

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
SCHOOL EDUCATION (SERVICES.II) DEPARTMENT

Memo.No.434204/Services.II/A.1/2016.

Dated 27/04/2017.

Sub: School Education Dept. – Not considering the SGTs possessing 3<sup>rd</sup> Methodology in B.Ed. for promotion to the post of School Assistant in the relevant subject – Ratification Orders – Issued.

- Ref:1.Proceedings of the Commissioner of School Education, A.P., Hyderabad. Rc.No.2007/Estt.IV/2015, Dated 28.05.2016.  
2.From the Commissioner of School Education, A.P., Ibrahimpatnam, Lr.Rc.No.2007/Estt.IV/2015, dated 20.06.2016.  
3.Govt.Memo.No.434204/Services.II/A.1/2016, Dated 22.02.2017.

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The Commissioner of School Education, A.P., Amaravati in reference 2<sup>nd</sup> cited, has reported that a letter was addressed to the Secretary, A.P. State Council for Higher Education (APSCHE) for views / remarks/advice on the validity of single subject and 3<sup>rd</sup> methodology in B.Ed. The Secretary, APSCHE, which is the competent authority has informed that single subject qualification or 3<sup>rd</sup> methodology in B.Ed. is not valid as per the UGC Guidelines in his letter dated 28.05.2016.The clarification of the Secretary, A.P. S.C.H.E is as follows;

- “(i) The UGC regulations 1985 regarding the minimum standards of Instructions for the First Degree through Formal/Non-Formal/Distance Education prescribed that No student shall be eligible for the award of the first degree unless he has successfully completed a three year course; this degree may be called the B.A./B.Sc./B.Com (General Honours/Special) degree as the case may be.  
(ii) According to the UGC (Minimum Standards of Instructions for the Grant of the First Degree through Formal Education) Regulations, 2003.

Award of Degree :

1 No student shall be eligible for the award of the first degree unless he/she has successfully completed a programme, of not less than three years duration and secured the minimum number of credits prescribed by the university for the award of the degree.

2. The degree to be awarded may be called the Bachelor's degree in the respective discipline accordance with nomenclature specified by the UGC under Section 22(3) of the UGC Act.

- (i) The UGC has prescribed Regulations with a view to improve the standards in formal and non-formal education. Fundamental right of education is not just the right to enter into any

institution, appear in any examination and obtained a certificate degree. It means truly educating oneself to acquire knowledge or skill and not just getting a certificate/degree”.

2. She has further stated that based on the clarification issued by the Secretary, APSCH, Hyderabad, the Commissioner of School Education has issued detailed instructions to all the RJDSEs and DEOs duly clarifying the validity of acquiring single subject / 3<sup>rd</sup> methodology in B.Ed. in CSE's Procs.Rc.No.2007/Estt.IV/2015, dated 28.05.2016.

3. The Commissioner of School Education, A.P. Amaravati in the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> cited, has therefore, requested the Government to ratify the action of issuing orders in her proceedings dated 28.05.2016.

4. After careful consideration of the matter, Government hereby cancel the orders issued in the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> cited and ratified the action of the Commissioner of School Education in having issued vide CSE's Procs. Rc.No.2007/Estt.IV/2015, dated 28.05.2016, subject to final outcome of the W.P.No.5802/2017 pending before High Court for the State of A.P and Telangana, Hyderabad.

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To  
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