To
The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs,
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.


Sir,

I am directed to refer to the State Government of Andhra Pradesh, Tribal Welfare Department's letter No. 14328/TW.EDU.1/2012 dated 06.08.2014 on the above subject.

2. Sanction of the President of India is hereby convey to release an amount of Rs.13,86,00,000/- (Rs. Thirteen crore eighty six lakh only) to Government of Andhra Pradesh as full and final instalment under the Scheme of Pre-Matric Scholarship for ST students studying in Classes IX&X for the year 2014-15. The details of anticipated expenditure are given below:-

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<tr>
<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Items</th>
<th>Amount (Rs.)</th>
<th>No. of Students</th>
<th>Total amount to be released</th>
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<tr>
<td>1.</td>
<td>For Hostellers</td>
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<tr>
<td>(i) Scholarship @ Rs. 350/- per month for 10 months</td>
<td>3500</td>
<td>35930</td>
<td>1257.55</td>
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<tr>
<td>(ii) Books &amp; Adhoc Grant @ Rs. 1000/- per annum</td>
<td>1000</td>
<td>35930</td>
<td>359.3</td>
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<td>2.</td>
<td>For Day Scholars</td>
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<tr>
<td>(i) Scholarship @ Rs. 150/- per month for 10 months</td>
<td>1500</td>
<td>39882</td>
<td>598.23</td>
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<tr>
<td>(ii) Books &amp; Adhoc Grant @ Rs. 750/- per annum</td>
<td>750</td>
<td>39882</td>
<td>299.12</td>
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<td>3.</td>
<td>Additional allowance for ST students with disabilities studying in Private un-aided Schools for 9 months</td>
<td>1600</td>
<td>305</td>
<td>4.88</td>
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<td>4.</td>
<td>Admissible Central Assistance during 2014-15</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>2519.08</td>
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<td>5.</td>
<td>Less: Unspent balance for the previous year 2012-13</td>
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<td>500.00</td>
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<td>6.</td>
<td>Total admissible share to be released for the year 2014-15.</td>
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<td>2019.08</td>
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<td>7.</td>
<td>As per PAC meeting held on 26th August 2014 amount approved to be released to the State Govt. of Andhra Pradesh for the year 2014-15</td>
<td></td>
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<td>1886.00</td>
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<td>8.</td>
<td>Less: unspent balance</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>500.00</td>
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<td>9.</td>
<td>Net Central Assistance to be release to the State Govt.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>1386.00</td>
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3. This sanction relates to Plan Expenditure and is in accordance with the pattern of assistance prescribed by the Planning Commission and subject to the provision of General Financial Rules, 2005 as amended from time to time and any other instructions issued in this regard.

4. The expenditure is debitable to the Major Head Grant sub-head as indicated below and shall be met from Plan Budget for the year 2014-15:

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<tr>
<th>Demand No.</th>
<th>Major Head, Sub Head</th>
<th>Amount in Rs.</th>
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<tr>
<td>No. 97 Ministry of Tribal Affairs</td>
<td>Major Head: 3601-Grants-in-aid to State Government, 02-Grants for State Plan Schemes (Sub-Major Head), 796-Tribal Areas Sub-plan (Minor Head), 08-Umbrella Scheme for Education of ST Children, 08.00.31-Grant-in-aid General (Charged) under Demand No. 97, Ministry of Tribal Affairs for the year 2014-15</td>
<td>Rs.13,86,00,000/- (Rs. Thirteen crore eighty six lakh only)</td>
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5. It is requested that arrangements may kindly be made to credit this amount to the State Government in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Ministry of Finance OM No. 2(45)76-Spl.Cell dated 30-8-1976 and as modified vide OM of even number dated 16-09-1976 under intimation to this Ministry.

6. Scholarships are payable to the ST according to the Guidelines of the Scheme.

7. State Government has no authority to divert the funds for other purpose.

8. The State Government may furnish the Utilization Certificate along with details of beneficiaries.

9. Certified that this sanction has been noted at Sl. No. 59 in the register of Grants-in-aid.

10. This sanction is being issued with the concurrence of Integrated Finance of this Ministry vide their Dy. No. 3766/JS&FA/2014 dated 15/09/2014.

Yours faithfully,

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2. The Principal Secretary, Tribal Welfare Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh, D-Block, Ground Floor, Room No. 146-A, AP Secretariat, Hyderabad 500022.
3. The Secretary, Tribal Welfare Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh, AP Secretariat, Hyderabad 500022.
4. The Director, Higher Education Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad
5. The Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad
6. The Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad
7. The Secretary, National Commission for STs, Lok Nayak Bhawan, N.Delhi.
8. Director of Audit, Central Revenues, I.P. Estate, New Delhi.
11. PS to MTA, PPS to Secy. (TA), PS to JS (SR), US (IFD), Education Section's Guard File, Spare copy (2).
12. Dir (NIC) – requesting to upload on this Ministry’s website.

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