GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA ST & SC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

/SSD., Dated. Bhubaneswar the, No. STSCD-POMS-PLAN1-0013-2015

From

Shri Ramesh Chandra Sai, Director, SC Welfare.

To

All National Level Institute outside the State.

Sanction of Scholarship to ST Student admitted in the National Level Institute.

Sir/ Madam,

I am directed to invite this Department Memo No.22951/SSD., dated.21.11.2015 on the subject noted above and to say that as you are aware that Government of Odisha in ST & SC Development Department has introduced a State funded Scholarship Scheme known as Financial Assistance Scheme to enable economically disadvantaged ST students to pursue their higher study in reputed National Level Institutions.

As per the scheme guidelines ST students admitted to a National Level Institute will be provided with Scholarship towards admission fee, course fee, other nonrefundable fee, hostel charges, mess charges and any other education related expenses charged by the Institution. A copy of the guidelines is also enclosed herewith for ready reference.

It has come to the notice of this Department that in spite of the introduction of the above scheme by the Government a substantial number of ST students of National Level Institute have not applied for the Scholarship for the year 2015-16.

It is, therefore, requested that any left-out ST student who is prosecuting his/her higher study in your Institute, whose annual family income does not exceed Rs.2.50 lakh and fulfils the other criteria mentioned in the guidelines, their application may kindly be sent to the District Welfare Officer of the concerned District to which the applicant belong (in case of outside State Students) and in case of the Institute situated inside the State then the application has to send to the concerned DWO in which District the institution situated at an early date for sanction of Scholarship with a copy to Sunarhida session sess the Director, SC Welfare, ST & SC Development Department, Government Odisha, Bhubaneswar for reference.

Yours faithfully,

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA MINORITIES & BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE DEPARTMENT

1328(85) /M&BCW, Bhubaneswar dated the

MCW-01/16

From

Sri Biswanath Mallick, IAS Director, OBC

To

The Director,

59. National Institute of Technology, Tiruchirapalli-620015(Tamil Nadu)

Sub-Financial Assistance to meritorious Minority Students from Odisha persuing studies in different National Institute of India.

Sir.

In inviting a reference to the subject noted supra I am directed to say that extending Financial Assistance to meritorious Minority Students from Odisha persuing higher studies in different National Institutes of the country is one of the points of Priority Area of development of Govt. of Odisha. The meritorious Minority students of the State might have been in receipt of Merit-cum-means Scholarship under National Scholarship portal implemented by the Ministry of Minority Affairs. There might be some minority students deprived of the said Scholarship provided by the Government of India because of lack of awareness or on eligibility criteria.

In view of the above, Government of Odisha have taken a decision to provide financial assistance to the left out Minority Students of your Institution who are permanent residents of State of Odisha and continuing their studies in the Institution.

Therefore, it is requested to kindly provide the relevant information in the annexed format 'A' & 'B' to the Government of Odisha, Department of Minorities & Backward Classes Welfare, Bhubaneswar at the earliest to provide financial aid to the left out Minority students of your Institution other than getting Scholarships from Government of India.

An early reply is highly solicited.

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Yours faithfully Director, OF