

No. 11/2/2016-SS  
Government of India  
Ministry of Minority Affairs

11th Floor, Pt. Deendayal Antyodaya Bhawan,  
CGO Complex, Lodhi Road,  
New Delhi- 110003  
Dated: 31.03.2017

To

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

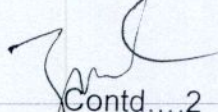
**Subject: Grants-in-aid under the Central Sector Scheme of Pre-matric Scholarship scheme: Disbursement of scholarships to the students belonging to minority communities for the year 2016-17.**

Sir,

I am directed to convey the sanction of the President for release of grants-in-aid as scholarship of ₹ 5,73,54,939/- (₹ Five Crore Seventy Three Lakh Fifty Four Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty Nine only) to 48,211 (Forty Eight Thousand Two Hundred Eleven) students from the States of Punjab, West Bengal under the Pre-matric Scholarship Scheme for the year 2016-17 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.

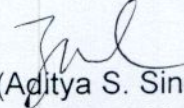
2. The expenditure is debitable to Demand No.60 - Ministry of Minority Affairs, Major Head "2225" - (Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes and Minorities) (Major Head) - "04"- Welfare of Minorities (Sub-Major Head)- "277"- Education (Minor Head) - 03- Pre-Matric Scholarship for Minorities -03.00.34 Scholarship for the year 2016-17.

3. You are requested to transfer the scholarship amount in the Bank Account of the beneficiaries under Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) Mode.

  
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4. This sanction issues with concurrence of Integrated Finance Division vide Dy. No.1048/2017/IFD dated 29.03.2017.

Yours faithfully,

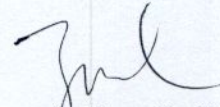
  
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2. The Accountant General (A&E), Punjab, Chandigarh.
3. The Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Punjab, Chandigarh.
4. The Secretary, Minority Affairs & Madrasah Education Deptt, Writers Building, West Bengal, Kolkata-700001.
5. The Accountant General (A&E), West Bengal, Kolkata.
6. The Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of West Bengal, Kolkata.
7. The Director General of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, I.P. Estate, New Delhi-2.
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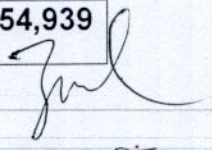
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**ANNEXURE**

**Pre-matric Scholarship Scheme payment files for the year 2016-17**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>State/UTs</b>	<b>No. of Beneficiaries</b>	<b>Payment amount</b>
1.	Punjab	30000	35075293
2.	West Bengal	15167	17693641
3.	West Bengal	122	167883
4.	West Bengal	2482	2939982
5.	West Bengal	80	102388
6.	West Bengal	360	1375752
<b>Total</b>		<b>48,211</b>	<b>5,73,54,939</b>

  
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