No. 21/7/2017-SS Government of India Ministry of Minority Affairs

> 11th Floor, Pt. Deendayal Antyodaya Bhawan, C.G.O. Complex, Lodi Road, New Delhi-110003 Dated: 29th December, 2017

To

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

Subject: Grants-in-aid under the Central Sector Scheme of Post-matric Scholarship scheme for 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 ₹ 26,59,07,679/- (Rupees Twenty Six Crore Fifty Nine Lakh Seven Thousand Six Hundred Seventy Nine Only) to 44,615 (Forty Four Thousand Six Hundred Fifteen) students from the State Governments of Kerala and Uttar Pradesh under the Post-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) – 04- Post-Matric Scholarship for Minorities -04.00.34 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 MEP for the month of December, 2017 and Integrated Finance Committee (IFD) has approved the expenditure during the third quarter of the financial year 2017-18.

5. This sanction issues with concurrence of Joint Secretary & Financial Adviser (JS&FA) vide Dy. No. **120187/2017/JS&FA dated 29.11.2017** and IFD has approved the expenditure during the **2nd** quarter of the financial year 2017-18.

Yours faithfully,

(Aditya S. Singh) Under Secretary to the Govt. of India Tele : 011-2436 4311 Contd..2/-अदित्य शेखर सिंह अवर सचिव

Copy to:-

- 1. The Secretary, General Education Department, Government of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 2. Director of Public Instruction, Government of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 3. The Accountant General, Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 4. Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram.
- 5. Principal Secretary, Minorities Welfare & Wakf Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow.
- 6. Director, Minorities Welfare Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow.
- 7. The Accountant General, Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow.
- 8. Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow.
- 9. The Director General of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, I.P. Estate, New Delhi-2.
- 10. Budget Section/Cash Section, Ministry of Minority Affairs.
- 11. NIC, Ministry of Minority Affairs for uploading in the website of the Ministry.
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ANNEXURE

POST-MATRIC SCHOLARSHIP BENEFICIARIES PAYMENT FILES FOR THE YEAR 2017-18.

S. No.	State/UTs	No. of Beneficiaries	Payment amount
1	Kerala	9479	46112343
2	Uttar Pradesh	25000	156572663
		10136	63222673
Total		44,615	26,59,07,679

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