

F.No.20015/13/2012-Edu/Sch.
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs
(Scholarship Section)

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi – 110001

Dated: 12 November, 2018

To,

The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs,
Shastri Bhawan,
New Delhi-110001

Sub: Grants-in-aid being released to the State Government of West Bengal under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Pre - Matric Scholarships to Scheduled Tribe students as arrear upto the year 2017-18 and for the year 2018-19 (1st Installment) during the current financial year 2018-19.

Sir,

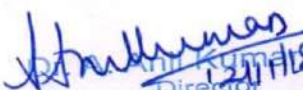
Sanction of the President of India is hereby conveyed to release an amount of **Rs.5,84,62,000/- (Rupees Five Crore Eighty-Four Lakh Sixty-Two Thousand only)** to the **Government of West Bengal** under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of **Pre - Matric Scholarships to Scheduled Tribe students** as arrear upto the year 2017-18 and for the year 2018-19 (1st Installment) during the current financial year 2018-19.

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 debit to the Major Head Grant, sub-head as indicated below and shall be met from Plan Budget for the year 2018-19 :-

Demand No.	Major Head, Sub Head	Amount
No. 96 Ministry of Tribal Affairs	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-Grants-in-aid General (Charged) under Demand No. 96, Ministry of Tribal Affairs for the year 2018-19.	Rs.5,84,62,000/- (Rupees Five Crore Eighty-Four Lakh Sixty-Two Thousand only)

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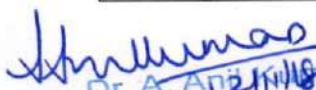
4. It is requested that arrangements may kindly be made to credit this amount to the State Governments in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Ministry of Finance OM No. 2(45)76-Spl.Cell dated 30-8-1976 and as modified vide OM of even number dated 16-09-1976 under intimation to this Ministry.

5. The calculation of as arrear grants upto the year 2017-18 and for the year 2018-19 (1st Installment) is as follows:

(Rs.in lakhs)

Financial Year	Total expenditure Reported/ Estimated	State Share (25%)	Central Share (75%)	Central share released	Balance being released
1	2	3	4	5	6
2012-13				260.00	(-) 260.00
2013-14	584.23	NIL	584.23	2620.00	(-)2295.77
2014-15*	780.33	195.08	585.25 (-)2295.77 (-)1710.52		(-)1710.52
2015-16	1003.43	250.56	752.57 (-)1710.52 (-)957.95		(-)957.95
2016-17	806.15	201.54	604.61 (-)957.95 (-)353.34		(-)353.34
2017-18	1005.32 \$	251.33	753.99 (-)353.34 400.65		400.65
2018-19 (estimated)	981.16	245.29	735.87	NIL	183.97 (As 1 st Installment (25% of central share)
Total					584.62
(Rs.400.65 lakhs as arrear upto year 2017-18 and Rs. 183.97 lakhs 1 st installment (25%) of central share for 2018-19)					

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 Dr. A. Anil Kumar, I.F.S.
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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 O.M. 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.
7. You are requested to advise RBI, CAS, Nagpur for crediting the above mentioned amount to the account of **Government of West Bengal** 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 vide OM of even number dated 16-09-1976.
8. No utilization certificate is due for rendition.
9. 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.
10. This sanction is being issued with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division of this Ministry vide their **Dy.No.1722/JS&FA/2018 dated 12.11.2018**.
11. Certified that this sanction has been noted at **S.No. 25** in Register of grants.

Yours faithfully,



(A. Anil Kumar) 12/11/18

Director (Admn/Sch.)

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1. The Accountant General, Government of West Bengal
2. The Secretary, Social Welfare Department, Government of West Bengal
3. Secretary, Education Department, Government of West Bengal
4. Director, Tribal Welfare, Government of West Bengal
5. The Secretary, Finance Department, Government of West Bengal
6. The Secretary, Planning Department, Government of West Bengal
7. The Secretary, National Commission for STs, Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi
8. Director of Audit, Central Revenues, I.P. Estate, New Delhi
9. PMD, NITI Aayog, BC Division, New Delhi
10. Resident Commissioner, Government of West Bengal, West Bengal Bhawan, New Delhi
11. Internal Audit, Ground Floor, D-Wing, Wing, M/o HRD, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001.
12. PS to JS(Sch.), DS (Scholarship), US (IFD), Scholarship Section's Guard File, Spare copy
13. Director (NIC) – Request for uploading on the Ministry's website