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C I R C U L A R

Sub:- Sanction of scholarship to students whose earning parent dies rendering the family income within the prescribed income ceiling under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of Post Matric Scholarship for SC & ST students.

This Ministry has received a letter No.F.acad/ACD/B5/95 dated 27.11.1995 from Deputy Registrar (Acad), Indian Institute of Technology, Madras who has there-in suggested that scholarship under the said scheme should be given to a candidate, whose earning parent dies suddenly leaving the family without any earnings, without reference to the income of the parents of the immediate last year.

2. Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe students whose parents income is within the income ceiling prescribed under the scheme, are coverable subject to their eligibility as per other conditions of the scheme. Therefore, such students whose parents income is affected due to unfortunate death of one of earning parents and resultanty comes within the income ceiling prescribed under the scheme, will become eligible for scholarship, subject to their fulfilling other conditions of eligibility, from the month in which such sad incidence takes place. Applications for scholarships, from such students can be considered, even after lapse of last date of receipt of applications, on compassionate grounds.

3. All concerned are requested to give due publicity to this.

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