL portal.

16. The State Government reserves the rights to withdraw the above certificate at any time without giving prior notice and without assigning any reason if any deviation of rules reported in future and the management fails to comply with the instructions of the State Government.

17. The School intending affiliation to C.B.S.E./I.C.S.E. or any other board instead of State Board, shall be binding to start the syllabus of C.B.S.E./I.C.S.E. or any other board step by step.

2. You are requested to forward a copy of the affiliation when granted to the above school for office record.

3. This No Objection Certificate is valid till next three years from the date of issue.

Yours faithfully,


(A. R. Rajput)

Under Secretary to the Government of Maharashtra
School Education and Sports Department
Mantralaya Annexe, Mumbai - 400 032.

Copy to -

- 1) The Principal Secretary, School Education & Sports Department, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- 2) The Commissioner (Education), Maharashtra State, Pune.
- 3) The Director (Primary/Secondary & Higher Secondary) Maharashtra State, Pune.
- 4) The Deputy Director of Education, Pune Division, Pune.
- 5) Education Officer (Primary/ Secondary & Higher Secondary), Z.P., Thane.
- ✓ 6) The Manager, St. Joseph High School, Convent of Jesus & Mary, Pashan Road, Pune.
- 7) Select File (C.R.357/21 SM-3).