

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESAH
ABSTRACT**

School Education - The Andhra Pradesh Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Rules, 2010-Amendments-Notification- Orders - Issued.

SCHOOL EDUCATION (PROG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O Ms.No.24

Dated:29-05-2025

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.20, School Education [Prog.I] Department, dt.03.03.2011.
2. G.O.Ms.No.130, School Education [Prog.I] Department, dt.09.09.2021.
3. G.O.Ms.No.41, School Education [PE-SSA] Department, dt.19.06.2013.
4. G.O.Ms.No.50, School Education [Prog.II] Department, dt.01.10.2020.
5. G.O.Ms.No.85, School Education [Prog.II] Department, dt.24.12.2021.
6. G.O.Ms.No.129, School Education [Prog.II] Department, dt.15.07.2022.
7. G.O.Ms.No.38, School Education [Prog.II] Department, dt.22.04.2022.
8. Representation of Andhra Pradesh Private Un-aided Schools Management Association (APPUSMA).
9. From the Director of School Education, e-file No. Lr.Rc.No. ESE02-36/190/2024-PENSION, Dt:27.01.2025).

ORDER:

In the G.O. first read above, Government have framed the Andhra Pradesh Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Rules 2010 under the provisions of the Right to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009 (Act No.35 of 2009).

2. Subsequently, amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Rules, 2010, issued vide G.O.Ms.No.20, School Education (Prog-II) Department, dated:03.03.2011, according to which the renewal period to the private schools, initially set at three years, was enhanced to eight years vide G.O.Ms.No.38, School Education (Prog-II) Department, dated:22.04.2023.

3. In the e-file ninth read above, the Director of School Education while stating that Andhra Pradesh Private Un-aided Schools Management Association (APPUSMA) have represented to extent the validity period of recognition of Private Schools from 8 years to 10 years and has requested the Government to issue necessary orders in the matter.

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4. Government, after careful examination of the matter, hereby decided to enhance the recognition period from (8) years to (10) years, duly amending the Andhra Pradesh Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Rules, 2010, issued in G.O.Ms.No.20, School Education (P.E.Progs.I) Department, dated:03.03.2011.

5. Accordingly, the following notification will be published in an Extraordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section(1) of Section 38 of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009(Act No.35 of 2009), the Government of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following amendment to the Andhra Pradesh Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Rules,2010, issued in G.O.Ms.No.20, School Education (P.E.Progs.I) Department, dated:03.03.2011, and as subsequently amended from time to time.

AMENDMENTS

In the said Rules, in Rule14,-

- i. In sub-rule (4), for the words "eight years", the words "ten years" shall be substituted.
- ii. After condition (ac), the following shall be added namely,-
"(ad). By the end of April every year, the educational agency shall file an affidavit to the effect that there is no deviation or violation of norms/rules prescribed by the Government from time to time failing which the recognition will be deemed to be suspended automatically."

**KONA SASIDHAR
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

The Commissioner, Printing & Stationary, AP, Vijayawada
(with a request to publish the G.O in the A.P. Extraordinary Gazette dated: and supply copies to the Government in School Education Department.)

The Director of School Education, Venkatadri Tower, Atmakur, Mangalagiri.

The State Project Director, Samagra Shiksha, Patamata, Vijayawada.

The Director, State Council of Education Research & Training (SCERT),AP.

Copy to:

The Secretary, Ministry of Human resource Development, Department of School Education & Literacy, Government of India, New Delhi.

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The PS to Secretary to CM.

The PS to Chief Secretary to Government.

The OSD to Minister for Education.

The PS to Secretary to Government.

The Law (b) Department.

The Finance Department.

All the remaining Hods under the control of School Education Department.

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//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER