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REPORT OF ONLINE/VIRTUAL INSPECTION CONDUCTED BY THE NRC-NCTE, NEW DELHI ON 10TH DECEMBER 2025 AT 10:30AM

An online/virtual inspection by the Northern Regional Committee (NRC) was conducted on 10 December 2025 at 10:30 AM to assess the institutional preparedness and infrastructure of the Govt. College of Education, Srinagar for the Integrated Teacher Education Programme (ITEP) i.e., B.A.-B.Ed, B.Sc-B.Ed. The proceedings commenced with a formal introduction by the Principal, Prof. (Dr.) Seema Naz, who warmly welcomed the Visiting Team (VT) members and presented an overview of the institution. She highlighted the historical importance of the college as one of the oldest and premier teacher education institutions in Jammu & Kashmir accredited in the 3rd Cycle by NAAC in 2022 with a CGPA of 3.24 "Grade-A", its status upgraded to IASE (Institute of Advanced Studies in Education) on the recommendations of MHRD in 2017, and School of Teacher Education under the Cluster University Act, 2016.

After the introductory remarks, the Visiting Team initiated the verification of essential institutional documents. These included land-related documents, the No Objection Certificate (NOC) issued by Cluster University Srinagar for offering the ITEP programme, the land use certificate, fire safety certificate, approved building plan, building completion certificate, financial expenditure records, and other relevant permissions required for programme compliance. Each document was examined carefully to ensure conformity with regulatory norms and institutional requirements.

Following the document verification, the VT members directed the commencement of the virtual inspection of physical facilities. The team was provided a detailed virtual tour of the campus beginning with the college library, where they viewed the available books, journals, encyclopaedias, and other learning resources. They also interacted briefly with the College Librarian, Dr. Mudasar Ashraf, who provided clarifications regarding library holdings, facilities, and recent updates. The team then proceeded to inspect the Browsing Centre, where they verified the functioning of computers, internet connectivity, and overall efficiency of the ICT facilities. A dedicated faculty with 50 computers was recommended by the VT Members for ITEP.

The inspection continued with a virtual visit to the Art Lab., during which the VT members interacted with Mr. Arshid Sullaha, Art Teacher, and inquired about the availability of art materials, teaching-learning materials (TLMs), and the general functioning of the lab. This was followed by an inspection of the Bioscience Laboratory, where Dr. Mansoor Ahmad Lone apprised the team of the equipment available and the latest procurement made to strengthen the laboratory infrastructure.

Subsequently, the team viewed the College Auditorium, where they sought information regarding seating capacity, audio-visual systems, and its use for academic and co-curricular activities. The VT also inspected a few classrooms, inquiring about their seating capacity,

ventilation, and suitability for conducting classes under the ITEP framework. The virtual tour then moved to the Psychology Laboratory, where the team interacted with Dr. Irfat Ara and reviewed the available psychological testing equipment and the recent additions made to support practical components of the programme. A similar inspection was carried out in the Geography Laboratory, where Prof. Ajaz Ahmad Dar briefed the team about geography-related equipment, maps, and laboratory resources.

Towards the end of the tour, the team reviewed the Computer Lab and Language Lab, examining the availability and functionality of computers and language learning facilities. The last part of the virtual inspection included a review of student-centred amenities such as the Common Room and the Gymnasium, both of which were shown to the committee.

Before concluding the inspection, the Visiting Team offered constructive suggestions for further enhancement of institutional readiness. These included the upgradation of the computer laboratory to meet ITEP-specific requirements, earmarking dedicated rooms for the ITEP course, and modifying the building plan to clearly reflect the measurements of classrooms and other instructional spaces.

The virtual inspection concluded respectfully with a Vote of Thanks presented by the Principal, Prof. (Dr.) Seema Naz, who expressed sincere gratitude to the Visiting Team for their time, guidance, and valuable recommendations aimed at strengthening the institution's academic and infrastructural capacities.

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