



PEIRA/MR-Reg/MoFE&PT/PEIs-13/2024

Islamabad: November 04th, 2024

Subject: <u>Compliance with NCC Directives on Textbooks and</u> <u>Curriculum</u>

In pursuance to Ministry of Federal Education and Professional Training Office Order No. F.1-1/2024-NCC Dated 4th November 2024 and in pursuance of powers conferred to Islamabad Capital Territory – Private Educational Institutions Regulatory Authority vide Section 4(a) read with Section 4(g) of ICT-PEIRA Act, 2013, printing, publication, distribution and teaching of the book titled *"Urdu (O Level, Syllabus-B)"*, authored by Shazia Islam and published by 92 Publishing House, Lahore, stand banned in the territorial jurisdiction of Islamabad Capital Territory, with immediate effect. Copy of Officer Order is enclosed herewith for strict compliance.

2. Furthermore, in pursuance to above referred Office Order, management of All Private Educational Institutions within the jurisdiction of the Islamabad Capital Territory are instructed to ensure that no book is being taught in any class without prior clearance through a No Objection Certificate (NOC) issued by the National Curriculum Council.

3. Non-compliance to these orders, if any, shall be proceeded against under relevant provisions of ICT-PEIRA Act, 2013.

4. This issues with approval of the Chairperson (ICT-PEIRA).

<u>Encl: As Above</u>

2024 (Wagas Mehmood Kayani) Member Registration (ICT-PEIRA) 051-9107711

The Chief Executive Officer/ Principal

Private Educational Institutions Islamabad Capital Territory Islamabad.

Copy for information:

- i. Mr. Imran Ahmad Khan Assistant Educational Advisor, MoFE&PT, Islamabad
- ii. Deputy Secretary (Council), MoFE&PT, Islamabad
- iii. Section Officer (Org), MoFE&PT, Islamabad
- iv. SPS to Secretary, MoFE&PT, Islamabad
- v. SPS to Additional Secretary, MoFE&PT, Islamabad
- vi. PA to Chairperson (ICT-PEIRA)

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No.F.1-1/2024-NCC Government of Pakistan Ministry of Federal Education and Professional Training National Curriculum Council Wing

Islamabad, 4th November, 2024

<u>OFFICE ORDER</u>

In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 3(2)(c) of the Federal Supervision of Curricula, Textbooks and Maintenance of Standards of Education Act, 1976, the Competent Authority is pleased to issue an order to ban the book titled *Urdu (O Level, Syllabus-B)*, authored by Shazia Islam and published by 92 Publishing House, Lahore, in all private educational institutions within the jurisdiction of ICT, as it has been found to contain biased/derogatory/sub-standard content on pages no 372-373.

2. The Chairperson of ICT-PEIRA is further requested to instruct all private educational institutions that no book shall be prescribed for any class without an No Objection Certificate issued by National Curriculum Council (NCC) Ministry of Federal Education and Professional Training, Islamabad.

(Imran Ahmad Khan) Assistant Educational Advisor 051-9265573

The Chairperson,

ICT-Private Educational Institutions Regulatory Authority, Islamabad.

<u>Copy for information and with the request for similar action under Law within Provincial</u> Jurisdiction: -

- 1. Secretary, School Education Department, Government of the Punjab, Lahore.
- 2. Secretary, Education and Literacy department, Govt. of Sindh, Karachi.
- Secretary Elementary and Secondary Education Department, Govt. of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Peshawar.
- 4. Secretary, Education Department, Govt., of Gilgit-Baltistan, Gilgit.
- 5. Secretary, Secondary Education Department, Govt. of Baluchistan, Quetta.
- 6. Secretary, Elementary and Secondary Education Department, Govt. of AJK.
- 7. Secretary, Education Department, South Punjab, Multan.
- 8. Director General, Federal Directorate of Education, Islamabad.
- 9. Director General, Federal Government Educational Institutions, Cantt. & Garrisons, Rawalpindi.
- 10. Director General, Army Public Schools and Colleges System, Rawalpindi.
- 11. Director, Fazaia Teachers Training Institute, Islamabad.
- 12. Director, Naval Education, Naval Headquarters', Islamabad.
- 13. Deputy Secretary (Council), Ministry of Federal Education and Professional Training, Islamabad.

Copy to:

- 1. PSO to Federal Minister, Ministry of Federal Education and Professional Training, Islamabad
- 2. SPS to Secretary, Ministry of Federal Education and Professional Training, Islamabad.
- 3. SPS to Additional Secretary, Ministry of Federal Education and Professional Training, Islamabad.

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