## No. 11014/35/2017-BC-I

## Government of India

Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment (Department of Social Justice & Empowerment)

(BC Division)

Room No. 253-A, A-Wing, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-110001

Dated the 27<sup>th</sup> April 2018.

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi.

Sub: Ad-hoc release of Central Assistance to State Governments under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Post-Matric Scholarship to OBC Students for the Year 2018-19.

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President for payment of an amount of Rs.487,58,25,000/- (Rupees Four hundred Eighty Seven crore Fifty Eight lakh and Twenty Five thousand only) as Central Assistance on ad-hoc basis under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Post-Matric Scholarship to OBC students for the year 2018-19 to the State Governments as tabulated herein below:

S. No.	State	Ad-hoc release amount (in Rs.)	
1.	Andhra Pradesh	31,37,25,000.00	
2.	Goa	96,00,000.00	
3.	Gujarat	38,58,75,000.00	
4.	Himachal Pradesh	4,41,00,000.00	
5.	Jharkhand	21,08,25,000.00	
6.	Karnataka	39,03,75,000.00	
7	Kerala	21,33,75,000.00	
8.	Madhya Pradesh	46,38,75,000.00	
9.	Rajasthan	43,83,00,000.00	
10.	Tamil Nadu	46,06,50,000.00	
11.	Uttar Pradesh	127,53,00,000.00	
12.	West Bengal	58,33,50,000.00	
13.	Tripura	8,64,75,000.00	
Total		487,58,25,000.00	

2. The expenditure is debit able to the Major Head/Grant Sub-Head etc. as indicated below:

Demand	Major Head 3601	Amount
No. 89-Department of Social Justice and Empowerment 2018-19 (Plan)	Grants in aid to State Govt.  06.101 – Central Assistance/Share (Minor Head)  40.01- Post-Matric Scholarships for OBC students  40.01.31- Grants- in- aid (General)	Rs.487,58,25,000/- (Rupees Four hundred Eighty Seven crore Fifty Eight lakh and

3. It is requested that arrangement may kindly be credited to the above amount to the State named above in accordance with the procedure laid down in the Ministry of Finance O.M No. 2(45)/76-Spl. Cell dated 30.08.1976 and modified vide O.M of even number dated 16.9.76, under intimation to this Division.

संदीप गुप्ता/SANDEEP GUPTA निदेशक/Director सामाजिक न्याय एवं अधिकारिता मंत्रालय Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment भारत सरकार/Govt. of India नई दिल्ली/New Delhi-1

- Central Assistance being released is adjustable against the final due Central Assistance for the current financial year. The release of fund is subject to the following conditions:
- Furnishing of Audited Statement of accounts and the Utilization Certificate as per the GFR 12-C in respect of the grant-in- aid released during 2018-19, duly signed by authorized signatory of the State Government.
- Furnishing of details of District-wise number of beneficiaries, class-wise, gender-wise (boys & girls) and institution-wise covered under the Scheme during the last year as well as for the year 2018-19 separately.
- In the event of failure on the part of the State Government to utilize the grant-in-aid for the purpose for which it has been sanctioned or failure to comply with the conditions of this sanction, the State Government shall be liable to refund, the whole or part amount, as the case may be, in terms of Rule 209(6)(ix) of GFRs.
- The State Government will maintain separate accounts in respect of the Central Assistance received for this Scheme. The State Government will have the accounts of the central assistance audited either by the Government Auditor and shall furnish the Utilisation certificate on the prescribed format i.e GFR-12-C in original duly signed by authorized signatory not below the level of Director of the State Government to this Ministry.
- The accounts will 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/Department, whenever the Institution or Central Government is called upon to do so.
- Further, as per the decision of the Government of India, the scholarship amount due to the selected beneficiaries (students) shall be disbursed through DBT mode only w. e. f 2015-16. Other mode such as through cash or cheque shall not be accepted.
- This sanction is being issued with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division of the Ministry vide 9. their e-office Dy. No. 22010/JS&FA(SJ&E), dated 26.04.2018.

Yours faithfully

Sandeep Gupta)

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Copy to:

The Principal Secretary, Department of Backward Classes Welfare, Government of Andhra सामाजिक न्याय एवं आहि & Empower Ministry of Social Justice & Empower (Govt. of India 1. Pradesh, J Block, 4th Floor, Secretariat, Hyderabad -500001 (AP).

The Director, Directorate of Social Welfare, 18th June Road, Govt. of Gouve Manuralayan Pariaji, 2. Goa-403001.

The Secretary, Social Justice & Empowerment Department, Government of Gujarat, Block No. 5, 3. 8th Floor, Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, Gujarat.

The Secretary, Social Justice & Empowerment Department, Government of Himachal 4. Pradesh, Block-33, SDA Complex, Kasumpati, Shimla-171009.

- The Secretary, Welfare Department, Government of Jharkhand, Government of Jharkhand, 2nd 5. Floor, Project Building (Jharkhand Mantralaya), Dhurwa, Ranchi-834004.
- The Principal Secretary, Social Welfare Department, Government of Karnataka, Karnataka Govt. 6. Secretariat, Vikasa Soudha, Bangalore-560 001.
- The Director, Backward Communities Development Deptt. Government of Kerala, 7. Bhawan, 4th Floor, Kanakanagar, Thiruvananthpuram- 695003
- The Additional Chief Secretary, Backward Classes and Minority Welfare Deptt., Govt of Madhya 8. Pradesh, Mantralaya, Bhopal-462001 Madhya Pradesh

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- The Commissioner, Directorate of Social Justice & Empowerment Department, Govt. of 9. Rajasthan, Ambedkar Bhawan, G-3/1, Raj Mahal Residency Area, Civil lines, Jaipur, Rajasthan-500003.
- The Principal Secretary, Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare 10. (MW2) Department, Secretariat, Chepauk, Chennai, Tamil Nadu. 600009
- The Principal Secretary, Backward Class Welfare Department, Section-2, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh, 11. Lal Bahadur Shastri Bhawan, Lucknow, UP-226003
- The Principal Secretary, Backward Classes Welfare Department, Govt. of West Bengal, 12. Administrative Buildings, DJ-4, Bidhanagar, Sector-II, Kolkata 700091West Bengal.
- The Secretary, Department for welfare of SC & OBC, Room No. 2202, New Secretariat, Capital 13. Complex, Government of Tripura, Agartala 799 006
- 14. The Accountant General of the States mentioned above.
- NITI Aayog (SJ&E Division), NITI Bhawan, New Delhi. 15.
- Director of Audit, Central Revenue, IP Estate, New Delhi. 16.

(Sandeep Gupta) Director (BG)A

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