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**SCHOOL & MASS EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

NOTIFICATION

The 21st February, 2017

**Sub: Declaration of Competent Authority under the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009.**

No.2944–SME-EL2-EL2-0090/2014/S&ME.— After careful consideration, Government have been pleased to declare the Director, Elementary Education, Odisha, Bhubaneswar as the Competent Authority under Section 18 of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 for issue of Certificate of recognition under Section 18 and withdrawal of recognition under Section 19 and under other Sections of the said act to ensure rights of the children prescribed therein.

By Order of the Governor

RANJANA CHOPRA  
Commissioner-*cum*-Secretary to Government