BEFORE SHRI SUNIL DUTT SHARMA, MEMBER H.P. PRIVATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS REGULATORY COMMISSION SHIMLA-171009

Suo Moto Case No: 17 of 2016

Instituted on: 01.10.2016

Date of Decision: 19.05.2017

In the matter of:

Vector Education Society, C/o Niramal Computer Centre, near ICICI Bank, Palampur, Distt.-

Kangra (HP)-176061.

ORDER

Initially H.P. Private Educational Institutions Regulatory Commission (HP-PERC)

issued letter No. HPPERC/55/Gen. Complaints/2012-985-996 dated 19.05.2016 to

Superintendent of Police Kangra at Dharmashala seeking information regarding number of

fashion designing institute operating in district Kangra. In response to it the Superintendent of

Police Kangra at Dharmashala informed vide his letter No. SEC/FD/Kan/16-17037 dated

14.07.2016.

Notice was issued to the Managing Director, Vector Education Society c/o Nirmal

Computer Centre, near ICICI Bank Palampur, District Kangra-176061 on 22.07.2016 vide

this forum letter number HPPERC/414/Fashion Design/2016-2340 seeking basic information

pertaining to running of fashion designing course by the said institution within stipulated

period of 15 days. In response to the notice the institute submitted its reply on 26.07.2016

along with supporting documents i.e.

a) Empanelment Certificate dated 18.01.2016 issued by Deputy Commissioner of

Kangra;

b) Registration Certificate of the institution registered as society under H.P. Society

Registration Act, 25 of 2006;

c) EQFS Certificate of management system of the institution issued by World

Accreditation Council.

The institution was directed through its Managing Director to put its appearance in

person or through some authorise representative before the Commission on 01.10.2016 at

02:30 PM vide order dated 24.09.2016.

The matter was, however, pre-poned at the request of the institution for 29.09.2016 on which Sh. Pawan Katoch Chairman Vector Education Society Palampur appear in person and apprised the Commission that the society is being run under his chairmanship from passed one year having strength of 60 students. The Deputy Commissioner Kangra under the skill development allowance, a scheme launched by Govt .of Himachal Pradesh has sanctioned an amount of Rs. 1000/- per person to the student who have been enrolled with the society. The society is not charging any over and above fee from the students. The society has been registered for running vocational training programme on 3.3.2015 by Deputy Director (Training), Directorate of Technical Education, Vocational and Industrial Training Sunder Nagar Himachal Pradesh. The said programme is being run under the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship. Chairman further submitted that the students are allowed by the department of technical education and fee is paid directly to the society by the Government of India through the State Government. In this case online attendance of students and teachers are marked which is connected with Director General Entrepreneur Training Department at Delhi and in this case as on date there is no admission with our society. The chairman further submitted that at present their society is not running any other programme in the campus.

Accordingly, the Chairman of the society was directed to furnish the following documents within a weekøs time positively;

- 1. Course curriculum in respect of above two programmes approved by respective competent authority.
- Copy of Certificate/approval for running one year fashion design course issued by competent authority.
- 3. Specific approval with regard to authority as to who shall be issuing certificate/diploma in the above two courses.

An affidavit dated 06.10.2016 of Sh. Pawan Katoch Chairman Vector Education Society Palampur was received along with requisite record through registered post. The Chairman through his affidavit vide para No. 3 & 4 has declared on oath as under:

õ 3. That the above society shall not run any course under distance education programme of any university in the State of Himachal Pradesh unless specifically approved by the competent authority.ö

õ4. That I shall abide the instructions/directions/orders issued by the H.P. Private Educational Institutions Regulatory Commission, Shimla, as and when issued.ö

Vector Education Society has ordered not to run any course designed on its own or franchiser without the permission of concerned authority of State Govt. or Central Govt. or any Regulatory Bodies. The institution was directed to not to take fees being charged from the students as per her own will and also non issuance of certificates were also designed by the Society/ Company. The affidavit tendered by the Chairman of the society is found to be satisfactory as he has pledged to abide by the conditions/instructions/directions/orders as and when issued by this Commission and that he shall also not run any course under distance education programme of any university within or outside the State of Himachal Pradesh unless specifically approved by the competent authority. File after due completion be consigned to record room.

Copy of the orders be supplied to the parties. Orders be hosted on the website of the Commission. File after completion be consigned to record room.

Announced

Sd/-(Sunil Dutt Sharma) Member