No.20/11/2017-SS Government of India Ministry of Minority Affairs

11th Floor, Pt. Deendayal Antyodaya Bhawan, CGO Complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi- 110003 Dated: 05.03.2018

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer Ministry of Minority Affairs, Antyodaya Bhawan, New Delhi

Subject: Grants-in-aid under the Central Sector Scheme of Pre-matric Scholarship scheme: Disbursement of scholarships to the students belonging to minority communities for the year 2017-18.

Sir.

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President for release of grants-in-aid as scholarship of Rs. 7,71,72,652/- (₹ Seven Crore Seventy One Lakh Seventy Two Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Two only) to 46,664 (Forty Six Thousand Six Hundred Sixty Four) students from the State of Punjab under the Pre-matric Scholarship Scheme for the year 2017-18 as 100% Central share under the scheme. The details of payment files is Annexed. These details are also reflected in account of Programme Division and Pay & Accounts Division in Public Financial Management System (PFMS) portal.

- 2. The expenditure is debitable to Demand No.66 Ministry of Minority Affairs, Major Head "2225" (Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes and Minorities) (Major Head) "04"- Welfare of Minorities (Sub-Major Head)-"277"- Education (Minor Head) 03- Pre-Matric Scholarship for Minorities -03.00.34 Scholarship for the year 2017-18.
- 3. You are requested to transfer the scholarship amount in the Bank Account of the beneficiaries under Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) Mode.
- 4. This is to certify that the present sanction/expenditure is covered under Monthly Expenditure Plan (MEP) for the month of March, 2018 and Integrated Finance Division (IFD) has approved the expenditure during the 4th quarter of the financial year 2017-18.

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5. This sanction issues with concurrence of Joint Secretary & Financial Adviser (JS&FA) vide Dy. No. 120186/JS&FA dated 22.01.2018 and IFD has approved the expenditure during the 4^{th} quarter of the financial year 2017-18.

Yours faithfully,

(Aditya S. Singh)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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- 1. The Secretary, Department of Welfare, SCO 128-29, Sector-34-A, Punjab, Chandigarh.
- 2. The Accountant General (A&E), Punjab, Chandigarh.
- 3. The Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Punjab, Chandigarh.
- 4. The Director General of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, I.P. Estate, New Delhi-2
- 5. NIC, Ministry of Minority Affairs for uploading in the website of the Ministry.
- 6. Sanction Order Folder.

(Aditya S. Singh)
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Pre-matric Scholarship Scheme payment files for the year 2017-18.

S. No.	State/UTs	No. of Beneficiaries	Payment amount
1.	Punjab	25000	41582910
2.	Punjab	6414	12983412
3.	Punjab	5549	8636261
4.	Punjab	5	5000
5.	Punjab	9696	13965069
	Total	46,664	7,71,72,652

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