

No.1/13/2013/SS/(R/F)  
Government of India  
Ministry of Minority Affairs

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Dated 29<sup>th</sup> November, 2013

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

**Subject: Grant-in-aid under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Merit-cum Means based Scholarship to the students belonging to minority communities to the Government of Gujarat for the year 2013-14.**

Sir,

In continuation to this Ministry's sanction letter of even number dated 18/10/2013 ₹ 26,85,160/-, I am directed to convey the sanction of the President for release of non-recurring grant-in-aid of ₹ 3,63,23,338/- (₹ **Three Crore Sixty Three Lakh Twenty Three Thousand Three Hundred Thirty Eight only**) towards Fresh Merit-cum Means based Scholarship to **1560 (One Five Six Zero)** students as per details enclosed at **Annexure**. The recurring grant may be released to the Government of Gujarat through CAS, Reserve Bank of India, Nagpur.

2. No Utilization certificate is pending with the grantee.
3. The expenditure is debitable to Demand No.68 - Ministry of Minority Affairs, Major Head "3601" - Grants-in-aid to State Governments, Sub-Major Head "04"-Grants for Centrally Sponsored Plan Schemes, Minor Head "378"-General (Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes and Minorities) - Other Grants, 03 - Merit-cum-Means Scholarship for professional and technical courses for Minorities, 03.00.31 - Grants-in-aid- General for the year 2013-14.
4. Utilization Certificate for this grant should be submitted by the grantee in the prescribed format (GFR 19-A) within 12 months from the date of this Sanction Order.
5. The State Government/UT Administration should ensure that the sanctioned amount is utilized within one month from the date of crediting of fund in the account of the State.
6. The State Government is required to furnish monthly return of this expenditure to this Ministry along with a report on amounts outstanding, released to the State Government under Merit-cum Means based Scholarship scheme.

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7. Guidelines for preparation of merit list for scholarships to students belonging to minority communities, contained in this Ministry's letter No.1(1)/2006-PP-I dated 13.12.2007 may be followed.

8. This sanction issues with concurrence of Integrated Finance Division vide Dy. No.618/2013/IFD dated 25/11/2013.

Yours faithfully,

(U. Lakra)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India  
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1. The Accountant General (A&G), Gujarat, Gandhinagar.
2. The Manager, Reserve Bank of India, Central Account Section, Nagpur-440001.
3. The Principal Secretary, Social Justice & Empowerment Department, Block No.5/9<sup>th</sup> Flore, Sachivalaya, Gujarat State, Gandhinagar w.r.t. Directorate of Developing Caste Welfare letter No.DCW/EDU/MINORITY/2013-14 dated 22/11/2013.
4. The Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Gujarat, Gandhinagar.
5. The Director General of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, New Delhi-2.
6. Sanction folder.

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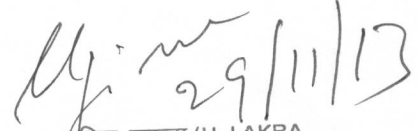
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Annexure

Fresh Scholarships for the year 2013-14

Details of disbursement of Fresh of Merit-cum Means based Scholarship to the State Government of Gujarat (in this connection State Government of Gujarat letter No.DCW/EDU/MINORITY/2013-14 dated 22/11/2013 refers)

Community	Total no. of students sanctioned scholarship	No. of students sanctioned scholarship (male)	No. of students sanctioned scholarship (female)	Amount sanctioned (in ₹)
Muslim	1455	623	832	3,37,73,043
Christian	90	47	43	21,92,970
Sikh	10	4	6	2,35,225
Buddhist	2	0	2	38,100
Parsi	3	2	1	84,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>1560</b>	<b>676</b>	<b>884</b>	<b>3,63,23,338</b>

  
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