To

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

Sub: Grants-in-aid to the State Government of Nagaland under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Post Matric Scholarships to the students belonging to Scheduled Tribes for the year 2016-17 as 2nd instalment.

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Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's Sanction of even no. dated 28.12.2016 and to convey sanction of the President of India to release an amount of Rs.6,01,00,000/- (Rupees Six Crore One Lakh only) to the State Government of Nagaland as 2nd installment of recurring grant-in-aid under the Scheme of Post-Matric Scholarship to the ST students for the year 2016-17.

2. 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, 2017 as amended from time to time and any other instructions issued in this regard.

3. The expenditure is debitable to the Major Head Grant, sub-head as indicated below and shall be met from Plan Budget for the year 2017-18:

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<td>No. 96</td>
<td>Ministry of Tribal Affairs</td>
<td>Rs 6,01,00,000/- (Rupees Six Crore One Lakh only)</td>
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<td>Major Head: 3601-Grants-in-aid to State Governments (Major Head), 06-Grants for Centrally Sponsored Schemes (Sub-Major Head), 796-Tribal Areas Sub Plan (Minor Head), 36-Umbrella Programme for Development of Scheduled Tribes: Tribal Education, 02- Post Matric Scholarship 36.02.31-Grant-in-aid General (Charged) under Demand No. 96, Ministry of Tribal Affairs for the year 2017-18.</td>
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4. 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.

5. 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 edu-tribal@nic.in.
6. You are requested to advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the account of the Government of Nagaland in accordance with procedure laid down in the Ministry of Finance’s OM No. 2(45)/76-Spl Cell dated 30.8.1976 as modified by OM of even number dated 16.9.1976.

7. Diversion of funds and deviation from the norms of the scheme shall not be allowed. State Government has no authority to divert the funds for other purpose.

8. Certified that this sanction has been noted at SI. No. 45 in the register of grants-in-aid.

9. This sanction is being issued with the concurrence of Integrated Finance of this Ministry vide their Dy. No.1446/JS&FA/2017 dated 12/12/2017.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

(Uttam Kumar Kar)
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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

2. The Secretary, Social Welfare Department, Government of Nagaland, Kohima.
3. Secretary, Education Department, Government of Nagaland, Kohima.
4. Director, Tribal Welfare, Govt. of Nagaland, Kohima.
5. The Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Nagaland, Kohima.
6. The Secretary, Planning Department, Govt. of Nagaland, Kohima.
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, Govt. of Nagaland, Nagaland Bhawan, New Delhi.
11. PS to JS(A), DS (Scholarship), US (IFD), Scholarship Section’s Guard File, Spare copy.
12. Director (NIC) – Request for uploading on the Ministry’s website.

[Signature]

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