To

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

Sub: Pre-Matric Scholarship for ST students studying in Classes IX & X - Release of Central Assistance to State Government of Tripura towards full & final instalment during the year 2015-16.

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Sir,

I am directed to refer to the decision taken during the meeting of Project Appraisal Committee held on 04.12.2015.

2. Sanction of the President of India is hereby conveyed to Sanction and to release an amount of ₹ 13,03,60,000/- (Rs. thirteen crore three lakh sixty thousand only) to Government of Tripura as full & final under the Scheme of Pre-Matric Scholarship for ST students studying in Classes IX & X during the year 2015-16. The details of anticipated expenditure are given below:-

(Rs. in lakh)

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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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<td>1.</td>
<td><strong>For Hostellers</strong></td>
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<td></td>
<td>(i) Scholarship @ Rs. 350/- per month for 10 months</td>
<td>3500</td>
<td>10856</td>
<td>379.96</td>
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<td>(ii) Books &amp; Adhoc Grant @ Rs. 1000/- per annum</td>
<td>1000</td>
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<td>108.56</td>
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<td>2.</td>
<td><strong>For Day Scholars</strong></td>
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<td>(i) Scholarship @ Rs. 150/- per month for 10 months</td>
<td>1500</td>
<td>42660</td>
<td>639.90</td>
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<td>(ii) Books &amp; Adhoc Grant @ Rs. 750/- per annum</td>
<td>750</td>
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<td>319.95</td>
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<td>3.</td>
<td>Additional allowance for ST students with disabilities studying in Private un-aided Schools for 10 months</td>
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<td>0.0496</td>
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<td>4.</td>
<td>Total admissible Central Assistance during 2015-16</td>
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<td>1448.4196</td>
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<td>5.</td>
<td>Umbrella scheme State Share (10%) for the year 2015-16</td>
<td>53516</td>
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<td>144.8420</td>
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<td>6.</td>
<td>Central Assistance to be released during 2015-16 (approved amount as per PAC decision)</td>
<td>53516</td>
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<td>1303.50</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.

(Signature)

(Deputy Secretary/Under Secretary)
Ministry of Tribal Affairs
Govt. of India, New Delhi
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 2015-16:

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<th>Demand No.</th>
<th>Major Head, Sub Head</th>
<th>Amount in Rs.</th>
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<td>No. 98 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. 98, Ministry of Tribal Affairs for the year 2015-16.</td>
<td>₹ 13,03,60,000/- (Rs. thirteen crore three lakh sixty thousand 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. The State Government shall ensure that the Scholarship funds received from the Government of India/Ministry of Tribal Affairs are released directly to the beneficiaries electronically as laid down in Union Ministry of Finance’s Office Memorandum No. I-11011/58/2013-DBT dated 27/08/2015. A copy of the release order should be sent by email on usedu-tribal@nic.in.

7. No UC is due for rendition.

8. You are requested to advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the account of the Government of Tripura in accordance with procedure laid down in the Ministry of Finance’s OM No. 2(45)/78-Spl Cell dated 30.8.1976 as modified by OM of even number dated 16.9.1976.

9. The grantee organization shall voluntarily disclose the assets created, facilities developed and activity undertaken through this grant before the Gram Sabha concerned and also submit and undertaking/ certificate in this regard to this Ministry.

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

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

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

13. Certified that this sanction has been noted at Sl. No. 41 in the register of grants-in-aid.

14. This sanction is being issued with the concurrence of Integrated Finance of this Ministry vide their Dy. No.1284/JS&FA/2016 dated 24/02/2016.

Yours faithfully,

(K. Chandra Sekar)
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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

1. The Accountant General, Government of Tripura, Agartala.
2. The Secretary, Tribal Welfare Department (Stipend & Scholarship Section), Government of Tripura, Agartala.
3. The Secretary, Higher Education Department, Government of Tripura, Agartala.
4. Director, Tribal Welfare Department, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala.
5. The Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala.
6. The Secretary, Planning Department, Govt. of Tripura, Agartala.
7. The Secretary, National Commission for STs, Lok Nayak Bhawan, N.Delhi.
8. Director of Audit, Central Revenues, I.P. Estate, New Delhi.
10. Resident Commissioner, Government of Tripura, Tripura Bhawan, New Delhi.
11. PS to MTA, PPS to Secy. (TA), PPS to JS(MKP), US (IFD), Education Section's Guard File, Spare copy (2).

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