

No.1/29/2013/SS/(R/F)
Government of India
Ministry of Minority Affairs

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Dated: 9th December, 2013

To

The Pay & Accounts Officer,
Ministry of Minority Affairs,
Paryavaran Bhavan,
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 Punjab for the year 2013-14.

Sir,

In continuation to this Ministry's sanction letter of even number dated 10/5/2013 & 29/10/2013 for ₹ 1,96,52,198/- & ₹ 2,78,61,944 , I am directed to convey the sanction of the President for release of non-recurring grant-in-aid of ₹ **13,60,66,633/-** (₹ **Thirteen Crore Sixty Lakh Sixty Six Thousand Six Hundred Thirty Three Only**) as 100% Central share to the Government of Punjab for disbursement of funds towards fresh of Merit-cum Means based Scholarship to **4798** (Four Seven Nine Eight) students as per details enclosed at **Annexure-I**. This includes a fund of ₹ **19,78,000/-** (₹ **Nineteen Lakh Seventy Eight Thousand Only**) for administrative expenses for the year 2013-14 as per details enclosed at **Annexure-II**. The non-recurring grant may be released to the Government of Punjab through CAS, Reserve Bank of India, Nagpur.

2. No Utilization certificate is pending with the grantee.
3. The expenditure is debitible 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.

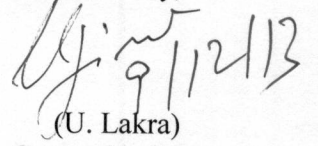
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7. Guidelines for preparation of merit list for scholarships to students belonging to minority communities, contained in this Ministry's letter No.1(1)/2006-PP-I dated 13.12.2007 may be followed.

8. This sanction issues with concurrence of Integrated Finance Division vide Dy. No.650/2013/IFD dated 5/12/2013.

Yours faithfully,



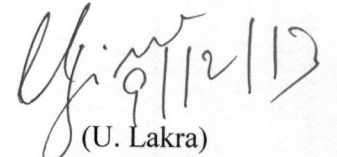
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Copy to:-

1. The Accountant General (A&E), Punjab, Chandigarh.
2. The Manager, Reserve Bank of India, Central Account Section, Nagpur-440001.
3. The Special Secretary, Department of Welfare, SCO 128-29, Sector-34-A, Punjab, Chandigarh w.r.t. their letter No.3/48/13-SA-I/1079 dated 27/11/2013.
4. The Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of Punjab, Chandigarh.
5. The Director General of Audit, Central Revenues, AGCR Building, New Delhi-2.
6. Sanction folder.



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Community-wise allocation of scholarships for Punjab

Community	No. of scholarship available for female (30%)	No. of scholarship available to both male and female (70%)	Total
Muslim	36	84	120
Christian	28	65	93
Sikh	1386	3234	4620
Buddhist	4	8	12
Parsi	0	0	0
Total	1454	3392	4845

Fresh scholarships sanctioned for the year 2013-14

(in this connection State Government of Punjab letter No.3/48/13-SA-I/1079 dated 27/11/2013 refers)

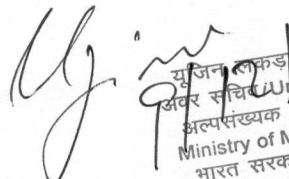
(i) For listed institutions

Community	No. of students sanctioned scholarship	No. of students sanctioned scholarship (male)	No. of students sanctioned scholarship (female)	Amount sanctioned (in ₹)
Muslim	04	04	00	2,49,400
Christian	06	05	01	4,37,895
Sikh	222	159	63	1,58,25,241
Buddhist	03	01	02	2,06,695
Total	235	169	66	1,67,19,231

(ii) For other institutions

Community	No. of students sanctioned scholarship	No. of students sanctioned scholarship (male)	No. of students sanctioned scholarship (female)	Amount sanctioned (in ₹)
Muslim	104	69	35	25,87,621
Christian	55	18	37	14,42,890
Sikh	4398	962	3436	11,32,01,826
Buddhist	06	04	02	1,37,065
Total	4563	1053	3510	11,73,69,402

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Annexure contd.

Grand total (i) and (ii)

Category	Total no. of students sanctioned scholarship	No. of students sanctioned scholarship (male)	No. of students sanctioned scholarship (female)	Amount sanctioned (in ₹)
Muslim	108	73	35	28,37,021
Christian	61	23	38	18,80,785
Sikh	4620	1121	3499	12,90,27,067
Buddhist	9	5	4	3,43,760
Grand Total	4798	1222	3576	13,40,88,633

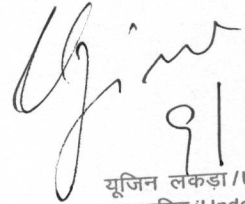
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Annexure-II

Details of expenditure for administrative expenses sanctioned

S. No	Items sanctioned	Amount (in ₹)
1.	Assistant Programmer Coordinator = 1 @Rs.25000x12=3,00,000 Data Entry Operators =2 @ Rs.15000 x 12 = 2,88,000 Clerk =1 @Rs.12000x 12 = 1,44,000 Peon = 1 @ Rs.8000 x 12 = 96,000	8,28,000
2.	Advertisement/Publicity	3,00,000
3.	Contingency/Stationary etc.	1,00,000
4.	Furniture/Fixture/Fittings/Furnishing	3,00,000
5.	Misc. Expenses	1,50,000
6.	Orientation to institutions	3,00,000
	Total	19,78,000


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