No.20015/04/2012-Edu/Sch
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs
[Scholarship Section]

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 Govt. of Madhya Pradesh towards Arrear Grant for 2016-17 during the current financial year 2017-18.

Sir,

Sanction of the President of India is hereby conveyed to release an amount of Rs.26,56,76,000/- (Rupees Twenty Six Crore, Fifty Six Lakh, Seventy Six Thousand only) to Govt. of Madhya Pradesh as towards Arrear Grant for 2016-17 under the Scheme of Pre-Matric Scholarship for ST students studying in Classes IX&X during current financial year 2017-18.

2. This sanction relates to Plan Expenditure and is in accordance with the pattern of assistance prescribed by Government of India 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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<th>Demand No.</th>
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<td>No. 96</td>
<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, 01-Pre-Matric Scholarship 36.01.31-Grant-in-aid General (Charged) under Demand No. 96, Ministry of Tribal Affairs for the year 2017-18.</td>
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4. 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
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.

5. You are requested to advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the account of the Government of Madhya Pradesh 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.

6. Diversion of funds and deviation from the norms of the scheme shall not be allowed. The conditions of eligibility, including inter-alia the condition of maximum prescribed income ceiling of parents must be followed.

8. The State Government may please acknowledge the receipt of this letter and report the expenditure incurred every Quarter.

9. Certified that this sanction has been noted at Sl. No. 09 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.4211/JS&FA/2017 dated 18/08/2017.

Yours faithfully,

(M.K. Jha)
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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:

2. The Secretary, Social Welfare Department, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal.
3. Secretary, Education Department, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal.
4. Director, Tribal Welfare, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal.
5. The Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal.
6. The Secretary, Planning Department, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal.
7. The Secretary, National Commission for STs, Lok Nayak Bhawan, N.Delhi.
8. Director of Audit, Central Revenues, I.P. Estate, New Delhi.
9. NITI Aayog, BC Division, New Delhi.
10. Resident Commissioner, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh Bhawan, New Delhi.
11. PS to JS(A), US (IFD), Guard File, Spare copy.
12. Director (NIC) – with a request to upload the sanction order on the Ministry's website.