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Ministry of Minority Affairs

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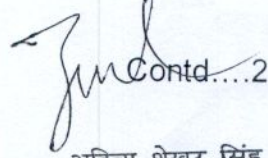
The Pay & Accounts Officer  
Ministry of Minority Affairs,  
ParyavaranBhavan,  
New Delhi

**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 ₹ 5,29,34,956/- ( ₹ Five Crore Twenty Nine Lakh Thirty Four Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty Six only) to 49,500 (Forty Nine Thousand Five Hundred) students from the **State of Maharashtra** 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.

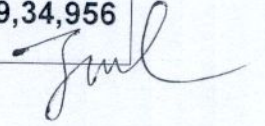
2. The expenditure is debitable to Demand No.68 - Ministry of Minority Affairs, Major Head "2225" - (Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes and Minorities) (Major Head) - "04"- Welfare of Minorities (Sub-Major Head)- "277"- Education (Minor Head) - 03- Pre-Matric Scholarship 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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**ANNEXURE**

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

S. No.	State/UTs	No. of Beneficiaries	Payment amount
1.	Maharashtra	27755	29530683
2.	Maharashtra	1814	1908079
3.	Maharashtra	9953	10745351
4.	Maharashtra	8852	9436359
5.	Maharashtra	1126	1314484
<b>Total</b>		<b>49,500</b>	<b>5,29,34,956</b>



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