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Subject:- Non Compliance of Orders by the Management of New Radiant Public School Pehlipora and issuance of Final Notice regarding shifting of school to its original location.

Final Notice

Whereas, this office received a communication from Zonal Education Officer Imamsahib wherein it has been submitted that the Private School namely New Radiant Public School Pehlipora (Middle School) registered vide order no. 1842 DSEK of 2010, dated 12/10/2010 has changed its location from village Pehlipora to Pahnoo unauthorizedly and accordingly the case was forwarded to Director School Education Kashmir twice vide this office letter no. CEO/SPN/Pvt/3128-30, Dated 08/07/2022 and CEO/SPN/Pvt/3675, Dated 05/08/2022 for further necessary action ; and

Whereas, this office vide order issued under endorsement no. CEO/SPN.Pvt/1573-74, Dated 05/04/2023 directed the Principal/Management of New Radiant Public School Pehlipora Zone Imamsahib to shift its operation to actual address i.e village Pehlipora for which the recognition stands granted by the competent authority; and

Whereas, Zonal Education Officer Imamsahib has submitted the report vide letter no. ZEO/IM/24/427, Dated 07/06/2024 that the Principal/Management of the concerned school does not comply with the orders regarding shifting of school back to its original location on the various pretexts; and

Whereas, a number of complaint(s) has been received by this office through Online grievance portal (IGRAMS) from one Mr. Showkat Ah Dar regarding the unauthorized operationalization of the said school at village Pahnoo; and

Whereas, the case was submitted to Director School Education Kashmir, vide this office letter no CEO/SPN/Pvt/8153-54, Dated 06/07/2024 with the requested to issue further appropriate instructions in the matter regarding the non-compliance of order(s) by the management of said private School as the school is running classes upto class VIII ; and

Whereas, Director School Education Kashmir has returned the file with the authorization to take appropriate action against the school under rules on 09/08/2024 at this office level and;

Whereas, Zonal Education Officer Imamsahib vide this office letter no. CEO/SPN/Pvt/11791-92, Dated 13/08/2024 was advised to issue show cause notice under relevant rules and provide the opportunity to the Management of the school falling which the school shall be derecognized; and

Whereas, Zonal Education Officer Imamsahib vide his letter no ZEO/IM/24/596, Dated 19/08/2024 enclosed the reply submitted by the Principal New Radiant Public School Pehlipora against the show cause notice served vide no. ZEO/IM/24/584, Dated 14/08/2024 to shift its operation to the original location for which the recognition stands granted; and

Whereas, The Zonal Education Officer Imamsahib, vide this office letter no. CEO/SPN/Pvt/16174, Dated 06/11/2024, was intimated that the response submitted by the


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Principal New Radiant Public School Pehlipora and received by this office vide letter no. ZEO/IM/24/596, Dated 19/08/2024 has been examined and reveals the justification of shifting the school under the ambit of renewal of application which is contrary to the set procedure regarding shifting of school to different location. The statement of defense was found devoid of any merits and was not considered, the Zonal Education Officer Imamsahib was again advised to provide an opportunity to the school management to shift its operation from village Pahnoo to village Pehlipora for which the recognition stands granted within a period of seven days ; and

Whereas, Zonal Education Officer Imamsahib vide his letter no. ZEO/IM/25/219, Dated 21/02/2025 has submitted that that the management/Principal of the school has not complied with the orders till now; and

Now therefore, in view of the above backdrop, Final opportunity is hereby given to the Principal/Management to submit the compliance report to the order issued vide no. CEO/SPN/Pvt/1573-74, Dated 05/04/2023 to shift operation of your school to actual address i.e village Pehlipora for which the recognition stands grant by the competent authority within a period of seven days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which the school shall be derecognized and closed on UDISE+ portal and no further chance of hearing in this matter will be provided to you. Further, the parents/general public is advised to ascertain the status of school before admitting their children.

No CEO/SPN/Pvt/2384-92 of 25/02/25

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1. Deputy Commissioner Shopian for favor of information.
2. Director School Educational Kashmir for favor of information.
3. Joint Director School Education (South) for favor of information.
4. Deputy Director Information with the request to publish the notice in leading newspapers of Kashmir.
5. Zonal Education officer Imamsahib for information. This is in reference to your letter no. ZEO/IM/25/219, Dated, 21/02/2025.
6. Chairman of Managing Body of private school for information.
7. I/c Website, Chief Education Office Shopian for hoisting the same in the official website of Chief Education Office Shopian.
8. Office copy.