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Office of the Chairperson Committee for Fixation & Regulation of Fee of Private Schools, J&K (FFRC)

Order No: <u>9</u> -FFRC (FF) of 2022 Dated: <u>94</u> / <u>01</u> /2022

Sub: Fixation and Regulation of fee of Sir Abraham Lincoln Embark Garrison Senior Secondary School, Bishnah, Jammu.

Sir Abraham Lincoln Embark Garrison Senior Secondary School, Bishnah, Jammu submitted file for fixation and regulation of fee structure of the School, which has been registered in FFRC office under No. FFRC/FF/2017-21/Jmu/50.

The fee structure of the School is being regulated by the Committee for the first time by this order.

The School record shows as under:

- 1. The School Management has maintained same fee in 2020-21 as was applicable in 2019-20.
- 2. In case of Annual Fee, the School was charging Rs.2,030/- in 2014-15 and has jumped to Rs.6,830/- to Rs.10,630/- at present. This increase is unjustified.
- 3. The School has received Rs.59,49,455/- as 'school funds' in other words 'annual fee' but the other expenditure including depreciation (which also includes depreciation on buses) is around Rs.21 Lacs.
- 4. The School has generated surplus of Rs.82,01,327/- in 2018-19 which is about 42%.
- 5. The School has generated surplus of Rs.53,91,635/- in 2019-20 which is about 33.55%.
- 6. This shows the School is a commercial enterprise rather than an educational institution.
- 7. Prima facie, it appears that the annual fee of the School is exorbitant and unjustified and needs regulation.



The record produced and the justification given by the School Management for fixation and regulation of fee structure of the School was examined. The same was considered in accordance with norms set out in various judgements and prescribed by statute. On due consideration of the entire conspectus of the school record and acknowledged parameters and settled norms for regulating the fee structure of the School, material produced by the School Management, income-expenses, income and expenditure of the School and after considering all other relevant factors which govern the subject, the Committee finds it just and proper to regulate the **fee structure** of the School as under:

Session: 2022-23

Fee	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
Head						
Tuition	830	830	830	830	935	935
Fee						
Annual	3000	3000	3000	3000	3000	3000
Fee						
Fee	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th	11 th	12 th
Head	:					
Tuition	935	1000	1120	1120	1400	1500
Fee						
Annual	3000	3000	3000	3000	3000	3000
Fee					I	

Session: 2023-24

Fee	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
Head						
Tuition	830	830	830	830	935	935
Fee						
Annual	3120	3120	3120	3120	3120	3120
Fee						
Fee	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th	11 th	12 th
Head					ļ i	,
Tuition	935	1000	1120	1120	1400	1500
Fee	!					
Annual	3120	3120	3120	3120	3120	3120
Fee						



Session: 2024-25

Fee	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th
Head						
Tuition	865	865	865	865	970	970
Fee						
Annual	3245	3245	3245	3245	3245	3245
Fee						
Fee	7 th	8 th	9 th	10 th	11 th	12 th
Head						
Tuition	970	1040	1165	1165	1455	1560
Fee					<u> </u> 	1
Annual	3245	3245	3245	3245	3245	3245
Fee						

The aforesaid exercise has been undertaken and fee structure regulated in a manner that excluded the commercialization and profiteering of education completely.

An educational institution is being set-up primarily to impart quality education to the students. The School Management shall advert its attention and give priority for imparting quality education to the students.

The School Management shall publish only FFRC orders about fee structure and Government Education Department's notices in newspapers. No publicity through advertisement shall be made about School, same being not a business unit.

Charging and collecting of Admission Fee is prohibited by statutes. The school management is prohibited from charging and collecting Admission Fee from the students.

School Management shall not sell uniforms and books in the school premises. The students will be at liberty to purchase books and uniforms at the place of their choice.



Any land/building/vehicle purchased, or building constructed from out of School Funds, in law will be property of School and shall vest in School.

School Funds have to remain in School Corpus and have not to be transferred to any other account excepting the school account.

The School Management shall maintain an account of School Funds (Fee etc.) in a Schedule Bank, which shall be operated by a person(s) authorized by School Management. Record about all the expenses/expenditures shall be maintained with receipts.

All types of fees shall remain in School account and no amount shall be paid or transferred to Trust/ Association of Persons (AoP)/ Body of Individuals (BoI).

The School management is directed not to charge any other fee from the students other than the fee approved by the Committee.

The School management is further directed not to make any future enhancement in fee structure under any head without permission of the Committee.

The School Management shall also make reasonable annual hike in salary of its employees viz; teaching and non-teaching staff.

Realization of Annual Fee from the students shall be subject to providing the facilities to students and actual expenditure of the school on relevant overheads.

The Annual Fee regulated by this order will be operative after the School reopen and start offline/regular classes. The Annual Fee at that stage will be charged on pro-rata basis in terms of Government Circular No.01 – Edu of 2020 dated 14.05.2020, endorsed by FFRC in its meeting held on 18.03.2021.



The School management shall display this approved fee structure on School notice board, upload it on School website and publish the same in local daily newspapers.

Non-compliance will attract penal action under law.

Sd/-

Justice Muzaffar Hussain Attar

(Former Judge)
Chairperson
Committee for Fixation & Regulation
Of Fee of Private Schools J&K (FFRC)

No. FFRC/FF/2017-21/Jmu/50

Dated: - 04 / 0 / /2022

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- 2. Secretary J&K Board of School Education (Member FFRC) for information;
- 3. Private Secretary to Principal Secretary to Government School Education Department (Member Secretary FFRC) for information of the Principal Secretary;
- 4. P. A. to Chairperson, FFRC for information of the Hon'ble Chairperson, FFRC;
- 5. Principal, Sir Abraham Lincoln Embark Garrison Senior Secondary School, Bishnah, Jammu, for compliance;
- 6. I/C Website for uploading the same on official website;

7. Office file.

(Nazir ul Hussain Shah)

Administrative Officer
Committee for Fixation & Regulation

Of Fee of Private Schools J&K (FFRC)