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SCHOOL & MASS EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 9th January, 2017

No. 551-SME-XVII-05/2016/SME.— The subject Higher Secondary Education including +2 Colleges has been transferred from Higher Education Department to School & Mass Education Department vide General Administration Department Notification No.14650/GEN., dated the 1st July, 2016. it is stated that Sub-Section 3(b) of Section 4 of Odisha Education Act, 1969 (Odisha Act, 15 of 1969) provides that the State Government may “*permit any person and body of persons, to establish and maintain educational institution and recognize such institutions when so established in accordance with the provisions of this Act*” and Section 5 of this Act. also speaks about the permission for establishment of educational institutions.

In pursuance of above provisions of the Act., the State Government in supersession of School & Mass Education Department Notification No.19951/SME., dated the 6th November,2010 and in partial modification of Higher Education Department Notification No.15641/HE., dated the 1st May,2004 do hereby constitute a Committee consisting of following members for grant of permission & recognition to Private Higher Secondary Schools and Private High Schools irrespective of medium of instruction for the whole State, namely:—

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| 2. (i) Principal Secretary / Commissioner- <i>cum</i> -Secretary.
to Government, School & Mass Education Deptt. | : | Chairman |
| (ii) Representative of Finance Department
(Not below the rank of Dy. Secretary) | : | Member |
| (iii) Representative of Law Department
(Not below the rank of Dy. Secretary) | : | Member |
| (iv) Joint Secretary /Additional Secretary to Govt.
(in-charge of Higher Secondary Education)
School & Mass Education Deptt. | : | Member |

- (v) Joint Secretary /Additional Secretary to Govt. : Member
(in-charge of Secondary Education)
School & Mass Education Deptt.
- (vi) Director, Higher Secondary Education, Odisha : Member Secretary
- (vii) Director, Secondary Education, Odisha : Member
- (viii) Chairman, Council of Higher Secondary Education, : Member
Odisha.
- (ix) President, Board of Secondary Education Odisha : Member

3. Two third of the members including Chairman shall form the quorum.

4. Director, Higher Secondary Education, Odisha shall place the matter in respect of Higher Secondary Schools and Director, Secondary Education, Odisha shall place the matter in respect of High Schools before the committee.

ORDER

Ordered that this Notification be published is an Extraordinary issue of the *Odisha Gazette*.

By Order of the Governor

G.V.V. SARMA

Principal Secretary to Government