

F.No. 20014/7/2018-Sch
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs
(Scholarship Division)

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi – 110001
Dated: 03rd January, 2020

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 Bihar under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Post Matric Scholarship to Scheduled Tribe students as arrear upto 2018-19 and 1st installment for 2019-20 during the current financial year 2019-20.

Sir,

Sanction of the President of India is hereby conveyed to release an amount of **Rs.15,25,43,000/- (Rupees Fifteen Crore Twenty-Five Lakh Forty-Three Thousand only)** towards recurring grant to the **Government of Bihar** as arrear upto 2018-19 and 1st installment for the year 2019-20 under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of **Post Matric Scholarships to Scheduled Tribe students** for during the current financial year 2019-20.

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 2019-20 :-

Demand No.	Major Head, Sub Head	Amount
No. 98 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, 02 – Post-Matric Scholarship 36.02.31-Grants-in-aid General (Charged) under Demand No. 98, Ministry of Tribal Affairs for the year 2019-20.	Rs.15,25,43,000/- (Rupees Fifteen Crore Twenty-Five Lakh Forty-Three Thousand only)

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Deputy Director
Ministry of Tribal Affairs
Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi

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 grants towards arrear upto 2018-19 and 1st instalment for year 2019-20 is as follows:-

(Rs.in lakhs)

Financial Years	Actual Expenditure	State share (25%)	Central Share (75%)	Central share released	Amount to be released
1	2	3	4	5	6
2017-18	705.00	176.25	528.75	71.25	457.50
2018-19	1133.15	283.29	849.86	NIL	849.86
2019-20 (Estimated)	1259.06	314.77	944.29	NIL	236.07 (25% of the Central Share as 1 st installment)
Total					1543.43
Less: Unspent balance lying with State					(-) 18.00
Amount to be released					1525.43

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 Bihar** 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. As per Rule 236(1) of GFR-2017, the accounts of the Institution / Organization shall be open to inspection by the sanctioning authority and audit, both by the comptroller and Auditor General of India under the provision of CAG(DPC) Act 1971 and Internal audit by the principal accounts office of the Ministry or Department, whenever the institution or organization is called upon to do so.

9. No utilization certificate is due for rendition.

10. 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.

11. This sanction is being issued with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division of this Ministry vide their **Dy.No.12397/JS&FA/2019 dated 31.12.2019**.

12. Certified that this sanction has been noted at **S.No. 37** in Register of grants.

Yours faithfully,


(H.P. Jaiswal)

Deputy Director (Sch.)
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1. The Accountant General, Government of Bihar
2. The Secretary, Social Welfare Department, Government of Bihar
3. Secretary, Education Department, Government of Bihar
4. Director, Tribal Welfare, Government of Bihar
5. The Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Bihar
6. The Secretary, Planning Department, Government of Bihar
7. The Secretary, National Commission for STs, Lok Nayak Bhawan, New Delhi
8. PMD, NITI Aayog, BC Division, New Delhi
9. Director of Audit, Central Revenues, I.P. Estate, New Delhi
10. The Chief Controller of Accounts, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Room No. 403, 'C'-wing, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
11. Internal Audit, Ground Floor, D-Wing, Wing, M/o HRD, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001
12. Resident Commissioner, Government of Bihar, Bihar Bhawan, New Delhi
13. PS to JS(Sch), DS (Sch), US (IFD), Education Section's Guard File, Spare copy.
14. Director (NIC) – with a request to upload the sanction on Ministry's website.


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