

No.20/10/2017-SS  
Government of India  
Ministry of Minority Affairs

11th Floor, Pt. Deendayal Antyodaya Bhawan,  
CGO Complex, Lodhi Road,  
New Delhi- 110003  
Dated: 28.12.2017

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 ₹ **5,48,93,905/- (₹ Five Crore Forty Eight Lakh Ninety Three Thousand Nine Hundred Five only) to 50,000 (Fifty Thousand)** students from the State of Maharashtra 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.

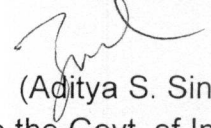
4. This is to certify that the present sanction/expenditure is covered under Monthly Expenditure Plan (MEP) for the month of December, 2017 and Integrated Finance Division (IFD) has approved the expenditure during the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter of the financial year 2017-18.

  
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5. This sanction issues with concurrence of Joint Secretary & Financial Adviser (JS&FA) vide Dy. No. 120184/2017/JS&FA dated 28.12.2017 and IFD has approved the expenditure during the 3rd quarter of the financial year 2017-18.

Yours faithfully,



(Aditya S. Singh)

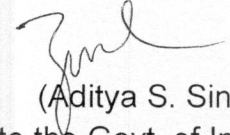
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1. The Principal Secretary, Department of Higher & Technical Education, Maharashtra, Mantralaya Annex, Mumbai-400032.
2. The Accountant General (A&E), Maharashtra, Mumbai.
3. The Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Maharashtra, Mumbai
4. The Director 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.



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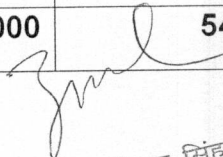
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ANNEXURE

Pre-matric Scholarship Scheme payment files for the year 2017-18.

S. No.	State/UTs	No. of Beneficiaries	Payment amount
1.	Maharashtra	25000	27854750
2.	Maharashtra	25000	27039155
<b>Total</b>		<b>50000</b>	<b>54893905</b>

  
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