

वास्तुविद अधिनियम, 1972 के अंतर्गत भारत सरकार का एक स्वायत्त सांविधिक निकाय (An Autonomous Statutory Body of Govt. of India, under the Architects Act, 1972)

Ref: CA/5/Academic-AP17 June 30, 2014

The Principal
Lumbini School of Architecture & Town Planning
Lumbini Group of Institutions
Post: Anantharam, (M) Bhongir
District Nalgonda-508116 (Telangana)

Sub.: Inspection of AP17-Lumbini School of Architecture & Town Planning, Distt. Nalgonda, Telangana - reg.

Dear Sir,

I am directed to inform you that the Executive Committee of the Council of Architecture (COA) at its 132<sup>nd</sup> Meeting held on June 26 & 27, 2014, considered the inspection report of Two-member Expert Committee which had conducted surprise inspection at your institution namely, AP17-Lumbini School of Architecture & Town Planning, District Nalgonda, Telangana (Formerly, in Andhra Pradesh), on June 21, 2014, to investigate the complaint of irregularities received against your institution. A copy of the report is enclosed herewith for your ready reference.

The Executive Committee, upon going through the report, noted some serious deficiencies in the conduct of 5-year B.Arch. degree course at your institution which are as follows:

- 1. The institution does not have any qualified faculty.
- 2. Dearth of physical and infrastructure facilities at the institution
- 3. B.Arch. course not being imparted as per prescribed COA Norms.
- 4. Non-conducive environment for students pursuing B.Arch. course.
- 5. The students have been suffering mental agony because of inaction by the management leaving parents anxious and concerned for their wards.

In view of the above circumstances, the Executive Committee, upon taking a serious concern over the deficiencies as pointed out in the report, decided to withdraw the approval accorded by the Council of Architecture to your institution i.e. AP17-Lumbini School of Architecture & Town Planning, District Nalgonda, Telangana for imparting B.Arch. Course from the academic session 2014-2015 and further directed that the students of the existing batches undergoing B.Arch. course at your institution be immediately transferred to other institutions approved by the Council of Architecture in the country in order to safeguard their careers and future. You institution is directed to initiate necessary action at your end to facilitate transfer of the students to other institutions.

The Executive Committee, as a special case, further decided to allow all approved institutions imparting B.Arch. degree in the country to admit the above said students immediately through migration into the corresponding year/semester of B.Arch. degree course (pending/condoning any requirement for transfer, if necessary) in excess of the intake sanctioned by the Council provided the respective admitting institutions maintain the appropriate academic infrastructure & other facilities, as may be required as per COA Norms. There shall be no requirement for any separate/individual communication by the Council authorizing the institution(s) to admit said students into the appropriate level of B.Arch. course.

Yours faithfully,

R.K. Oberoi Offg. Registrar

Encl.: as above.



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Copy, for information and necessary action, with a request to facilitate transfer of the said B.Arch. students immediately in order to safeguard their future and careers, please to:-

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  Higher Education Department
  Government of Andhra Pradesh
  Room No.407, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, 'J' Block
  A.P. Government Secretariat Building
  Hyderabad-500 022 (Andhra Pradesh)
- 5 The Secretary
  Andhra Pradesh State Council
  of Higher Education
  Mahaveer Marg, Masab Tank
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- 7. The Vice Chancellor
  Jawaharlal Nehru Architecture &
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